

law restricting their privilege relating to catching fish in Pocomoke Sound or River.

Which was read and referred to the Somerset delegation.

Mr. Merryman presented the petition of Margaret Frederick Bareham, for a pension.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Coulbourn presented the petition of Abraham Somers, Travis Sterling, Nancy Tull, Rachel Ward, Martha Handy and Easter Dougherty, soldiers and widows of soldiers of the war of 1812, praying the General Assembly to grant them a pension.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Keech presented the petition of Dennis Holland and two hundred and six other citizens of the 13th district of Baltimore county, against a law to prevent stock from running at large within fifteen miles of Baltimore City.

Which was read and referred to the Baltimore county delegation.

Mr. Matthews presented the petition of B. M. Andrews, C. H. T. Lanahan and six hundred others, against Local Option.

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

Mr. Annan presented the petition of J. B. Kunkel, Geo. W. Foremand and forty-four other citizens of Mechanicstown, Frederick county, asking the passage of an Act creating an additional Justice of the Peace for Frederick county.

Which was read and referred to the Frederick delegation.

Mr. Robinson presented the petition of Robert H. Welch, Frederick Rulman, A. W. Wells, L. G. Gassaway, D. C. Thompson and numerous other citizens of the city of Annapolis, asking the passage of a law to provide for them an efficient Police Force.

Which was read and referred to the Anne Arundel delegation.

Mr. Miller presented the petition of John Reid and other citizens of Knoxville, Frederick county, praying the passage of an Act to prevent the running at large of swine in said village.

Which was read and referred to the Frederick delegation.