

and that a writ may issue to said Russell on his making said payment. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

J. WINCHESTER, jun. clk.

Which was read.

The message from the senate respecting the revision of the constitution and form of government of this state, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house agree to the said message. The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Oneale, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Moore,	Parnham,	Denwood,	R. Bond,	Chaille,	Walker,	
	Tilghman,	Ridgely,	King,	Oldham,	Dennis,	M'Mechen,	
	N. Worthington,	Sherrwood,	Winder,	Hollingsworth,	Martin,	Rochester,	
	B. Worthington,	Carroll,	Jones,	Foreman,	Holland,	Jacques,	
	J. Worthington,	Gough,	Steele,	Clark,	Bayly,	Tomlinson,	
	Mackall,	Kerr,	Lecompte,	Quynn,	Downes,	Simkins,	
Freeland,	Hughes,	Goldborough,	Duvall,	Douglafs,	T. Bond.	43.	
Stone,							
		N E G A T I V E.					
Mess.	W. Bowie,	Seney,	M'Comas,	Burgefs,	Oneale,	Beall.	9.
	F. Bowic,	Harris,	Cellar,				

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

ORDERED, That Mr. Duvall, Mr. Clark, and Mr. Tilghman, be a committee to prepare an answer to the said message.

RESOLVED, That the auditor-general, under the direction of the governor and council, be and he is hereby directed to examine the musters of the Maryland line, and other documents that may be produced, and liquidate the depreciation on the pay of, and grant certificates to, Roger Skiventon, late a soldier in captain Ford's company, and to Robert Britt, late a soldier in captain Dorsey's company, and to John Sheredine, late a soldier of the first Maryland regiment, or to their legal representatives, for that sum which may appear to be justly due to them agreeably to the regulations heretofore established.

The following message being prepared, was sent to the senate, with the resolutions in favour of Robert Britt and Roger Skiventon, and Robert Britt, Roger Skiventon and John Sheredine, by Mr. Chaille.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, NOVEMBER 20, 1790.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

WE have dissented to your resolution of yesterday by the honourable Charles Carroll, as we conceive the same contrary to the privileges of this house. The granting of money we conceive belongs to the immediate representatives of the people. We send you a resolution in favour of the said Roger Skiventon and Robert Britt, and we have added John Sheredine, late a soldier of the first Maryland regiment, thereto.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

William Perry, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following message:

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 19, 1790.

GENTLEMEN,

WE agree to proceed, on Friday the 26th instant, to the election of a senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States after the seat of the honourable Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, shall be vacant, agreeably to your message by Mr. Smith; and as no mode of conducting this election is at present prescribed by the legislature, we have forwarded a resolution for that purpose.

By order,

H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

Which was read.

And the following resolution:

BY THE SENATE, NOVEMBER 19, 1790.

RESOLVED, That in electing a senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States on the 26th instant, the legislature shall proceed in the election by joint ballot of both houses, and the person qualified to be a senator by the constitution of the United States, having a majority of the votes of all the attending members of both houses, shall be declared duly elected the senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States; and that a commission, signed by the governor for the time being, or in his absence by the presiding member of the council, and sealed with the seal of the state; shall issue to the person elected a senator as aforesaid, in the following words, to wit: To ———. The legislature of the state of Maryland reposing especial trust and confidence in your diligence, integrity, wisdom and fidelity, hath appointed you senator to represent this state in the senate of the United States for the term of six years, agreeably to the constitution of the United States. Given under my hand, and the seal of the state, this ——— day of ———, in the year of our Lord seventeen hundred and ninety.

By order,

H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The resolution respecting the retaining in the treasurer's hands the money paid on account of arrears of taxes, endorsed; "By the senate, November 16, 1790: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

"By the senate, November 19, 1790: Read the second time and dissented to.

"By order,

H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."