

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, OCTOBER, 1780. 83

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

Messrs. Mills, Plowden, Key,	Wilmer, Maccubbin, Freeland,	E. Johnson, Causin, Hanson,	Hindman, Magruder, Clagett,	Chafe, Quynn, Duckett,	T. Johnson, Cramphin, Bayly.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs W. Stevenson, Fitzhugh, Deye, J. Stevenson,	Shaw, Sulivane, Whitely, Lawson,	Job, Craufurd, Kent,	Dennis, Morris, Dashnell,	Taylor, M'Comas, Norris,	Giles, Alexander, M'Mechen.
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So it was determined in the negative.

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

T U E S D A Y, January 9, 1781.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Chamberlaine and Mr. Hall. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Oneale appeared in the house.

A letter of excuse from Mr. Brogden, for departing without leave, was laid before the house and read and accepted.

Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker a letter from the president of congress of the 3d instant, enclosing an extract of a letter from his Excellency general Washington of the 27th ult. which were read.

The house proceeded on the second reading of the bill for raising the supplies for the year seventeen hundred and eighty-one, and, on motion, the question was put, That the following clause be struck out? "And be it enacted, That from all interest of money or tobacco, to arise and become due between the first day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-one, and the first day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-two, the debtor shall and may discount and deduct one sixth part of the sum so arising or accruing due, any contract or agreement to the contrary notwithstanding; and any contract or agreement hereafter made to the contrary shall be void in law; and if any creditor shall refuse to allow such deductions, he shall forfeit three times the sum of money or quantity of tobacco by him so refused to be deducted, to the use of such debtor, and such debtor may recover the forfeiture, on warrant, before a justice of the peace, if the sum does not exceed his jurisdiction, and if it does, by action at law, as for money or tobacco had and received to his use." The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. M'Mechen appeared as follow:

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

Messrs. Key, W. Stevenson, Hindman,	Lawson, Craufurd,	Kent, Dennis,	Morris, Taylor,	Norris, M'Mechen,	Oneale, Hungerford.
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Messieurs Mills, Plowden, Wilmer, Freeland, Fitzhugh,	E. Johnson, Causin, Hanson, Deye, J. Stevenson,	Shaw, Sulivane, Whitely, Job,	Duckett, Magruder, Clagett, Chafe,	Quynn, Dashnell, T. Johnson, M'Comas,	Giles, Alexander, Cramphin, Bayly.
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So it was determined in the negative.

The house adjourns till half after 3 o'clock.

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

The house met.

The bill for raising the supplies for the year seventeen hundred and eighty-one being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Sulivane appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs Mills, Plowden, Key, Wilmer, Maccubbin,	Freeland, Fitzhugh, E. Johnson, Causin, Hanson,	Hindman, Shaw, Sulivane, Whitely, Job,	Craufurd, Duckett, Magruder, Clagett, Chafe,	Dennis, Morris, Dashnell, T. Johnson,	M'Mechen, Cramphin, Bayly, Hungerford.
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Messrs. W. Stevenson, Deye,	J. Stevenson, Lawson,	Kent, Taylor,	M'Comas, Norris,	Giles, Alexander,	Oneale.
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