

Mr. Josiah Dashiell has leave of absence.

Mr. Thomas, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to postpone the sale of certain confiscated British property for the redemption of certificates; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. Sprigg and Mr. King.

The house adjourns till 3 o'clock.

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

The house met.

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

F R I D A Y, June 7, 1782.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. Josiah Dashiell, Mr. Bowie, and Mr. Wilson. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

On motion, the question was put, That the committee of claims strike off the allowances of those members who have left the house without leave? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Griffith appeared as follow:

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

Messrs	Forrest,	Fitzhugh,	Sherwood,	Johnson,	Duvall,	Sprigg,
	Thomas,	Jenifer,	Wincer,	Morris,	M Bryde,	Bayly,
	Mills,	Hanton,	King,	Chafe,	Barnes,	Oneale.
	Stevenson,	Hindman,	Shaw,			

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs	Tilden,	S. Worthington,	Brevard,	Quynn,	Taylor,	Burgefs,
	N. Worthington,	Job,	Rowland,	Joseph Dashiell,	Norris,	Griffith.
	B. Worthington,	Miller,	Kent,	Beatty,	Hopper,	

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Thomas, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to empower William Aisquith to sell and dispose of certain real and personal property, for the purposes therein mentioned; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. Quynn and Mr. Hopper.

Mr. Jenifer, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a report on the petition of Legh Master; which was read the first and second time and concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. Lloyd, Mr. Stone, and Mr. Forrest, do prepare and bring in the said bill.

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

By the COMMITTEE to whom was referred the memorial of Thomas Russell.

YOUR committee, having taken into consideration the several matters therein contained, have come to the following resolutions, which they beg leave to report.

1st. That that part of the memorial, respecting the laying off to the memorialist the forge in Cecil county, with the negroes, stock and utensils, necessary for carrying on said forge, ought to be granted agreeable to the tenor thereof, your committee being of opinion it will be advantageous both to him and the state.

2d. That that part of the property belonging to the memorialist's brother be and remain unappropriated until the general assembly shall take order therein.

3d. That the memorialist ought to be empowered to compel the payment of all debts due to the Principio company, in such manner as other debts are or shall be collected in this state.

Which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

G. RANKEN, clk.

Which was read the first and second time and concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. Dashiell, Mr. Kent, Mr. Winder, and Mr. Morris, do prepare and bring in the said bill.

Mr. Forrest, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An additional Supplement to the act to settle and adjust the accounts of the troops of this state in the service of the United States, and for other purposes; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed.

Mr. Shaw, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to make valid the proceedings of the commissioners of the tax for Dorchester county; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed.

Mr. Lloyd, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for vesting an estate for life in Ariana Kennedy, and an estate in fee simple in John Lynch and