

timber from the lands belonging to the estate of said deceased, for the purpose of paying the debts thereof.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to amend section 202 of article 30 of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to crimes and punishments, by defining treason and providing for the punishment of treason and other kindred offences, reported it without amendment.

The bill was read the second time, and  
Ordered to be printed.

On motion of Mr. Blackiston,  
The Senate granted him leave of absence.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to authorize E. L. Wailes to settle his account as guardian to C. A. Wailes, and to deliver over the estate to his said ward, reported it without amendment, and

The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to amend the 73, 74 and 75th sections of article 75 of the Code of Public General Laws, entitled, Pleadings, Practice and Process, relating to the removal of causes, and to repeal section 72 of said article relating to such removal of causes, reported it without amendment, and

The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to add new section to the 29th article of the Code of Public General Laws relating to courts, authorizing the Court of Appeals to order the production of original papers, to be used on the hearing of appeals in certain cases, reported it without amendment.

The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Smith, from the committee on Judicial Proceedings, to which was referred the bill entitled, An act to add an additional section to article 2d of the Code of Public General Laws, in relation to abatements, reported it without amendment, and

The bill was read the second time.

Mr. Denison submitted the following message :

*By the Senate,*  
February 14th, 1862.

*Gentlemen of the House of Delegates :*

We respectfully request your Honorable Body to return to