ST. JOHN'S COLLEGE,

Annapolis, Jan. 14, 1828.
This being the day appointed by the obstitution, for the Annual meeting of the Society of the Alumni of St John's College, the meeting was held at the City Hall, and Richard Harwood, of Thos, esq second Vice President, presided. The Society proceeded to the election of officers for the present year, when the following gentlemen were unanimously elected John C. Herbert, of Prince-George

Robert H. Goldshorough, of Talbot county, First Vice-President, Richard Harwood, of Thus, of Annapolis, Second Vice-President, George Shaw, of Annapolis, Secre-

tary.

The following gentlemen were then unanimously appointed the Executive Committee:

Dr. Dennis Claude, A. C. Magrud er. Jimes Bayle, Alexander Rindall, Thomas S. Alexander, James Murray, J. hn N. Watkins, Thomas H. Carroll, Dr. J bn Ridout.

Robert H. Gold-borough, esq. of Taibot county, was unanimously aporation.

George Shaw, Secretary.

The Liverwort. To the Editors of the National Intelligen

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Gentlemen: You have frequently served the cause of suffering humanity, by giving circulation to important discoveries made in the heafing art. I bug your indulgence to state, for the good of the public, that, since the winter of 1826-5. I have had three veolent attack of an inflammation of the hyer, each subsequent attack worse than the former; that I have thrice undergone salivation, to the manifest injury of my constitution; that, some after the effect of the third salivation was wearing off. I had an addition to my afflictions, of the most painful kind, viz bleeding from the lungs; to check the progress of which, the first remely resorted to, was that recommended by the inmostal Doctor Rush—I wanted ful kind, viz bleeding from the lungs; to check the progress of which, the first remely resorted to, was that recommended by the immortal Doctor Rush—I swallowed as much dire salt as my situation would almit of. This generally checked the bleeding for a season. I also had recourse to blood letting from the arm, to the application of leech as on my breast, and to cupping: all of winch, I know, by experience, to be serviceable for a time. I have also submitted to bilitering, which afforded some relief. In time, from my first attack till recently, I was mare the full impression that the breast or lung consumption had taken fast hold on my, notwith that may be a full to the contrary, repeatedly, to whose opinion I now gl dly assent.

As soon as I saw Doctor Hereford's publication of the beneficial effects produced by the drinking of the Liverwort tea, Idetermine I to give the Liverwort tea, Idetermine I to give the Liverwort tea, Idetermine I to give the Liverwort a fair trial in my case, and accordingly procured a supply, which I have used for near three

supply, which I have used for near three mentis as my only think, nourishing liquids excepted. Since I commenced drinking the liver yort tes, I have had no return of apriting at blood, and my strength has rapidly imprayed. When I call to mind my former situation, as before described, under the operation of salivation, blistering, the use of the lineer, and all the accompanying attention to salivation, as the salivation of salivation, strength or the property of the lineer, and all the accompanying attentiants on a debiliteration of the lineer. not the least of which was the danger tion, not the least of which was the danger of strangling, from the great quantity of blood issuing from the lungs—to relieve me of which they leeches have been applied to my breast at one time, and thirty-nine incisions made on my breast for the use of the cupping instruments—having experienced all tins discress, and infinitely more than I can describe, during the past spring and summer, (as often as twice in one month the distress arising from bleeding at the langs,) and now to find myself free from this alarming visiter, and all the other sails. the distress arising from bleeding at the langs,) and now to find myself free from this alarming visiter, and all the other exils brought in its train, such as leeches, cupping, &c. — the whole benefit resulting from the use of the Liverwort tea, (for a period but little over two months,) with my health and strength improved—imparts to me a felicity cruly graiffying, and which I desire to make known, for the benefit of all who may be similarly affected. All such I exhort to give the Liverwort tea a fair trial, and be attentive to their diet; for I have the best ground for believing that it was reserved for the Liverwort, through the blessing of Divine Providence, to do for me what all other expedients had failed to effect. And, from the experience. I have had of this healing plant, I am of the opinion that all those afflicted with that distressing complaint, the obstituction of the urinal passages, should drink freely of the Liverwort tea; for it are to poseed with that distressing complaint, the obstituction of the urinal passages, should drink freely of the Liverwort tea; for it are to poseed with that distressing complaint, the obstituction of the urinal passages, should drink freely of the Liverwort tea for it are to poseed with that distressing complaint, the large plant, I am of the processing of the strength of the article of the last sixteen menths, rigally adhered to a milk diet. I lave drank the Liverwort tea in its cold a late, as advised by Dr. Hereford, and have abstained from all teas and coffees in a warm siste, and all other attinulating draughts of every kind.

