

Mr. Soper presented a petition from W. B. Canfield, Henry Stockbridge, G. S. Griffith, and 359 others, for the passage of a law to promote the better observance of the Sabbath;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Cook presented a petition of Richard F. Mason, Wm. H. Cook, J. Frank Talbot, and 940 others, in favor of the eight hour system of labor;

Which was read and referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Soper presented a petition of Purvis & Co., Dr. James Casney Thomas, J. C. Canfield, and 114 others, against the passage of a law allowing the passenger railway company to run their cars on the holy Sabbath;

Which was read and referred to the Baltimore city delegation.

Mr. Holloway presented a petition from thirty-three citizens of Worcester county, against the new county;

Which was read and referred to the Worcester county delegation.

Mr. Sherry presented a petition from 175 citizens and registered voters of Cumberland, Allegany county, against any modification or repeal of the Registry Law;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

Mr. Tolson presented a petition from A. M. Arlett, and seventy-four citizens of the town of Centreville, against the passage of a law preventing the raising of swine within the limits of said town;

Which was read and referred to the Queen Anne's county delegation.

Mr. Warner presented a petition from Samuel Hopkins and twelve citizens of the fifth election district of Howard county, in favor of a law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in said district;

Which was read and referred to the Howard county delegation.

Mr. Agnew presented a petition from 140 citizens of Emmitsburg district of Frederick county, asking the passage of a law to prohibit the sale or giving away of any spirituous liquors in said district;