

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER, 1781. 45

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

Mes:	Cadwalader, Lloyd,	Stevenson, Fitzhugh,	Taney, Job,	Miller, Rowland,	Kent, Coursey,	Wilson.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Forrest, Thomas, Plowden, Mills, N. Worthington,	Hall, B. Worthington, Brogden, Chew, Jenifer,	Stone, Ridgely, S. Worthington, Hindman, Brevard,	Hawkins, Duckett, Seney, Chafe, Quynn,	Beatty, Taylor, Norris, M'Mechen,	Sprigg, Chapline, Griffith, Oneale.
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So it was determined in the negative.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 10 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, December 22, 1781.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Burgess, Mr. Bayly, and Mr. Chapline. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On progression in reading the supply bill, it was moved, That a sum of money, arising out of the specie and the specific articles, paid in virtue of the act, entitled, An act to raise the supplies for the year seventeen hundred and eighty-two, be set apart for the purpose of carrying on the war, and complying with the requisition of congress, so far as the same will answer that purpose. The previous question was called for and put, That the said question be now put? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. B. T. B. Worthington, appeared as follow :

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

Messieurs Lloyd, N. Worthington, B. Worthington, Fitzhugh, Taney, S. Worthington.

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Forrest, Thomas, Plowden, Mills, Cadwalader, Stevenson,	Hall, Brogden, Chew, Jenifer, Stone, Ridgely,	Hindman, Job, Miller, Brevard, Rowland, Bowie,	Hawkins, Duckett, Kent, Seney, Coursey,	Chafe, Quynn, Beatty, Taylor, Norris,	M'Mechen, Wilson, Sprigg, Griffith, Oneale.
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So it was determined in the negative.

Benedict Edward Hall, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker a petition from Peter Smith, praying an act may pass, confirming his title, or to appoint persons to examine into the validity of his title, to a lot of ground in Frederick-town; a petition from William Fell, praying an act may pass, to incorporate and make part of Fell's-point a part of Baltimore-town; and a petition from Francis Deakins, praying the general assembly to direct the payment of the balance of his account, for expences incurred in the public service; severally endorsed; "By the senate, December 22, 1781: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates :

"By order,

J. MACCUBBIN, clk."

Which were read.

On progression in reading the supply bill, the question was put, That the words, "and such part of the confiscated British property not appropriated by law," be struck out of the clause relative to the payment of public creditors? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Kent appeared as follow :

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

Messieurs	Forrest, Mills, Cadwalader, Lloyd,	Stevenson, N. Worthington, B. Worthington, Fitzhugh,	Chew, Taney, S. Worthington, Hindman,	Job, Brevard, Rowland, Duckett,	Kent, Coursey, Taylor,	Norris, M'Mechen, Wilson.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Thomas, Plowden, Hall,	Brogden, Jenifer, Stone,	Ridgely, Miller, Bowie,	Hawkins, Seney, Chafe,	Quynn, Beatty, Sprigg,	Griffith, Oneale.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved unanimously in the affirmative. Sent to the senate by Mr. B. T. B. Worthington and Mr. Hall.

Mr. Thomas, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the regulation of ferries, and for dispatch of public expresses; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.