

phia and Baltimore Rail Road Company, reported that the facts set forth in the memorial, are not sufficiently full to enable the committee to recommend any legislation upon the subject, and that in their opinion, formed from the face of the memorial, the remedy for the evils complained of, is in the possession of the grand juries of Cecil county;

Read the first time.

The House took up the bill entitled, an act to incorporate the Barrellsville Mining Company;

The question being on assenting to the amendment reported from the committee on Corporations;

On motion of Mr. Buskirk,

The enacting clause of said bill was stricken out.

Mr. Ristean reported a bill entitled, an act for the foreclosure of the mortgages which the State of Maryland holds against the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal and the Tide Water and Susquehanna Canal;

Read the first time, ordered to be printed, and referred to the committee on Internal Improvement.

On motion of Mr. Phelps,

Ordered, That the committee on Grievances and Courts of Justice be discharged from the further consideration of the petition of sundry citizens of Dorchester county, praying for a law to provide for a stay of execution, and that the said petition be referred to a select committee.

Whereupon the Speaker appointed Messrs. Phelps, Sherwood of Talbot, Buskirk, Griffith, Hammond, Ristean and Nesbitt, said committee.

Mr. Owens reported a bill entitled, an act to lessen the cost of future sessions of the Legislature;

And the bill entitled, a supplement to an act entitled, an act regulating the licenses of hawkers and pedlars, and for other purposes, passed at December session eighteen hundred and forty, chapter one hundred and fifty-four;

Severally read the first time and ordered to be printed.

Mr. Owens presented the memorial of one hundred and five citizens of the eighth election district of Anne Arundel county, praying that the place of holding elections in said district may not be removed;

The memorial of James Rook, and fifty-nine other citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying for a repeal of the act of December session eighteen hundred and forty-one, chapter two hundred and seventy-three;

The memorial of sundry citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying for an alteration in the manner of repairing the public roads in said county;

And the memorial of George D. Lyles, and fourteen other citizens of Anne Arundel county, praying a repeal of the act of December session eighteen hundred and forty-one, chapter two hundred and seventy-three;