

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs Carroll, Thomas, Hopewell, T. Bond,	Comegys, Chesley, T. Harwood, Cockey,	Lowes, Lecompte, Frazier, Eccleston,	Seney, O'Bryon, Barnes, Dennis,	Ratcliff, J. P. Marshall, Burkhart, Emory,	Oneale, Beall, Crelap.	23.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Whereas it is set forth by the petition of William Goldborough, junior, of Talbot county, to this general assembly, that the petitioner did, in the year 1782, make advances of several sums of money for the relief and support of Joshua Easum, drummer in the late second Maryland regiment, and of sergeant Davis, of the said regiment, amounting in the whole to the sum of fifteen pounds, which sums were advanced by the petitioner from motives of humanity and sympathy for his fellow-soldiers, and for which he hath never received the smallest compensation; and as it appears to this general assembly to be just and reasonable that the petitioner should be reimbursed the said sums of money so advanced, RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore do pay to William Goldborough, junior, of Talbot county, the sum of fifteen pounds current money, and charge the same to the account of the United States.

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. J. Ringgold, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to authorise John Wilson, son of George, of Kent county, to erect a mill-dam, and to appoint commissioners to lay out a road, at the places therein mentioned; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The bill, entitled, A supplement to an act, entitled, An act to provide for the appointment of commissioners for the regulation and improvement of Easton, in Talbot county, and to establish and regulate a market at the said town, was read the second time, passed, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Duvall and Mr. Ridgely, of Wm. be added to the committee on the petition of Richard Waters.

A petition from William A. Needham, of Montgomery county, praying for the half pay of a sergeant, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Crabb, Mr. Seney and Mr. Hopewell, to consider and report thereon.

The report on the petition of John Kline and others, was read the second time and concurred with.

The report on the petition of Martha Howard, was read the second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto.

The report on the petition of Richard Dorsey, was read the second time and concurred with.

Whereas it appears to the general assembly that Richard Dorsey, late a captain in the artillery from Maryland in the service of the United States, is disabled from wounds received at the battle of Camden, in South-Carolina, which prevents him from following any occupation by which a subsistence may be obtained; therefore, RESOLVED, That his excellency the governor of Maryland, for the time being, be and he is hereby authorised and empowered to grant unto Richard Dorsey, in future, half of the monthly pay which he the said Dorsey received in the continental service, by orders drawn quarterly on the treasurer of the western shore for the same, and that the same be charged to the United States.

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

RESOLVED, That the auditor-general be and he is hereby authorised and directed to settle with, and grant certificates for depreciation of pay unto, the following persons, viz. John Kline, late a soldier in the German regiment, Dennis Downey, late a soldier in the third Maryland regiment, Andrew Malone, late a soldier in the second Maryland regiment, and the legal representatives of Daniel McIntire, late a soldier in the fourth Maryland regiment, Bartly Callaon, late a soldier in the second Maryland regiment, in the same manner and on the same terms that depreciation of pay hath been heretofore granted unto the troops of this state, and that the same be charged to the United States.

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

The report on the representation of the grand jury and justices of Charles county, was read the second time, concurred with, and leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. Craik, Mr. Chapman and Mr. M'Pherson, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

A petition from John F. Amelung, of Frederick county, praying further indulgence for the payment of a debt due to the state, was preferred, read, and referred to Mr. Key, Mr. P. Smith and Mr. Mercer, to consider and report thereon.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate George-town, in Montgomery county. ORDERED, That Mr. Turner, Mr. Crabb and Mr. Carroll, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

Mr. Turner, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, A supplement to the act, entitled, An act to incorporate George-town, in Montgomery county; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Crabb, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Sherwood and Mr. Chapman be added to the committee on Robert Hodgson's petition.