

which was read—severally endorsed; “ By the senate, May 30, 1783: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

“ By order, J. DORSEY, clk.”
 Richard Barnes, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the resolution relative to the per diem allowance, endorsed; “ By the senate, May 30, 1783: Read and assented to.

“ By order, J. DORSEY, clk.”
 On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to encourage the destroying of wolves; and Mr. Hall, Mr. Brogden, and Mr. Norris, were appointed a committee for that purpose.

The report from the committee on expiring laws, was read the second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock

S A T U R D A Y, May 31, 1783.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Fitzhugh. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. N. Worthington, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The said bill was read the second time by especial order and passed.

Mr. Hall brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to empower Nicholas Carroll and James Carroll to lease certain lands therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The engrossed bills No. 18, 19, and 20, were read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by Mr. Stull and Mr. Seney.

Mr. Chase brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to relieve certain purchasers of confiscated property; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The said bill was read the second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. Bond and Mr. Ford.

Mr. Chase, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to authorize the probate of wills in the county where the witnesses reside; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Dashiell, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to naturalize Thomas Walley, son of Zedekiah Walley, and to make provision for the maintenance and education of the said Thomas Walley, and Maria Grafon, daughter of Thomas Grafon; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Brogden, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to encourage the destroying of wolves; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The said bill was read the second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. Bond and Mr. Ford.

The report on the petition of the trustees of the poor of Frederick county, was read the second time and concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto; and Mr. Beatty, Mr. Shriver, and Mr. Hall, were appointed a committee for that purpose.

The engrossed bill No. 21, was read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bill thereof, by Mr. Bond and Mr. Ford.

On motion, the question was put on the following:

“ Whereas in the fifty-first article of the form of government it is declared, “ that there be two registers of the land-office, one on the western and one on the eastern shore; that short extracts of the grants and certificates of the land on the western and eastern shores respectively, be made in separate books, at the public expence, and deposited in the offices of the said registers, in such manner as shall hereafter be provided by the general assembly:” and whereas it is the wish of this general assembly, to make every necessary convenience and provision for the eastern shore of this state; Therefore, **RESOLVED**, That the governor and the council be requested to appoint a fit and proper person or persons, to make extracts of all grants and certificates relative to the lands on the eastern shore of this state, and cause the same to be examined and compared with the original grants and certificates of the lands aforesaid, and have the same transmitted to the register of the land-office on the eastern shore; and that all expences arising in virtue of this resolve be defrayed out of the public treasury.” Resolved in the affirmative.

The bill to authorize the probate of wills in the county where the witnesses reside, was read the second time by especial order and passed.

On motion, **ORDERED**, That the order of the day, relative to the intendant, be taken into consideration this afternoon.