

nois, in relation to certain proposed changes in the Constitution of the United States, as recommended by the legislature of Massachusetts, 23rd March, 1843.

THOS. G. PRATT.

Which was read and referred to the committee on Federal Relations.

On motion of Mr. Johnson, of A. A.

Leave was granted the Anne Arundel county delegation, to report a bill to authorise Benjamin T. Pindle, late sheriff and collector of the county and State taxes in Anne Arundel county, further time to complete his collections.

On motion of Mr. Shriver,

Leave was granted the committee on Crimes and Punishments, to bring in a bill for the benefit of John Rutter of Frederick county.

On motion of Mr. Sprigg, of Allegany,

Leave was granted the Allegany county delegation, to bring in a bill for the benefit of Hiram Astley, a maniac now under confinement in the alms house in Allegany county.

Mr. Sprigg, of Allegany, presented the petition of sundry citizens of Allegany county, praying that the commissioners of the county may be authorised to levy one hundred dollars, for the benefit of Hiram Astley, a maniac;

Which was read and referred to the Allegany county delegation.

On motion of Mr. Waters,

The House took up for consideration the resolution submitted by him on the 14th January, in relation to the Sandy Spring Literary Association;

On motion of Mr. Waters,

Said resolution was referred to the committee on the Library.

On motion of Mr. Gallagher,

The House took a recess until 5 o'clock, P. M.