

N E G A T I V E.

The honourable Matthew Tilghman, Charles Carroll, Barrister, and Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, Esquires.

The said message was sent to the house of delegates by William Hindman, Esq;
 The bill, entitled, An act directing the manner of suing public bonds, and to aid proceedings in the several courts upon such Bonds, was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by Thomas Jennings, Esq;

The bill, entitled, An act for the disposal of the free-school lands in Calvert county, and other purposes therein mentioned, was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by Richard Barnes, Esq;

The bill, entitled, An act to continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned, was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by George Plater, Esq;

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, December 12, 1778.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The resolution of the house of delegates, empowering Mr. Frederick Green to procure the laws of this state, passed since the year seventeen hundred and sixty-three, and now in force, for the general assembly, was read and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Matthew Tilghman, Esq;

Messieurs Maddux and Gibson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the following resolutions:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 11, 1778.

RESOLVED, That the following salaries be paid to the several officers on the civil establishment of this state, viz.

	Per annum.
To his excellency the governor	£. 2500
To the chancellor	1250
To each member of the council eight dollars per day.	1120
To chief justice of general court	937 10
To the puisne judges of ditto	450
To the judge of the admiralty court	375
To the attorney-general	1000
To the treasurer of the western shore	225
To the treasurer of the eastern shore	700
To each commissioner of the loan-office	1200
To the auditor-general	
To each delegate in congress £. 5 0 0 per day.	175
To the messenger of the governor and council	

By order, J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 11, 1778.

RESOLVED, That fifty per centum be added to the salaries of the clerks of the council, clerks of both houses of assembly, deputy auditor, and clerk of the loan-office.

By order, J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 11, 1778.

RESOLVED, That fifty per centum be added to the allowance heretofore made to the serjeant at arms, messenger of the senate, the door keepers of both houses, and the assistant clerks to the house of delegates.

By order, J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, December 11, 1778.

RESOLVED, That the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds currency be paid to each commissioned and staff officer from this state, now in the continental service, and that the governor and council be empowered to draw on the treasurer of the western shore for a sum of money sufficient to answer that purpose, and to transmit the same as early as possible to the said officers.

By order, J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del. By