

On motion of Mr. Graves,

Ordered, That the same be referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Mr. Sutton,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning, half past nine o'clock.

TUESDAY, January 24th, 1843.

The House met. Present at the call of the roll the following members :

Messrs. Causin, Thomas, Key, Sutton, Rasin, Owens, Dorsey, Murray, Hammond, Clarke, Allnutt, Weems, Morsell, Crain, Brawner, Freeman, Walker, Risteau, Welsh, Randall, Hall, Sherwood of Talbot, Colston, Handy of Somerset, Fleming, Langford, Rider, Traverse, Lecompte of Dor., Green, Simpers, Janney, Crookshanks, Tuck, Hamilton, Dunbracco, Roberts, Holland, Taylor, Handy of Worcester, Richardson, Lynch, McKeehan, Crampton, Butler, Yellott, Hopkins, Jarrett, Sherwood of Caroline, Nicols, Springer, Graves, Starr, Nesbit, Weber, Harne, Boteler, Griffith, Kilgour, Worthington, Buskirk, Pickell, Brown, Powder, Lecompte of Carroll and Mr. Speaker.

The journal of yesterday was read.

The Speaker laid before the House the memorial of Josiah Bayley, on the subject of his advances to the State ;

Read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

And the report of the board of trustees of Allegany county academy, in answer to the order of the House of the 31st ultimo ;

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Buskirk,

Ordered, That the same be referred to Messrs. Buskirk, Buchanan, Neff and Pickell.

Mr. Richardson presented the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying a law to authorise the levy court of said county to levy the sum of \$500, for the use of the Independent Hose Company.

And the memorial of the president and directors of the Junior Fire Company of Frederick city, praying the passage of a law to authorize the levy court of said county to levy the sum of \$500 for the use of said company ;

Severally read and referred to Messrs. Richardson, Lynch, McKeehan and Crampton.

Mr. Harne presented the petition of William Dellinger, collector of the direct tax for Washington county, praying time to complete his collections ;

Read and referred to Messrs. Harne, Weber, Boteler, Grove and Nesbitt.

Mr. Powder presented the petition of sundry citizens of Carroll