

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs. Cadwalader,	N. Worthington,	S. Worthington,	Bowie,	Beatty,	Griffith,
Lloyd,	B. Worthington,	Hindman,	Johnson,	Burgefs,	Bayly.
Tilden,	Fitzhugh,	Miller,	Kent,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill be committed for amendments? Resolved in the affirmative.

John Smith, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following message:

BY THE SENATE, JUNE 5, 1782.

GENTLEMEN,

AS, from the letter of the honourable J. Rutledge and George Clymer, and the nature of their commission, we are led to believe, that it would be most agreeable to them to communicate their representations to a committee of both houses, we could wish that you would waive the latter part of your proposition, "that any gentleman of either house may attend;" however, if on consideration of this subject, you still think there is a necessity to have the communication made in the presence of all the members of the assembly who incline to attend, we shall agree to it, and, for the purpose of receiving their communications, we have appointed Matthew Tilghman, Thomas Stone, and Charles Carroll, Barrister, Esquires, to join such members as may be named by you on this occasion.

By order,

J. MACCUBBIN, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, and the question put, That this house recede from that part of the resolve, that any gentleman of either house may attend during the time that the committee of both houses are receiving the representations or congress by the honourable John Rutledge and George Clymer, Esquires? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Fitzhugh, appeared as follow:

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

Messrs. Thomas,	Mills,	Jenifer,	Chafe,	Morris,	Sprigg.
Plowden,	Stone,	Rowland,	Quynn,	Joseph Dashiell,	

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Messieurs Forrest,	B. Worthington,	Winder,	Bowie,	Duvall,	Barnes,
Cadwalader,	Fitzhugh,	Shaw,	Duckett,	Norris,	Burgefs,
Lloyd,	Hanson,	Job,	Johnson,	M'Bryde,	Griffith,
Stevenson,	S. Worthington,	Miller,	Kent,	Hopper,	Bayly,
Tilden,	Hindman,	Brevard,	Beatty,	Wilton,	Oneale.
N. Worthington,	Sherwood,				

So it was determined in the negative.

The house proceeded to the choice of conferrees, and the ballots being deposited in the ballot box, the gentlemen named to strike retired, and after some time returned and reported, that upon examining the ballots it appeared that the following gentlemen were elected, viz. Mr. Hall, Mr. B. Worthington, Mr. Chafe, Mr. Thomas, and Mr. Cadwalader.

The following message was prepared and sent to the senate by Mr. Job and Mr. Oneale.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, JUNE 5, 1782.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

THIS house cannot, with propriety, as they conceive, recede from their proposition for a conference, in which each member of the legislature shall have liberty to be present. We have appointed Mr. Hall, Mr. B. Worthington, Mr. Chafe, Mr. Thomas, and Mr. Cadwalader, to join the gentlemen you have named to confer with and receive information from the honourable J. Rutledge and George Clymer.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

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

T H U R S D A Y, June 6, 1782.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Chew. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill to postpone the sale of certain confiscated British property, for the redemption of certificates. ORDERED, That Mr. Thomas, Mr. Jenifer, and Mr. Wilton, do prepare and bring in the said bill.

The memorial of Samuel Chew and others was read, and, on motion, Leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. Morris, Mr. Lloyd, and Mr. Thomas, do prepare and bring in the said bill.

Mr. Josiah