

mas Sim Lee, Daniel of Saint Thomas Jenifer and Benjamin Nicholson, to sell and dispose of certain lands for the purpose herein after mentioned, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 21, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, May 21, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

W. HARWOOD, clk."

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

The bill, entitled, An act to empower Sarah Buchanan, executrix of Archibald Buchanan, deceased, Alexander Cowen, Thomas Sim Lee, Daniel of Saint Thomas Jenifer and Benjamin Nicholson, to sell and dispose of certain lands for the purpose herein after mentioned, was read the second time by especial order, and the question being put, That the same do pass with the proposed amendment?

Amendment proposed. After the word "same," in the fourth line from the bottom of the fourth page, insert "provided always, that this act, or any thing herein contained, shall not be construed to affect the rights of any person or persons, creditors of the said Archibald Buchanan, deceased; and provided also, that the consent of the said Nicholas Rogers, and Eleanor his wife, shall be first had and obtained in writing before the said commissioners shall proceed to the sale of the said property, or any part thereof."

The yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

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

The honourable Daniel Carroll, Esquire, president, the honourable Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Edward Lloyd, John Smith, Richard Ridgely, Samuel Hughes and Peregrine Tilghman, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.

The honourable William Perry, Esquire.

Determined in the affirmative, and endorsed will pass.

The following message was prepared and agreed to.

BY THE SENATE, MAY 22, 1787.

GENTLEMEN,

WE cannot recede from the first amendment proposed to the bill, entitled, An act concerning the public roads in Frederick county, as we conceive the road through Charlton's Gap will afford the most convenient communication from Washington county to one of the principal market-towns in this state, and a considerable sum of public money has already been expended under an act of assembly, in the year 1782, in opening it from Elizabeth-town, which will prove an useless expence unless the said road should be streightened and kept in repair, and no reasons have been assigned in your message to discriminate this from the other public roads.

We are willing to recede from the second amendment, as you have proposed in your message to make provision for repairing the roads in Montgomery county by a distinct law.

By order,

The senate adjourns till 3 o'clock.

J. DORSEY, clk.

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

The senate met.

The engrossed bill No. 33, was read and assented to, and, with the paper bill thereof, concerning the public roads in Frederick county, with the message relating thereto, and the bill to empower Sarah Buchanan, executrix of Archibald Buchanan, deceased, Alexander Cowen, Thomas Sim Lee, Daniel of Saint Thomas Jenifer and Benjamin Nicholson, to sell and dispose of certain lands herein after mentioned, was sent to the house of delegates by Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esquire.

Mr. J. Johnson, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to aid the proceedings of the commissioners of George-town, in Kent county, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 22, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, May 22, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

W. HARWOOD, clk."

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

Mr. Grahame, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the engrossed bills No. 26 and 27, with the paper bills thereof; which engrossed bills were thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 22, 1787: Read and assented to.

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Mr. Bond, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the engrossed bill No. 31, with the paper bill thereof; which engrossed bill was thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 22, 1787: Read and assented to.

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Mr. Seney, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the instalment of debts, and to regulate the recovery of the same, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, May 20, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, May 21, 1787: Read the second time and committed for amendment.

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By order,

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