

Which was read.

Mr. Naill, chairman of the committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the order of this House of the 27th January, delivered a report.

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Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Ghiselin, chairman of the committee on Colored Population delivered the following

#### REPORT:

The committee on Colored Population to whom was referred the application of Hugh Cox, of Charles county to bring into this State certain negro slaves now in the State of Louisiana, report that the said Cox is now authorised by the existing laws of the State, to remove these negroes into the State by complying with the several provisions of the act of 1839, ch. 15, and the late action of the House of Delegates upon the bill to remove the restriction upon the introduction of slaves into this State, preclude the probability at present, that the General Assembly will depart from the policy in any particular case.

R. GHISELIN, Chairman.

Which was twice read and concurred in.

Mr. Hopewell, chairman of the committee on Pensions and Revolutionary Claims, to which was referred the petition of sundry citizens of Harford county, praying that Angeline Purnell, may be placed on the pension roll of said county, asked to be discharged from the further consideration thereof, and that the same be referred to the delegation from Harford county;

On the question being put, on discharging said committee and referring the same to the Harford delegation;

It was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Yellott, chairman of the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, made unfavorable reports upon the petition of William Wiles and others, of Harford county, praying the passage of a law making it illegal for justices of the peace to hold their courts at grog shops or taverns.

Also, the petition of Leonard Matthews, Jane W. Matthews, Lewis A. Finley, Lucretia R. Finley, Hugh Wilson and Mary Jane Wilson, for the sale of property therein mentioned;

Which were severally twice read and concurred in.

Mr. Yellott, chairman of same committee, made an unfavorable report upon the leave to bring in a bill to make valid a deed therein mentioned;

Which was twice read and concurred in.

Mr. Carey, from the committee on Ways and Means, made an unfavorable report upon the petition of Edward Smithson and one hundred and forty-two other citizens of Harford county, praying a repeal of the fifth section of the act of 1841, chapter 194;

Which was twice read and concurred in.

Mr. Yellott, from the committee on Ways and Means, to which