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Messrs. Read, Plowden, Lethbury, Maxwell,	J. Hall, Turner, M'Pherson, Forbes,	Maddux, Winder, Smoot, Henry,	Ward, Alexander, Brice, Quynn,	Benson, Kent, Earle, Edelen,	Young, A. Hall, Chafe, Sprigg.
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Messrs. Ford, Hammond, Worthington,	Tillard, Fitzhugh, Somervill,	Chew, Strawbridge, Deye,	Stevenson, Bowie, Magruder,	Contee, H. Wilson, Bond,	Burgess, Williams, Crabb.
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The house having agreed to re-consider the salary to be allowed to the attorney-general, the question was put, That there be allowed a yearly salary to the attorney-general, over and above the fees allowed by law? Resolved in the affirmative.

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The question being put, That the said salary to the attorney-general be two hundred and fifty pounds common money per annum? Passed in the affirmative.

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RESOLVED, That all petitions, applications and memorials, presented to this house, on which no order has been made, be referred till the next session of assembly.

ORDERED, That this house will receive no new business this session.

Charles Grahame, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the resolution of the 3d of November last, ascertaining the allowance of the members of the general assembly, thus endorsed; "By the senate, December 22, 1777: Read and assented to.

"By order,

A. C. HANSON, cl. sen."

The petition of Leonard Belt is withdrawn.

The resolves ascertaining the allowance to the judges and attorney-general, were fairly transcribed, and sent to the senate for concurrence by Mr. Lethbury and Mr. Kent.

ORDERED, That the marshal of the court of admiralty account with the board of auditors for the money due this state on sale of the prizes taken by the ship Defence, and that he pay the balance of such account to the treasurer of the western shore for the use of the public,

ORDERED, That the clerk make out a copy of the above order, also of the order on the commissary of stores, and board of auditors, to be served on them respectively by the sergeant at arms. Which was done.

RESOLVED, That the governor and the council be authorized and empowered to appoint proper and discreet persons in some county on the eastern shore, to audit, settle, and adjust the accounts of the militia on the eastern shore who have been in actual service since the invasion of this state, and any accounts that may have arisen against the state in consequence of the said invasion.

That the governor and the council be empowered to order payments of such sums of money as may be necessary to discharge the claims aforesaid, and that they be requested to take the most speedy and effectual measures to obtain re-payment of any monies advanced by this state for the use of the United States.

That the persons so appointed, in auditing and settling the said accounts, follow the instructions which may be given by the governor and the council.

That