

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Smith, Hammill, Fitzpatrick and McKaig.

Mr. Fitzpatrick presented the memorial of Henry M. Jamison, praying for the passage of a special act for purposes therein contained ;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Fitzpatrick also, presented the petition of P. R. Steck, James W. Watt, James P. Carleton, John W. Weaver, and sundry other citizens, asking an amendment to the act of incorporation of the town of Cumberland ;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Fitzpatrick, Hammill, McKaig and Smith.

Mr. Lackland presented the petition of Thomas Ford and George W. Walmsley, and eleven other citizens of Cecil county, remonstrating against the repeal of the hog and goose law ,

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Wootten presented the memorial of sundry citizens of Prince George's county, praying the repeal of the law, of 8116, requiring the advertisement of property by sheriffs and other public officers, in the county papers, instead of advertising at the court house and other public places, where the sale is to made.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. McKaig presented the petition of Joseph Sprigg, of Hampshire county, Virginia, praying for the passage of a law, authorising him to bring into this State, certain slaves therein named ;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. McKaig, Fitzpatrick, Hammill and Smith.

Mr. Cropper presented the memorial of sundry citizens of Cecil county, praying the repeal of the law of last session, chapter 146, to prevent swine and geese from running at large in the town of Cecilton ;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice.

Mr. Wade presented the petition of sundry citizens of district No. 1, in Washington county, praying the passage of a law, making seduction a Penitentiary offence :

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Powder presented the petition of the trustees of Christ's Roman Catholic Church, for the passage of a law therein set forth ;

Which was read and referred to Messrs, Powder, Shaw, Stull and Ecker.

The Speaker presented the report of the clerk of Somerset county court, relative to the attendance of the judges ;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, also