

And the bill, entitled, A Supplement to the act, entitled, An act respecting the equity jurisdiction of the county courts, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 23, 1792: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, November 29, 1792: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."

Which was ordered to be engrossed.

On motion, William Tilghman, Esquire, brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act regulating the mode of staying execution, and for repealing the acts of assembly therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, William Tilghman, Esquire, brings in and delivers to the president a bill, entitled, A Supplement to the act, entitled, An act to restrain the ill practices used by sheriffs, in taking goods by fieri facias and selling them by venditioni exponas; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act to direct the mode of prosecution in certain cases, was read the second time and passed with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

Amendment proposed. In the last line, after the word "indictment," strike out the word "only," and insert "or action of debt, and not by bill, plaint or information."

ORDERED, That the president of the senate write to James M^r Henry and Daniel Bowley, Esquires, requesting their attendance.

Benjamin Stoddert, Esquire, from the committee appointed to report amendments to the bill, entitled, An act respecting lost certificates, brings in and delivers to the president the following amendments:

Amendments proposed. Strike out, in the third line of the enacting clause, the words "or may hereafter lose." Strike out in the fifth line "or may lose." Insert in the fifth line, between the words "afore said" and "to," "upon his producing the treasurer's certificate, that the same has not been received into the treasury, nor funded, and evidence that the loss of the certificate, and his intention to apply to have it renewed, has been advertised eight weeks in the Maryland Journal, and Baltimore Advertiser." At the end of the last clause in the bill insert "which said bond, when taken and executed, shall be a lien upon the real estate of some one of the obligors, to the full value of the penalty of said bond; and the estate, so to be bound, shall be specified to the treasurer, and endorsed on the back of the bond at the time of the taking thereof; and the treasurer shall annually transmit a list of such liens to the several counties where such lands may lie, there to be recorded at the expence of the party owning such land:

"Provided also, and be it enacted, That the person losing his certificate, shall not be entitled to a new certificate, unless it appears, to the satisfaction of the governor and council, that the certificate lost was a genuine certificate, and not forged or counterfeit."

Which amendments were read and agreed to, and the question was put, That the said bill do pass as amended? The yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

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

Benjamin Stoddert, William Tilghman, John Hall, James Hollyday, Edward Lloyd, Charles Carroll and Richard T. Lowndes, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.

George Dent, Esquire, president, William Perry, William Hindman, John Eager Howard and Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, Esquires.

So it was determined in the affirmative, and the bill sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The president communicates to the senate a representation from the visitors and governors of St. John's college, with sundry enclosures; which was read and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers the bill, entitled, A Supplement to the act, entitled, An act concerning the territory of Columbia, and the city of Washington, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 23, 1792: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.

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Which was ordered to be engrossed.

The resolution in favour of Patrick Hamilton, Basil Williams and John Crookshanks, was read the second time and assented to with the proposed amendment, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

Amendment proposed. At the end of the resolution insert, "provided that the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds current money be paid by the said Williams and Crookshanks to the treasurer of the western shore by the tenth day of April next, or they shall lose the benefit of this resolution."

The bill, entitled, An act supplementary to an act, entitled, An act for the more effectual paving the streets of Baltimore town, in Baltimore county, and for other purposes, was read the second time by special 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 to empower Jacob Green, of Prince-George's county, to sell and dispose of the personal property of Philip Green and Jacob Green, junior,