

Amendments proposed. In the 4th line from the top of the 1st page strike out "February" and insert "May." In the 6th line of the same page from the bottom strike out the word "nine" and insert "six." Strike out the word "thereafter" in the same line of said page and insert "from the date of the judgment on which the supersedeas is to operate." In the 7th line from the bottom of the 2d page strike out "February" and insert "May." In the same page and line strike out the word "for" and insert "against." In the 3d line from the bottom of the same page, after the word "and" insert "together with two other persons, such as the said justice or justices shall approve of." In the 5th line from the top of the 3d page strike out "February" and insert "May." In the 6th line from the top of the same page strike out the word "for" and insert "against." In the 3d line of the 4th page, strike out from the word "afterwards" to the word "execution," inclusive, in the same line. In the 7th line of the same page, after the word "rendered" insert "by the next court in course which shall be held after the taking the said confession." In the 7th line from the bottom of the same page, after the word "record" insert "under the penalty of three pounds current money for every neglect, to be recovered by any person who shall sue for the same, by action of debt or bill of indictment, in the county court of the county where the said judge, justice or justices reside." In the 1st line from the top of the 5th page strike out "February" and insert "May." In the 8th line from the top of the same page strike out "February" and insert "May." In the 10th line from the top of the same page strike out "February" and insert "May."

The senate adjourns till to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

F R I D A Y, December 23, 1791.

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

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the following resolution :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 23, 1791.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorized to pay unto Benjamin Galloway the sum of thirty-three pounds eleven shillings and nine-pence three farthings, that being the sum by him paid to the collector of the tax for Montgomery county on property assessed in that county, which property was also assessed in Frederick county, and the assessment due thereon paid to the collector of the said county.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which was read the first and second time by especial order, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The bill to revive and aid the proceedings of the orphans court of Dorchester county, and the bill for regulating the mode of staying execution, and for repealing the acts of assembly therein mentioned, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Elizabeth Dorsey, executrix of Thomas Dorsey, late of Anne-Arundel county, was read the second time, and the question was put, That the said bill do pass? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow :

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

The honourable William Smallwood, Esquire, president, the honourable Benjamin Stoddert, William Perry, William Hindman, John Eager Howard, James Hollyday, James M'Henry and Brice T. B. Worthington, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.

The honourable William Tilghman, George Dent and Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esquires.

So it was determined in the affirmative.

The bill, entitled, An act to alter the times of holding the courts in the counties of this state therein mentioned, was read the second time and will pass.

Which two last mentioned bills were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

Benjamin Stoddert, Esquire, from the committee, delivers to the president a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act directing the time, places and manner, of holding elections for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, and for appointing electors on the part of this state for choosing a president and vice-president of the United States, and for the regulation of the said elections, and also to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act for the speedy recovery of small debts out of court, and to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 15, 1791: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 23, 1791: 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 clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to settle and pay the civil list, and other expences of civil government, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 13, 1791: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 23, 1791: 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.