

On motion of Mr. McKaig,

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill entitled, An act to change the mode of summoning jurors in the several counties of this State.

On motion of Mr. Smith,

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill entitled, An act to add a section to Article 74 of the Code of Public General Laws, relating to pleading, providing that no plea of the statute of limitations shall be received in any action unless the same is verified by affidavit.

On motion of Mr. Goldsborough, of Talbot,

Leave was granted the Committee on Corporations to introduce a bill entitled, An act to amend the act of 1826, chapter 123, entitled, An act to incorporate the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company.

On motion of Mr. McKaig,

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to introduce a bill entitled, An act concerning the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company.

On motion of Mr. Blackiston,

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill entitled, An act to increase the jail fees of Kent county.

On motion of Mr. Blackiston,

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill entitled, An act to enlarge the duties of the surveyor of Kent county.

Mr. Stone submitted the following order :

Ordered, That fifty extra copies of the bill relating to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal be printed for the use of the Senate ;

Which was adopted.

Mr. Nuttle presented the petition of William Thorp, in relation to the Mispillion and Choptank Railroad Company ;

Which was read and referred to a special committee, consisting of Messrs. Nuttle, Blackiston and Goldsborough, of Dorchester.

On motion of Mr. Goldsborough, of Dorchester,

Leave was granted the Committee on Judicial Proceedings to report a bill entitled, An act to provide for the filling of