

Hardcastle, Willis, Price, Warner, Wolf, Stockdale, Christopher, Reese, Hugg, Taylor, Mathews, Pearson, Findlay, Herbert, Thomas, Rohrer, Dunlop, White, Chamberlain, Little, Everhart, Waters, Donaldson, Hammond, of Howard.

The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The Speaker submitted the report of the State Treasurer, as requested by an order of the House;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Carroll presented the petition of Edward A. Marshall, asking compensation for services rendered at the special session of the Legislature at Frederick;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Carroll submitted the following message :

By the House of Delegates,
December 17th, 1861.

Gentlemen of the Senate :

We propose, with the concurrence of your Honorable Body, the appointment of a joint committee, to examine the vouchers which the Governor may submit, for the expenditures of appropriations made by the act of 1860, to repair and furnish the Executive mansion and for other purposes.

Also, to inspect and report the condition and wants of the Executive mansion.

We have appointed Messrs. Carroll, Jerome and Creswell, to join the gentlemen named by your Honorable Body.

By order,

T. SNOWDEN THOMAS,
Chief Clerk.

Which was read, assented to, and sent to the Senate.

Mr. Price submitted the memorial of Samuel M. Lauder, to have refunded him a sum of money paid by him, under conviction of the Criminal Court of Baltimore city ;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Harris, of St. Mary's, submitted the following :

Ordered, That all bills and resolutions now before the House, or which may hereafter be brought to its consideration, during the remainder of this called Session, and requiring the joint action of the two Houses of this General Assembly, be referred to the General Assembly at its regular Ses-