

The resolve respecting nonjurors was sent to the senate by Mr. Sprigg and Mr. Cramphin. Joseph Sim, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill, entitled, An act for the payment of the journal of accounts, thus endorsed; "By the senate, August 15, 1779: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, cl. sen."

Which was ordered to be engrossed.

Matthew Tilghman, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following message:

By the SENATE, August 15, 1779.

Gentlemen,

THE senate have agreed to adjourn to the first Monday in November next.

By order, H. RIDGELY, cl. sen.

Robert Goldborough, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the resolve relative to nonjurors, thus endorsed; "By the senate, August 15, 1779: Read and dissented to.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, cl. sen."

ON reading the memorial of Thomas Grafon, commodore; RESOLVED, That the said commodore be entitled to receive, from this state, the same wages and allowances as are established by congress for a captain of a frigate in the continental service.

RESOLVED, That the other officers in the marine service of this state, be entitled to receive from this state, the same wages and allowances as are established by congress for officers of similar rank in the continental service.

RESOLVED, That the mariners and marines of this state, be entitled to receive from this state, the same wages and allowances as are established by congress for mariners and marines in the continental service.

RESOLVED, That commodore Grafon, for his extraordinary services in the care of the marine and naval stores belonging to this state, be entitled to receive, as a salary, at the rate of five hundred pounds per annum, during his continuance in the service.

RESOLVED, That the governor and the council be authorized and empowered to draw on the treasury for a sum of money sufficient to furnish the sailors and marines, now in the service of this state, with rum and tobacco upon the same scale of proportion that hath been already allowed to the soldiers belonging to this state in the continental army.

The engrossed bills No. 20, 21, 22, were severally read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by Mr. H. Ridgely and Mr. J. Mackall.

Brice T. B. Worthington, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the paper bills No. 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, severally endorsed; "The engrossed bill, whereof this is the original, read and assented to.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, cl. sen."

The house took into consideration the letter of resignation from Zephaniah Turner, Esq; as auditor-general, accepted the same, and proceeded to the appointment of an auditor-general in the room of the said Zephaniah Turner, Esq; and unanimously made choice of colonel Uriah Forrest to fill that place, and

RESOLVED, That the said auditor-general be allowed at the rate of three thousand pounds per annum, as a compensation for his trouble in discharging the duties incident to his office.

ORDERED, That the clerk of this house inform colonel Uriah Forrest of his appointment as auditor-general, and enclose a copy of the above resolution.

The question was put; That Zephaniah Turner, Esq; the late auditor-general, be allowed the sum of two thousand pounds, as a compensation for his loss in the public service? Resolved in the affirmative.

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

Messieurs	Ford,	Harrison,	H. Goldborough,	Ward,	J. Hanson,	Sprigg,
	Sewell,	Digges,	W. Goldborough,	Quynn,	Wilson,	Barnes,
	Lloyd,	Polk,	R. Goldborough,	S. Chase,	Keene,	Chase,
	Maccubbin,	Strawbridge,	Veazey,	Bordley,		

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	J. Mackall,	T. Mackall,	C. Ridgely,	Norris,	Schnebely,	Cramphin,
	Gresham,	Job,	J. Beall,	Bond,	Smith,	Crabb,
	Hall,	Hammond,	Chaille,	M'Comas,	Bayly,	Burgefs.
	H. Ridgely,	Stevenson,				

Which said resolve, with that respecting commodore Grafon, was sent to the senate by Mr. J. Chase and Mr. Bordley.

Richard Barnes, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the said resolves, severally endorsed; "By the senate, August 15, 1779: Read and assented to.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, cl. sen."