

Ordered, That the preamble and the first and second resolutions be referred to the committee on Internal Improvement, and that the third resolution be referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

On motion of Mr. Murray,

Leave was granted to Messrs. Murray, Dorsey and Hammond, to bring in a bill, granting to Benjamin T. Pindle, collector of the county charges for the first election district of Anne Arundel county, further time to complete his collections.

Mr. Sherwood of Caroline presented the petition of John R. K. Horney, praying further time to complete his collections, as late collector of Caroline county;

Read and referred to Messrs. Sherwood of Caroline, Thawley and Nicols.

Mr. Harné presented the petition of the burgess and other commissioners of Smithsburg, praying the passage of a supplementary act to the act of incorporation for said village, passed December session 1841, chapter 284;

Read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

The clerk of the Senate delivered the memorial of sundry tobacco merchants of the city of Baltimore;

Read and referred to the committee on Inspections.

And returned the following bills:

The bill entitled, a further supplement to the act entitled, an act for the better regulation of apprentices;

The bill entitled, an act relating to fines, penalties, forfeitures and to informers;

The bill entitled, an act relative to supervisors of roads in Frederick county;

The bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Burkettsville Union Band of Frederick county;

Severally endorsed "will pass,"—severally ordered to be engrossed."

Also, the bill entitled, an act supplementary to the act giving appeals from the judgments of single magistrates and the district courts to the several county courts of this State;

And delivered a bill entitled, an act to make valid a deed from Isaac Bowen of Calvert county, to James B. Dixon, also of said county;

Read the first time and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Kilgour, chairman of the committee on Colored Population, reported a bill entitled, an act for the benefit of Robert A. Taylor, of the city of Baltimore;

Read the first and by special order the second time, passed and sent to the Senate.

The rule being suspended,

Mr. Gallagher presented the memorial of the Washington Lodge No. 1, of the city of Baltimore, praying an act of incorporation;