

amine such person and his papers, and if, on examination, the said commissioners shall think in their conscience that such person is guilty of any of the said practices, and that his example or influence is prejudicial to this state, they may cause such person to be conveyed before the governor and council, with any papers they may think material, and the grounds and cause of their proceeding, and the governor and council may, in their discretion, commit such person to any gaol within this state, there to remain until the end of the next session of assembly, or restrain him to such limits as they shall appoint, giving security for his good behaviour as a true and faithful subject of this state, or suffer him to go at large on giving security as aforesaid; and any person so arrested or imprisoned, or restrained to limits as aforesaid, shall not be discharged by habeas corpus; and the governor and council shall return the name of every person arrested, committed, or confined, and the cause thereof, to the next general assembly."

The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Hall, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs.	Plowden,	Worthington,	Causin,	Lawson,	Norris,	Alexander,
	Cadwalader,	T. Gantt,	Scott,	Job,	Giles,	Hungerford.
	Hall,	E. Johnson,	Ward,	Kirk,		

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	W. Stevenfon,	Dent,	Craufurd,	Chafe,	T. Johnson,	Barnes,
	Lethrbury,	Stone,	Duckett,	Quynn,	Beatty,	Cramphin,
	Maccubbin,	Ridgely,	Clagett,	Morris,	Seth,	Bayly,
	Brogden,	Lemmon,	Kent,	Dashiell,	Ja. Chapline,	Oneale.
	Fitzhugh,	Winder,				

So it was determined in the negative.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a supplement to the act to procure a loan, and for the sale of escheat lands, and the confiscated British property therein mentioned. ORDERED, That Mr. Scott, Mr. Chafe, Mr. Lethrbury, and Mr. Dashiell, do prepare and bring in the said bill.

Mr. Scott, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to secure the certain redemption of the bills of credit emitted by this state, and for which confiscated British property was pledged; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Scott, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, A Supplement to the act to procure a loan, and for the sale of escheat lands, and the confiscated British property therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The house adjourns till half after 3 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The house met.

The house proceeded on the second reading the bill to prevent disaffected emigrants from settling in this state, and to detect and punish the disaffected, &c. and the same being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Cadwalader appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messieurs	Plowden,	Fitzhugh,	Lemmon,	Chafe,	T. Johnson,	Barnes,
	W. Stevenfon,	Dent,	Craufurd,	Quynn,	Beatty,	Cramphin,
	Lethrbury,	Causin,	Duckett,	Morris,	Seth,	Bayly,
	Maccubbin,	Stone,	Clagett,	Dashiell,	Ja. Chapline,	Hungerford.
	Brogden,	Ridgely,	Kent,			

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs.	Cadwalader,	T. Gantt,	Scott,	Job,	Giles,	M'Mechen,
	Hall,	E. Johnson,	Ward,	Kirk,	Alexander,	Oneale.
	Worthington,	Winder,	Lawson,	Norris,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the senate by Mr. Maccubbin and Mr. Chapline.

On the second reading by especial order of the bill to secure the certain redemption of the bills of credit emitted by this state, and for which confiscated British property was pledged, the question was put, That a clause be added to the bill in favour of the creditors of the Nottingham company who may have just debts due them? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Hall appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Mes.	Cadwalader,	Worthington,	Fitzhugh,	Stone,	Alexander,	M'Mechen.
	Hall,	T. Gantt,	Dent,			

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