Mr. M. Mahon from the select committee, made a favourable report on the petition of John J. Jacob, of Allegany county, accompanied with the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the register of the land office of the western shore of Maryland, be and he is hereby authorised and required, to issue a common warrant in the name of John J. Jacob, (late an officer in the revolutionary war,) for two hundred acres of land to be located on any vacant land in Allegany county to the westward of Fort Cumberland.

Which was read the first and by special order the second time, and assented to.

The clerk of the senate returned the bill, entitled. An act for the beetter collection of the county charges in Allegany county, endorsed "will not pass." The bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Union Slate Company; also the bill, entitled, An additional supplement to the act incorporating a company for the improvement of the public road from the city of Frederick to Harper's Ferry, passed at December session 1828, chapter 142; and the bill, entitled, An act to abolish the office of the commissioners of the tax for Charles county, severally endorsed "will pass." Ordered to be engrossed.

And delivered a bill originated in and passed by the senate, entitled, An act to incorporate the Warren Manufacturing Company; which was read and referred to Messrs. Turner, Ely and Gale. Also a communication from the treasurer of the western shore, endorsed "referred to the consideration of the house of delegates;" which was read and referred to the committee on ways and means, and is as follows:

> Western Shore Treasury, Annapolis, 27th January, 1831,

To the Honourable

the General Assembly of Maryland,

In obedience to resolution No. 77 of 1827, the treasurer for the western shore has prepared, and presents the following general view, of such returns as have been made to him in pursuance of the said resolution.

The receipts and disbursements of the city of Baltimore, (as appears to have been anticipated,) not being susceptible of compression into this general statement, accompany it in

the form in which they reached the treasury.

And he has the honour to be, Most respectfully, Their obedient servant,

GEORGE MACKUBIN, Treas'r. W. S. Md.