

TUESDAY, March 26, 1872.

The House met,

Present at the call of the roll, the following members:

Messrs. Gorman, Speaker, Colton, of St. Mary's, Dunbar, Wilmer, Hurtt, Wells, Duvall, Henkle, Bond, Sparrow, Chapman, Shipley, Turner, Foard, of Baltimore county, Litzinger, Spencer, Butler, Goldsborough, Waller, Dougherty, Smith, Vickers, Radcliffe, Groome, Mearns, Penington, Scott, Sasser, Bowie, Eareckson, Ford, of Queen Anne's, Franklin, Parker, Rowe, Delaplaine, Miller, Rutzahn, Riley, Streett, Hardcastle, Dewese, McCosker, Hamilton, T. H., Cooper, Hamilton, C. R. Jamart, Foster, Staylor, Stewart, Travers, Clark, of Baltimore City, Colton, of Baltimore City, Kirk, Chaisty, Harig, Feig, McColgan, Markland, Griswold, Young, of Washington, Ardinger, Newcomer, Whitson, Hilton, Riggs, Clark, of Montgomery, Porter, Coles, Young, of Allegany, Robinette, Steele, Lamotte, L. A. J., Polk, Lamotte, H. H., Linthicum, Johnson, Langrell—77.

Mr. Penington presented the protest of William Knight, and forty other residents of the First District, against the transfer of the \$58,000 from the Elkton and Massey Railroad to the Elkton and Middletown Railroad.

Also,

The protest of George Biddle, Richard Oldham, J. C. Cruikshank, and one hundred and five others, against the transfer of the State appropriation of \$58,000 from the Elkton and Massey Railroad to the Middletown and Elkton Railroad.

Which were severally read, and referred to the Cecil delegation.

Mr. Griswold submitted the following

REPORT.

*Statement of Stock of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Co  
Main Stem and Washington Branch.*

Common stock.....	\$13,143,100 00
Preferred stock.....	3,529,800 00
Washington Branch.....	1,650,000 00
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Total stock Main Stem and Wash. Branch..	\$18,322,900 00
Deduct—	
State preferred.....	\$1,450,000
State Washington Branch.....	550,000
City of Baltimore.....	3,250,000
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	\$5,250,000 00