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P. S. Directions for preparing the Tea, &c.—A double handful of the Liverwort, after washing it clean, is to be put into a sauce pan, and half a gallon of boiling water bound on the same, let the pan then remain on the hot embers, or stove, and simmer for about an hour and a half, then pour the whole into a proper vessel to drink out of. 7 When cold, it may be drank as often asthirst or site of the stomach will admit. The keeping the leaves in the vessel while using the tea, is necessary, to keep the same limpid.

J. C.

Legislature of Maryland.

House of Delegates

SATURDAY, January 26, 1828.

The house met. Were present, the same members as on resterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Petitions of the following titles were this day severally

By Mr. Thomas of Cecil, a petition from the trustees of the Charles-town Presbyterian congregation, in Cecil county, praying for a law to secure the title, in fee simple, respecting their meeting-house and lots in said town, for the use of the said congregation; which was referred to Messrs. Thomas of Cecil, Harlan and Mackey.

And a petition from sundry inhabitants of Cecil county,

praying for an act to incorporate a company to make a turnpike road from the Port Deposit Bridge to the Delaware state line, by the way of North-East and Elkton, in a di rection towards New-Ark; which was referred to the committee to whom was referred a petition to the same effect presented by Mr. Thomas of Cecil, on the twenty-first in-

By Mr. Peter, the petition of sundry inhabitants of Montgomery county, praying the repeal of the act passel at December session 1826, chapter 227, entitled, An act to provide for the repair of public roads in Mongomery coun

By Mr. Hughes of Montgomery, the petition of sundry citizens of Montgomery county, counter to the petition last mentioned. Ordered, That the said petition and counter petition, be referred to Messrs. Peter, Lee, Hughes of

Montgomery, and Lansdale.

By Mr. Steuart of Baltimore, the petition of Guy Beatty, of the city of Baltimore, for a divorce from his wife Sarah

Beatty. And,
By Mr. Shriver, the petition of Sarah Curry, of Frede rick county, for a divorce from her husband James Curry Ordered. That the two last mentioned petitions be severally referred to the committee on the subject of divorces. On motion by Mr. Thomas of Cecil, it was

Ordered, That the committee on claims be instructed to continue the usual per diem allowance to Mr. Mackey for and during the time he was absent from the seat of government, his absence being in consequence of the death of his

On motion, it was Ordered, That Messra. Steuart of Baltimore, M'Mahon and Turner, be appointed a committee to propare and report a bill to be entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to open and extend Pine-street, in the city of Baltimore. Whereupon Mr. Steuart of Baltimore, accordingly reported said bill: which was read the first time and ordered to lie upon the table.

On motion, it was Ordered, That Messrs. Parran, Sellman, and Thomas of Cecil, be appointed a committee to pre-pare and report a hill to be entitled, An act for the protection of tenants, and for other purposes.

Mr. Thomas of Frederick, having asked and obtained leave of the house for the purpose, reported a bill, entitled. A supplement to an act, entitled, An act incorporating a company to make a turnpike road from the city of Frederick to Harper's Ferry; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table. On motion, it was Ordered, That Messrs. Douglas of Dor-

chester, Lake, and Williams of Dorchester, he appointed a committee to prepare and report a bill to be entitled, An act relating to the levy court in and for Dorchester county, and for other purposes.

Mr. Tilghman from the committee on ways and means,

reported a bill, entitled, An act to ascertain and fix the allowance of members of the senate, members of the house of delegates, and their respective officers, which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Sellman offered the following order for considerati-

Ordered. That the committee of ways and means be instructed to inquire into the expediency of reducing the salaries of governor, members of the council, treasurer, clerk of the council auditor, examiner general the per diem officers of the house of delegates, and of the senate; and all others who hang upon

Which was twice read; when Mr. Thomas of Frederick, proposed to amend the same by striking out the words others who hang upon the treasury,' and substituting in lieu thereof the words other officers whose salaries depend upon the annual enactments of the legislature.' The amendment proposed was accepted by Mr. Sellman, and adopted by the

The question was then taken, Will the house adopt the order proposed as amended? And it was resolved in the affirmativ Bills of the following titles, were also this day severally

By Mr. Thomas of Cecil, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the more effectual protection of public worship in this state, passed at December session 1824, ch. 53. By Mr. Hope, An act to repeal an act, entitled, A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for making certain roads in Baltimore and Harford counties, passed at Decem-

ber session 1815, chapter 48, By Mr. Donoho, An act to repeal a part of the act of December session 1820, chapter 21, so far as the same relates to

the waters of Nanticoke river. And,
An act to provide for the valuation and condemnation of water at the mouth of Windsor's creek, in Somerset county, for the erection and establishment of a tide mill. And,

By Mr. Hitch, An act to authorise George Parker, senior to remove a negro boy from the state of Delaware to this

state.
Which said bills were severally read the first time, and

MONDAY, January 28, 1828. MONDAY, January 28, 1825.

