

Which was read and referred to the Frederick county delegation.

Mr. Slothower presented a petition from citizens of Baltimore, against the repeal of the Registry Law;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

Mr. Stone presented a petition from R. T. Tubman, praying to be restored to his rights of citizenship;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

Mr. Soper presented a petition for the passage of a law to promote the observance of the Sabbath, from J. F. Lester, Daniel Sprigg, Daniel A. Jones, and fifty others;

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

Mr. Roberts presented a memorial from James Merrick, Joel Thomas, and 216 other citizens of the first election district of Queen Anne's county, praying a repeal of the Registry Law;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Registration.

On motion of Mr. Barron,

Ordered, That it be entered upon the journal that Mr. Mules is absent from his seat in this House on account of sickness in his family.

On motion of Mr. Tull,

Leave was granted the committee on the Judiciary to report a bill to prevent the sale of ardent spirits, ale, or lager beer, within one and one-half miles of Savage Factory, Howard county.

On motion of Mr. Jamison,

Leave was granted the St. Mary's and Charles county delegations to report a bill authorizing James Richardson to erect gates upon a public road in St. Mary's county.

Also, leave was granted the committee on the Judiciary to report a bill authorizing Benjamin Norris to convey by deed a tract of land to the party therein mentioned.

On motion of Mr. McCauley,

Leave was granted the committee on Education to report a bill authorizing the County Commissioners of several counties