

Mr. Dawson, from the committee on internal improvement, to which was referred the bill from the Senate entitled, an act relating to charges for transportation upon the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road, reported the same without amendment;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to be printed.

Mr. McLean, chairman of the committee on corporations, made a favorable report upon the bill reported by Mr. Matthias, entitled, an act to incorporate the Trustees of Benjamin's Church, in Carroll county;

Which was read the first time, and ordered to lie on the table.

The house adjourned until to-morrow morning, 9 o'clock.

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TUESDAY, February 28th, 1837.

The House met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion of Mr. Hopewell,

Leave of absence was granted Mr. Harris for a few days.

Mr. Kershner presented two memorials, one from sundry citizens of Frederick county, and the other of sundry citizens of Washington county, counter to the memorials praying that the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road be released from certain points therein named; and,

Mr. Doub presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Frederick and Carroll counties, praying that the rates of transportation on the Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road may not be increased, and that no further appropriations be made to said road by the State;

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on internal improvement.

Mr. McDaniel presented a petition of sundry citizens of Kent county, praying an amendment to the law relating to judgments by confession before justices of the peace;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. McDaniel, Usilton and Price.

Mr. Henderson presented a petition of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying the extension of the Eastern Shore Rail Road through said county to the Pennsylvania line;

Which was read and referred to the committee on internal improvement.

Mr. Maulsby presented a petition of the owners of the Deer Creek Iron Works, in Harford county, praying autho-