

52. VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, November, 1791.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the paper bill No. 81, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 29, 1791: The engrossed bill whereof this is the original read and assented to."

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

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

By THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 29, 1791.

Whereas some doubts have been entertained on the construction of the resolution passed last session of assembly, giving the auditor-general a power, under the direction of the governor and council, to adjust all open and unsettled accounts between the state and individuals; therefore it is RESOLVED AND DECLARED, That the said resolution doth and shall extend to all claims against this state by the citizens thereof, any law to the contrary notwithstanding; provided, that said claims be produced and passed before the first day of January, 1793.

W. HARWOOD, clk.

By order,

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and dissented to.

The resolution respecting the depreciation of pay to certain officers who did not serve the time limited by congress, was read the second time and dissented to.

The resolution prohibiting the treasurer to pay interest on certain certificates, was read the second time and assented to, and, with the last mentioned resolution, sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The resolution respecting William Campbell, late state agent, was read the second time by especial order and assented to, and, with the resolution declaring the extent of the resolution of the last session, sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The resolution respecting John Savin, was read the second time and dissented to, and the following resolution 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.

By THE SENATE, DECEMBER 29, 1791.

RESOLVED, That John Savin, heir at law to Thomas Savin, or his legal representatives, shall have power to install agreeably to the terms of the instalment law passed at November session, 1789, for the debt due on the bond passed by Thomas and Richard Savin to the commissioners of the loan-office of the late province of Maryland, and on his or their complying with the terms of the aforesaid law, the said bond, passed by the said Thomas and Richard Savin, shall be cancelled; and if any execution or executions have issued against the estate of the said Savin, that they shall be suspended on payment of all costs on said execution or executions.

By order,

H. RIDGELY, clk.

The resolution for the advance of money to the agent for the recovery of the bank stock, was read the second time, assented to, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to appoint an agent for the year one thousand seven hundred and ninety-two, and for other purposes, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 29, 1791: Read the first and 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 pass with the proposed amendment.

Amendment proposed. After the word "property" in the 18th line from the top of the first page, insert "who have heretofore made applications concerning the same."

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill, entitled, An act respecting the laying out new roads in this state, and for other purposes, be referred to the consideration of the next session of assembly.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the resolution respecting John Savin, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 29, 1791: Read and assented to."

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

The resolution respecting the trustee's salary, was read the second time and assented to.

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

By THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 29, 1791.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

We have dissented from your amendments to the bill respecting Mr. de la Fayette, because we conceive it to be a money bill, and have sent it back for the reconsideration of the senate. This house expect, however, that your honours will pass the resolution herewith sent, if you recede from your amendments to the bill.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

By THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 29, 1791.

RESOLVED, That William Smallwood, Esquire, be and he is hereby required not to exceed the sum of one thousand pounds current money in the purchase of ground in the city of Washington, directed by the act of the present session respecting Mr. de la Fayette.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Whereupon the question was put, That the senate recede from their amendments to the said bill? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

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

The honourable James Hollyday, Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, and James M'Henry, Esquires.

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