

F R I D A Y, November 23, 1792.

THE senate met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except Charles Goldsborough, Esquire, who is indisposed. Richard T. Lowndes, Esquire, appeared in the senate. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to empower and authorise certain commissioners of Dorchester and Caroline counties to open a main road, and change the old road which was formerly the division of the said counties, at the North-West Fork bridge, and the same, when so changed, to be the division of the said counties, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 22, 1792: Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk.
"By the house of delegates, November 23, 1792: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."
Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The supplement to the act respecting the equity jurisdiction of the county courts, and the petition from sundry inhabitants of Baltimore, Anne-Arundel, and Frederick counties, were sent to the house of delegates by the clerk of the senate.

The resolution respecting Richard Waters, was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to confirm the proceedings of Kent county levy court, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 23, 1792: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."
The clerk of the house of delegates delivers a bill, entitled, An act to authorise and empower the justices of Anne-Arundel county court to call the said court before the time to which it stands adjourned, thus endorsed; "By the house of delegates, November 23, 1792: Read the first and second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order, W. HARWOOD, clk."
Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Agreeably to the order of the day, the senate proceeded to the consideration of the bill respecting the militia, and on progression in reading the second clause thereof, the question was put, That the following words, "the members of the general assembly and their officers, and," be struck out? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.
Benjamin Stoddert, William Perry, William Hindman, James Hollyday, Charles Carroll, James M^cHenry and Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.
George Dent, Esquire, president, John Eager Howard, Edward Lloyd and Richard T. Lowndes, Esquires.

So it was determined in the affirmative.

On further progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the words "all officers, judicial and," be struck out? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.
William Perry, William Hindman and Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.
George Dent, Esquire, president, Benjamin Stoddert, John Eager Howard, James Hollyday, Edward Lloyd, Charles Carroll, James M^cHenry and Richard T. Lowndes, Esquires.

So it was determined in the negative.

On further progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the whole clause containing the several exemptions, be struck out? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.
Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, Esquire.

N E G A T I V E.
George Dent, Esquire, president, Benjamin Stoddert, William Perry, William Hindman, John Eager Howard, James Hollyday, Edward Lloyd, Charles Carroll, James M^cHenry and Richard T. Lowndes, Esquires.

So it was determined in the negative.

The said bill being read throughout, the question was put, That the said bill do pass? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.
George Dent, Esquire, president, Benjamin Stoddert, William Perry, William Hindman, John Eager Howard, James Hollyday, Edward Lloyd, Charles Carroll, James M^cHenry and Richard T. Lowndes, Esquires.

N E G A T I V E.
Brice Thomas Beale Worthington, Esquire.

So it was determined in the affirmative.

The resolution respecting Edward Abell, of St. Mary's county, was read the second time, and the question was put, That the senate assent thereto? And the yeas and nays being called for, appeared as follow:

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