

Mr. Teackle presented the petition of sundry citizens of Worcester county, praying to be admitted to the benefits of public instruction in Primary Schools, as provided for by the act of 1825, chapter 162, and a due proportion of the school money as contemplated for that purpose; which was read and referred to Messrs. Teackle, Purnell and Powell;

Mr. Hood presented the petition of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying for the passage of An act authorizing the building of a bridge across the Patapsco Falls, at or near the old Dismal Mills; which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Hollman presented the petition of sundry inhabitants of Washington county, praying the establishment of a Bank in the town of Williamsport in said county, to be called the Washington County Bank; which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Hunt presented the petition of Ann H. Drake, of the city of Baltimore, praying to be divorced from her husband Matthew Drake; which was read and referred to the committee on divorces.

Mr. Johnson presented the memorial of sundry citizens of New Freedom and New Town (Trap,) in Frederick county; praying that the names of said village may be blended and changed by the legislature, and thereafter be known by the name of "Jefferson;" and that commissioners be appointed to establish the boundaries of the lots of said town, and for other purposes; which was read and referred to Messrs. Johnson, M'Kinstrey and Richardson.

Also the memorial of John McElroy, president of Saint John's Literary Institution, in Fredericktown; praying for a donation from the state; which was read and referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Fitzhugh presented the petition of Mary Magdalena Coffroth, of Washington county, widow of Conrad Coffroth, a revolutionary soldier, praying for a pension; which was read and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Mr. Ely presented the petition of Ann Evans of the state of New York, praying for an act authorizing and directing the Register of the Land Office of the Western Shore, to issue a patent to her for a tract of land in Baltimore county called "Limestone Valley," devised to her by her late husband Joseph Evans deceased; which was read and referred to Messrs. Ely, Turner, of Baltimore; and Holmes;