

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs: W. Stevenson,	J. Stevenson,	Lawson,	Duckett,	Whitely,	Chapline,
Dent,	Hammond,	Job,	Wright,	Alexander,	Hungerford.
Deye,	Ward,	Kirk,	Earle,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the said clause be inserted in the bill? Resolved in the affirmative.

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

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

Messieurs Mills,	Chamberlaine,	Shaw,	Duckett,	Chafe,	Potts,
Plowden,	Martin,	Job,	Clagett,	Quynn,	Whitely,
Cadwalader,	Winder,	Kirk,	Kent,	Dennis,	M'Mechen,
Hanson,	Jackson,	Craufurd,	Wright,	Morris,	Bayly.
Hindman,	Scott,				

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Messrs: W. Stevenson,	Deye,	Ward,	Taylor,	Alexander,	Oneale,
Hall,	J. Stevenson,	Lawson,	Norris,	Chapline,	Hungerford.
Dent,	Hammond,	Dashiell,			

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

By the COMMITTEE of CLAIMS, to whom was referred the petition and account of Isaac M'Hard.

YOUR committee beg leave to report, that they have considered the same, and are of opinion, that Mr. M'Hard ought to be allowed the funeral expences of the late major Samuel King, amounting to six hundred and three pounds fifteen shillings continental currency, as a compliment due to the memory of that officer.

Your committee have also, in obedience to the order of the honourable house, examined the account of the said Isaac M'Hard, and are of opinion, that the further sum of sixteen hundred and ninety-four pounds continental currency would be a reasonable compensation for the board and other expences incurred by the late major Samuel King during his illness.

All which is submitted to the consideration of the honourable house.

By order,

J. KNAPP, clk.

ORDERED, That the order of the day, that the house will take into consideration the report from the committee appointed to examine the returns of the commissioners of the tax, be postponed until to-morrow.

Mr. W. Stevenson, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to enable the sheriffs of this state to take bail bonds in certain cases; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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

F R I D A Y, December 1, 1780.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Cramphin, Mr. Freeland, Mr. Chapline, and Mr. Norris. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Brogden appeared in the house.

A petition from the vestrymen of St. Mary-Anne's parish, in Cæcil county, praying an act may pass, to enable them to sell the glebe land belonging to the said parish, and to purchase land more convenient, was preferred and read.

On reading a second time the petition of the reverend John Scott, and it appearing to this house, that the said John Scott hath taken the oath of allegiance to the state of Virginia, by a certificate under seal from the clerk of Prince-William county, RESOLVED, That the said John Scott be relieved from all his engagements entered into to the late council of safety, except so much thereof as relates to his going to the eastern shore of this state, or corresponding with any person within this state on public matters.

The bill for calling out of circulation the quota of this state of the bills of credit issued by congress, &c. was sent to the senate by Mr. Hindman and Mr. M'Mechen.

The resolution in favour of the reverend John Scott, was sent to the senate by Mr. Ward and Mr. J. Stevenson.

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