The Speaker communicated to the house a report from the cashier of the Bank of Baltimore, respecting the state directors in that bank; made in obedience to the order of this house of the 25th instant; which was read.

Petitions and a memorial of the following titles, were this day soverally presented.

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By Mr. Shriver, the petition of sundry inhabitants of the By Mr. Shriver, the petition of sundry inhabitants of the town of Westminster, in Frederick county, counter to the petition of sundry other inhabitants of said town, praying the passage of a law authorising the opening of certain al leys in said town, presented by Mr. Shriver on Wednesday last the 23d instant; which was referred to the committee to

whom was referred the petition to which this a counter. By Mr. Mackey, the petition of Samuel Wilson, of Cecil county, praying for a law conferring authority to place the property of his idiot brother, Allen Wilson, under the controll and direction of the orphans court of said county; which was referred to Messrg. Mackey, Thomas of Cecil-

Also the petition of sundry inhabitants, and owners of property within the limits of the town of Elkton, in Cecil county, praying to be relieved from the town tax therein mentioned, as imposed by wirtue of the act of assembly passed at December assion 1822, chapter, 143, which was referred to Mesers, Mackey, Harlan, Thomas of Geeil, Show-

And the petition of James Davidson, of Cecil county, a revolutionary soldier, praying that a pension may be allow-ed him; which was referred to the committee on pensions

Afr. Mackey also presented a report of the clerk of Cecil county court, relative to the attendance of the judges of that court; which was referred to the committee on griev-

By Mr. Boon, the memorial and remonstrance of John Archer Robertson, of Kent county, in which he charges the judges of Baltimore county court with a violation of his constitutional rights, in excluding him from the practice of law in said court; which was referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

By Mr. Wells, the petition of Elizabeth Ross, of the city of Annapolis, stating that she is utterly unable to procure by her exertions a living for herself and child, and praying for support; which was referred to the committee on the subject to which it relates.

Mr. Tilghman having asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill to be entitled, An act directing the application of the common school fund in Queen-Anne's county, it was on his motion, Ordered, That Messrs. Tilghman, Stevens and Ruth, be appointed a committee to prepare and report the

Mr. Gantt having asked and obtained leave to introduce a bill to be entitled, An act to authorise the several courts in this state to appoint surveyors, in certain cases, it was, on his motion, Ordered, That Messrs. Gantt, Beall and Duvall, be appointed a committee to prepare and report the same. Whereupon Mr. Gantt accordingly reported said bill, which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Gough, chairman of the committee on insolvency, to whom was referred the petition of Thomas D. Singleton, asked for, and obtained, permission of the house, to with draw the report of said committee, made in that case on the 24th instant, with the bill accompanying said report.
On motion by Mr. Somervill, it was

Ordered. That the committee of claims examine the account of Wm. S. Morsell, clerk of Calvert county court, for fees against the state, and report thereon to this house.

TUESDAY, January 29, 1828.

The house met. Were present, the same members as on resterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. The bill from the senate, passed by this house on Satur-

day last, entitled, An act for the bonest of William W. Whittington, Charlotte Whittington, John R. Whittington, and Robert H. Whittington, the infant children and heirs at law, and-representatives of William Whittington, late of Worrester county, deceased; and the bills from the senate, passed by this house yesterday, entitled,

A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to change the names of the Bank of Westminster and Office of Pay and Receipt to the Farmers' and Mechanics' Bank of Frederick County, and to locate said bank at Frederick city, with a branch at Westminster. And,

An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act concerning crimes and punishments, passed at November session, one thousand eight hundred and nine; were returned to the senate. The bills of this house, passed on Saturday last, entitled,

An act to revive an act passed at November session 1811, chapter 153, and to repeal an act passed at December session 1826, chapter 144, concerning the town of Salisbury, in Somerset and Worcester counties. And, An act to provide for electing commissioners for Harford

county, and prescribing their powers and duties. Also, The message adopted by the house on Saturday last, with the bill to which it relates, entitled, An act to remunerate

Robert Boone of Anne-Arundel county, for the loss of a certain negro slave therein mentioned. The resolution in favour of Samuel Mearns, of Cecil county, also passed by the house on Saturday last.

