

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER, 1779. 31

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The house met.

Mr. Job brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to lay out and clear a road from the head of Elk towards Christiana bridge; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On reading a second time the report brought in yesterday by Mr. J. Hanson from the conference, the question was put, That the house concur with that part of the report, from the words "that it would be improper, &c." to the words "November, 1779?" The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Chase.

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

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| Messieurs | Key,         | J. Hall, | Johns,     | Bruff,    | Dennis,   | Alexander, |
|           | Mackall,     | Ward,    | Magruder,  | Ringgold, | Cramphin, | Stull,     |
|           | Lethrbury,   | Job,     | Chafe,     | Driver,   | Deye,     | Archer,    |
|           | Worthington, | E. Hall, | Eccleston, | Daffin,   | M'Mechin, | Norris.    |

N E G A T I V E.

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| Messieurs | Reed,         | Freeland, | S. Hanson, | J. Henry, | Stricker,  | Burgefs, |
|           | Gresham,      | Williams, | Banning,   | M'Gee,    | J. Hanson, | Bayly,   |
|           | Wilmer,       | Winder,   | Birkhead,  | Smoot,    | Beatty,    | Barnes,  |
|           | W. Stevenfon, | Dashiell, | B. Hall,   | Keene,    | Gaunt,     | Sprigg.  |
|           | Williamfon,   | Dent,     | Quynn,     | M'Bride,  |            |          |

So it passed in the negative.

Joseph Sim, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker a letter from George Plater and James Forbes, Esquires, members of congress, dated November 30, 1779, enclosing an act of congress of November 27, 1779; which were read.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, December 4, 1779.

THE house met. Present as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. M'Bride, Mr. Smoot, and Mr. Eccleston, have leave of absence.

Mr. Driver brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act relating to the Marsh-caufeway in Caroline county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, An act for the relief of William Whetcroft, of the city of Annapolis, was read the second time, and the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Magruder.

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| Messieurs | Read,         | Maccubbin,  | Job,       | B. Hall,  | Driver,    | Gaunt,     |
|           | Key,          | Williamfon, | E. Hall,   | Quynn,    | Keene,     | Cramphin,  |
|           | Mackall,      | Freeland,   | S. Hanson, | Chafe,    | Daffin,    | Bayly,     |
|           | Gresham,      | Williams,   | Banning,   | M'Gee,    | Dennis,    | M'Mechin,  |
|           | Wilmer,       | Winder,     | Johns,     | Bruff,    | J. Hanson, | Alexander, |
|           | Lethrbury,    | Dashiell,   | Birkhead,  | Ringgold, | Beatty,    | Barnes.    |
|           | W. Stevenfon, | Ward,       |            |           |            |            |

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| Mef. | Worthington, | Magruder, | Burgefs, | Deye, | Archer, | Norris: |
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So it passed in the affirmative.

The report from the conference referred for consideration on Monday next.

The bill, entitled, An act relating to public roads, read the second time and will pass.

The house adjourns till 3 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The house met. Mr. B. Hall, Mr. E. Hall, and Mr. Sprigg, have leave of absence until Monday next.

On motion, the question was put, That the committee upon the fee bill be instructed to extend the list in tobacco? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Beatty.

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| Messieurs | Key,          | Worthington, | Dashiell,  | M'Gee,    | Dennis,    | Bayly,    |
|           | Mackall,      | Hall,        | S. Hanson, | Ringgold, | J. Hanson, | Deye,     |
|           | Gresham,      | Maccubbin,   | Banning,   | Driver,   | Gaunt,     | M'Mechin, |
|           | Wilmer,       | Williamfon,  | Johns,     | Keene,    | Burgefs,   | Barnes,   |
|           | Lethrbury,    | Freeland,    | Birkhead,  | Daffin,   | Cramphin,  | Stull.    |
|           | W. Stevenfon, | Williams,    | Magruder,  |           |            |           |

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