

or acquired by reputation; the number of acres, as expressed in the grant, and the surplus or deficiency, if any; the situation and general quality and soil of the land, and the improvements thereon, and their particular nature or kind, and the quantity of arable, meadow, and wooded land; and such account shall be dated and signed by the person making the same; and if required at any time hereafter by any commissioner of the tax or justice of the county where the land lies, he shall make oath (or affirmation if a quaker, menonit, or dunker) to the truth of the said account, according to the best of his knowledge and belief, and in case of neglect, he shall forfeit not exceeding two hundred pounds current money, in the discretion of the court where such penalty may be sued for; and if any person shall omit any land belonging to him, he shall be liable to pay double the value of the assessment on such land for the present year." The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Hall appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs	Lloyd,	Jenifer,	Josiah Dashiell,	Duckett,	Love,	Chapline,
	N. Worthington,	Howard,	Job,	Coursey,	Taylor,	Burgetts,
	Hall,	Sherwood,	Miller,	Shriver,	Stull,	Griffith,
	B. Worthington,	Winder,	Bowie,	Beall,	Barnes,	Oneale.
Fitzhugh,	King,	Hawkins,	Norris,			

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Forrest,	Causin,	Rowland,	Quynn,	Beatty,	Hopper,
	Thomas,	Stone,	Johnson,	Morris,	Duvall,	M'Mechen.
	Plowden,	Waggaman,	Kent,	Joseph Dashiell,	M'Bryde,	Wilson.
	Mills,	Brevard,	Chafe,	Handy,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the following be inserted therein? "And every person owning land, or acting as guardian or trustee for any infant owning land in this state, and having the same in his possession, shall, on or before the fifteenth day of August next, deliver to the commissioners of the tax of the county where such land shall lie, an account of the land, and the name thereof, as expressed in the grant or deed, or acquired by reputation, the number of acres, as expressed in the grant, and the surplus or deficiency, if any; the situation and general quality and soil of the land, and the improvements thereon, and their particular nature or kind; and the quality of arable, meadow, and wooded land; and such account shall be dated and signed by the person making the same; and if any owner of land shall wilfully omit to give in any land belonging to him, he shall be liable to pay double the value of the assessment on such land for the present year; and if any guardian or trustee, as aforesaid, shall neglect to give in any land belonging to an infant, he shall pay double the value of the assessment on such land for the present year." The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Jenifer appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs	Forrest,	Causin,	Rowland,	Quynn,	Beatty,	Hopper,
	Thomas,	Stone,	Johnson,	Morris,	Duvall,	M'Mechen,
	Plowden,	Waggaman,	Kent,	Joseph Dashiell,	M'Bryde,	Wilson.
	Mills,	Brevard,	Chafe,	Handy,		

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Lloyd,	Jenifer,	Job,	Coursey,	Norris,	Chapline,
	N. Worthington,	Howard,	Miller,	Shriver,	Love,	Burgetts,
	Hall,	Winder,	Bowie,	Beall,	Stull,	Griffith,
	B. Worthington,	King,	Hawkins,	Taylor,	Barnes,	Oneale.
Fitzhugh,	Josiah Dashiell,	Duckett,				

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. Joseph Dashiell appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs	Forrest,	Stone,	Brevard,	Kent,	Joseph Dashiell,	M'Bryde.
	Thomas,	Winder,	Rowland,	Chafe,	Handy,	Hopper,
	Plowden,	Waggaman,	Bowie,	Quynn,	Beatty,	M'Mechen,
	Mills,	Josiah Dashiell,	Johnson,	Morris,	Duvall,	Wilson.
Causin,						

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