

The resolution authorizing the auditor-general, under the direction of the governor and council, to adjust and settle the accounts between this state and individuals, endorsed; "By the senate, December 21, 1790: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, December 21, 1790: Read the second time by especial order and assented to with the proposed amendment.

Amendment proposed. At the end of the resolution add the following: "Resolved also, That the said auditor and agent keep distinct accounts of their proceedings under the foregoing resolutions, and lay the same before the next general assembly for their inspection and examination."

Which was read and agreed to. And the bill respecting certain collectors of this state, endorsed; "By the senate, December 21, 1790: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By the senate, December 21, 1790: Read the second time by especial order and will not pass.

Mr. Ridgely, of Wm. has leave of absence.

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

W E D N E S D A Y, December 22, 1790.

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

The engrossed bills No. 32, 38, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 52, 53, 54, 56, 57, 59 and 60, were read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, together with the paper bill No. 58, by Mr. R. Bowie.

Mr. Ridgely, of Wm. from the committee of both houses, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following report:

THE joint committee of both houses, appointed in consequence of the act of November session, seventeen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled, An act to compel the attendance of the members of the general assembly, report, that they have had the business committed to them under consideration, and are of opinion that all the delinquent members should be excused.

All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

A. GOLDR, clk.

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

Mr. Speaker laid before the house an account of the expenditures of Washington college; which was read.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill for the benefit of Elizabeth Peacock, of Talbot county. ORDERED, That Mr. Kerr, Mr. Sherwood, and Mr. Goldsborough, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Kerr, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the benefit of Elizabeth Peacock, of Talbot county; which was read the first and second time by especial order, passed, and sent to the senate by Mr. Kerr.

On motion, Leave given to bring in an additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, passed November session, 1789. ORDERED, That Mr. Craik, Mr. Farnham, and Mr. W. Bowie, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Craik, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, passed November session, 1789; which was read the first and second time by especial order and passed.

Whereas by a resolution passed at May session, 1788, the treasurer of the eastern shore was directed to pay to Mary Wiley, or her order, the sum of one hundred and five pounds current money, with legal interest thereon from 15th June, 1785; which hath not been paid, because the said treasurer hath had no unappropriated money in his hands; therefore, RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to the said Mary Wiley, or her assigns or legal representatives, the said sum of one hundred and five pounds current money, with legal interest thereon from 15th June, 1785; and that the said resolution of May session, 1788, be and it is hereby annulled.

RESOLVED, That if any debtors of this state shall subscribe any certificates issued by this state, to the loan proposed by the congress of the United States, the treasurer of the western shore shall have power, and he is hereby directed, to credit such debtors by the amount of the sums respectively subscribed by them, on their transferring the stock to which they shall be entitled by their subscriptions respectively, to the trustee for this state, appointed by, or to be appointed in virtue of, the act passed at this session, entitled, An act respecting the creditors and debtors of this state.

The general assembly having, at this session, passed an act holding out inducements to the creditors of this state to assume, under the act of congress, the amount of both principal and interest; RESOLVED, That the treasurer be directed to pay no interest, nor to allow any in discount, where specie is or may be properly demandable, on any certificates issued by this state, which can be subscribed under the act of congress making provision for the debt of the United States.

Sent to the senate, with the resolution in favour of Mary Wiley, and the additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, passed November session, 1789, by Mr. Craik.

RESOLVED,