

The petition of sundry citizens of Prince George's county, praying that the commissions of attornies, constables and other public officers for the collecting of debts may be fixed by law.

The petition of Eleanor W. Roch, praying that she may be empowered to sell certain real estate therein mentioned, the property of her infant children.

The petition of Basil Crapster of Anne Arundel county, praying for redress of Grievances therein mentioned; and

The leave to introduce a bill requiring plaintiffs, at the appearance term, to give security for all costs that may accrue on suits they have instituted;

Which were severally twice read and concurred in.

Mr. Yellott, from same committee, also made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Robert Murry and others, residing in the city of Baltimore, praying to be reinstated in certain privileges;

Which was read the first time, and

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Yellott, from the same committee, to which was referred the petition of Frederick Rohrer and others, citizens of Washington county, praying the passage of a law to prevent the sale of intoxicating drinks on the sabbath day, asked to be discharged from the further consideration thereof, and that the same be referred to the committee on Temperance.

On the question being put,

On discharging the said committee, and referring said petition to the committee on Temperance, it was

Determined in the affirmative.

Mr. Smith reported a bill entitled, an act authorising the citizens of the second election district, in Allegany county, to bring salt manufactured in Pennsylvania and Virginia into said district, and to buy and sell to each other without license;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Yellott, chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to which was referred the bill from the Senate, entitled, an act for the relief of Jonathan Prout and others, reported the same without amendment.

Also, the bill from the Senate, entitled, an act for the benefit of Richard Barnes and Robert Fergusson executors of John Barnes late clerk of Charles county court, and

The bill from the Senate entitled, an act to allow John D. Ward, former sheriff Calvert county, further time to complete his collections;

Severally reported the same without amendment.

The said bills were then severally read the first and by a special order the second time, severally passed and returned to the Senate.

Mr. Yellott, chairman of the same committee, reported a bill entitled, an act to cure a defect in a deed therein mentioned.