

*Western Shore Treasury,
Annapolis, 4th March, 1842.*

To the Honorable

the House of Delegates :

The Treasurer, in obedience to their order of the 1st of January, which did not come to him until the 24th ult., has the honor to furnish the accompanying statements, viz :

No. 1—shewing the particulars of the Treasury account of “the Legislature,” for the year ended 1st December 1841, amounting to \$67.369 $\frac{1}{100}$ —whereof \$55.682 $\frac{3}{100}$ are, he things chargeable to December session 1840, and \$11.529 $\frac{1}{100}$ to March session 1841.

No. 2—shewing as accurately as may be, his payments for printing in the year ended 1st of December 1841—amounting to \$12.244 $\frac{6}{100}$.

Most respectfully,

Their ob't. servant,

GEORGE MACKUBIN,

Treasurer of the Western Shore, Md.

The rule being suspended,

Mr. Carmichael presented the petition of William Hacketts of William, guardian of Alexander Gould, praying the passage of an act in favor of said ward ;

Read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Nicols of Caroline reported a bill entitled, an act relating to schools in the middle and lower election districts of Caroline county ;

Read the first time and laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Sutton of Harford,

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to preserve the ducks in Bush and Gunpowder rivers ;

Read the second time by special order ;

On motion of Mr. Sutton of Harford,

The following amendments were read and assented to :

Insert after the word “court” in the 3rd line of the 2nd section “and Baltimore county court.”

Strike out all after the word “lime” in the 3rd line of the 4th section to the end thereof, and insert “before the sitting of the county courts, provided, that the provisions and penalties of this act, shall not apply to persons gunning in the day time with small fire arms, except where an individual guns in said boat, immediately along the ducking shores of any person or person, living or owning lands on said waters.”

Add as an addition section the following :

Sec. 5. And be it enacted, That the penalties and provisions of this act shall be confined exclusively to those persons padding or gunning, with either large or small fire arms after night, except as is provided for in the fourth section aforesaid.