The resolution in favour of John Williams, of the city of

Baltimore, passed by the house yesterday. And the hills of this house, passed yesterday, of the folowing titles:

An act to repeal an act to declare certain trespasses felony, and for other purposes, passed at December session 1826, chapter 260, so far as it relates to Calvert and Baltimore

A further supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the ecovery of small debts out of court, and to repeal the acts of assembly therein mentioned, passed at November session eighteen hundred and nine, chapter seventy-six.

An act to alter and repeal all such parts of the constitution and form of government, as relate to the division of Worcester county into election districts.

WEDNESDAY, January SO.

Report of the Committee on Ways and Means. exa-

mining the several subjects submitted to their consideration, make the following report:
The treasurer reports the balance remaining in the treasury on the 1st day of December

1826, to have been \$103,284 28 To which add the amount of receipts from the 1st day of December 1826 to 1st day of December 1827 266,416 42

Making together a total of \$369,700 70 From which deducting the amount of dis-bursements for the fiscal year ending on the 1st December 1827 293,409 31

There remained in the treasury on that day \$76,291 39 Subject to the appropriations for the fiscal year ending on the 1st day of Decr. 1827 Exceeding the balance then remaining in the

treasury and making a deficit of 6,388 42 To which add the journal of accounts for the present session \$45,000 00 Making a total deficit of 51,388 42

The above presents a fair estimate of the receipts and expenditures for the fiscal year ending on the first day of De-

The committee on claims having heretofore given a full and detailed report of the treasurer's proceedings for the past year, which is now before the house, this committee

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ed, not have therefore departed from the pursued, and have only submitted this main the deficit of the fiscal year ending on the risk of comber 1837, now to be provided for in admin current expenses of the present year.

The probable receipts for the present year, as a viz.

For interest on the 3 pr. cent stock of the U.

States. States, For dividends of stock of the Bank of Baltimore estimated at 6 per-10,440 For dividends of stock of the U. nion Bank of Maryland, at 5 per cent. For dividends of stock of the Farmers' Bank of Maryland, at 6. 11,400 For dividends of stock of the Hagers' town Bank, at 6 per cent. 1,600 For dividends of stock of the Commercial and Farmers' Bank of Baltimore, at 8 per cent. 1,353 \$4 For dividends of stock of the Farmers' and Merchants Bank of Baltimore, at 6 per cent. 900 For dividends of stock of the Franklin Bank of Baltimore, at 1,200 For dividends of stock of the Baltimore and Prederick-Town Turnpike Road, at 42 per cent. 440 For interest on loan to trustees of Charlotte Hall School. 169 For fines and forfeitures, amerciaments, marriage, ordinary and other licenses, 50,000 For escheat and vacant land, 2,000 For taxes in chancery, For tax on plaintiffs per act of 1,000 Dec. session 1825, chap. 195, 2,500 For the loan authorised by the act of 1826, ch. 229, sec. 4, 30,000 From the medical professors of the University of Maryland. 1,500 From the directors of the Maryland Penitentiary, 2,772 38. From state lotteries, From the state tobacco inspection in Baltimore,
On account of the direct tax for 1823, per act of December session 1822. On account of the direct tax for 1824. per act of December ses-1,000 On account of the direct tax for 1825, per act of December session 1824, On account of the direct tax for 1826, per act of December session 1825. 2,500 \$178,788 78 From which deduct the deficit 1st Dec. 1827, including the journal of accounts of the present 51.388 42 There will then remain applicable to the expenses of the ensuing

\$127,400 36 vear. The probable demands on the Treasury for the ensuing

are as follow: For the salaries of the following civil officers, viz. The governor, \$2,666 67 2,500 Their clerk. 1,500 Their messenger, 450 The treasurer of the western-shore, 2,000 The treasurer of the eastern-shore, 450 The trustee, 200 The librarian, 225 The auditor general, The clerk of the house of dele-800 gates, The clerk of the senate, 400 The examiner general western shore, his fees deducted, 600 The examiner general, eastern shore, his fees deducted, 150 The state's agent western shore, The state's agent eastern shore, The register of the land office

western shore, The register of the land office eastern shore,
For pensions to officers and soldiers, For donations to colleges, academics and schools, For the addition to the penitentiary per act of Dec. session 1826,

chap. 229, 16,495 For expenses on account of the Militia, viz. Salary to the adjutant general, Armourers for the western shore, Armourer for the eastern shore, 300 Rent of gun house and magazine, 95 On account of the Judiciary, viz. For salary to the chancellor, The chief judge of Baltimore city court, The chief judges of the six judicial districts,
The associate judges of ditto,
The judge of the land office E.S. 13,200 400 For per diem to the messenger of the Court of Chaneery, estimated at 200 To the sheriff Court of Appeals W. Shore, do.

