

The Resolves respecting the translating and printing sundry papers in the German Language, was sent to the Senate by Mr. Sprigg and Mr. Snowden.

Richard Barnes, Esq. from the Senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Journal of Accounts thus endorsed; "By the Senate March 25th 1779 Read and assented to. By Order Mr. Ridgely Secy.".

The following Resolves was sent to the Senate by Mr. Brown and Mr. Jackson.

By the House of Delegates, March 25th 1779

Resolved, That the Governor and the Council be empowered and requested to draw on the Treasurers of the Eastern and Western Shores, for such Sums of Money as may be necessary to forward the recruiting Service, and that they apply, from Time to Time, to Congress, for such Sums as may be advanced on the Account of the Continental Bounty; and that the Governor and Council be requested to write to his Excellency General Washington, to send some active Officers of the Maryland Line, to assist in the recruiting Service; and that they also be empowered and requested, if need be, to issue Warrants to recruiting Sergeants, to enlist all able bodied freemen that may be willing to serve during the war, or for three Years, until the Battalions heretofore raised by this State be completed. By Order Mr. Dillworth Secy.

Mr. Hanson brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker a Bill, entitled, An Act for the Payment of the Journal of Accounts; which was read the first and second Time by especial Order, passed, and sent to the Senate by Mr. J. Hanson and Mr. Digges. —

Matthew Tilghman, Esq. from the Senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Resolves respecting the French Consul's Letter, thus endorsed; "By the Senate March 25th 1779. Read and assented to

Joseph Nicholson, Esq. from the Senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Resolves respecting the recruiting Service, thus endorsed; "By the Senate March 25th 1779. Read and assented to

"By Order Mr. Ridgely Secy."

Charles Carroll, Esq. Barrister, from the Senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the Bill, entitled, An Act for the Payment of the Journal of Accounts, thus endorsed; "By the Senate March 25th 1779: Read the first Time and ordered to lie on the Table. By Order Mr. Ridgely Secy."

"By the Senate, March 25th 1779: Read the second Time by especial Order and will pass

"By Order Mr. Ridgely Secy."

which was ordered to be engrossed

Resolved, That a copy of the Clause in the Act for the Establishment of select Vestries, which directs the Time and Manner of electing Vestrymen and Churchwardens; and also a copy of the Clause in the Supplement to the Supply Bill that relates to the depositing the Emigrants of May 20th 1777, and 4th of April 1778, in the hands of the several Sheriffs, be transmitted to Mr. Green, Printer in Annapolis, and that he be directed to print three hundred and four Copies thereof, and forward them to the several Counties, directed to the several Delegates thereof

By the House of Delegates March 25th 1779

Resolved, That the Sum of two hundred and twenty five pounds per Annum, to commence from the End of this Session of Assembly, be added to the Salary of Thomas Johnson, jun. Clerk of the Council. Sent to the Senate by Mr. Stevenson and Mr. M. Comas

The Committee appointed to take into Consideration the Letter of his Excellency the Gov. of the 18th Inst. & also the Letter of Govt. Smallwood of the 23rd of Inst. last, make the following Report