

be directed to grant, out of the property formerly belonging to the Principio company, a sufficiency to discharge the costs he incurred in a suit against them for a tract of land which he recovered; also a petition from said Long, praying that commissioners might be appointed to lay out some roads on the Head of Magothy, to and from certain mills that he is building; severally endorsed: "By the senate, December 14, 1782: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

" By order, J. MACCUBBIN, clk."  
The house adjourns till Monday morning 9 o'clock.

M O N D A Y, December 16, 1782.

**T**HE house met. Present the same members as on Saturday, except Mr. Forrest, Mr. B. Worthington, Mr. Brogden, Mr. Weems, Mr. Coursey, Mr. M<sup>c</sup>Mechen, and Mr. Fell.

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

T U E S D A Y, December 17, 1782.

**T**HE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. Mr. Hall, Mr. B. Worthington, and Mr. N. Worthington, appeared in the house.

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

W E D N E S D A Y, December 18, 1782.

**T**HE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of Saturday were read. Mr. Coursey, Mr. M<sup>c</sup>Mechen, Mr. Fell, Mr. Lloyd, and Mr. Weems, appeared in the house. Mr. Thomas Beatty, a delegate returned for Frederick county (in the room of Mr. Peter Mantz who resigned) appeared, and after qualifying in the mode prescribed by the constitution and form of government took his seat in the house.

The petitions from Robert Long, of Baltimore county, were read, and referred to the consideration of the next session of assembly.

A memorial from divers inhabitants of this state, was preferred and read.

On progression in reading the bill for raising the supplies for the year seventeen hundred and eighty-three, the question was put, That the following clause be inserted in the said bill? "And be it enacted, That the bills of credit emitted by act of assembly in the month of May seventeen hundred and eighty-one, and any of the state continental bills of credit emitted in the month of June seventeen hundred and eighty, and any of the state bills of credit emitted by law in the same month of June seventeen hundred and eighty, shall be received in the payment of that part of the assessment aforesaid for which specifics can be received, at the rate of one dollar for every seven shillings and six-pence current money." Determined in the negative.

On progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the allowance for pork be twenty-five shillings per hundred? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Griffith and seconded by Mr. Fitzhugh appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs	Smyth, Chew, Dent, Stone,	Courts, Cradock, Sherwood, Hindman,	Done, Job, Brevard,	Rowland, Chafe, Quynn,	Taylor, Norris, Wheeler,	Hopper, M <sup>c</sup> Mechen, Fell.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Bond, Pearce, B. Worthington, N. Worthington,	Fitzhugh, Wilkinson, Miller, Magruder,	Hawkins, Kent, Coursey,	Dashiell, Shriver, Ogle,	Beatty, Chapline, Burgefs,	Griffith, Oneale, Edwards.
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The house being equally divided, the question was determined in the negative by the honourable speaker.

On motion by Mr. Burgefs seconded by Mr. Griffith, the question was then put on thirty shillings? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Chafe seconded by Mr. Stone, the question was then put on twenty-seven shillings and six-pence? Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion by Mr. Chafe seconded by Mr. Dashiell, the question was put, That the allowance for barreled pork be four pounds fifteen shillings per barrel? Resolved in the affirmative.