

Mr. Buckey presented the petition of the board of directors of the Frederick town Savings Institution, praying for a supplement to their charter, authorising the institution to issue notes of a denomination of not less than one dollar;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Corporations.

Mr. Curley presented the petition of Frances H. Horton, of the city of Baltimore, praying for a divorce;

Which was read, and

On motion of Mr. Phelps,

Ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Potter presented the petition of sundry citizens of Caroline county, praying for the establishment of a located school in the lower district of said county;

Which was read and referred to Messrs. Potter, McKnett, Keene, Phelps, Stewart and Dail.

The Speaker laid before the House a report from the justices of the orphans court of Prince George's county, under the act of Assembly, entitled, a supplement to an act for the distribution of a certain fund for the purpose of establishing free schools within certain counties therein mentioned;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Education.

Also, a report of the clerk of Baltimore county court, relative to the attendance of judges;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Grievances and Courts of justice, and

A report from said clerk relative to the several sums of money paid by him into the Treasury of the State, within the year ending on the 30th of November;

Which was read and referred to the committee on Ways and Means.

Mr. Semmes obtained leave to bring in a bill, for the benefit of the heirs of Thomas H. Marshall, late of Charles county, Maryland;

Ordered, That Messrs. Semmes, Freeman and Reeder, report the same.

Mr. Smith obtained leave to bring in a bill for the relief of William Ridgely of Allegany county;

Ordered, That Messrs. Smith, Hammill and McKaig, report the same.

Mr. Reeder obtained leave to bring in a bill, to remove the free colored population of Charles county;

Ordered, That Messrs. Reeder, Chapman and Freeman, report the same.

Mr. Calvert obtained leave to bring in a bill, to incorporate the Prince George's Agricultural Society;

Ordered, that Messrs. Calvert, Wootten, and Semmes, report the same.

On motion of Mr. Johnson,