

PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND OTHER PAPERS.

Mr. Sanford presented the petition of First Assistants and Teachers of the 7th Grade Grammar Schools.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Education.

Mr. Buckley presented the petition of seventy-five citizens of Monrovia, Frederick county, praying the Legislature to defeat the Pharmacy Bill.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Hygiene.

Mr. Mitchell presented the petition of J. B. Almony and others, opposing the passage of any measure providing for the sale of liquor in Bel Air and Bel Air precinct of Harford county.

Which was read and referred to the Harford county delegation.

Mr. Garner (by request), presented the petition of Jos. R. Raley and others, to allow the use of nets of smaller mesh to be used in the catching of fish in the waters of St. Mary's county.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and Its Tributaries.

Mr. Mitchell presented the petition of Thomas Lochany and others, protesting against the passage of the bill known as the 'Pharmacy Act.'

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Hygiene.

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ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Jeffers, it was

Ordered, That Messrs. Choate and Stewart be excused from to-day's session on account of business.

On motion of Mr. Dunn, it was

Ordered, That Messrs. Mencke and Brown, of Baltimore city, be excused from attendance at to-day's session on account of important business.

On motion of Mr. Disharoon, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Dryden be excused from to-day's session on account of business.