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

Mr. Travers presented the petition of Robert Garrett & Sons, and others, remonstrating against any change in the Mortgage law.

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

Mr. Miller presented the petition of W. Helleany and sixty-four other citizens of Frederick county, against any law prohibiting the sale of spirituous liquors in Petersville District of said county.

Which was read and referred to the Frederick delegation.

Mr. Henkle presented the petition of sundry citizens and business men of Baltimore, praying for extension and improvement of the wharf, known as the "County Wharf," for a wholesale market, &c.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Miller presented the petition of John Lindsey and thirty other citizens of Frederick county, asking that the property of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company be taxed.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

Mr. Henkle presented the petition of John C. Pennington and others, praying to have Anne Arundel county exempted from the provisions of the Mortgage Law now pending in the Legislature.

Which was read a first time and referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Ardinger presented the petition of Joseph P. Minz, John W. Garver, and fifty-five other citizens of Washington county, praying for the repeal of chapter 98, of the Act of 1867, forbidding the sale of agricultural implements not manufactured in the State, within the limits of Washington county, without a special license.

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

Mr. Wells presented the petition of the Catholic clergy of Annapolis, asking for an appropriation.

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