

of an infraction of the Oyster Law of the State
The Bill of Capt C. J. P. Mitchell for \$85.¹⁷
being amount deducted from acct for provisions
for the Oyster Police Force for Sept and Oct 1881.
was endorsed and ordered to be paid.

The Board then adjourned.
Jas P. Innes Jr.
Secy

Executive Department

Annapolis July 5th 1882.

This being the day for the quarterly meeting
of the Board of Public Works under the Constitution
the Board met. - Present.

- Governor Hamilton
- Comptroller Keating
- Treasurer Compton.

The plans and specifications for the improvement
of the State House Grounds having been submitted
they were examined, all action upon the same
was postponed until the afternoon of next
Thursday week being the 13th day of July.

Captain Mitchell was before the Board with
applications from the Deputy Commanders of
the Sloops, "Eliza Hayward," "Bessie Woolford"
and Julia Hamilton asking that repairs be made
and that their respective Boats be put in sea-
worthy condition, which was ordered, also that
repairs be made upon the Sloop, "Mary Compton"
not to exceed thirty Dollars (\$30.⁰⁰) and she be
put in the market for sale by Capt Mitchell,
Ordered that attorney Genl Gwinn be requested

to institute suit against the Steamer "Ocean Wave" for collision with the Steamer "Heila" of Fishery Force on the 21st day of December 1881.

The following bills were endorsed and ordered to be paid: Samuel Brooks Jr. for materials furnished and work done upon Coat of Arms State House Rotunda (\$135.00), Thomas Weir for re-modelling Coat of Arms as per design (\$75.00), Frank D. Meyer, for working one large drawing of Coat of Arms, and superintending the re-modelling of same (\$50.00).

The Board then adjourned until July 13th being the day of the meeting of the stockholders of the Col'd Canal, to elect a President of the said Canal vice Hon Henry S. Farnan dis elected at regular meeting but declined.

James P. Prisco Jr
Secy

Executive Department

Amapolis July 13th 1882

The Board of Public Works met. Present,
Governor Hamilton,
Comptroller Keating,
Treasurer Compton,

The subject of the improvement of the State House Grounds was up before the Board the various plans specifications and proposals were carefully examined and discussed but no award of contract was made. The Secy was directed to obtain from Messrs Woolley and Marshall estimates for construction of