

The petition of citizens of Talbot county, asking the passage of an Act to open Kent Narrows to navigation.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Hammond, Hardcastle, of Talbot, and Thomas.

Mr. Lankford presented the petition of 59 citizens of Lawson's District, of Somerset county, for a prohibitory liquor law.

Which was read and referred to the Somerset delegation and Mr. Dennis.

Mr. Biddle presented the petition of W. P. Colvin, George A. Ford and 53 others, against any law to prevent Pike Splashing in Cecil and Kent counties.

Which was read and referred to the Kent delegation and Mr. Biddle.

Mr. Ritter presented the petition of Sam'l Hinks, of Frederick county, praying the passage of a law declaring the law of damage feasant to be in force in this State, and also that the common law which is in force in this State, requires every owner of stock to keep them within his own enclosures.

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

Mr. Purnell presented the petition of Henry T. Ovely and other citizens of Worcester county, praying for a law protecting the oyster beds in said county.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Purnell, Dennis, and Lankford.

Mr. Hoblitzell submitted the following order :

Ordered, That when the House adjourns to-day it stands adjourned until Monday, 12 M., February 21, 1870.

Which was read.

Mr. Webb moved to lay the order on the table.

The question being upon concurring in the motion,

On motion of Mr. Loker,

The yeas and nays were ordered and appeared, as follows :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.	Marbury,	McLane,
Latrobe, Speaker,	Wootton,	Kirk,
Loker,	Thomas, of Q. A.,	Gardner,
Martin,	Purnell,	Sword,
Kilbourn,	McCreery,	Hilton,