

member; endorsed, 'referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates,'

Which was read and referred to the committee on ways and means.

And, a letter from Nathaniel F. Williams, Esq. accepting his appointment as a member of the Executive Council, endorsed "referred to the consideration of the House of Delegates,"

Which was read.

Mr. Perry presented a memorial of Henry Myers and others, of Allegany county, praying an act to make valid an instrument of writing therein mentioned, and for other purposes;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Perry, Buchanan and Smith.

Mr. Crisfield presented a memorial of the Bank of Salisbury, praying the passage of a supplement to its charter to increase its capital stock;

Which was read and referred to the committee on ways and means.

Mr. Ridgely presented a petition of William Hughes, of Anne Arundel county, praying the passage of an act to make valid a deed therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Ridgely, Iglehart and Alexander.

Mr. Harding presented a petition of Edward Clark, of Montgomery county, praying the passage of an act authorising him to bring into this State, two negro slaves therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to the committee on colored population.

Mr. Harding also presented a petition of Martha Riley, of Montgomery county, praying that the levy court of said county may be authorised to levy a sum of money for her use, as therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Harding, Darby and Dawson.

Mr. Brengle presented a petition of Thomas Sims and others, praying the passage of an act providing a donation to a school therein mentioned, out of the school fund of Frederick county;

Which was read and referred to the committee on education.