

Montgomery and Anne Arundel counties, so far as relates to Anne Arundel county;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Hood, Ridgely, and Gaither.

Mr. Trundle presented a petition of sundry citizens of Montgomery county, praying that John Hackney may be placed on the pension list of said county;

Which was read and referred to the committee on pensions to indigent persons by county assessment.

Mr. Ely presented a petition of the committee of Livingston Academy, in Baltimore county, praying a donation in aid of said institution;

Which was read and referred to the committee on education.

And, Mr. Devenmon presented a petition of sundry landholders of Allegany county, praying the passage of a law to prevent trespass, west of Savage River in said county;

Which was read and referred to the committee already appointed on that subject.

On motion of Mr. Wyse,

Ordered, That the commissioners of Baltimore county be requested to report to this house, the present mode of levying, collecting, and paying the county charges. Also, further to report what amendments may be made in the same, having in view in these amendments the propriety of adopting prompt payment in all instances. Also, that the Treasurer of Baltimore county report the propriety of having an auditor, or auditors, appointed to inspect and examine the accounts of the Board, and Treasurer, and also as to the propriety of publishing the same annually.

Mr. Iglehart obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act to make valid a deed therein mentioned;

Ordered, That Messrs. Iglehart, Ridgely and Hood report the same.

Mr. Hughes obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act for the relief of Thomas Perry, late sheriff and collector of Charles county.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hughes, Carpenter, and Merrick, report the same.

Mr. Annan obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, an act for the better payment of the members of the levy court of Frederick county.

Ordered, That Messrs. Annan, Roberts, of Frederick, and Duvall, report the same.

Mr. Duvall obtained leave to bring in a bill, entitled, a supplement to an act to incorporate a company for the im-