

Mr. Rogerson presented a petition of Rachel Carroll, of Charles county, praying to be placed on the pension list of said county, which was read and referred to the committee on pensions to indigent persons by county assessments.

Mr. Millbourne presented a petition of John E. Pollet, and others, counter to the petition of George Carey, praying for a divorce, which was read and referred to the consideration of the Senate.

Mr. Nicols presented a memorial of James Layton, of Dorchester county, praying to be released from the payment of interest, on a debt due by him and others to the State, upon their paying the principal sum in such manner as may be prescribed by the Legislature, which was read and referred to the committee on ways and means.

Mr. Cottman presented a memorial of Henry Hyland, one of the Judges of the Orphans court, for Somerset county, praying an amendment of the testamentary system, which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Jenkins presented a petition of John Reese, and others, for the city of Baltimore, counter to the petition of Sater T. Walker and others, and praying that the Legislature may not authorize Wagon Alley, in the said city, to be widened, which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Grove presented a petition of sundry citizens of Washington county, counter to the memorial of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal company, relative to water power, which was read and referred to the committee on internal improvement.

Mr. Turner presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore county, counter to the proposition to locate a new county, to be composed of parts of Frederick and Baltimore counties, which was read and referred to the committee already raised on that subject.

And Mr. Heard presented a memorial of Richard H. Miles, and G. N. Causin, praying to be released from liability upon a claim of the State, against Clement Mattingly collector of the tax for Saint Mary's county, which claim has been paid by the petitioners to the accredited agent of the State, but for which they have no credit in the Treasury, which was read and referred to Messrs. Heard, Bruff Johnson.

On motion by Mr. Mudd,

Ordered, That the committee on county pensions, be