

N E G A T I V E.						
Messrs.	Key, T Bond, Fraizer,	Dent, Stone, Gale,	John Dashiell, Adams, Ramsey,	Digges, Chafe, Quynn,	Sewell, Joshua Seney, Joseph Dashiell,	Driver, Beall.

So it was resolved in the affirmative

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

T U E S D A Y, February 7, 1786.

**T**HE house met. Present the same members as on yesterday. The proceedings of yesterday were read. Mr. Sewell has leave of absence.

The bill to ascertain and establish a permanent salary to the governor, and the bill to establish permanent salaries for the chancellor and the judges, were ordered to be engrossed.

Mr. Ridgely has leave of absence.

On the second reading the bill to raise the supplies for the year 1786 by especial order, the question was put, That the sum of 15<sup>s</sup> be imposed on every £. 100 worth of property? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. B. Worthington appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messieurs	Key, T Bond, Lethrbury, Grahame, Gantt,	Jones, Dent, Turner, Stone, Ridgely of Wm.	Goldsbrough, John Dashiell, Adams, Waters,	Baker, Ramsey, Joshua Seney, Joseph Dashiell,	Faw, Carey, Love, Wheeler,	Driver, Stull, Funk, Oneale.

N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	B. Worthington, N. Worthington, Carroll, Taney,	Fraizer, Ridgely, Stevenson, Roberts,	Bracco, Oglevee, Miller, Digges,	F. Bowie, Chafe, Quynn, John Seney,	Chaille, Purnell, Beatty,	Norris, Cellars, Beall.

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On further progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the following clause be struck out of the said bill? "And be it enacted, That the collectors of the several counties shall appear at the place of holding the county court for his county, and the collector of Baltimore-town shall appear before the commissioners of the said town at such place as they shall appoint, on the twentieth day of November next, and then and there lay before the commissioners of their county, and town, respectively, an accurate and fair account of his collection of the assessment aforesaid, under the penalty of two hundred pounds current money; and the said commissioners respectively shall appear at the same time and place, under the penalty of twenty pounds current money on each commissioner not appearing, unless prevented by sickness, or other unavoidable accident, and they shall immediately proceed to adjust his said account, charging him in current money according as he received or ought to have received the same, and shall, upon such settlement, allow to the said collector a commission of four per cent. on the collection of the tax or assessment made in money, or certificates allowed by this act to be discounted, or on the sum they shall adjudge him to be answerable for; and the commissioners shall not allow the collector any deductions of any part of the sums mentioned in the certificates by them made, except only in such cases where it shall appear to them, that he has used all lawful means for the levying and collecting the same; two copies of which account, so adjusted, with a certificate of the balance thereof, shall be signed by the said commissioners, and on or before the twenty fifth day of November next, delivered to the sheriff of their respective counties, endorsed on the public service, one to be by him forwarded as public letters to the clerk of the house of delegates, and the other to the treasurer of his shore; and every collector shall pay to the treasurer of his shore, on or before the tenth day of December next, the whole balance of his account, adjusted by the commissioners, and upon failure in payment by any collector, the treasurer of his shore shall, on or before the twentieth day of December next, obtain a copy of his bond, and file the same in the general court, and thereupon scire facias shall issue against such collector and his securities, in the same manner as on bonds to the loan office, and similar proceedings shall be had to compel payment of the money due, with interest of ten per cent. from the said tenth day of December next." The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Stone appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.						
Messrs.	Grahame, Taney, Fraizer,	Jones, Turner,	Stone, Digges,	F. Bowie, Joshua Seney,	Beatty, Carey,	Funk, Beall.

N E G A T I V E.						
Messieurs	T. Bond, Lethrbury, B. Worthington, N. Worthington, Gantt, Dent,	Ridgely, Ridgely of Wm. Stevenson, Roberts, Goldborough,	Bracco, Gale, John Dashiell, Waters, Baker,	Miller, Chafe, Quynn, John Seney, Chaille,	Joseph Dashiell, Purnell, Faw, Norris, Love,	Wheeler, Driver, Stull, Cellars, Oneale.

So it was determined in the negative.