Willis, Handy, Eccleston, Knight, Bayne, Johnson, Carmichael, Dennis, Simmons, Sutton of Harford, Nichols of Caroline, Gal-

lagher, Lyday, Darby and Davis.

Mr. Buchanan, from the select committee to which was referred the bill from the Senate entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act to provide more effectually for the destruction of wolves, panthers and foxes in Allegany county, passed at December session 1840, ch. 56, reported favorably thereon;

Read the second time by special order, passed and returned

to the Senate.

The rule being suspended,

Mr. Forwood presented the petition of one hundred and thirteen citizens of the second district of Cecil county, praying the removal of the place of holding the elections from Old Town to Chesapeake city in said district;

Read and referred to Messrs. Forwood, Owens of Cecil and

Knight.

Mr. Dennis submitted the following resolution:

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the securities of John C. Handy deceased, late clerk of Worcester county, be and they are hereby released from the payment of the interest on the State's claim against them, as securities aforesaid, provided they shall pay into the treasury of the State, the principal of the said claim, within three months after the passage of this resolution.

Which was read and laid on the table.

On motion of Mr. Johnson,

Leave was granted to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill entitled, a further supplement to the act enlarging the powers of the High Court of Chancery.

Mr. Brent reported a bill entitled, an act to grant further time to Thomas Perry, late sheriff of Charles county, to complete his

collections;

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

On motion of Mr. Stull,

The House took up the bill from the Senate entitled, an act to make valid the proceedings of Philip Gore, as a justice of the peace, and as justice of the district court, of the sixth election district of Carroll county.

On motion of Mr. Boyle,

Ordered, That said bill be recommitted to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Spencer reported a bill entitled, an act relating to persons doing business in one county of this State, and residing out of said county;

Read the first and by special order the second time, and

On motion of Mr. Spencer,

Ordered, That said bill be referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.