

Mr. Merryman presented the petition of A. S. Abell, for return of two hundred and thirty dollars, taxes paid erroneously.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Claims.

Mr. Turner, of Baltimore county, presented the petition of J. F. Cockey and others, to convey a burial lot to a religious denomination in Baltimore county.

Which was read and referred to the Baltimore county delegation.

Mr. Coulbourn presented the petition of Levin Conner and Hetty Sterling, of Somerset county, praying to have their names entered on the pension list.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Pensions.

Mr. Etchison presented "A petition from five thousand ladies, asking to be let alone on the Local Option Question."

Which was read, and,

On motion of Mr. Fenton.

Two hundred copies were ordered to be printed.

Mr. Fenton submitted the following order:

Ordered, That the Comptroller of the Treasury be requested to report to this House the probable effect upon the revenues of this State by the passage of the bill known as the "Local Option Law," and what legislation, in his opinion, will be necessary to provide for any deficiency of the revenues likely to result therefrom.

Which was read.

Mr. Brace submitted the following amendment:

AMENDMENT PROPOSED.

Strike out all after the words "Local Option Law."

The question recurring upon the adoption of the amendment,

Mr. Frenner demanded the yeas and nays.

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called and appeared as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs.

Robinson,
Bird,

Pruitt,
Koons,

Annan,
Park,