

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 ordered to be engrossed.

On the second reading the message by Daniel Bowley, Esq; the question was put, That the house agree to the first paragraph in the said message? Resolved in the affirmative.

On progression in reading the said message, the question was put, That the house agree to the second paragraph in the said message? Determined in the negative.

The message being read throughout, the question was put, That the house agree thereto? Determined in the negative.

On motion, ORDERED, That Mr. Ramsey, Mr. Ridgely of William, and Mr. Norris, be a committee to prepare a message to the senate in answer to their message of this day by Daniel Bowley, Esq;

Mr. Ramsey, from the committee, brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following message:

By THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, MARCH 2, 1786.

MAY IT PLEASE YOUR HONOURS,

WE received the bill, entitled, An act to raise the supplies for the year 1786, together with your message of this day by Daniel Bowley, Esq; and on consideration thereof, we cannot agree, at this late period of the session, to go into so material an alteration as that which you proposed. Had we no other objection to the amendment than that of time alone, it would with us be conclusive. We have made the amendment proposed in our message by Mr. Goldsborough, and agreed to in yours by Mr. Bowley, and hope that you will pass the bill as it now stands.

By order,

W. HARWOOD, clk.

Which was read the first and second time, agreed to, and sent to the senate, with the bill to raise the supplies for the year 1786, by Mr. Ridgely of William.

The bill for a general registry of wills, was read the second time by especial order, and the question put, That the said bill do pass? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Faw appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Mr. Key,	Somerville,	N. Worthington,	Gale,	Quynn,	Steret.
Mr. T. Bond,	B. Worthington,	Fraizer,			

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs. Tancy,	Ridgely of Wm.	Adams,	Miller,	Chaille,	Love,
Gantt,	Stevenson,	Waggaman,	Ramsey,	Joseph Dashiell,	J. Bond,
Jones,	Goldsborough,	Ennalls,	W. Bowie,	Faw,	Wheeler,
Turner,	Bracco,	Baker,	Digges,	Beatty,	Funk,
Ridgely,	John Dashiell,	Oglevee,	John Seney,	Norris,	Oneale.

So it was determined in the negative.

Sent to the senate by Mr. Bracco.

On motion, the question was put on the following, viz.

Whereas, there yet remains in circulation about the sum of one thousand seven hundred and eighteen, pounds three shillings and six-pence, of the bills of credit emitted under the act of May 1781, commonly called red money, and it is thought reasonable and just that the said bills of credit should not sink in the holders hands, RESOLVED, That any person or persons, holder or holders of the said bills of credit, may, on or before the first day of November 1786, pay the same to any collector for taxes due previous to the first of January 1786, and any holder of the said bills of credit may, on or before the said first of November 1786, pay the same to the treasurer of the western shore in discharge of any debt he may owe this state, provided such debt is pledged agreeable to the act to secure the payment of the state debt, and for the punctual payment of the interest thereon.

The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Oneale appeared as follow:

A F F I R M A T I V E.

Messrs. Key,	Ridgely,	Gale,	Ramsey,	Joseph Dashiell,	Love,
T. Bond,	Ridgely of Wm.	John Dashiell,	Chafe,	Faw,	J. Bond,
Somerville,	Goldsborough,	Waggaman,	Quynn,	Beatty,	Steret,
Carroll,	Bracco,	Miller,	Chaille,	Carey,	Funk.
Grahame,					

N E G A T I V E.

Messrs. B. Worthington,	Gantt,	Adams,	Oglevee,	John Seney,	Wheeler,
N. Worthington,	Jones,	Ennalls,	W. Bowie,	Norris,	Oneale.
Tancy,	Stevenson,	Baker,	Digges,		

So it was resolved in the affirmative.

Sent to the senate by Mr. Bracco.

John Henry, Esq; from the senate, delivers to Mr. Speaker a bill, entitled, An act for the relief of Edward Titchman of the city of Philadelphia, endorsed; "By the senate, March 2, 1786: "Read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

"By order,

J. DORSEY, clk.

"By the senate, March 2, 1786: Read the second time by especial order and will pass.

"By order,

J. DORSEY, clk."

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.