

the constitutional privileges of this house, notwithstanding the expediency of the bill, and the session being so near an end, had not the most essential been previously agreed to by us in the form of resolutions; but as even this concession of our power may hereafter be brought into precedent in cases of a more important nature, we hereby declare, that the permitting our resolutions to be ingrafted into the bill as amendments, shall not extend to the prejudice of the privilege of this house, and shall not be drawn into example.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

On motion, the question was put on the following, viz. Mr. Jonathan Faw having been admitted into the committee room, and performed the duties of a committee clerk thirty-nine days previous to his appointment, ORDERED, That the sum of fifteen pounds be paid to the said Jonathan Faw for his services previous to his said appointment. Determined in the negative.

The engrossed bill No. 45, was read and assented to, the paper bill thereof so endorsed, and sent to the senate by Mr. Freeland.

The following question being propounded to the house, viz. That the house reconsider the report on the memorial of the visitors and governors of St. John's college? The previous question was called for and put, That the said question be now put? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Parnham, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Carroll,	Somervell,	Winder,	O'Brion,	Norris,	Ott,
	Hopewell,	Ridgely,	Bond,	Purnell,	Love,	Burgess,
	Moore,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Matthews,	Dennis,	Banckes,	Crabb,
	N. Worthington,	Owings,	Hollingsworth,	Houfston,	Mason,	Oneale.
	B. Worthington,	Lowes,	Seney,	Faw,	Shryock,	29.
N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	W. Tilghman,	Fraizer,	Craik,	Kerr,	W. Bowie,	Pinkney,
	M. Tilghman,	Gantt,	M'Pherfon,	Shaw,	Quynn,	Sterett,
	J. Worthington,	Freeland,	Sherwood,	Lecompte,	Duvall,	M'Henry,
	Harwood,	Parnham,	J. Tilghman, jun.	R. Bowie,	Dorsey,	Lynn.
						24.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The main question was then put. The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. W. Bowie, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Carroll,	Somervell,	Winder,	O'Brion,	Norris,	Ott,
	Hopewell,	Ridgely,	Bond,	Purnell,	Love,	Burgess,
	Moore,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Matthews,	Dennis,	Banckes,	Crabb,
	N. Worthington,	Owings,	Hollingsworth,	Houfston,	Mason,	Oneale.
	B. Worthington,	Lowes,	Seney,	Faw,	Shryock,	29.
N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	W. Tilghman,	Fraizer,	Craik,	Kerr,	W. Bowie,	Pinkney,
	M. Tilghman,	Gantt,	M'Pherfon,	Shaw,	Quynn,	Sterett,
	J. Worthington,	Freeland,	Sherwood,	Lecompte,	Duvall,	M'Henry,
	Harwood,	Parnham,	J. Tilghman, jun.	R. Bowie,	Dorsey,	Lynn.
						24.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, That the house concur with the said report? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Pinkney, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	W. Tilghman,	Gantt,	M'Pherfon,	Shaw,	Quynn,	Pinkney,
	M. Tilghman,	Freeland,	Sherwood,	Lecompte,	Duvall,	Sterett,
	J. Worthington,	Parnham,	J. Tilghman, jun.	R. Bowie,	Dennis,	M'Henry,
	Harwood,	Craik,	Kerr,	W. Bowie,	Dorsey,	Lynn.
	Fraizer,					25.
N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Carroll,	Somervell,	Winder,	O'Brion,	Love,	Ott,
	Hopewell,	Ridgely,	Bond,	Purnell,	Banckes,	Burgess,
	Moore,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Matthews,	Houfston,	Mason,	Crabb,
	N. Worthington,	Owings,	Hollingsworth,	Faw,	Shryock,	Oneale.
	B. Worthington,	Lowes,	Seney,	Norris,		28.

So it was determined in the negative.

The engrossed bills No. 41 and 44, were read, assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by Mr. Freeland.

William Perry, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill to settle and pay the civil list, and other expences of civil government, endorsed; "By the senate, December 25, 1789: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. RIDGELY, clk.

"By the senate, December 25, 1789: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

H. RIDGELY, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

The bill for the relief of collectors of the tax since the first day of January, seventeen hundred and eighty-three, endorsed; "By the senate, December 24, 1789: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,
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H. RIDGELY, clk.

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