Sec. 54, strike out all after the word "require."

Strike out all of the sections 55, 56 and 57.

At the end of section 57 a., add the words, "But the provisions of this section shall in no manner prevent either party from summoning witnesses at the trial of said cause, and the Justice of the Peace or Court trying the same, shall enter judgment upon the testimony of said witnesses, regardless of the valuation or assessment of damages aforesaid.

Section 57 b., line 5, after the word "county," add the words, "in the districts hereinafter mentioned;" and in line 11, after the word "that," insert the words, "the provisions of this Act have been maliciously violated by said plaintiff, that its provisions were unknown to him or her, and that;" and at the end of said section 57, add the words, "and that none of the provisions of this Act shall take effect until the 1st day of January, 1875.

Which was adopted.

Said bill, as amended, was read the second time.

Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Judicial Proceedings, reported

A bill entitled an Act to repeal section 58 of Article XXIX. of the Code of Public General Laws, title "Circuit Court of Baltimore," and to re-enact the same with amendments.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Stevens, from the Committee on Corporations, reported

A bill entitled an Act to amend an Act entitled an Act to incorporate the Merchants Mutual Insurance Company of Baltimore, and to extend the term of endurance of the same.

Which was read the first time.

Mr. Davis, from a Select Committee, reported

A bill entitled an Act for the better protection of Persons and Property in Baltimore county.

Which was read the first time.

On motion by Mr. Blake,

The Senate adjourned.