

RESOLVED, That where any possessor of the said bills of credit hath brought them into the treasury and taken a receipt therefor, with an interest of six per cent. agreeably to the law of May seventeen hundred and eighty-one, that such person or bearer may bring in such receipt to the treasury of the western shore, at any time before the twenty-fifth day of June next, and receive the principal and interest due on such receipts.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which were read and assented to.
And also the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 6, 1785.

Whereas it appears to this general assembly, that Job Garretson, of Baltimore county, in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-one, bought of the state seven hundred and fifty acres of land, part of the property of the late Principio company, at six pounds fifteen shillings per acre, for which the said Garretson bonded as the law directs; that by actual measurement the same only contains six hundred and sixty one acres, which leaves eighty-nine acres short, as appears by the certificate of the surveyor appointed by the commissioners of confiscated British property; that the said Garretson bought all the property on the land called Buck-range, or the Lancaster furnace, except the negroes, live stock and household furniture; that there were three hundred load of coal, and three hundred and thirty-two ton of ore, taken away by order of the commissioners aforesaid, and that considerable damage was committed upon the furnace aforesaid, after the sale and before the delivery; RESOLVED, That the intendant of the revenue be required and directed to adjust and settle the same with the said Garretson, and in case of diversity of sentiment, that the same be referred to three disinterested persons, to be nominated by the said intendant and Garretson, who, upon hearing all circumstances on oath, shall settle and adjust the same.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

F R I D A Y, January 7, 1785.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Hindman, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the bill, entitled, A Supplementary act to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate the managers of Back creek school, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 1, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 7, 1785: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

On application by William Whetcroft, that a day be appointed for the consideration of the bill, entitled, An act for the relief of James Armstrong of Baltimore county, and Robert Wood of Frederick county, insolvent debtors, and that he be permitted to be heard by counsel, ORDERED, That the said bill be taken into consideration on Tuesday next, and that depositions respecting the facts set forth in the said bill, or others which may be apprehended to be material, on proper notice being given to the parties, be taken and read as evidence.

Mr. De Butts, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to raise the supplies for the year seventeen hundred and eighty-five, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 4, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, January 6, 1785: 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, entitled, An act to authorize and empower the securities of Thomas Williams, deceased, late collector of the tax and public dues in Prince-George's county, to complete the same; and the bill, entitled, An act to enable the justices of Frederick county for the time being to assess on the inhabitants of the said county a sum of money for the uses therein mentioned; were read the second time, passed, and with the resolutions respecting the bills of credit of May seventeen hundred and eighty-one, sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll of Carrollton, Esq;

Thomas Stone, Esq; brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to limit the time for bringing and settling claims against this state; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

S A T U R D A Y, January 8, 1785.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Steel, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Anne Stevenson, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, January 4, 1785: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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