

Which was read and referred to the Washington county delegation.

Mr. Baker presented a petition of C. B. Simpson and other citizens of Frederick county, against the passage of a law annexing a portion of Frederick county to Carroll county;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judiciary.

The Speaker laid before the House the sixth annual report of the Children's Aid Society.

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Mr. Waltemeyer presented a petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore, praying an increase of license to huckers and peddlers of morocco, leather, shoe findings, &c.;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. McCulley presented a petition of 55 citizens of Allegany county, relative to the National Road in Maryland;

Which was read and referred to the Allegany delegation.

Mr. Gorsuch presented a remonstrance of James Curns and sixty-five other citizens of Frederick county, against any legislative action in reference to existing restriction, for the observance of Christian Sabbath;

Which was read and referred to a Select Committee.

On motion of Mr. Calvert,

Ordered, That the Register of the city of Baltimore, report to this House without delay, the amount of money received from the State for the payment of bounties to soldiers the sums disbursed, and vouchers therefore, whether in disbursing the bounty fund a per centage was charged, or whether the soldiers were paid in full, and why he has not settled his account with the Comptroller.

On motion of Ford,

Ordered, That the following report of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of Baltimore county, relative to the burnt records of said county, be printed on the Journal;

TOWSONTOWN, BALTIMORE Co., MD.

January, 23d, 1867.

HON. OLIVER MILLER,

*Speaker House of Delegates,*

Annapolis, Md.

*Sir* :—In accordance with an order of the Hon. House of Delegates, passed January 11th, 1867, and communicated to me by the Chief Clerk, "requesting me to inform the House