

Mr. Dashiell presented the petition of George G. Inaly, James R. Willing, Geo. Williams, and 50 other citizens of Wicomico county, asking for better protection in the prosecution of their business as oyster men.

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

Mr. Waters, of Dorchester, presented the petition of Lakes and Streights districts in Dorchester county, Maryland, asking for a law to permit the shooting of Wild Fowl from sink boats.

Which was read and referred to the Dorchester delegation.

Mr. Bird presented the petition of Catherine E. Lusby and twenty-seven other ladies of Calvert county, in favor of a Local Option Law for Calvert county.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also,

The petition of W. S. Dalrymple, W. A. Bryan, D. B. M. Dixon, and 133 other citizens of Calvert county, for the passage of a Local Option Law for Calvert county.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Ford presented the petition of Benj. W. Morrill and 52 others, citizens of Baltimore city, asking for Local Option.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Also,

The petition of Mrs. R. D. England and 200 other ladies of Baltimore city, asking for Local Option.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Fitzjarrell presented the petition of Henry P. Hopkins, W. M. Hollyday, E. L. F. Hardcastle, James M. Wooters and 68 others, asking for the passage of an Act prohibiting stock from running at large in Talbot county.

Which was read and referred to the Talbot and Queen Anne's delegati n.

Mr. Smith, of Dorchester, presented the petition of S. F. Tyler and other citizens, asking for a Fence Law on Hoopes' Island, Dorchester county.

Which was read and referred to the Dorchester delegation.

Mr. Purnell presented the petition of 77 citizens of Worcester county, asking for a high license liquor law, and de-