

TALBOT COUNTY—

Petition from Joseph Bruff and others, trustees of the Methodist Episcopal Church and Parsonage in, to sell the old parsonage and premises and purchase a new one, 276, referred, *ib.*; bill reported, 287; bill passed and sent to the Senate, 565.

Petition of Mary Adeline Stephens of, praying a divorce *a vinculo matrimonii* from her husband, Hooper B. Stephens, 276; referred, 276; unfavorable report on, and adopted, 286, 287.

Petition of Richard Thomas and other citizens of, to allow one Joseph Bantum (free-negro) to return to the State of Maryland, 276; referred, *ib.*

Petition of Samuel P. Dickinson and others of the town of Trappe in, praying the passage of an act to incorporate the said town, referred, 284; leave to bring in a bill, 363; bill reported, 383; bill passed and sent to the Senate, 563.

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Petition of 314 citizens of, in favor of the Eastern Shore Railroad, &c., referred, 361.

Petition of citizens of, praying an endowment for the Military Academy at Oxford in, referred, 362; bill reported, 473; bill amended, 823.

Petition of John Clark and three other citizens of the town of Trappe in, stating their opposition to an act of incorporation, 284; bill reported, 384; bill passed and sent to the Senate, 593; bill returned passed by the Senate, 849.

Petition of citizens of, for the relief of Joseph Buntun, (free-negro,) referred, 700.

Petition of sundry citizens of, praying the passage of an act to authorise the county commissioners to grant an increase of compensation to the Crier of the Circuit Court for said county, referred; 700.

Petition of sundry citizens of election district, No. 2 in, praying for an additional magistrate in said district, referred, 700; bill reported, 724; bill passed and sent to the Senate, 733; returned passed with proposed amendment, 846; bill passed as amended, 846.