E Miller, J. Johnson, E Harwood,

Taney, Cockey, Ridgely,

Shaw. John Seney, Joshua Seney,

lackfon; Norris, J. Bond;

Love, Wheelet. Cellars,

Funk, Cromwell, Oneale:

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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

NEGATIVE.

The remaining amendments were agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engroffed. The house adjourns till 3 o'clock.

S T MERIDIE

The house met.

Mr. J. Johnson, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to aid the proceedings of the commissioners of George-town, in Kent county; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed. Sent to the senate by Mr. J. Johnson.

Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the engrossed bill No. 33, with the paper bill thereof; which engrossed bill was thus endorsed; "By the senate,

" May 22, 1787: Read and affented to.

"By order,

J. DORSEY, clk."

Which was read and affented to, and the paper bill so endorsed.

The bill to empower Sarah Buchanan, executrix of Archibald Buchanan, deceased, and others, to fell and dispose of certain lands for the purpose herein after mentioned, endorsed; " By the senate, "May 22, 1787: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, J. DORSEY, etc. "By the senate, May 22, 1787: Read the second time by especial order and will pass with the pro-

" posed amendment.

" By order,

J. DORSEY, clk."

After the word " fame," in the fourth line from the bottom of the fourth Amendment proposed. page, insert "provided always, that this act, or any thing herein contained, shall not be construed to affect the rights of any person or persons, creditors of the said Archibald Buchanan, deceased; and provided also, that the consent of the said Nicholas Rogers, and Eleanor his wife, shall be first had and obtained in writing before the said commissioners shall proceed to the sale of the said property, or any part thereof."

Which was read.

And also the following message:

THE SENATE, MAY 22, 1787. Вч

WE cannot recede from the first amendment proposed to the bill, entitled, An act concerning the public roads in Frederick county, as we conceive the road through Charlton's Gap will afford the nost convenient communication from Washington county to one of the principal market-towns in this state, and a considerable sum of public money has already been expended under an act of asfembly, in the year 1982, in opening it from Elizabeth-town, which will prove an useless expence unless the said road should be streightened and kept in repair, and no reasons have been assigned in your message to discriminate this from the other public roads.

We are willing to recede from the second amendment, as you have proposed in your message to

make provision for repairing the roads in Montgomery county by a distinct law.

By order,

J. DORSEY, clk.

Which was read.

The engroffed bills No. 26 and 27, were read and affented to, and fent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by Mr. Grahame.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Nicholas Blacklock, collector of the tax for Prince-George's county, beg leave to report, that from a view and confideration of the fituation of the petitioner as collector, they think his apprehensions are well grounded, and that he ought to be exonerated, if in the opinion of the commissioners of the tax for the said county, the change of security offered by such collectors of the different districts, to be by them appointed, is good and sufficient.

Your committee take leave to report, that as no collector appointed to make the collection for 1786, in the county of Anne-Arundel, has accepted that appointment, they are of opinion that the commissioners of the tax for the said counties, ought to be empowered to divide the same into not less than three or more than five districts, in each of which to appoint a collector, who, on giving fufficient security, may proceed to make his respective collection within a reasonable time to be limited by the commissioners aforesaid.

All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

A. QUYNN, jun. clk.

Which was read.

The engroffed bill No. 31, was read and affented to, and fent to the fenate, with the paper bill thereof, by Mr. R. Bond.

The bill for the instalment of debts, and to regulate the recovery of the same, was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The year and nays being called for by Mr. J. Johnson, appeared as follow: