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Mr. JONES, Chairman.

REPORT
OF
THE SELECT COMMITTEE,

TO WHOM WAS REFERRED

**The Memorial of the Citizens of Georgetown, and that
portion of the County of Washington, which lies
West of Rock Creek,**

IN THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,
March 28, 1839.

Read, and 555 copies ordered to be printed.
By order,

GEO. G. BREWER, Clerk,]

The select Committee to whom was referred the memorial of a Committee of the Citizens of Georgetown, and that portion of the County of Washington, which lies west of Rock Creek, all in the District of Columbia, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to

REPORT :

That from various considerations set forth in said memorial, the people of that part of the District of Columbia, which formerly constituted part of Montgomery County in Maryland, have with great unanimity determined, by solemn vote, that without reference to the political advantages to accrue to that portion of the County of Washington which lies west of Rock Creek, including Georgetown, the pecuniary interest and general prosperity of the citizens will be promoted by their becoming again citizens of Maryland, and by the extension, by Maryland, of her jurisdiction over the said territory. The memorialist represents that their position has proved to be altoge-