

Mr. Knott presented the memorial of N. R. Waters, J. B. Williams and others in favor of modifying the Sunday law,

Which was read and referred, and,

On motion of Mr. Neilson,

Ordered to be entered on the Journal.

Mr. Stevens presented the following :

Petition of Drs. N. R. Smith, Chris. Johnson and others praying the passage of a law to prevent unlawful abortion,

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

Mr. Hammond presented a petition of sundry citizens of Howard county, praying for a turnpike over the Westminster road.

Also, a petition of Thomas Griffith and others, asking for the extension of the turnpike road from Brookville in Montgomery county to Cooksville, Howard county;

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

On motion of Mr. Magruder,

The vote by which the leave to introduce a bill entitled, an Act to amend the charter of the Baltimore and Potomac Railroad Company, was on Saturday granted the Committee on Corporations;

Was reconsidered, and

On motion of Mr. Magruder,

Was referred to the Committee on Internal Improvements.

On motion of Mr. Bruce,

Ordered, That the Committee on Ways and Means, have leave to report a bill appropriating a sum of money for the relief of our starving fellow beings of the South.

Mr. Stevens offered the following :

Ordered, That the Chief Clerk of this House, be authorized to have the seats of the lobby re-upholstered and properly repaired;

Which was not adopted.

On motion of Mr. Thomas,

Leave was granted the Committee on Ways and Means to report a bill entitled, an Act making appropriations for the support of the government for the year ending, on the first day of January, 1869.

On motion of Mr. Neilson,

Leave was granted the Select Committee on the Penitentiary to report a bill entitled, an Act to repeal sections 3 and 9