

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill, entitled "An Act to authorize Executors, Administrators and Guardians, to execute deeds of manumission in certain cases."

The President announced the following Standing Committees of the Senate :

*Finance Committee*—Messrs. Stirling, Carroll, Tome, Firey, Billingsley.

*Judicial Proceedings*—Messrs. Eichelberger, Ricaud, Stirling, Briscoe, Purnell.

*Internal Improvements*—Messrs. Rowles, Ohr, Crane, Willis, Purnell.

*Revolutionary Claims*—Messrs. Willis, Lankford, Waters, Bayless, Jenkins.

*Invalid Deeds and Defective Proceedings*—Messrs. Purnell, Bayne, Ohr, Kemp, Stirling.

*Insolvent Laws*—Messrs. Ohr, Briscoe, Crane, Tome, Campbell.

*Library*—Messrs. Firey, Lankford, Bayless.

*Engrossed Bills*—Messrs. Lankford, Tome, Kemp, Bayless, Waters.

*Pensions*—Messrs. Waters, Willis, Given.

*Colored Population*—Messrs. Campbell, Ricaud, Jenkins, Bayless, Carroll.

*Corporations and Joint Stock Companies*—Messrs. Carroll, Eichelberger, Jenkins, Stirling, Kemp.

*Elections*—Messrs. Ricaud, Eichelberger, Given, Firey, Briscoe.

*Militia*—Messrs. Kemp, Bayless, Ohr, Bayne, Rowles.

*Agriculture*—Messrs. Bayne, Campbell, Given, Billingsley, Lankford.

*Printing*—Messrs. Crane, Kemp, Rowles, Waters, Willis.

*Education*—Messrs. Bayless, Ohr, Purnell, Tome, Kemp.

*Constitution*—Messrs. Eichelberger, Stirling, Billingsley, Ricaud, Carroll.

*Executive Nominations*—Messrs. Given, Ohr, Kemp.

*Chesapeake Bay and Tributaries*—Messrs. Tome, Kemp, Purnell, Briscoe, Jenkins.