

Mr. Burgess presented a petition of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying for an act to open and make public a road therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Burgess, Comp-ton and Duvall, of Anne Arundel.

Mr. Mann presented a memorial of sundry citizens of Washington county, counter to the report of the committee on Internal Improvement, relative to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and Baltimore and Ohio Rail Road companies, and praying the adoption of such measures as will insure to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company a speedy and uninterrupted progress to Cumberland;

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

And Mr. Hobbs presented a petition of Richard I. Jones, of the city of Annapolis, counter to the petition of certain individuals of Kent Island, in Queen Anne's county, in relation to a church on his farm;

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Schley, obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act empowering the Frederick county court, sitting as a court of equity, to decree and order the sale of certain real estate;

Ordered, That Messrs. Schley, Hammond and Unke-fer, report the same.

On motion by Mr. Harper,

Ordered, That the committee on education, be instructed to enquire into the expediency of so distributing the school fund, that the same may be appropriated according to the number of scholars certified to have attended in each city or county of this State.

On motion by Mr. Merrick;

Ordered, That the committee of claims be directed to enquire into the propriety of allowing the account of John Barnes, clerk of Charles county court, for fees accruing on a suit instituted in Charles county court, against the late sheriff of said county by the State of Maryland.

On motion by Mr. Harris;

Ordered, That the committee on military pensions and revolutionary claims, enquire into the propriety of paying to Jas. Mck. Hammett, adm'r. of Thos. Lynch, late of St. Mary's county, a revolutionary soldier and pensioner, the balance of the pension due said Lynch, at the time of his death.

Mr. Nicols, from the joint committee on the Library, submitted the following resolutions: