Mr. Groh presented the petition of the Trustees of St. Joseph's General Hospital, asking for an appropriation to St. Joseph's General Hospital, Baltimore.

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

Mr. Brace presented the petition of S. H. Wilson and thirty-seven other citizens of Garrett county, for a Local Option Law and Damage Law.

Which was read and referred to the Select Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Valliant presented the petition of Thomas H. Leonard and nineteen others, for the amendment of section 206, Article 20, of the Public Local Laws for Talbot county.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Seth, Valliant and Kemp.

Mr. Johnson presented the petition of Captain Jacob A. Corsey and two hundred other citizens of Dorchester county, for a modification and amendment of the Scoop Law for Dorchester county.

Which was read and referred to the Dorchester delegation.

Mr. McColgan presented the petition of Ellen Debron, widow of Malon, war of 1812, for a pension.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Merryman presented the petition of C. W. Lord, W. H. Allen and others, for a law to prevent stock running at large in the 9th election district of Baltimore county, within two miles of Baltimore City, bounded by the Falls Road on the west, and York Road on the east.

Which was read and referred to the Baltimore county delegation.

Mr. Riley presented the petition of David McNabb and other citizens of Harford county, praying for a general law offering a reward for hawks killed in this State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Clark presented the petition of the claim of the editors of the "Montgomery County Sentinel," for the publication of names of defaulters to the State.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Claims.