

The clerk of the house of delegates brings in and delivers to the clerk of the senate the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 25, 1794.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay unto John Lee, of Washington county, the sum of four pounds ten shillings, for one day's attendance as a witness for the state, at October term, seventeen hundred and ninety-four, and itinerant charges, which was not returned to the committee of claims, and is not allowed in the journal of accounts.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which said resolution was read the first and second time by especial order and assented to.

The bill, entitled, An act for building a new gaol in the town of Easton, in Talbot county, and to provide for the regulation of the said gaol, was read the second time by especial order and will pass.

The bill, entitled, An act to alter such parts of the constitution and form of government as gives the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, the appointment of officers of the militia, was read the second time by especial order and will not pass.

The clerk of the house of delegates brings in and delivers to the clerk of the senate a bill, entitled, An act for altering the twenty-third article of the constitution and form of government of this state, and such parts of the twenty-fifth and twenty-sixth articles of the same as respect the time of choosing the governor and the council to the governor, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 23, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 25, 1794: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Amendments proposed. In the 7th line, first page, strike out the words "first Monday in January" and insert "third Monday in December." In the 12th line of same page strike out the words "first Monday in January" and insert "third Monday in December." In the 14th line of same page make the same amendment as above. In the 15th line of the same page strike out the word "seven" and insert "six."

Which said amendments were read and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed with the said bill.

The resolution in favour of Henry Carbury, was read the second time by especial order and dissented to.

The following message was read and agreed to.

BY THE SENATE, DECEMBER 25, 1794.

GENTLEMEN,

WE have rejected the resolution in favour of Henry Carbury, because doubts may arise whether the treasurer would think himself authorized to pay the salary, which seems intended for the person who may hold the office of adjutant-general, to any other person who might be appointed in the place of Henry Carbury upon his death or resignation. We should have no objection to pass a resolution, authorizing and directing the treasurer of the western shore to pay to the adjutant-general for the time being two hundred pounds current money, in quarterly payments, provided he shall reside or keep an office at the seat of government.

By order,

N. PINKNEY, clk.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of the poor of Harford county, was read the second time by especial order and will pass.

The engrossed bills No. 42, 43, 44, 46, 47, 49, 56 and 57, were severally read and assented to, and, with the paper bills thereof, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates brings in and delivers to the clerk of the senate a bill, entitled, A further supplement to an act, entitled, An act for enlarging the power of the high court of chancery, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 20, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

"By the house of delegates, December 25, 1794: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

"By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk."

Amendments proposed. At the end of the preamble insert "therefore," and in the first enacting clause strike out the word "therefore."

Which said amendments were read and agreed to, and ordered to be engrossed with the said bill.

The senate adjourns until 4 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

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

F R I D A Y, December 26, 1794.

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

The bill, entitled, An act to alter such parts of the constitution and form of government as gives the governor, with the advice and consent of the council, the appointment of officers of the militia, the bill, entitled, An act for building a new gaol in the town of Easton, in Talbot county, and to provide for the regulation of the said gaol, the bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the relief of the poor of Harford county, and the resolution in favour of John Lee, the resolution