

The bill, entitled, An act relating to forfeited recognizances, fines, and forfeitures, &c. was read the second time, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by Daniel Carroll, Esq;

On the second reading the bill, entitled, An act to authorise the United States in Congress assembled to impose and levy a duty of five per cent. on foreign goods imported, and all prizes and prize goods, for the payment of the debt contracted by congress during the war, the question was put, Whether the following clause be inserted?

"And, Whereas we are unacquainted with the extent of the power given to congress by the acts of the several other states, for imposing and levying a duty of five per cent. &c. to be exercised within them severally, Be it therefore enacted, That the congress shall not exercise any greater or other power within this state, or over the money by this act to be levied and raised, than they are enabled to do within all and every of the other states." The yeas and nays being called for appeared as follow:

N E G A T I V E.

The honourable George Plater, Esq; president, honourable Thomas Stone, James M<sup>c</sup>Henry, Daniel Carroll, John Henry, and Richard Barnes, Esquires.

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Honourable Matthew Tilghman, John Smith, Charles Carroll, Barrister, and William Hindman, Esquires.

Messieurs Sprigg and Hanson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act respecting the discovery of, and claims to, confiscated British property, and to direct the commissioners in certain cases, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 11, 1782:

"Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 12, 1782: Read the 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 for imposing and levying the five per cent. impost, &c. was read the second time, and the question being put, Whether the bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative.

A F F I R M A T I V E

The honourable George Plater, Esquire, president, honourable Thomas Stone, James M<sup>c</sup>Henry, John Henry, Daniel Carroll, William Hindman, and Richard Barnes, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.

Honourable Matthew Tilghman, John Smith, and Charles Carroll, Barrister, Esquires.

The honourable Matthew Tilghman, John Smith, and Charles Carroll, Barrister, Esquires, gave notice, that they should enter their dissent against the above bill.

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The senate met.

A memorial from a number of jurymen, praying that the general court may be adjourned to the court in course, and an increase of their allowance, was read, referred to the consideration of the house of delegates, and sent by Matthew Tilghman, Esq;

Messieurs Beatty and Hopper, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to procure dragoon horses for the southern army, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 11, 1782: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, June 12, 1782: Read the 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.

Messieurs Duckett and Johnson, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to grant the American company of comedians the theatre in the city of Annapolis, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 12, 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.

Messieurs Hindman and Sherwood, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the journal of accounts, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, June 12, 1782: Read and as-

"sented to.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

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

T H U R S.