

WEDNESDAY, March 8th, 1876.

Senate met at 11 A. M.

Prayer by Rev. Father Schwartz.

Present at Roll call, the following Senators:

Messrs. President, Aydelotte, Bannon, Brewer, Cooper, Duke, Dennis, Freeman, Ford, Getty, Gorman, Hepbron, Humphreys, Joyce, Knight, Lee, Lawrence, Lloyd, McCulloh, Mudd, Newcomer, Phelps, Stevens, Steiner, Suit, Walsh—26.

Proceedings of yesterday read and approved.

Mr. Newcomer presented the memorial of 50 citizens of the 7th District of Washington county, praying the passage of an Act authorizing the Governor to appoint an additional Magistrate for said district.

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Newcomer, Freeman and Duke.

Mr. Phelps presented the memorial of 103 citizens of Dorchester county, remonstrating against the provisions of a bill for the extension of the Dorchester and Delaware Railroad, to some point upon the Chesapeake Bay in said county of Dorchester.

Also,

Of 53 citizens of Dorchester county to the same effect.

Which were read and referred to Messrs. Phelps, Aydelotte and Cooper.

Mr. Suit presented the memorial of J. R. Young, E. M. Hack and 21 others, citizens of Prince George's county, against the passage of the Act changing the name of Glenville to Wigwam.

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

Mr. Freeman presented the memorial of 77 citizens of Baltimore county, praying for a law restricting the sale of intoxicating liquors in said county.

Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.

Mr. Phelps presented the memorial of 375 citizens of Dorchester county, praying that no change be made in the time now established by law in relation to those who catch oysters with tongs, and those who catch oysters with scoops or dredges.

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