

icipation of the primary school fund; which was read and referred to Messrs. Fitzhugh, Brookhart and Hollman.

Mr. Rogerson presented the petition of Forrest Davis and Lodowick Davis, revolutionary soldiers, praying to be placed on the pension roll of this state;

Also the petition of William L. Barnard, of the state of Kentucky, a revolutionary soldier, praying for a pension.

Which were severally read and referred to the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims.

Mr. Belt presented the preamble and resolutions adopted at a meeting of sundry citizens of Prince George's county, held at Upper Malboro', relative to the colored population of the state.

Mr. Johnson presented the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick county, praying that the general assembly, will adopt some principle for the abolition of slavery in this state, and that salutary means may be adopted to remove the liberated to a place of safety;

Which were read and severally referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Hunt presented the memorial of the mayor and city council of Baltimore, counter to the memorial of the managers of the House of Refuge. which was read and referred to the committee appointed on the petition to which this is counter.

Mr. Teackle presented the petition of William Nelson and others, inhabitants of that part of the southern election district of Somerset county, commonly called Lower Annamassic, praying a subdivision of the said district; which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

Mr. Ely presented the memorial of sundry citizens of Baltimore, Harford and Cecil counties, praying for the passage of an act, to incorporate a company to make a rail road from Port Deposit to the city of Baltimore; which was read and referred to the committee on internal improvement;

And Mr. Armstrong presented the petition of Robinson Savage, of Allegany county, praying for relief therein mentioned; which was read and referred to Messrs. Armstrong, Blair and Lantz.

On motion by Mr. Brookhart,

Ordered, That the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick and Washington counties, praying for the destruction of foxes in said counties; be referred to the committee al-