

Amendments proposed. 1. Before the word "provided" insert "provided they shall pay an interest of six per cent on the same annually, and in default of such payment shall be liable for the principal and interest as if this resolution had not passed, and." 2. After the same word insert "also."

The bill, entitled, An act to incorporate the Marine insurance company, was read the second time by especial order, and the question put, Shall this bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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

Mr. Harwood, president, Mr. Duckett, Mr. J. Johnson, Mr. T. Johnson, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Shriver, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Whitely. 8.

N E G A T I V E.

Mr. Brown, Mr. Houston. 2.

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

The resolution directing the treasurers not to deposite nor exchange with any bank any specie or bank notes received, or which may be received, in the treasury of either shore, unless under the direction of the legislature, was read the second time, and the question put, Will the senate assent thereto? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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

Mr. Brown, Mr. Duckett, Mr. Houston, Mr. J. Johnson, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Whitely. 6.

N E G A T I V E.

Mr. Harwood, president, Mr. Thomas, Mr. Partridge, Mr. Ringgold, Mr. Shriver. 5.

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

On motion, the question was put, Will the senate reconsider the thirteenth amendment proposed by them to the bill, entitled, An act to establish a bank, and incorporate a company, under the name of The Farmers Bank of Maryland, and for other purposes? Resolved in the affirmative.

The senate then proceeded to the reconsideration thereof, and the amendment being read, the question was put, Will the senate recede therefrom? Resolved in the affirmative.

The following message was read, agreed to, and with the bill, entitled, An act to establish a bank, and incorporate a company, under the name of The Farmers Bank of Maryland, and for other purposes, sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

BY THE SENATE, JANUARY 5, 1805.

GENTLEMEN OF THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES,

YOUR message of the 24th ultimo, together with the bill, entitled, An act to establish a bank, and incorporate a company, under the name of The Farmers Bank of Maryland, and for other purposes, has been received, in which you request a reconsideration of the 13th amendment proposed by the senate to that bill. The subject has been taken into consideration, and a general resolution with respect to banks having this day passed the legislature, calculated to obviate those evils the amendment was intended to prevent, we deem the amendment proposed unnecessary, and have therefore, on reconsideration, receded from the same. It therefore supersedes the necessity of the conference proposed by you.

By order,

T. W. HALL, clk.

The bill, entitled, A further additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to appoint commissioners to examine, survey and lay out, the road therein mentioned, the bill, entitled, An act respecting certain lots of land westward of Fort Cumberland, the resolution in favour of William Gardiner, and others, the resolution in favour of Charles Gardiner, and others, and the resolution in favour of James B. Sullivane, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to direct the mode of collecting the several taxes imposed on proceedings in the court of chancery, a bill, entitled, An act to incorporate a company for erecting a bridge over Chester river, at Chester-town, severally passed by that house January 4, 1805; and the following resolution:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JANUARY 4, 1805.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and directed to pay to James Royston, a soldier in the artillery during the revolutionary war, the sum of fifty dollars, in semi-annual payments, being a sum equal to half pay, to which he was entitled during the war.

By order,

J. B. DUCKETT, clk.

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

Also the engrossed bills from No. 1 to No. 30, inclusive, with the paper bills thereto, severally endorsed; "Read and assented to;" which were read and assented to.

The bill, entitled, An act to provide for the election of the governor by the people, and to abolish all those parts of the constitution and form of government which relate to the council to the governor, and the time and manner of electing the governor, and for other purposes, was read the second time, and the question put, Shall this bill pass? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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