

That if upon a fore failes if the Deftor it will upon any Law all his Personal Estate so that the Sheriff may levy what Part thereof the Creditor or his Attorney shall think fit to direct the Creditor having liberty to name two Appraisors and the Debtor two more upon them Oathes to be administered by the Sheriff to appraise the same. The Creditor shall be obliged for want of Buyers to take those Goods at their Appraisment, this Law not to be deemed to extend to Negroes. Resolved in favour of Orphans by Virtue of the Law for the better Admin of Justice in Probate of Wills &c.

Signed & Order W Bladen Of Council Which being read and debated, Resolved the Amendments proposed by the Council be agreed to. The Bill with the Amendments again read in the House and will pass as amended. Sent up to the Honble <sup>Council for their</sup> concurrence by Col. Blay, Col. Smallwood, Mr. Emalle, Mr. Water, Mr. John Whittington, and Mr. Thomas Hammons. They return and say they delivered the Bill.

Bill ascertainment what shall be allowed to Grand and Petit Jurors, Viduaries &c. Read the first and second Times by special Order and will pass Sent up to the Council by Mr James Lloyd & Major Spring. They return & say they delivered the same. Captain Jones from the Rector, Governor and Visitors of the free school enters the House and delivers Mr. Speaker then answers to the Resolutions from this House &c.

As to the first Proposal the Number of the Governor and Visitors is already compleat and those out of all the Counties but Cecil Charles and Somers.

As to the second Proposal about letting the Money out at Interest we don't believe any substantial Person capable of answering the Money when called upon will be willing to accept it at Interest, wherefore we believe the publick Treasurers provided they give good Security therefor the proper Persons in whose Hands to lodge the same.

As to the third Proposal of the Treasurers paying the Money by them received in the Specie they took it the Duty being generally paid in ready Money we don't expect them to be paid by the Treasurers otherwise than in Currency.

As to the fourth Proposal of the Treasurers giving Security for the Revenue of the free School we think it highly reasonable.

As to the fifth Proposal of laying the Accounts of the free School yearly before the House of Delegates the Rector Governor and Visitors of the free School will always be ready to show the General Assembly the Accounts of their Proceeds.

Signed & Ord. W Bladen Reg. Lib. Schol.

By the Rector Governor and Visitors of the free Schools Nov. 5. 1713