praying for a renewal of the charter of the Washington Beneficial Society of Baltimore;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Curley, Carey, Lever-

ing and Stansbury of Baltimore city.

Mr. Harris presented the petition of W. Abrahams, David Gilmore and eighty-one other citizens of Cecil county, praying an alteration in the present mode of issuing licenses to taverns, grog shops &c. in this State;

Which was read and referred to the select committee already

appointed on that subject.

Mr. Lynch presented the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying for an alternation in the mode of appointing the trustees of the poor of said county.

Mr. Shriver presented the counter memorial of three hundred and seventy-eight citizens of Frederick county, praying the General Assembly, not to alter the mode of appointing the trustees of the poor of said county;

Which were severally read and referred to the Frederick county

delegation.

Mr. McKaig presented the petition of stindry citizens of the town of Cumberland, praying certain amendments to the several acts incorporating said town;

Which was read and referred to the Allegany county delegation.

On motion of Mr. Freeman,

Leave was granted Messrs. Freeman, Chapman and Reeder, to bring in a bill to authorise Aneus M. Hoffar, to bring into this State a negro slave, a slave for life, on certain conditions.

On motion of Mr. Waters of Montgomery,

Leave was granted Messrs. Waters of Montgomery, Trundle, Kilgour and Griffith, to bring in a bill to extend to William O. Chappell administrator of Henry Lilly, late sheriff and collector of Montgomery county, further time to complete his collections.

On motion of Mr. Franklin,

Leave was granted the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to alter and amend the law in certain cases passed in the year 1785, chapter 80.

On motion of Mr. Franklin,

Leave was granted the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill entitled, a supplement to the act entitled, an act to amend and reduce into one system the laws to direct descents, passed at the December session 1820, chapter 191.

On motion of Mr. Franklin,

Leave was granted the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice, to bring in a bill for the relief of William W. Hoff.

On motion of Mr. Carey,

Leave was granted Messrs. Carey, Curley, Levering and Stansbury of Baltimore city, to bring in a bill relating to livery stable keepers.