praying for an act of incorporation for the German Herman Beneficial Society of Baltimore;

Which was read and referred to the committee on corpora-

tions.

Mr. Le Grand presented the memorial of Mary Dempsey, of the city of Baltimore, protesting against a divorce from her husband, Michael Dempsey;

Which was read and referred to the committee on divorces.

Mr. Randall presented the memorial of Robert Ward, and others, of Baltimore county, praying the repeal of the law, under which the geologist of this State is appointed, and the substitution of a new system therein specified;

Which was read and referred to the committee on agriculture.

Mr. Dorsey presented the memorial of sundry citizens of Howard District, in Anne Arundel county, praying that the legislature may afford protection to their negro property;

Which was read and referred to the committee on colored popu-

lation.

Mr. Boyle presented the petition of sundry citizens of Carroll county, praying the passage of an act for purposes therein mentioned; Which was read and referred to Messrs. Boyle, Lecompte, and

Mr. Gaither presented the petition of sundry citizens of Howard District, in Anne Arundel county, praying for opening a road therein mentioned:

Which was read and referred to the committee already ap-

pointed on that subject.

Mr. Sprigg, of Allegany, presented the memorial of sundry citizens of the town of Cumberland, in Allegany county, praying that commissioners may be appointed to sell Water street, in said town;

Which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and

courts of justice.

Mr. Shower presented two petitions of merchants, and others, sundry citizens of Carroll county, praying legislative action in relation to hawkers and pedlars;

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on

ways and means.

Mr. Lecompte presented the petition of sundry citizens of Carroll county, praying for a road therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Lecompte, Boyle, and

Dorsey.

Mr. Lecompte presented the petition of sundry citizens of Carroll and Frederick counties, praying for a road, &c. in said counties;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Lecompte, Boyle, Stull,

Naill, and Motter.

Mr. Motter presented the memorial of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying an alteration in the law granting licenses to hawkers and pedlars;