

Amendments proposed. In the first page and eighth line, strike out the words "eighteen shillings and nine-pence" and insert "six dollars." In the second line of the second page, strike out the word "five" and insert the word "three."

The resolution in favour of William Robinson and Samuel Garretson, was read the second time and assented to.

The resolution in favour of Christian Koon, senior, was read the second time and dissented to.

All which said bills, with their amendments, together with the resolutions, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill, entitled, An act to extend the public road leading from Herring Creek, in Worcester county, to the north end of Synepuxent, be committed to William Winder, Robert Smith and John Campbell, Esquires, to consider and report thereon.

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

T H U R S D A Y, November 27, 1794.

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

Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; from the committee, brings in and delivers the following report:

THE committee to whom was referred the resolution of the house of delegates approving the conduct of the executive of this state, for their endeavours to introduce this state's claim to certain stock in the bank of England as a subject of Mr. Jay's negotiation, with the papers relative thereto, report, that the subject appears to them to involve questions of a very extensive and interesting nature, and therefore they beg leave to submit to the senate, the propriety of proposing to the house of delegates a conference between the two houses upon the subject.

Which was read the first and second time by especial order and concurred with.

The following message was prepared, read a first and second time, concurred with, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 27, 1794.

GENTLEMEN,

THE referring to unlimited negotiation the claim of this state to its bank stock, now depending in the court of chancery of England, appears to us a measure of great importance, and eventually may deprive the state of a very large portion of this stock. In our view of this matter, we would rather wish that the chancellor of England should be urged to decide the point of jurisdiction, than that this cause, after so much delay and expence, should be taken out of that court, and made a subject of diplomatic negotiation, by which claims against the state may be acknowledged, which in a court of equity would be inadmissible. In order, therefore, to obtain a free and candid interchange of sentiments upon this interesting subject, we propose a conference with your house, and have appointed Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Robert Smith and John Campbell, Esquires, a committee on the part of the senate.

By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk.

On motion, Robert Smith, Esquire, brings in and delivers a bill, entitled, An act to regulate the collection of the fees of the officers of the courts of judicature therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, ORDERED, That the bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for enlarging the power of the high court of chancery, be committed to William Cooke, Robert Smith and John Campbell, Esquires, to consider and report thereon.

On motion, ORDERED, That the resolution in favour of Rachel Cowden, be read a second time on to-morrow.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers to the clerk of the senate the following bills, viz. A bill, entitled, An act for the amendment of the law in certain cases, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 19, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, November 27, 1794: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

And a bill, entitled, An act to alter and amend the second and forty-second sections of the constitution or form of government for this state, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 19, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, November 27, 1794: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Which said bills were severally read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act to enable the vestry of Saint-Paul's parish, in Baltimore county, to purchase one or more parcels of ground for the purposes therein mentioned, was read the second time and will pass.

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

F R I D A Y, November 28, 1794.

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

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