

Miller, Pairo, Baker, Bingham, Charles, Mitchell, Tenant, Amiss, Johnston, Lansdale, Williams, Drumm, Feaga, Loar, Stump, Jenkins, Fuss, Haines, Kain, Oursler, Gill, Pearre, Bennett, Howard—94.

The Journal of March 14th, was read and approved.

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#### PETITIONS, MEMORIALS AND OTHER PAPERS.

Mr Atwell presented petition of F. A. Leatherbury and 49 other citizens of Anne Arundel county, protesting against the enactment of the Haman Oyster bill.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and Tributaries.

Mr. Collins presented petition of O. S. Gallup and 121 other citizens of Oxford, opposing the passage of the Haman Oyster bill.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Chesapeake Bay and Tributaries.

Mr. Smith presented petition asking that the Charter of Frederick and Woodsboro be renewed.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Corporations.

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#### ORDERS.

On motion of Mr. Howard, it was

Ordered, That Mr. Harvey be excused from to-day's session on account of sickness.

Mr. Hill presented the following:

Resolved, That whereas several bills relating to the planting of oysters are now pending in this House and it is desired by this body to obtain as much information as possible on the subject, therefore be it ordered that Mr. B. Howard Haman, of Baltimore, be invited to address this House upon the subject of oyster planting at a session of this House to be held Wednesday evening, March 16th, at 8 o'clock.

Ordered, That the members of the Senate be invited to attend in this chamber at said session.

Which was adopted.