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The Committee on Book-making, Race-track Gambling
&c made the following report, ~~and was discharged~~

TO THE PERMANENT BOARD OF BALTIMORE YEARLY MEETING OF
FRIENDS.

Your Committee appointed to endeavor to secure a law abolishing gambling at racetracks in Maryland, would report that we have been working in co-operation with a group of men, residents of Harford and Anne Arundel Counties and Baltimore City, to secure the desired end. Bills calculated to accomplish what we desire were introduced in the House of Delegates and in the Senate, and we have attended hearings before two committees of the Senate, giving our support to the representations which were made in behalf of the Senate Bill.

There seems at this time to be a good prospect that the bill introduced into the House will pass that body, but we are not able to judge of the probable action of the Senate.

There has also been introduced, a measure providing a license fee for racetracks, by which the State would receive some income. We have opposed this measure, and feel quite hopeful that it will not become a law.

In behalf of the Committee,

John R. Cary

Another appeal to the Legislature by this Board was ordered prepared by John R. Cary, to be signed by our Clerk & forwarded promptly, to abolish gambling at race tracks in this State.

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An appeal was also ordered sent urging the passage of House Bill #539 for the proper Education and times for Recreation of Children.

Also an appeal for passage of Senate Bill #576 in the interest of persons afflicted with Tuberculosis, to be sent to Hon. Harry L. Cooper & Hon. Howard Bryan.

Then Concluded:
John A. Parker, Clerk.