

Ezra Arnold and 96 other citizens of Frederick county, for the passage of a law prohibiting the sale of intoxicating liquors in Petersville District, in said county.

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

Mr. Jordan presented the petition of John Bankard for a pension.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pension.

Mr. Kean presented the petition of Eliza A. White, praying for a pension.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Biddle presented the petition of Dr. R. H. Tuft, Hon. Hiram McCullough and 46 others, of Cecil county, asking for the better protection of Wild Fowl.

Which was read and referred to the Select Committee on that subject.

Mr. Ehlen presented a petition from August Wegner, Jr., and 24 others, for the better protection of Wild Fowl.

Which was read and referred to the Select Committee on that subject.

Mr. Harrington presented the petition of Benjamin L. Smith and 100 other citizens of Dorchester county, asking the exemption of Little Choptank River, in said county, from the operations of the Dredge or Scoop Law.

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

Mr. Streett submitted the following order :

Ordered, That Richard Holland be directed to hoist the National Flag from the dome of the State House during the session of the General Assembly, and to lower the same when the Houses adjourn, and that the Hall-keeper heretofore appointed, be excused from the performance of that duty.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Neill called up the following order submitted by him on yesterday :

Ordered, That the bill incorporating the Antietam Railroad Company, of Washington county, be exempted from the order of this House requiring all bills to be printed before being put on their second reading.