

Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; gave notice, that he should enter his protest to the above bill.

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

M O N D A Y, January 13, 1783.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; brings in and delivers to the president the following protest to the bill for the defence of the bay.

Dissentiet.

B E C A U S E the sum appropriated by the bill to the equipment of the naval force, designed for the protection of the trade and the inhabitants living near the shores of the bay, amounts to a much larger proportion of the public revenue than ought to be appropriated to that particular purpose.

B E C A U S E the intended armament exceeds our ability, and the sum allotted will not complete and maintain, for the time limited, the vessels proposed to be fitted out and their crews, and consequently they will not be able to give that protection and security which a lesser force, more proportioned to our means and better equipped, might afford.

CHARLES CARROLL, of Carrollton.

Messieurs Taylor and Duvall, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the bill relating to certain purchases of confiscated property, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 12, 1783: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 13, 1783: Read the second time by especial order and will not pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Messieurs Hindman and Sewell, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president the journal of accounts, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 13, 1783: Read the first and second time and assented to.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to appoint an intendant of the revenue; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Messieurs Brogden and Griffith, from the house of delegates, deliver to the president a bill, entitled, An act to continue the acts of assembly therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 7, 1783: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 13, 1783: 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.

The bill to appoint an intendant of the revenue, was read the second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq;

James M'Henry, Esq; gave notice, that he should enter his protest to the above bill, and accordingly entered the following:

Dissentiet.

B E C A U S E (however useful I consider the office of intendant of the revenue) I look upon the bill instituting the office to be a money bill, and therefore a bill which, agreeably to the constitution, cannot originate with the senate.

JAMES M'HENRY.

John Henry, Esq; brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to direct the treasury to receive the bills of credit of the last emission at par with specie, and to stay the issuing executions against certain purchasers of confiscated British property; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

William Hindman, Esq; brings in and delivers to the president the following report:

T H E committee appointed to tax costs on private bills, beg leave to report, that on the bill for the relief of John Gray, several subpoenas were issued for sundry persons, at the instance of said Gray and Nathaniel Levy, by the clerk of the senate, and served by the messenger, for which the following fees are due:

Mr. Nathaniel Levy, debtor to the messenger of the senate, to serving subpoenas }
three different times, for Charles Vashon, Samuel Gray, Alexander Furnival, and } 3 15 •
Richard Ridgely, at 6/3 each. - - - - -

Mr. John