3. Resolved, That the said commissioner be and he is hereby requested to correspond with the Boards of Commissioners of Public Schools of the city of Baltimore, and of the several counties of the State, or the clerks of the counties where no Board of Commissioners of Public Schools are located, and obtain from them such information as will enable him to prepare such uniform system of public education as will be acceptable to the said Boards, which uniform system the said commissioner is hereby requested to prepare and present for consideration to the General Assembly of 1864.

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Smith presented the petition of members of Jonesville Division No. 171 Sons of Temperance for an act of incorporation;

Which was read, and.

Referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Smith presented the petition of Milton Day, for the appointment of an Inspector of Tar and Ground Bark;

Which was read, and

Referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Willis presented the petition of sundry citizens of Caroline county;

Which was read, and

Referred to a select committee.

On motion of Mr. Sellman,

Ordered, That the committee on Claims be requested to make the usual allowances on the journal of accounts, to Andrew A. Lynch, Senator from Baltimore county, for mileage and per diem during the extra session and present session of the General Assembly.

On motion of Mr. Sellman,

Ordered, That a select committee of three be appointed by the President, whose duty shall be to inquire into the importance of retaining the Naval School at the city of Annapolis, and that they have leave to report by resolution or otherwise.

The President appointed Messrs Sellman, Goldsborough, of Dorchester, and Bayne.

On motion of Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester,

Leave was granted the committee already appointed, to report a bill entitled, An act to authorize Hester Twilley and Dewitt C. Handly, administrators, C. T. A., of James D. Twilley, late of Dorchester county, deceased, to cut and sell