

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS; November, 1787. 21

Amendments proposed. In the second line of the 3d page, strike out the word "June," and insert "April." In the third line of the same page, strike out the words "June, seventeen hundred and ninety;" and insert the words "September, seventeen hundred and eighty-nine."

The bill, entitled, An act to establish a road from the town of Talbot, in Talbot county, to Cow Landing, on Third Haven creek, in the county aforesaid; was read the second time by especial order, passed, and, with the above bill, and the bill respecting a speedy remedy against delinquent subscribers to the Patowmack company, was sent to the house of delegates by William Perry, Esquire.

The president lays before the senate a memorial from the agents of Messieurs Nicholas and Jacob Vanstaphorst, setting forth, that their principals cannot accede to the proposition made in virtue of an act to procure a permanent fund for the debt due them from this state; which was read, and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

The resolution respecting the sale of certain lands made by the late intendant of the revenue, was read the second time and assented to, and, with the above memorial, sent to the house of delegates by John Smith, Esquire.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to the act vesting certain powers in the commissioners of the tax for Anne-Arundel county, and for other purposes; was read the second time by especial order and will pass.

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

SUNDAY, December 16, 1787.

THE senate met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

Mr. Ridgely, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to repeal an act, entitled, An act to lay out several turnpike roads in Baltimore county, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 14, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 15, 1787: 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.

Peregrine Tilghman, Esquire, has leave of absence.

Mr. Hayward, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the following resolutions:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 15, 1787.

RESOLVED, That drawbacks shall be allowed to original importers on duties payable in virtue of the act of April session, 1787, chap. 42, in the same manner as directed by the act of November session, 1784, chap. 76, sect. 7.

RESOLVED, That continental state and state money ought not to be received in payment of duties imposed by the act for the erecting light-houses upon Chesapeake bay and Patowmack river.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which were read the first and second time by especial order and assented to.

Mr. Faw, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act to encourage the manufacture of nails in this state, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 15, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 15, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and will not pass, and, with the above resolutions, and the bill, entitled, A supplement to the act vesting certain powers in the commissioners of the tax for Anne-Arundel county, and for other purposes, was sent to the house of delegates by Daniel Carroll, Esquire.

Mr. John Seney, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president the engrossed bills No. 6, 7 and 11, with the paper bills thereof, which engrossed bills were thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 16, 1787: Read and assented to."

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Mr. Taney, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Henry Hunt, collector of taxes for Calvert county in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-six, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 16, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 16, 1787: 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.

Mr. F. Bowie, from the house of delegates, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of the collectors of the tax for the years 1783, 1784, 1785 and 1786, endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 16, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table."

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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