

T H U R S D A Y, May 17, 1787.

**T**HE senate met. Present as on yesterday. Edward Lloyd, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Paca, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the bill, entitled, An act to freighten and amend the post road from Havre-de-Grace to Baltimore-town, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 14, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.  
"By the house of delegates, May 16, 1787: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments."

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Amendments proposed. In the sixth line of the first page, after the word "garden," insert "meadow." After the word "session," in the fourth line of the second page, insert "provided nevertheless, that the said tolls so pledged to the person or persons advancing money thereon, shall be void when the said monies so advanced, with eight per cent. interest, shall be repaid them."

Amendments agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed. The bill, entitled, An act respecting certain certificates and plots, was read the second time by special order and will pass.

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The senate met.

The bill, entitled, An act for enabling the creditors on the consolidated fund to take certificates for their interest, payable for taxes, was read the second time, and the question being put, That the same do pass? The yeas and nays being called for appeared as follow:

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

The honourable John Smith, Esquire.

N E G A T I V E.

The honourable George Plater, Esquire, president, the honourable Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Edward Lloyd, William Perry, Daniel Carroll, Richard Ridgely, Samuel Hughes and Peregrine Tilghman, Esquires.

Determined in the negative, endorsed will not pass, and, with the bill, entitled, An act respecting certain certificates and plots, was sent to the house of delegates by Richard Ridgely, Esquire.

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

F R I D A Y, May 18, 1787.

**T**HE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. M'Pherson, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act authorising the court of Charles county to determine respecting a road leading from Port-Tobacco to the old court-house, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 18, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.  
"By the house of delegates, May 18, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass."

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

Mr. Burgess, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Ely Gaither, an infant, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 18, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.  
"By the house of delegates, May 18, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass."

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and will not pass.

Mr. Bond, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to remove the market-house at the Head of Elk, and establish the same, and for the advancement and regulation of said town, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 16, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.  
"By the house of delegates, May 18, 1787: Read the second time and will pass."

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act authorising the court of Charles county to determine respecting a road leading from Port-Tobacco to the old court-house, was read the second time by especial order and will not pass.

The engrossed bills No. 28, 29 and 30, were read and assented to, and, with the paper bills thereof, and the above bills, were sent to the house of delegates by Samuel Hughes, Esquire.

The president lays before the senate a petition from Mary Jackson, respecting certain confiscated British property; which was read and referred to the consideration of the next session of assembly.

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.