

of said county; which was read and referred to the committee on pensions to indigent persons by county assesment.

Mr. Hood, presented the petition of George Bowman, of Anne-Arundel county, a revolutionary soldier, praying to be placed on the pension list; which was read and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Mr. Hawkins, presented the petition of sundry inhabitants of Saint-Mary's county, praying the passage of an act for the assessment and valuation of the real and personal property of said county; which was read and referred to Messrs. Hawkins, Blakistone and Gough.

Mr. Denny, presented the petition of Joseph Kemp, and others, of the town of Saint-Michaels, in Talbot county, praying the repeal of so much of the act of 1805, incorporating the town of Saint-Michaels, as relates to swine and geese going at large in said town; which was read and referred to Messrs. Denny, Hughlett and Dudley.

Mr. Teackle, presented the petition of William Sterling, and others, of Somerset county, praying to be admitted to the benefit of the system of public instruction, and a due apportionment of the school money, now in the treasury of the state; which was read and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Lee, presented the petition of Mary S. Magee, a representative of Joseph Clarke, praying compensation for his services as state architect; which was read and referred to the committee on claims.

On motion by Mr. Duvall, Ordered, that the committee on county pensions, be instructed to inquire into the expediency of placing John Warrowll, and wife, and Isaac Clarke, on the pension list of Prince-George's county.

On motion by Mr. Keene, leave was given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to regulate the per diem of justices of the levy court and trustees of the poor for Dorchester county, and for other purposes. Ordered, that Messrs. Keene, Steele and Hicks, report the same.

Mr. Nicholas, submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer of the western-shore, be and he is hereby authorised and required, to pay to the order of the attorney-general of this state, the sum of _____ as a compensation for services performed by him in pursuance of the resolution of the general assembly of December session 1828, No. 26.

Which was read.

Mr. Purnell, chairman of the committee on divorces, delivered an unfavourable report on the petition of Bradley S.