

On motion; ORDERED, That the bill for the payment of the civil list, and other expences of civil government, have a second reading to-morrow morning.

The bill to enable the chancellor to hear and determine the case herein mentioned, was read the second time and committed for amendment to Mr. Duvall, Mr. Pinkney, and Mr. Lethrbury.

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

THE committee to whom was referred a letter from the governor of Virginia, of the first of December, 1790, to the governor of this state, with the resolutions enclosed therein, report, that in their opinion this state ought to concur with the legislature of Virginia in giving instructions to their senators in congress to use their utmost endeavours to procure the admission of the citizens of the United States to hear the debates of their house whenever they are sitting in their legislative capacity. All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

W. E. SEWELL, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, and the question put, That the house concur therewith? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Downes, appeared as follow :

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messieurs	Carroll,	Craik,	Kerr,	R. Bowie,	Beatty,	Burgess,	
	Plater,	Gantt,	Denwood,	Clark,	M'Comas,	Crabb,	
	Moore,	Parnham,	Jones,	W. Bowie,	Amos,	Forrest,	
	Tilghman,	Ridgely,	Steele,	F. Bowie,	Pinkney,	Oneale,	
	Lethrbury,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Lecompte,	Quynn,	M'Mechen,	Beall,	
	Harwood,	Gough,	Goldsbrough,	Seney,	Ott,	Tomlinson,	
	Mackall,	Owings,	R. Bond,	Chaille,	Cellar,	Simkins,	
	Freeland,	Sherwood,	Hollingsworth,	Dennis,	Jacques,	Cresap.	48.

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	J. Worthington,	Duvall,	Downes,	Douglafs.	4.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

RESOLVED, That the senators of this state in congress be and they are hereby instructed to use their utmost endeavours to procure the admission of the citizens of the United States to hear the debates of their house whenever they are sitting in their legislative capacity.

Sent to the senate by Mr. Steele.

On the second reading the bill to continue and amend an act, entitled, An act for the more effectual punishment of criminals, the question was put, That the sum of two hundred pounds be allowed as a salary to the chief justice of the said court? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Ridgely, of Wm. appeared as follow :

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messieurs	Carroll,	Freeland,	Steele,	W. Bowie,	Pinkney,	Burgess,	
	Plater,	Craik,	Lecompte,	Quynn,	Downes,	Forrest,	
	Moore,	Parnham,	Goldsbrough,	Duvall,	M'Mechen,	Beall,	
	Tilghman,	Sherwood,	R. Bond,	Seney,	Ott,	Tomlinson,	
	Lethrbury,	Kerr,	Hollingsworth,	Chaille,	Rocheester,	Simkins,	
	Harwood,	Denwood,	R. Bowie,	Dennis,	Jacques,	Cresap.	40.
	Gantt,	Jones,	Clark,	Beatty,			

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Mackall,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Owings,	Amos,	Douglafs,	Cellar.	9.
	Ridgely,	Gough,	M'Comas,				

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the senate by Mr. Ridgely, of Wm.

Richard Ridgely, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill respecting the creditors and debtors of this state, endorsed; "By the senate, December 18, 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."

Ordered to be engrossed.

And a letter from Samuel Chase, Esquire, state agent of the bank stock, respecting his agency, endorsed; "By the senate, December 18, 1790: Read and referred to the consideration of the house of delegates.

"By order,

H. RIDGELY, jun. clk."

Which was read, and, on motion, Leave given to bring in an additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act concerning the stock of the bank of England belonging to this state. ORDERED, That Mr. Pinkney, Mr. Forrest, Mr. Craik, Mr. Lethrbury, and Mr. Tilghman, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Samuel Hughes, Esquire, from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the bill to enable the justices of Cæcil county court to transcribe the records and papers therein mentioned, endorsed; "By the senate, December 18, 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."

And