

diately to Annapolis, and present the foregoing Preamble and Resolutions to the General Assembly of Maryland.

Which,

On motion by Mr. Stevens,

Were read and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, and

Ordered to be entered on the Journal.

On motion by Mr. Steiner, it was

Ordered, That it be entered on the Journal that Senator Spencer, of Kent county, is absent from the Senate in consequence of indisposition.

Mr. Stevens presented the petition of Jesse Lazear, Wm. P. Webb, John E. Phillips, Samuel Snowden, Edward H. Gelston, Wm. E. Edmonson and others, of Baltimore county, asking the extension of the limits of the city of Baltimore.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

Mr. Billingsley presented the memorial of Committee of Alumni of St. John's College.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Billingsley presented the petition of John G. Patterson, James Wheeler, Thos. E. Kemp and forty other citizens of Baltimore county, praying the passage of a law to give the voters of each Election District the right to elect their School Commissioners, &c.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings.

On motion by Mr. Walsh, it was

Ordered, That it be entered upon the Journal that the Senator from Harford was absent on Friday owing to illness in his family.

On motion by Mr. Longwell,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill to declare the sanction of the General Assembly to the bequest of John H. Yingling, late of the city of Westminster, to the Trustees of the Methodist Protestant Church of Westminster, Carroll county.

On motion by Mr. Walsh,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Walsh, Longwell and Knight to introduce a bill to amend the Act of January Session, 1872, chapter 54.