

TUESDAY, January 10th, 1860.

The President laid before the Senate the Report of the Finance Committee of the Senate, and Committee of Ways and Means of the House, of the last General Assembly of Maryland, on the condition of the Sinking Fund;

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, presented a petition of Samuel T. Hopkins, Clerk of Talbot county, praying an extension of time for taxing his costs;

Which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, presented a petition of Samuel T. Hopkins and John Donovan, of Talbot county, for the refunditure of certain taxes;

Which was referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Blackiston, from a select committee,

Reported a bill entitled, An act to increase the number of constables in Kent county;

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot, presented the petition of sundry citizens of Easton, Talbot county, in reference to a passenger Railway from Easton to Easton Point and Miles' river, in Talbot county;

Which was referred to Messrs. Goldsborough, Blackiston, and Bradley.

Mr. Watkins offered the memorial of the Maryland State Agricultural Society;

Which was referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Blackiston, from a select committee, reported a bill entitled, An act authorizing Jesse K. Hines, Clerk of the Circuit Court for Kent county, to record a deed given to David A. Price by William Whittington and his wife;

Which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Watkins,

Leave was granted Messrs. Watkins, Lynch and Smith, to report a bill entitled, An act to make valid the bond of the Clerk of the Circuit Court for Howard county.