county, severally thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, December 26, 1799: Read the " first time and ordered to lie on the table.

W. HARWOOD, clk. " By order, " By the house of delegates, December 28, 1799: Read the second time and will pass. W. HARWOOD, clk." " By order,

The following resolutions:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 26, 1799.

RESOLVED, That William Kilty include in the edition of the laws which he is now compiling under the resolutions of the last general assembly, and agreeably thereto, the acts passed during the present session.

RESOLVED. That the printer to the state be and he is hereby directed to have the said laws, when finished, bound in a neat and substantial manner, and as expeditiously as possible, and deli-

vered to the governor and council.

RESOLVED. That the governor and council cause the said laws to be distributed and sorwarded as follow: To the chancery court, one copy, to the chancellor, one copy, to the court of appeals, one copy, to each judge thereof, one copy, to the general courts, each one copy, to each judge thereof, one copy, to the governor and council, one copy, to the senate, two copies, to the house of delegates, four copies, to each county court, one copy, to each judge thereof, one copy, to each orphans court, one copy, to each levy court, one copy, to the land-office western shore, one copy, to the land-office eastern shore, one copy, to the treasurer of western shore, one copy, to the treasurer of eastern shore, one copy, to the executive of each state, one copy, to the house of representatives of the United States, one copy, to the senate of the United States, one top to the fecretary of flate, one copy, to every college or academy in this flate, one copy, to the editor, one copy, to each member of this general allembly, one copy, to the clerk of the fenate, one copy, to affiftant clerk of fenate, one copy, to the clerk of house of delegates, one copy, to affiltant clerk of boule of delegates, one copy.

RESOLVED, That the laws for the chancery court, court of appeals, general courts, county courts, orphans courts, land-offices, the governor and council, the senate and the house of delegates, be marked on the fide for their use respectively, and that those for the several states, for congress, and for the secretary of state, be handsomely bound in calf-skin, and marked for their

RESOLVED, That the treasurer be and he is directed to advance to William Kilty the sum of two thousand dollars in part of the compensation to be allowed for the whole work.

W. HARWOOD, clk. By order,

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 27, 1799.
RESOLVED, That George Twilly, senior, of Somerset county, be and he is hereby released and discharged from the payment of seventeen pounds six shillings and nine-pence, being the valuation money of certain improvements by him made on a parcel of vacant land in the county aforesaid, and for which the said George Twilly obtained a warrant of resurvey from the landoffice on the eastern shore.

W. HARWOOD, clk. By order,

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 27, 1799. RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay unto John Ryan, of Cæcil county, or his order, the sum of thirty-three pounds nine shillings and six-pence, being an over payment for confiscated property, with interest thereon from the fisteenth day of June, seventeen hundred and eighty-five. W. HARWOOD, clk. By order,

And also the following message:

THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 27, 1799.

GENTLENEN OF THE SENATE,

WE wish not to protract the session by any unnecessary delay, but the private and public business now on the table cannot, in our opinion, be acted on with justice to our constituents so as to. close at the day proposed by you; our exertions shall not be wanting to accomplish the business as early as possible, which we slatter ourselves may be effected by Saturday the fourth of January, but we sear not sooner.

W. HAR WOOD, clk. By order, Which bills, resolutions and message, were severally read, and the bills and resolutions ordered to lie on the table.

The resolutions respecting the laws of this state compiling by William Kilty were read the se-

cond time by especial order and dissented from. The bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the regulation of officers fees,

was read the fecond time by especial order and will not pass. The bill, entitled, An act to lay out and open a road in Cæcil county from Archibald Dysart's

towards Hugh Ramsey's tavern, was read the second time and will not pass. The resolution in favour of George Twilly, senior, was read the second time by especial order

and affented to. The senate adjourns until Monday morning 10 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, December 30, 1799.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except Mr. Hammond and Mr. Goldsborough. The proceedings of Saturday were read.

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