

Thomas Colsten, junior, shall be released from the effect and operation of the bond by them in that behalf executed; provided also, that the said Henry Fennalls, Nathan Wright and Thomas Colsten, junior, do pay to the treasurer of the eastern shore all the costs of suit in obtaining the said judgment expended, and also the commissions due to the state agent on the collection of the said principal.

Determined in the negative.

The following proposition was laid before the house and read, viz.

That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorized to pay to the commissioners for building a court-house at Easton for the accommodation of the general court on the eastern shore, the sum of two thousand five hundred pounds, granted by an act of assembly, entitled, An act for the building a court-house in Talbot county for the accommodation of the general court for the eastern shore, and the county of Talbot, out of any money in the treasury, after the payment of the civil list and the journal of accounts of this present session.

On the second reading the said proposition, the question was put, That the words "two thousand five hundred" be struck out? Determined in the negative.

The question was then put, That the house assent to the said proposition? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Ringgold, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Plater,	Kerr,	Lecompte,	Quynn,	Holland,	Douglafs,	
	B. Worthington,	Denwood,	Goldborough,	Harris,	Bayly,	M'Mecher,	
	Craik,	King,	R. Bond,	Chaille,	M'Pherson,	Jacques,	
	Stone,	Winder,	Hollingsworth,	Dennis,	Downes,	Simkins.	26.
	Sherwood,	Murray,	Steele,	Martin,			
		N E G A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Carroll,	Lethrbury,	Ridgely,	Beatty,	Rochester,	Forrest,	
	T. Bond,	N. Worthington,	Gough,	M'Comas,	Cellar,	Oneale,	
	Ringgold,	Wilkinson,	Foreman,	Walker,	Burgefs,	Beall,	
	Moore,	Gantt,	Seney,	Ott,	Crabb,	Crefap.	27.
	Tilghman,	Freeland,	Gomber,				

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

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

T U E S D A Y, November 30, 1790.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The bill for the suppression of fairs throughout this state, and the resolution respecting an advance of money for the purpose of building a court house at Easton, were sent to the senate by Mr. Crabb.

Mr. Ridgely, of William, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Mark Pringle; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by Mr. Tomlinson.

The report on the petition of Dennis Griffith, was read the second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith? Determined in the negative.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of Harriott Bruce, report, that the facts set forth are unquestionably true, and that a law ought to pass declaring the marriage of the said Harriott with the said Townly Bruce void, provided the said Townly doth not return to the state of Maryland on or before the 17th day of June next. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

A. GOLDER, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith? Determined in the negative.

Mr. Clark appeared in the house.

On motion, the question was put, That leave be given to bring in a bill establishing a tribunal who shall have power to declare marriages void in certain cases? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Forrest, appeared as follow:

		A F F I R M A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Carroll,	Wilkinson,	Kerr,	Bayly,	Jacques,	Beall,	
	T. Bond,	Freeland,	Hollingsworth,	M'Pherson,	Burgefs,	Forrest,	
	Plater,	Craik,	Foreman,	Douglafs,	Crabb,	Simkins.	20.
	Moore,	Parnham,					
		N E G A T I V E.					
Messieurs	Ringgold,	Gantt,	King,	Clark,	Holland,	Ott,	
	Tilghman,	Stone,	Winder,	Seney,	Gomber,	Rochester,	
	Lethrbury,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Murray,	Chaille,	Beatty,	Cellar,	
	N. Worthington,	Gough,	Lecompte,	Dennis,	M'Comas,	Oneale,	
	B. Worthington,	Sherwood,	Goldborough,	Martin,	Downes,	Tomlinson.	35.
	J. Worthington,	Denwood,	R. Bond,				

So it was determined in the negative.

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

THE committee to whom was referred the petition of John Barkley, report, that they have examined the allegations therein contained, and are of opinion that the prayer of the said petition ought not to be granted. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

W. F. SEWELL, clk.

Which was read the first and second time and concurred with.

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Mr.