210 To the sheriff Court of Appeals E. Shore, do.
The crier of Court of Appeals W: 35 Shore, do.

The crier of Court of Appeals E. 150 Shore, do. For Indian annuties, 180 For the completion of the Washington Monument 2,009 For salaries, &c. to the lagent

derk physicist and deputy keepers of the pententiary. For interest on pententiary 5 per cent stock of 1822 and toam of 1833, 2.772 37 For interest on University 5 per rothe University sinking fund per set of 1881, ch. 83, sec. 10. 500 For the sinking fund under the di rection of the board of public 440 for the augmentation of the library per act of 1826, chap. 53, 200 for salaries to the state's inspect-ors of tobaccoan Baltimore and their clerks, for rent of tobacco warehouses in 5,700 Baltimore, 2,000 rinterest on loans of 1827 per act of 1826, chap. 250 and chap. 211, fer so much to build or purchase tobacco warehouses in Balti-19,900 For the completion of the Chantery records,
For commission to the state's a-3,500 gent, estimated at
For salary to the keeper of the go-500 200 vernment house, For the use of the colonization society for 1828, pe (ct of 1828, 1,000 chap. 172, For contingent expenses estimated For miscellaneous and additional uyases, certain and probable, 22,000 3173,291 \$45,890 67 Deficit as of 1st Dec. 1828. To which add, for the journal of accounts, &c. of December ses-\$90,890 67

The large deficit to be provided for, has been the unadable consequence of the acts of the legislature for the by three years. In eighteen hundred and twenty-one, the schable annual deficit was estimated by the committee on nys and means, at sixty thousand dollars, and such meaes were recommended and adopted as they deemed best med to replenish our exhausted treasury. The same course was pursued for the two succeeding years; and in eighteen instead of the two succeeding years; and in eighteen the surplus remaining in the treaser, over and above the current expenses for that year, was entimated by the computee on ways and means at thirty-six thousand two hardred and sixty-eight dollars, and five and one half cents, applicable to the service of the fiscal year, ding the first of December eighteen hundred and twenty-

ince the session of the legislature for eighteen hundred ad twenty-three, many of the most productive sources of erevenue, have from time to time been parted with, whilst he same time the expenses of government have been in-sed by the appropriations of the legislature. The natumonsequence of decreasing the revenue, and increasing the rpriations, has been, as anticipated, an inability to meet rengagements, and the legislature, at its last session, hav-ig determined to pay in advance their subscription to the Chespeake and Delaware Canal Company, a loan of twen too and dollars was found necessary for that purpose, the largest of which will be an additional charge upon the treakry, already unable to meet the demands upon

The committee will nove proceed to exhibit a fair estimate with probable annual receipts and expenditures, in order below the annual deficit to be provided, the sources from hence the revenue is derived, and the objects to which it susually applied.

The probable permanent receipts are as follow: For interest on 3 pr. cent stock of U. S. \$10,053 05

of the Bank of Baltimore, estimated at-10,440 in dividends of stock of the Union Bank of Maryland, at 5 pr. 1.590 or dividends of stock of the Farmers Bank of Maryland, at 6 pr. For dividends of stock of the Hager's-Town Bank, at 6 pr. cent. for dividends of stock of the Commercial and Farmers Bank of Baltimore, at 8 pr. 1,833 34 cent. or dividends of stock of the Farmers and Merchants Bank of Baltimore, at 6 pr. cent. 900

or dividends of stock of the Pranklin Bank of Baltimore, at 8 pr. 1,200 for dividends of stock of the Baltimore and Frederick Town turnpike road at 47 pr. cent. 440 r interest on loan to trustees of Charlotte Hall School 160 For fines & forfeitures, antroisments, mar-risge, ordinary and 60,000

other licenses For escheats and vacant land 4.000 for taxes in chancery 1,000 For tra on plaintiffs pr. act of Dec. session 1885, ch. 198 2,500 from the Medical Pro-

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