by Senator Zihlman (by request), which, if passed, would prevent the bands of music from such State and city institutions as the St. Mary's Industrial School from appearing on the streets. [Which was read and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a petition of A. Cohen of the American Journal of Mathematics, in favor of a full appropriation to the Hebrew Orphan Asylum of Baltimore. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a petition of Prof. John D. Blake, in favor of a full appropriation to the Maryland General Hospital, of Baltimore city. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a petition of the Old Town Merchants and Manufacturers Association, in favor of the establishment of a proper agricultural college in Maryland to multiply the chances of larger per acreage yields in Maryland and make farming attractive and profitable to young men, and urging upon the Assembly a liberal appropriation. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a resolution of the Old Town Merchants and Manufacturers Association, in favor of the Maryland Agricultural College in Maryland. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a petition of the Old Town Merchants and Manufacturers Association against any legislation which increases traders' license rates above the rates now imposed on merchants carrying stocks up to \$40,000 and that the present rates be retained and that a proportionate and fair increase be added to merchants carrying stocks from \$40,000 to \$1,000,000. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a petition of the Old Town National Bank of Baltimore, in favor of an appropriation of \$500,000 bond issue for an Armory for the Fourth Regiment I. M. N. G. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]

Also a petition of the Old Town Merchants and Manufacturers Association in favor of resolutions against the new traders' license rates. [Which was read the first time and referred to the Committee on Finance.]