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BY THE SENATE, Feb. 15th, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We have received your message requesting the senate to reconsider the resolution in favour of William Wellman. It appeared when that resolution was under consideration, that said Wellman enlisted for the term of three years, and that he remained in service only seven months, & did not appear to the state that he was honourably discharged. We therefore decline a reconsideration.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, CLK.

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 15, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We are prepared to close the session immediately, and have appointed Messrs. Shugy and West the part of the senate, to join such gentlemen as may be named by your house, to wait on the governor and request his attendance in the senate chamber, for the purpose of signing the laws, according to constitution and form of government.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, CLK.

Which were read.

On motion by Mr. Stevens, the following resolution was read, assented to, and sent to the senate. Whereas it appears to this general assembly by the report of Perry Benson and Lambert Bon who were authorized under the authority of the house of delegates, to examine and report the arms of the armory at Easton, that it contains three thousand seven hundred and seventy-one muskets, thousand five hundred and fourteen bayonets, three thousand five hundred and sixty-two cartridges, two hundred and seventy-two pistols, six hundred and eighty-one holsters, two hundred and one artillery swords, and many other implements of war, and that one fourth of the muskets are in a ruinous condition, the others in tolerable order, the bayonets are in boxes covered with rust, the swords, knives, and iron scabbards, are rusting to their destruction, the pistols are most of them in good order, except a parcel laying loose, dirty and rusty; there are also sixteen cannon, one half of which are in the armory, the other half laying on the ground, subject to the abuse of idle people, some appear to be rusted, and their calibers filled with dirt and brick bats; therefore

Resolved, That the governor and council be and they are hereby authorized and empowered to repair the arms and accoutrements in the armouries on the eastern and western shores, to be repaired and repaired, so far as they may deem right and proper, and draw on the treasurer of the western shore, from time to time, for a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars, as need may require, for the purpose aforesaid.

The clerk of the senate delivers the engrossed bills from No. 104 to 125, inclusive, severally read and assented to; which were severally read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

On motion by Mr. Montgomery, the following message was read, assented to, and sent to the senate.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb 15, 1820.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We have received your message, stating that you are prepared to close the session immediately. The house is also prepared, and have appointed Messrs. Montgomery and Lecompte, in addition to the gentlemen named in your message, to wait upon the governor, and request his attendance in the chamber, to sign and seal the laws.

By order,

J. BREWER, CLK.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the following message was read.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Feb. 15, 1820.

Gentlemen of the Senate,

We return to you the resolution in favour of Solomon Frazier. This house is satisfied that he has a just claim upon the state to the amount of his account. We hope the senate will upon reconsideration concur in this opinion, and assent to the resolution.

By order,

J. BREWER, CLK.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution in favour of the members and officers of the legislature, the resolution relative to the public arms, and the resolution in favour of Colin M. Kenzie, severally read and assented to. The resolution in favour of Solomon Frazier, endorsed "on reconsideration assented from." And the following message:

BY THE SENATE, Feb. 15, 1820.

Gentlemen of the House of Delegates,

We return you the bill altering the times of holding the county courts for Worcester and Somerset, hoping on reconsideration you will pass the same.

By order,

J. N. WATKINS, CLK.

On motion by Mr. Lecompte, the question was put, That the house reconsider the bill: negative. The question was put, That the house reconsider the bill: affirmative.

Mr. Maxcy and Mr. West, from the senate, inform the speaker, that the governor is attending the senate chamber to sign and seal the engrossed bills and request the attendance of this house for the purpose.

The speaker left the chair, and, attended by the members of this house, went to the senate chamber, and there presented the engrossed bills to the governor, who signed the same, and affixed the great seal thereto in presence of both houses.

The speaker with the rest of the members, returned and resumed the chair.

The house adjourns until the first Monday of October next.

By order,

J. BREWER, CLK.

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