

Which was read, and referred to Senators Hill, Gorman and Hepbron.

Mr. Lancaster presented the petition of Peter Trotter and Townley Robey and 53 others, citizens of Charles County, praying for an Act to enable the voters of this State, and especially those of Charles County, to determine by ballot whether intoxicating liquors shall be sold as a beverage.

Which was read, and referred to the Committee on Temperance.

Mr. Bannon presented the petitions of sundry taxpayers, and of every taxpaying member of the Upper Marlboro Bar of Prince George's County, praying that in the event of the repeal of the law allowing the Treasurer of said county $1\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. on the amount of taxes placed in his hands for collection for Clerk hire, that the same be amended so as to allow him a Clerk at a salary of \$1,000 per year.

Which were read, and referred to Senators Hill, Gorman and Hepbron.

Mr. Sulivane presented the petition of 31 citizens of Dorchester County for a change of dredging line in the Great Choptank river, so that the same shall not include Jamaica Shoals.

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

On motion by Mr. McLane, it was

Ordered, That Senators and employees of the Senate are entitled to mileage and twenty-five dollars of stationery or its equivalent.

On motion by Mr. Cooper,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Finance to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act for the relief of the widow and children of the late Captain Andrew Conroy.

On motion by Mr. Hepbron,

Leave was granted to Senators Hepbron, Ford and Miller, to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to regulate the width of private roads in Kent County.

On motion by Mr. Gorman,

Leave was granted to the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill to be entitled an Act to amend the charter and enlarge the powers of the Pennsylvania Railroad Company, a corporation incorporated under the General Laws of this State.