Which was read the first and second time and agreed to. Sent to the senate, with the bill for the payment of the civil lift, by Mr. Burgels and Mr. Griffith.

The engrossed bills No. 23, 24, and 25, were read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by Mr. Brevard and Mr. Ogle.

A petition from William Hoofman, of Baltimore county, and a counter petition thereto from David Gift, of faid county, were preferred and read.

ORDERED, That all petitions, memorials, reports, and other applications to the house,

not already determined on, be referred to the next session of assembly.

Mr. B. Worthington, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to continue the office of intendant of the revenue and all public monies; which was read the first and second time by especial order, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? Determined in the negative.

On motion by Mr. Chase seconded by Mr. Brogden, the question was put, That leave be given to bring in a bill to appoint an intendant of the revenue and all public monies? The year and nays being called for by Mr. Oneale seconded by Mr. B. Worthington appeared as follow:

Smyth, Wilkinson, Courts, Ridgely,	A F F I R M A Sherwood, Miller Stevens, Courf Smoot, Chafe	ey, Beatty,	Wheeler, M'Mechen, Fell.
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E B. Worthington, Job, N. Worthington, Brevard, Hall, Bowie,	Kent, Ogle, Seney, Taylo Quynn, Smith	r, Chapline,	Burgess, Griffith, Oneale.
Zs. Worthington, Magruder,	C. Is and determined in t	the negative.	

So it was determined in the negative.

James M'Henry, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the resolution directing the treasurer of the western shore to receive bills of credit emitted by the act for an emission of bills of credit not exceeding 200,000 pounds, &c. at par with specie, for British property sold, endorsed; "By the senate, January 12, 1783: Read and dissented to. I. MACCUBBIN, clk." " By order,

With the following message:

BY THE SENATE, JANUARY 12, 1783.

WE have rejected your resolve of the 11th instant, by Messieurs Magruder and Wilkinson, directing the treasurer of the western shore to receive the bills of credit emitted by the act, entitled, An act for the emission of bills of credit not exceeding two hundred thousand pounds, on the security of double the value in lands, to defray the expences of the present campaign, because it is improper to repeal a law by a resolve, resolves not having the same public notoriety, force and efficacy, as laws. We will give our assent to a bill for directing the treasurer of the western shore to receive at par the aforesaid bills of credit, in payment of confiscated British property fold for the redemp ion thereof, provided that the faid bills of credit be also directed by the act to be received at par in payment of county affestments. J. MACCUBBIN, clk. By order,

Which was read. Mr. Kent, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the payment of the officers and soldiers of the line of this state, from the first day of August seventeen hundred and eighty to the first day of January seventeen hundred and eighty-one; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

ORDERED, That the treasurer of the western shore furnish the house with a list of specie certificates, issued to any purchasers of British property for red money, who have given bond for the same.

The bill relating to certain purchases of confiscated property, was read the second time by cial order, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? Determined in the negative. John Henry, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill for the desence of the bay, and to impose certain duties on imported articles, endorsed; " By the senate, January 12, 1783: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

J. MACCUBBIN, clk. " By order, By the senate, January 12, 1783: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

By order,

J. MACCUBB.N, clk."

With the following message:

BY THE SENATE, JANUARY 12, 1783.

Gentlemen, WE agree to the bill now fent up to us for the defence of the bay, and to impose certain duties on imported articles, as it is drawn conformably to the amendments by us proposed to a bill