

"By the senate, December 17, 1790: Read the second time and will not pass.  
 "By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

The following message:  
 BY THE SENATE, DECEMBER 17, 1790.

GENTLEMEN,  
 WE have rejected the bill proposing to the creditors of this state to subscribe to the loan proposed by congress. If a bill should originate in your house upon the principles agreed upon in conference, it will meet with our assent.

By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

Which was read.  
 The bill for the relief of Mark Pringle, endorsed; "By the senate, December 17, 1790: On re-consideration will pass.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.  
 The resolution in favour of Samuel Chase, Esquire, endorsed; "By the senate, December 17, 1790: Read the first and second time by especial order and assented to.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

And a memorial from John Gwinn, clerk of the general court, respecting the old records and papers of his office, endorsed; "By the senate, December 17, 1790: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

Which was read.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill respecting the creditors and debtors of this state. ORDERED, That Mr. Craik, Mr. Tilghman, and Mr. Forrest, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Tilghman, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act respecting the creditors and debtors of this state; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

ORDERED, That the said bill have a second reading to-morrow morning.  
 The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, December 18, 1790.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Mr. King, Mr. Harris, Mr. Martin, Mr. Holland, Mr. Gomer, Mr. M'Pherson, and Mr. Bayly. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, passed November session, 1789, was sent to the senate by Mr. Carroll.

Mr. Quynn, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to prevent the abuses of sheriffs; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

John Smith, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the paper bills No. 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 16, 17, 18 and 19, severally endorsed; "By the senate, December 14, 1790: The engrossed bill whereof this is the original read and assented to.

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The bill directing new trials in certain cases where judgments shall be reversed on appeal or writ of error, endorsed; "By the senate, December 13, 1790: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

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"By the senate, December 18, 1790: Read the second time and will pass.

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The additional supplementary act to an act, entitled, An act for enlarging the powers of the high court of chancery, endorsed; "By the senate, December 16, 1790: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

"By the senate, December 18, 1790: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

A bill, entitled, An act to limit the jurisdiction of the general court in criminal cases, endorsed; "By the senate, December 17, 1790: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

"By the senate, December 18, 1790: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

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

The supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors confined in sundry goals of this state, and the following message:

BY THE SENATE, DECEMBER 17, 1790.

GENTLEMEN,

WE agree to recede from our amendments to the bill, entitled, A Supplement to the act, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors confined in sundry goals of this state, so far as they respect John Taylor, mentioned in the bill.

By order, H. RIDGELY, jun. clk.

Which was read the first and second time, agreed to, and the bill ordered to be engrossed.