

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, JUNE, 1780. 195

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Wilmer,	Maccubbin,	Eccleston,	B. Hall,	Holland,	M'Mechen,
	Lethrbury,	Digges,	Ward,	Brown,	Selby,	Stull,
	Cadwalader,	Dent,	Lawson,	Quynn,	Keene,	Chapline,
	Worthington,	Hammond,	Kirk,	Chafe,	M'Bryde,	Cramphin.
	J. Hall.	Winder,	Craufurd,	Chaille,		

So it was determined in the negative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Cadwalader appeared as follow:

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

Messrs. Cadwalader, Job, Gaunt, M'Bryde, M'Mechen.

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Mackall,	Williamson,	Banning,	Craufurd,	Chafe,	Driver,
	Wilmer,	Smith,	Gibson,	B. Hall,	Chaille,	Keene,
	Lethrbury,	Freeland,	Birkhead,	Magruder,	Holland,	Stull,
	W. Stevenon,	Digges,	Winder,	Bruff,	Selby,	Sprigg,
	Worthington,	Dent,	Eccleston,	Brown,	M'Comas,	Chapline,
	J. Hall,	S. Hanson,	Ward,	Earle,	Archer,	Burgefs,
	Maccubbin,	Deye,	Lawson,	Ringgold,	Norris,	Cramphin,
	Fitzhugh,	Hammond,	Kirk,	Quynn,	Taylor,	Bayly.

So it was determined in the negative.

Mr. Mackall, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following report:

THE committee, to whom was referred the petition of Zachariah Forrest, collector of the tax for St. Mary's county, beg leave to report, that they believe the petitioner has used his best endeavours to collect and pay into the treasury the whole of the tax due by the inhabitants of the said county, and are therefore of opinion the prayer of his petition ought to be granted. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

G. RANKEN, clk.

Which was read.

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

S A T U R D A Y, June 17, 1780.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Selby, Mr. Birkhead, and Mr. Freeland, have leave of absence.

The report on the petition of Zachariah Forrest was read the second time and concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill agreeable to the prayer of the petition. ORDERED, That Mr. Key and Mr. Mackall do prepare and bring in the said bill.

The bill, entitled, An additional Supplement to the act for the assessment of property within this state, was read the second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. M'Mechen and Mr. Driver.

Mr. Fitzhugh, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following report:

THE committee, to whom was referred the letter of the 2d of June from the committee of co-operation, beg leave to report, that they have taken the same into consideration, and come to the following resolutions:

1. That it is the opinion of the committee, that this state ought to exert every possible means in its power to furnish the monthly supplies required by the committee of co-operation, of flour, beef, and grain for forage, to commence the first of July, and to continue, if necessary, until the last of November, and to obtain the quantity of bacon monthly to the last of September, and to procure the number of draught horses, and waggons, with four horses and harness complete to each waggon, to be delivered before the first of July.

2. That it is the opinion of this committee, that the monthly expence of procuring the flour, beef, and grain, will be above one million of pounds, at the present prices, in continental currency, as appears by the following estimate, viz.

2500 barrels of flour per month, at £. 200 per barrel	- - - - -	500,000
143,045 lb of beef per month, at 8 dollars per pound	- - - - -	429,135
11,428 bushels of grain per month, for forage, at £. 10 per bushel	- - - - -	114,280

1,043,415

3. That