

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, JUNE, 1780. 219

And the bill to enable Conrod Theodore Wederstrandt to draw orders as therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, July 2, 1780: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk."  
Which were ordered to be engrossed.

William Hindman, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill to repeal the act to restrict the delegates of this state in congress from engaging in any trade, &c. endorsed; "By the senate, June 28, 1780: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk."  
"By the senate, July 2, 1780: Read the second time and will not pass.

And a bill, entitled, An act to repeal the forty-fifth and part of the thirty-seventh articles of the form of government, endorsed; "By the senate, July 2, 1780: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk."  
Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

And the following messages:

BY THE SENATE, JULY 2, 1780.

GENTLEMEN,

WE last session sent you a bill to repeal the forty-fifth and part of the thirty-seventh articles of our form of government, which you did not return, for what reason we are at a loss to determine. We esteem a law for this purpose proper and necessary, and have again sent you a bill to restore the field officers in the regular service to that eligibility which they ought to enjoy. Should you concur with us in opinion, the law may be passed and published agreeable to the constitution.

By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk.

BY THE SENATE, JULY 2, 1780.

GENTLEMEN,

WE are very desirous to bring the present session of assembly to a conclusion, as soon as the necessary business is considered and dispatched. When this is done, we shall be ready to adjourn, and shall inform you of the time of our adjournment.

By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk.

Which were read.

The amendment to the bill to direct the recording and giving effect to a deed made by Philip Read and Anne his wife, of Saint Mary's county, to George Medley, was read the second time and agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.

The bill directing the march of a certain number of the militia of this state to join the army, &c. was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill be committed for amendments? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, the question was put, That the fines imposed on members of this house, for not attending on the hours for sitting, at the last and present session, be paid to, and accounted for by, the sergeant at arms? Resolved in the affirmative.

Richard Barnes, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill to procure a supply of salt meat for the use of the army, endorsed; "By the senate, July 2, 1780: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk."  
"By the senate, July 2, 1780: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

Which was ordered to be engrossed.

On a second reading of the bill to suspend the act of assembly for making the bills of credit emitted by congress, and the bills of credit emitted by acts of assembly and acts of convention, a legal tender in all cases, &c. the question was put, That the following clause be added to the said bill? "Provided always, and it is hereby declared, That the suspension of the said law shall not affect any action or suit, or any tender or payment made agreeable to the said act, but every action, suit, tender, or payment, shall remain and be of the same force and effect in law, as if this act had not been made." The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. J. Hall appeared as follow:

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

Medieurs	Lethbury,	Williamson,	Craufard,	Chafe,	Alexander,	Burgefs,
	W. Stevenson,	Smith,	Magruder,	M'Comas,	Stull,	Cramphin,
	Worthington,	Deye,	Brown,	Archer,	Sprigg,	Bayly.
	Maccubbin,	Job,	Quynn,			

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