

strike out "A B." Page 6, 3d line, strike out the words "on defaults and final amerancements." Fourth line of the same page, after the word "him" insert "as sheriff." Ninth line of the same page, strike out the words "within one month" and insert "immediately." In the 12th line of the 6th page, after the word "state" insert "and the clerk of the several county courts of this state are hereby required, after recording the same, to transmit an attested copy of said bond to the clerks of the general court of the respective shores of this state, to be lodged with them for safe custody." Page 6, strike out from the word "enacted" in the 13th line to the end of the section, and insert "that in every suit which shall or may hereafter be ordered or directed on any administration, testamentary, inspector's, collector's, or sheriff's bond, the clerk shall, and he is hereby directed, before the issuing of the writ, to endorse thereon the name or names of the party or parties at whose instance, and for whose use, the said suit was instituted; and in case the said action shall or may be struck off, discontinued or nonprossed, or in case there be a judgment on verdict in favour of the defendant, the party or parties, at whose instance the action was instituted, shall be answerable for the legal costs of suit, and may be proceeded against, by attachment against the person or property of such party or parties, for the recovery of the same, in the same manner as if he, she or they, had been entered by a rule of court the security for such costs of suit."

Which were read.

The bill for the benefit of Thomas Clark, endorsed; "By the senate, December 18, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By the senate, December 20, 1794: Read the second time and will pass.

"By order, N. PINKNEY, clk."

Ordered to be engrossed.

The bill to alter such parts of the constitution and form of government which prevent persons from being members of the legislature, electors of the senate, or to hold offices of profit and trust, other than those who shall take an oath, endorsed; "By the senate, December 11, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By the senate, December 20, 1794: Read the second time and will not pass.

"By order, N. PINKNEY, clk."

And a bill, entitled, An act to alter such part of the constitution and form of government which prevents persons conscientiously scrupulous of taking an oath from being members of the legislature, electors of the senate, or to hold offices of profit and trust, endorsed; "By the senate, December 20, 1794: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, N. PINKNEY, clk.

"By the senate, December 20, 1794: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, N. PINKNEY, clk."

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

On the second reading the report on the petition of John Cox, RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore pay to John Cox, of Queen-Anne's county, the sum of three hundred and sixteen pounds twelve shillings and five-pence halfpenny, in certificates, to be by him issued for that purpose, bearing interest from the date of their issuing, and receivable for taxes, or in discharge of debts due this state. Sent to the senate by the clerk.

The bill to repeal part of the act of assembly therein mentioned, was read the second time, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being required by three members, appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs	Spencer,	T. Worthington,	Gordon,	Earle,	Montgomery,	Hughes,	
	J. Worthington,	Ridgely, of Wm.	Craig,	Whittington,	Driver,	Brookes,	
	Ridout,	Kerr,	R. Bond,	Wilson,	M'Kim,	J. Johnson,	
	Digges,	Goldborough,	Quynn,	M'Comas,	Winchester,	Lynn.	27
	Ridgely,	Martin,	Key,				

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Ford,	Hall,	H. Johnson,	Miller,	Jamison,	Kent,	
	Hopewell,	Freeland,	Harwood,	Hollingsworth,	Beatty,	Schnebely,	
	Hebb,	Brome,	Carrill,	Brown,	Shriver,	Davis,	
	Barroll,	M'Pherfon,	Nutter,	Dennis,	Jarrett,	Luckett,	
	Ringgold,	Thomas,	Waggaman,	Baer,	Mitchell,	Cresap,	
	Brogden,	Merryman,	Frazier,	Wootton,	J. Clarke,	Beall.	26.

So it was determined in the negative.

Sent to the senate by the clerk.

The house took into consideration the resolution respecting Lawrence Oneale, agreeably to the order of the day, and after hearing Mr. Pinkney at the bar of the house in behalf of the said Lawrence Oneale, the question was put, That the house assent to the said resolution? The yeas and nays being required by three members, appeared as follow:

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

Messieurs	Ford,	Ringgold,	Miller,	Earle,	Jarrett,	Schnebely,	
	Hopewell,	Brogden,	Hollingsworth,	Robins,	M'Comas,	Hughes,	
	Hebb,	Ridout,	Quynn,	Baer,	Mitchell,	J. Johnson,	
	Spencer,	H. Johnson,	Key,	Beatty,	J. Clarke,	Lynn.	29
	Barroll,	R. Bond,	Kent,	Shriver,	Winchester,		

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