

The said order was then read the second time and adopted.

In pursuance whereof the speaker appointed the following to compose the committee, viz: Messrs. Ford, McDaniel, Simmons, Sollers, Merrick, Ely, Kerr, Carroll, Frazier, Parker, Bowie, Alexander, Grason, Townsend, Geyer, Maulsby, Carter, Giles, Mann, White, Sprigg and Shower.

Mr. Roberts submitted the following message, which was read and assented to:

By the House of Delegates,
December 27th, 1837.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We propose an interchange of services between the Rev. Mr. Vinton—the gentleman elected by this House to perform Divine Worship, and the Rev. gentleman selected by your Honorable body.

By order,

George G. Brewer, Clerk.

On motion of Mr. Merrick,

The house adjourned until to-morrow morning ten o'clock.

THURSDAY, December 28th, 1837.

The House met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The message adopted by the house on yesterday, proposing an interchange of services between the Rev. Mr. Vinton, the chaplain to this house, and the Rev. gentleman appointed by the senate; Was sent to the senate.

Mr. Geyer presented a memorial of Anthony Kimmel, George C. Biser, Henry Dunlop and others, serving as jurors at the December term of Frederick county court, praying of the General Assembly the creation of a weigh-master for Live Stock in the city of Baltimore,

Which was read and referred to the committee on agriculture, hereafter to be appointed.

Mr. Carter presented a petition from Mary Charles, of Caroline county, praying the passage of an act authorising the orphans' court of Caroline county to allow her such portion of the proceeds of the sale of said real estate therein mentioned, as they in their judgment may deem just and right;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Carter, Turner of Car. and Boone.

Mr. Blocher presented a memorial of Margaret McKinley, of Allegany county, praying the repeal of a law therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice, hereafter to be appointed.

Mr. Blocher also presented a petition of sundry citizens of the