

Mr. Bedsworth presented the petition of sixty-six citizens of Trappe District, Wicomico county, against the passage of an Act changing their place of voting in said district.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Bedsworth, Leonard and Sudler.

Mr. Williams presented the petition of Wm. S. Prouse, Charles G. Flaharty and twenty-five other citizens of Federalsburg, praying the passage of an Act incorporating the said town.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Williams, Dawson and Gordy.

Mr. Seth submitted the following order:

Ordered, That Mr. Keech, of Baltimore county, be allowed leave of absence to-morrow, (Saturday,) on account of important business engagements.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Greenfield,

Leave was granted to the Baltimore county delegation to introduce a bill entitled an Act to authorize the Mayor and City Council of Baltimore to purchase, at its discretion, the property of the Western Maryland Rail Road Company, and to issue the bonds of the City of Baltimore, in order to provide for the payment money for said purchase.

Mr. Miller submitted the following order:

Ordered, That Mr. Brace be granted leave of absence until Tuesday next.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Wack submitted the following order:

Ordered, That Mr. Wack be permitted to withdraw Bill No. 207 from the House file.

Which was adopted.

Mr. Miller submitted the following order:

Ordered, That Mr. Nicodemus be granted leave of absence until Tuesday next, to attend to important business.

Which was adopted.

On motion of Mr. Matthews,

Leave was granted to the Baltimore county delegation to introduce a bill to authorize the Commissioners of Baltimore county to appropriate a sum of money to erect a gas-house and pest-house.