

The President laid before the Senate the petition of sundry citizens of Talbot county, for the construction of a wharf;

Which was read, and

Referred to Messrs. Harrison, Willis and Goldsborough, of Dorchester.

On motion of Mr. Firey,

Ordered, That when the Senate adjourns it adjourn to meet on Monday at 11 o'clock, A. M.

On motion of Mr. Waters,

The Senate granted him leave of absence.

The Senate adjourned.

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MONDAY, February 24th, 1862.

Present at the call of the roll the following Senators:

Messrs. Goldsborough, Pt., Bayne, Billingsley, Denison, Everett, Firey, Harrison, Heckart, Jenkins, Lankford, Smith, Townsend, Watkins, Whitaker and Willis.

On motion of Mr. Whitaker,

Leave was granted Messrs. Whitaker, Watkins and Smith, to report a bill to repeal sections 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132 and 133 of article 12 of the Code of Public Local Laws, under the title of sheep.

Mr. Bayne, from the committee on Agriculture, to which was recommitted the bill with amendments proposed by the House, entitled, An act to repeal article 17 of the Maryland Code of Public General Laws, relating to the office of State Agricultural Chemist, reported said amendments ought to be concurred in;

Which was read and adopted, and

The bill passed by yeas and nays, as follow :