

teration in the constitution, so as to make an additional district in said county; which was read and referred to Messrs. Turner, of Baltimore, Ely and Stansbury.

Mr. Nicols presented the memorial of the trustees of the poor of Dorchester county, praying an alteration in the law for the government of the poor of said county; which was read and referred to Messrs. Nicols, Wright, and Travers.

Mr. Jones, of Frederick, presented the petition of James Douty, of Frederick county, praying for compensation for the loss of a certain negro slave therein mentioned; which was read and referred to the committee on grievances and courts of justice.

Mr. Johnson presented the petition of sundry citizens of Frederick town, in relation to a certain lot of ground in said town.

Also, presented the petition of sundry citizens of Cotoctin valley, in Frederick county, praying for an act to incorporate the trustees of Mount Nebo Public School;

Which were severally read, and referred to Messrs. Johnson, Richardson and McKinstrey.

Mr. Gittings obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to an act relating to a public road in Montgomery county, passed at December session, 1830, chapter 112; ordered, that Messrs. Gittings, Harding and Wilson, of Montgomery, report the same.

Mr. Heard obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to authorise the levy court of Saint Mary's county, to fix and determine the compensation of the collector of tax or the said county; ordered, that Messrs. Heard, Sothoron, and Blakistone, report the same.

Mr. Roberts obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, An act to extend real estate; ordered, that Messrs. Roberts, Carmichael, and Brawner, report the same.

Mr. Jones, of Frederick, obtained leave to bring in a bill, to be entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to provide for the purchase of the office papers formerly belonging to the surveyor's office of Frederick county, and to repeal an act therein mentioned; ordered, that Messrs. Jones, of Frederick, Johnson, and Richardson, report the same.

On motion by Mr. Rogerson,

Ordered, that the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, inquire into the propriety of placing James Bluer on the pension roll of this state.

On motion by Mr. Stewart,

Ordered, that the committee on military claims and revo-