

Messieurs Stone and King, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to empower George Gray to sell the lots and houses in Port-Tobacco, and to collect the debts due to Jamieson, Johnston and company, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 29, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 9, 1782: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Also a bill, entitled, An act for the speedy application of the monies appropriated for repairing the streets in Baltimore-town in Baltimore, county, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 7, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 9, 1782: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Also a bill, entitled, An act relating to the fines to be imposed on jurymen, witnesses, and constables, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 5, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 9, 1782: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Also a bill, entitled, An act to repeal certain duties, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 9, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 9, 1782: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Also a bill, entitled, An act in favour of Legh Master; and also a bill, entitled, An act to make partition between this state and Thomas Russell, of Cecil county, of the property which formerly belonged to the company denominated the Principio company; severally endorsed;

"By the house of delegates, June 8, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 9, 1782: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

Messieurs Jenifer and Johnson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to empower Catherine Woolsey to sell the real estate of George Woolsey, her late husband, for the purposes therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 8, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 10, 1782: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

Messieurs Oneale and Duvall, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, A Supplement to the act to raise recruits, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 10, 1782: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

The bill, entitled, An act allowing a longer time to compound on old certificates, and making further regulations respecting the sale of vacant lands, was read the second time, passed with the proposed amendments, and sent to the house of delegates by John Henry, Esq;

Amendments proposed. Strike out the words "formation of the present government," in the fourth line of the first page, and insert "first day of March 1777, or having surveys since made by virtue of warrants granted before that time." Strike out the words "formation of the present government," in the nineteenth line of same page, and insert "first day of March 1777." Strike out the fourth line from the bottom of the same page, with the interlineation, and insert, "and all certificates returned upon warrants granted in virtue of the act to appropriate certain lands to the use of the officers and soldiers of this state, and for the sale of vacant lands, or hereafter to be granted." In the third line from the bottom, strike out the word "three" and insert "six."

In the fourth page, after "acre," in the fourteenth line, insert, "and shall thereupon be entitled to patent of confirmation; but nothing herein shall be taken or construed to oblige or compel the owner or possessor to pay for surplus land, or in any manner to weaken the title of such owner, or to give any person except the owner under the grant heretofore issued, a right to take up or obtain a grant for any such surplus."

In the eighth line from the bottom of the fourth page, strike out the words "formation of the present government," and insert "first day of March 1777."

Messieurs