

**SLAVES**—Petition of Joseph Brown to be allowed to bring certain, into this State, referred 55; unfavorable report, ordered to lie on the table 103.

Leave granted to report a bill to allow James T. Pritchett to bring into this State a certain, 75; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 339; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 393.

Order adopted requiring the committee on crimes and punishments to enquire into the expediency of bringing in a bill to alter the penalty imposed upon persons convicted of aiding, to abscond, &c. 83.

Leave granted to report a bill to allow Mary D. Corms to bring a certain, into this State 97; bill reported and referred 136; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 157; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 269.

Order adopted requiring the committee on colored population to enquire into the expediency of imposing heavier penalties upon constables for neglecting to suppress unlawful meetings of free negroes and, 105.

Petition of Fitzhugh Turner, to retain a certain, in this State, referred 112; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 258; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 443.

Leave granted to report a bill to authorise Peter McGee, to bring a certain, into this State 113; bill reported and referred 239; favorable report, the bill passed and sent to the senate 243; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 269.

Leave granted to report a bill to allow Samuel Cox, to bring a, into this State 132; bill reported and referred 140; favorable report, the bill passed and sent to the senate 243; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 269.

Petition of citizens of Queen Anne's county for a law more effectually to secure the owners of, in their right of property, &c., referred 167.

Leave granted to report a bill to authorise Robert W. Latham and Lawrence P. Bayne, to bring into this State, four, for life 247; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 249; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 269.

Petition of James Law, of Delaware, praying to be authorised to bring certain, into this State, referred 253; bill reported, passed and sent to the senate 339; returned passed and ordered to be engrossed 393.

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