

N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Key,	Taney,	Turner,	Gale,	Digges,	Love,
	F. Bond,	Gantt,	Stone,	John Dashiell,	F. Bowie,	Wheeler,
	B. Worthington,	Fraizer,	Roberts,	Adams,	Chaille,	Oneale,
	N. Worthington,	Jones,	Bracco,	Waters,	Purnell,	Beall.
	Grahame,	Dent,				

So it was determined in the negative.

The supplement to an act, entitled, An act for the destroying of wolves in Frederick and Washington counties; the bill for the more effectual preservation of the breed of wild deer; the supplementary act to the act, entitled, An act for building a new church in the city of Annapolis; and the bill relating to replevins; were sent to the senate by Mr. Stull.

William Perry, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker the following message:

BY THE SENATE, JANUARY 28, 1786.

GENTLEMEN,

WE agree to the proposal in your message of the 23d of January, that the conferrees shall consider the several other important matters necessary to be done in the course of this session, and have added Thomas Stone and James Lloyd, Esquires, to the conferrees mentioned in our message of the 19th instant.

By order,

J. DORSEY, clk.

The bill to ascertain the value of the land in the several counties of this state for the purpose of laying the public assessment, was sent to the senate by Mr. Chase.

The house adjourns till 5 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The house met.

On the second reading the bill for the valuation of personal property within this state, the question was put, That the following words, "male slaves who are tradesmen, at such value as they may adjudge them to be worth, regarding their respective trades, and their proficiency therein," be inserted in the said bill? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Oneale appeared as follow:

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Messieurs	B. Worthington,	Stevenson,	Adams,	John Seney,	Purnell,	Cellars,
	N. Worthington,	Goldborough,	Baker,	Sewell,	Norris,	Funk,
	Taney,	Bracco,	Oglevee,	Joshua Seney,	Wheeler,	Oneale,
	Stone,	John Dashiell,	F. Bowie,	Chaille,	Stall,	Beall.

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Messieurs	Key,	Fraizer,	Turner,	Roberts,	Quynn,	Beatty,
	T. Bond,	Jones,	Ridgely,	Miller,	Joseph Dashiell,	Love,
	Lethrbury,	Dent,	Ridgely of Wm. Ramsay,	Faw,		Driver.
	Gantt,					

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the clause respecting the assessment on tobacco in the said bill be struck out? Determined in the negative.

The house adjourns till to-morrow morning 9 o'clock.

S A T U R D A Y, February 4, 1786.

THE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday, except M. Graves. The proceedings of yesterday were read.

The message of yesterday by William Perry, Esq; was read.

On the second reading the report respecting a road or highway from Baltimore-town to Elizabeth-town, the question was put, That the house concur with the first clause in the said report? Resolved in the affirmative.

The report being read throughout, the question was put, That the house concur therewith? Resolved in the affirmative. Leave given to bring in a bill pursuant thereto. ORDERED, That Mr. Joseph Dashiell, Mr. Lethrbury, and Mr. Stull, be a committee to prepare and bring in the same.

ORDERED, That the counter petition to the said report be referred to the same committee.

Mr. Dent has leave of absence.

On motion, the question was put, That all grain, tobacco and vessels, be not liable to any particular valuation or assessment, but in lieu thereof the following duties be imposed, to wit, one penny per bushel on wheat, half-penny per bushel on rye and Indian corn, three-pence per barrel on flour, and two shillings per hoghead on tobacco, exported out of the state by land or water, and four-pence per ton on Maryland bottoms, and eight-pence per ton on foreign bottoms, at every entrance or clearance? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Roberts appeared as follow: