

SOLVED, That the said treasurers of the western and eastern shores be directed not to receive into their offices any further sums of money on loan to this state.

By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

Which was read and assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by Robert Goldsborough, Esq;

The bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower Martha Roundel, of Prince-George's county, to dispose of all the real and personal estate now in her possession, by will, was read the second time by especial order, passed with amendments, and sent to the house of delegates by Brice T. B. Worthington, Esq;

Amendments to the said bill. After the word "real," in the last line but one of the first page, strike out to the word "by," in the first line of the second page, and insert "estate which she now hath possession of in her own right, and to dispose of all the personal estate which she now hath possession of in her own right, or right of her said husband." After the word "estate," in the fourth line of the second page, strike out to the word "shall" in the said fourth line, and insert "afore said which the said Martha shall dispose of by her said last will and testament." After the word "sole," in the eighth line of the second page, strike out to the word "any" in the ninth line of the said page, and insert "at the time of making her said last will and testament." At the end of the bill insert the following proviso: "Provid. d also, That nothing herein contained shall affect the rights of any person or persons not herein expressly mentioned and named."

The senate adjourns till 4 o'clock.

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

The senate met.

Messieurs Gresham and Keene, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the following resolution:

By the HOUSE of DELEGATES, August 12, 1779.

RESOLVED, That the consideration of allowances to the civil officers be referred to the next session of the general assembly, this house being disposed to grant them liberal but not profuse allowances, and thinking it more proper at the end of their year to consider the compensation necessary to indemnify them from any loss they may have sustained on account of their present allowances being inadequate; and that in the mean time the governor and the council be authorised and requested to draw on the treasurer of the western shore, per advance for such sums of money as may be thought by them necessary.

By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

Which was read and ordered to lie on the table:

Messieurs C. Ridgely and Lloyd, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act concerning nonjurors, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, August 9, 1779: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del.

"By the house of delegates, August 12, 1779: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del."

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 8 o'clock.

F R I D A Y, August 13, 1779.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Charles Carroll, Barrister, Esq; The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Messieurs R. Goldsborough and Sewell, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the engrossed bills No. 9, 10, 11, 12, and 13, with the paper bills thereof, which engrossed bills No. 9, 10, 11, and 13, were thus severally endorsed; "By the house of delegates, August 13, 1779: Read and assented to." And the engrossed bill No. 12, "By the house of delegates, August 11, 1779: Read and assented to.

"By order,

J. DUCKETT, cl. ho. del."

Which engrossed bills were severally read and assented to, and the paper bills thereof sent to the house of delegates by William Hindman, Esq;

The bill, entitled, An act concerning nonjurors, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by William Paca, Esq;

The petition of Eleanor Gibson was read, referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Richard Barnes, Esq;

The senate adjourns till 4 o'clock.

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