

Which was referred to the committee on Judiciary.

Mr. Hobbs presented a petition from Michael Zimmerman and sixty other citizens of Frederick county, praying the passage of an act creating a new Election District out of parts of Frederick, Woodsborough and Creagerstown Election Districts in said county;

Which was referred to the Frederick county delegation.

Mr. Hobbs presented a petition from William B. Tabler and forty other citizens of Petersville district, Frederick county, praying the passage of an act creating an additional Justice of the Peace in said district and county;

Which was referred to the Frederick county delegation.

Mr. Mackubin presented a petition of eighty-one citizens of Anne Arundel county, living on and near the waters of the Patapsco River, praying the passage of a law to prohibit free negroes from fishing and crabbing in said waters;

Which was referred to the Baltimore city and Anne Arundel delegations.

Mr. Mackubin presented a petition from sundry citizens of Anne Arundel County, residents of Primary School District, No. 19, praying the division of said district, and the erection of a new one;

Which was referred to the Anne Arundel county delegation.

Mr. Mackubin presented a petition from citizens of Anne Arundel county, opposed to the passage of a law, authorizing the commissioners to levy a tax for the enlargement and repair of the alms-house of said county;

Which was referred to the Anne Arundel county delegation.

Mr. Crowley presented a claim against the State of Maryland for cleaning Pratt street wharf, for \$361;

Which was referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Stirling presented a petition from sixty-nine citizens of Baltimore, for the repeal of the tax on mortgages;

Which was referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Sudler, of Somerset, proposed the following resolution, which was read:

Whereas, The pump sleeve and the hose belonging to the State Engine, were injured at the burning of St. Anne's Church; Therefore,

Be it Resolved, That the State Librarian be authorized to have the fire engine and apparatus belonging to the State, put in complete order and ready for use in case of fire.