

of said county to levy on the assessable property therein, such a sum of money for the support and maintenance of Edward Beck and Rachel his wife, and their daughter Matilda Beck, of said county, as may be considered proper; which were severally referred to the standing committee on that subject.

By Mr. Ringgold, the petition of Elizabeth Fowler, of Kent county, praying the grant of a sum of money from said county to enable her, with her own industry, to obtain the necessary means of subsistence for herself and five children.

And also the petition of Sarah Able, of Kent county, praying the allowance of a small sum of money from the said county, that she may be enabled to provide herself with the ordinary and necessary means of subsistence; which were severally referred to the standing committee on that subject.

By Mr. Banning, the petition of John Dorgan, of Talbot county, praying further remuneration for his military services as a soldier during the revolutionary war.

And also the petition of Robert Spedden, of Talbot county, an old revolutionary soldier, praying to be placed on the pension list; which were severally referred to the standing committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

By Mr. Steuart of Baltimore city, the petition of Ann Wilson, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce from her husband Otho T. Wilson, of Calvert county.

Also the memorial of Rebecca Jones, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce from her husband Lewis Jones, of said city.

And the counter petition of the said Lewis Jones to the memorial of the said Rebecca Jones; which were severally referred to the standing committee on divorces.

By Mr. M'Mahon, the petition of Ann Kay, of Baltimore county, praying for a divorce from her husband Thomas Kay.

And the petition of Jane Atkinson, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband Hugh Atkinson, of said city; which were also severally referred to the standing committee on divorces.

By Mr. M'Neill, the petition of sundry inhabitants of Allegany county, praying a repeal of the act passed at the last session, entitled, An act regulating fences in Charles and Allegany counties, so far as the same relates to Allegany county; which was referred to Messrs. M'Neill, M'Culloh and Hoffman.

By Mr. Thomas of Frederick, the memorial of sundry citizens of Frederick city and county, praying that the annual donation granted by the state to the Frederick county school or academy, may be so distributed and appropriated that the children of indigent parents may participate in the benefits thereof; which was referred to the standing committee on education.

The Speaker laid before the house reports from the clerks of Charles and Worcester county courts, relative to the attendance of the judges of those courts; which were referred to the standing committee on grievances and courts of justice.