

The following question being propounded to the house, to wit: That the further reading of the bill, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, be referred to the first day of March next? The previous question was called for and put, That the said question be now put? The yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Hopewell, Spencer, Barroll, Mackall, Brome, Horrell,	Chesley, Ridgely, Ridgely, of Wm. Merryman, Roberts, Martin,	Sherwood, Carroll, Nutter, Hyland, Robertson, Hollingsworth,	Gilpin, R. Bond, Ward, O'Bryon, Brown, C. Frazier,	Robins, Dennis, Whittington, Corbin, Baer, Beatty,	Shriver, J. Bond, Mitchell, Clarke, Winchester, M'Mechen. 36.
N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	W. Thomas, Neale, Pinkney, Ridout,	Hall, J. Thomas, Parnham, M'Pherfon,	Digges, Steele, Calvert, W. Bowie,	T. Bowie, Quynn, Brother, Montgomery,	Jarrett, Burgefs, Oneale, Reintzel,	J. Johnson, Lynn, Cresap, Beall. 24.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

The main question was then put, and the yeas and nays being required, appeared as follow:

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Messieurs	Hopewell, Spencer, Barroll, Mackall, Brome, Horrell,	Chesley, Ridgely, Ridgely, of Wm. Merryman, Roberts, Martin,	Sherwood, Carroll, Nutter, Hyland, Robertson, Hollingsworth,	Gilpin, Ward, O'Bryon, Brown, C. Frazier, Robins,	Dennis, Whittington, Corbin, Baer, Beatty, Shriver,	J. Bond, Mitchell, Clarke, Winchester, M'Mechen. 35.
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Messieurs	W. Thomas, Neale, Pinkney, J. Worthington, Ridout,	Hall, J. Thomas, Parnham, M'Pherfon,	Digges, Steele, Calvert, W. Bowie,	T. Bowie, Quynn, Key, Brother,	Montgomery, Burgefs, Oneale, Reintzel,	J. Johnson, Lynn, Cresap, Beall. 25.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Mr. Key, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act to appoint an agent for the year seventeen hundred and ninety-six; which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

ORDERED, That the said bill have a second reading on to-morrow.

Mr. Driver and Mr. Merryman have leave of absence.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a further additional supplement to an act, entitled, An act to regulate the inspection of tobacco, and to continue certain parts of the said act and the supplementary acts thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. M'Pherfon, Mr. Hopewell, Mr. W. Thomas, Mr. Chesley, Mr. T. Bowie, Mr. Parnham and Mr. Neale, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

On motion, Leave given to bring in a bill, entitled, An act to relinquish the right of this state to the lands therein mentioned. ORDERED, That Mr. Key, Mr. J. Johnson and Mr. Winchester, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

The clerk of the senate delivers the resolution in favour of Thomas Gilleland and James Boggs, endorsed; "By the senate, December 14, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 17, 1795: Read the second time and assented to.

"By order, H. WARFIELD, clk."

The resolution in favour of John C. Handy, endorsed; "By the senate, December 14, 1795: "Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 17, 1795: Read the second time and assented to with the proposed amendment.

"By order, H. WARFIELD, clk."

Amendment proposed. Fourteenth line, after the word "licence" strike out the residue of the resolution, and insert "shall not be prosecuted so as to charge, or in any manner burthen, the said sheriff with the payment of the said fines or penalties in case the same cannot be recovered of the said Daniel Hardnett."

Which was read the first and second time and agreed to.

The bill for the benefit of Mary Jackson, and others, securities of William John Jackson, late sheriff of Prince-George's county, endorsed; "By the senate, December 16, 1795: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, H. WARFIELD, clk.

"By the senate, December 17, 1795: Read the second time and will pass with the proposed amendments.

"By order, H. WARFIELD, clk."

Amendments proposed. Fourteenth line, 1st page, strike out the word "October" and insert "January." At the end of the bill insert "And be it enacted, That the said administratrix and securities of the said William John Jackson, shall be entitled to receive the same commission for the collection of any arrears due to the said William John Jackson, as sheriff and collector aforesaid, which