

TUESDAY, March 15th, 1870.

The House met and was opened with prayer by the Rev. Dr. Edwards.

Present at the call of the roll the following members:

Messrs. Latrobe, (Speaker,) Loker, Beck, Wilmer, Kilbourn, Baldwin, of Anne Arundel, Duke, Mitchell, Chapman, Carroll, Cameron, Shipley, Gatch, Choate, Turner, Hammond, Hardcastle, of Talbot, Brattan, Langford, Harrington, Meekins, Touchstone, Owens, Richards, Biddle, Marbury, Wootton, Thomas, of Queen Anne's, Brown, Dennis, Purnell, Thomas, of Frederick, Bowlus, McCreery, Ritter, White, Baldwin, of Harford, Hopkins, Hardcastle, of Caroline, Garey, Sanner, Hamilton, Morse, Blake, Webb, Wilson, of Baltimore city, Wiley, McLane, Colton, Kirk, Collins, Markland, Marshall, Hoblitzell, Neill, Murdock, Sword, Hilton, Watkins, Kean, Standish, Myers, Shower, Jordan, Winters, Crouse, Merrick, Gorman, Crawford, Gordy.—70.

The Speaker laid before the House, the memorial of Christian Ax, B. F. Newcomer, Jacob Trust, M. C. Walters and others, citizens of Baltimore, praying an appropriation for the Maryland Eye Infirmary.

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

Mr. Dennis presented the petition of citizens of Somerset county, in favor of abolishing Wood Inspections.

Also,

The petition of citizens of Newtown, Worcester county, asking the abolition of Wood Inspections.

Which were severally read and referred to the Committee on Inspections.

Mr. Bowlus presented the petition of J. S. Miller, Wm. A. Miller, and 22 other citizens of Frederick county, praying the passage of a law requiring all municipal corporations to pay all jail fees incurred by the imprisonment of persons committed by such authorities.

Which was read and referred to the Frederick Delegation.

Mr. Gatch presented the memorial of the Judges of the Circuit Court for Baltimore county, asking for a complete list of law books for said Court.