

Mr. Ely presented the petition of sundry citizens of Baltimore and Anne Arundel counties, praying the passage of an act, authorising the building of a bridge over the Patapsco river, near the Thistle Factory; which was read and referred to Messrs. Ely, Holmes, Stansbury, Kent, Stewart, Stockett and Hood.

Mr. Hunt presented the memorial of John Dillehunt, and others, of the city of Baltimore, praying the passage of an act for the inspection of green hides and skins; which was read and referred to the committee on inspections.

Mr. Cottman presented the petition of Levin Ross and others, inhabitants of Princess Anne district, in Somerset county, praying an amendment of the constitution, as it relates to the division of said county into election districts; which was read and referred to Messrs. Cottman, Teackle and Bell.

Mr. Fitzhugh presented the petition of Christian Newcomer, sheriff of Washington county, and others, praying for an additional allowance for the support of prisoners in Washington county jail; which was read, and referred to Messrs. Fitzhugh, Johnson and Johns.

And, Mr. Moores presented the petition of Doctor William J. M'Elhenny, of Harford county, praying for an act to authorise him to hire out certain slaves therein mentioned; which was read and referred to Messrs. Moores, Amos and Johns.

The Speaker laid before the House a report from the clerk of Kent county court, relative to the attendance of judges; which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Also, a report from the clerk of the Levy court of Prince George's county, containing a statement of the levy and tax of said county; which was read, and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled An act to confirm the proceedings of certain commissioners and extend the time for making a road in Baltimore county, was sent to the Senate.

Mr. Teackle submitted the following resolution, which was read the first, and by special order the second time; assented to, and sent to the Senate.

By the House of Delegates,

January 2d, 1832.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby*