- POAG, MARY—Petition of, for a divorce, presented and referred 275; bill reported and laid on the table 451; taken up, passed and sent to the senate 521; returned rejected 538.
- POCOMOKE RIVER—Leave for a bill supplementary to an act for clearing out, in Worcester county, by means of a lottery, passed December session 1840, 76; bill reported and laid on the table 85; passed and sent to the senate 94; returned passed 162.

POLK, ANN—Petition of, in behalf of Alice Wright, colored woman, for permission to remove into Somerset county, presented and referred 394.

POLL TAX—Petition of citizens of Allegany county for a law altering the constitution so as to enable the legislature to levy a, on all white male citizens of the age of twenty-one years and upwards, presented and referred 326; referred to select committee of one from each county 338.

POOL, MARY E.—Petition of, for a divorce from her husband George W. Pool, presented and referred 105; bill reported 145; read a second time and laid on the table 180; bill amended, passed and sent to the senate 229; returned rejected 440.

POOR HOUSE—Petition of sundry citizens of Washington county for a law authorizing the commissioners of said county to sell the, &c. presented and referred 151.

Counter petition to the above, presented and referred

- PORT DEPOSIT—Leave for a bill to correct the inspection of lumber at, 436; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 534; returned rejected 557.
- PORT TOBACCO—Petition of sundry citizens of, in Charles county, praying for a law to prevent hogs going at large in or near said town, presented and referred 79; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 134; returned passed 139.

POST, LUCRETIA M.—Leave for a bill for the benefit of, 476; bill reported and laid on the table 494; taken up, passed and sent to the senate 520; returned rejected 537.

- POTOMAC LODGE, NO. 31—Leave for a bill to incorporate the, of the Independent Order of Odd Fellows in Hagerstown 224; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 226; returned with an amendment, which is laid on the table 243; amendment assented to 305.
- POTOMAC RIVER—Petition of Thomas C. Lyles and others, for a law for the protection of wild fowl in the, presented and referred 202; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 359; returned rejected 402.

POULTNEY, PHILIP—Delegate elect from Baltimore county, appeared and qualified 4.