

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to Samuel Sterett, agent of Messieurs Vantaphorst, the sum of £. 150, on the order of Charles Carroll, of Carrollton, Esquire, one of the commissioners of the state, which is to be in full discharge of all claims and demands for interest on the aforesaid loan.

By order,

J. O'BRYON, 3d. clk.

Which was read the first and second time, and the resolutions therein contained assented to, and sent to the senate by the clerk.

Mr. Sprigg, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to enlarge the powers of the trustee of this state; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The following message being prepared, was read, agreed to, and sent to the senate, with the further supplement to an act respecting the settlers on the reserved lands westward of Fort Cumberland; by the clerk.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 21, 1792.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

WE have again sent to you the further supplement to the act respecting the settlers on the reserved lands to the westward of Fort Cumberland, under an apprehension, that on reconsideration your honours will pass the same, or such part thereof as to you may appear reasonable.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

The additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the better administration of justice in the several counties of this state, was sent to the senate by the clerk.

The engrossed bills No. 42, 44, 45, 47, 48, 50, 51 and 52, were severally read and assented to, and sent to the senate, with the paper bills thereof, by the clerk.

Mr. Douglass, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to ascertain the allowance of the justices of the orphans courts in the several counties of this state; which was read, and the question put, That the same be referred to the next session of assembly? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Douglass, appeared as follow:

| A F F I R M A T I V E. | | | | | | |
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| Messieurs | Thomas, | Ridgely, of Wm. | Clark, | Beatty, | Ott, | Oneale, |
| | N. Worthington, | Sherwood. | Contee, | Nelson, | Swearingen, | Threlkeld, |
| | Mackall, | Ewing, | Dennis, | Prall, | Cromwell, | Johnson, |
| | Chapman, | Bowie, | Purnell, | Amos, | Jacques, | Tomlinson. 24. |
| N E G A T I V E. | | | | | | |
| Messieurs | J. Ringgold, | Hawkins, | Denwood, | O'Bryon, | Sappington, | Driver, |
| | Harwood, | Cox, | Eccleston, | Barnes, | Jarrett, | Douglass, |
| | J. Worthington, | Kerr, | Forman, | Dorsey, | Hughlett, | Wootton. 21. |
| | Freeland, | Dashiell, | Sprigg, | | | |

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The bill to enlarge the powers of the trustee of the state, was read the second time by especial order, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Crabb, appeared as follow:

| A F F I R M A T I V E. | | | | | | |
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| Messieurs | Tilghman, | Ridgely, of Wm. | Goldborough, | Sprigg, | Sappington, | Jacques, |
| | Mackall, | Kerr, | Hollingworth, | Contee, | Prall, | Crabb, |
| | Grahame, | Jones, | Oldham, | Duvall, | Amos, | Threlkeld, |
| | Hawkins, | Dashiell, | Bowie, | Hutchings, | M'Meichen, | Wootton. 27. |
| | Ridgely, | Denwood, | Clark, | | | |
| N E G A T I V E. | | | | | | |
| Messieurs | Thomas, | Freeland, | Forman, | Purnell, | Hughlett, | Cromwell, |
| | T. Ringgold, | Brooke, | Ewing, | Corbin, | Driver, | Oneale, |
| | J. Ringgold, | Chapman, | O'Bryon, | Beatty, | Douglass, | Bayard, |
| | Harwood, | Sherwood, | Barnes, | Dorsey, | Lockerman, | Johnson, |
| | N. Worthington, | Cox, | Townsend, | Nelson, | Ott, | Tomlinson. 35. |
| | J. Worthington, | Eccleston, | Dennis, | Jarrett, | Swearingen, | |

So it was determined in the negative.

The following message was prepared and read:

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, DECEMBER 21, 1792.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

WE have considered your amendments to the bill to regulate the militia, and cannot accede to the amendment proposing an addition of the clauses therewith sent, from No. 1 to 9, nor the alterations proposed in the eleventh page, the amendment A. in the first twelfth, the second amendment in the second 12th page, and in page 15. The residue of your amendments we have agreed to.

We hope that the necessity of enacting a militia law will induce your honours to recede from such of your amendments as this house has rejected.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

On the second reading the said message, the question was put, That the following words, "We hope that the necessity of enacting a militia law will induce your honours to recede from such of your amendments as this house has rejected," be struck out of the said message? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Duvall, appeared as follow:

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