The committee on Claims, report that they have had under consideration the petition of the Maryland Institute of Education, and have come to the decision that in their opinion the prayer of the memorialists ought not to be granted, the debt incurred by them being at the instance of the committee appointed under resolution of the General Assembly of 1842, for whose services remuneration has been made, and to whom the memorialists, in the opinion of your committee, ought legitimately to look for payment of their claim.

Respectfully submitted,

A. KILGOUR.

Which was read the first, and by a special order the second time, and concurred in.

On motion of Mr. Williams, of Baltimore city,

Leave was granted the Baltimore city delegation, to bring in a bill entitled, an act to repeal the act entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act for the despatch of business in Baltimore county court, and for other purposes.

On motion of Mr. Patterson.

Ordered, That the inspectors of tobacco at the several ware-houses of the State, be required to report to this House the quantity of tobacco inspected from each of the counties of this State, for the years 1841, 1842, 1843 and 1844.

On motion of Mr. Hollyday, of Cecil,

Leave was granted the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill supplementary to the act of Assembly for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors passed at December session 1805, chapter 110.

Mr. Gallagher presented the memorial of sundry citizens of Baltimore, praying for the passage of a law providing for the in-

spection of white oak staves and heading;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Inspections.

Mr. Ware submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the committee on Ways and Means, be instructed to enquire into the expediency of bringing in a bill to authorise and compel the sale of all the State's property, of every description, except the State House and Penitentiary; and, that the proceeds be applied towards the liquidation of the State's liabilities;

Which was twice read, and On the question being put,

"Will the House adopt said order?"

It was determined in the negative.

Mr. Potter, chairman of the committee on Elections and Privileges, delivered the following

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The committee on Elections and Privileges, beg leave to report to this Honorable Body, that for several days they have had under consideration, the memorial of Edward Buckey, in which he contests the seat of John H. Worthington, Esq., returned as one of