

and the lieutenant-colonel shall appoint the days and places of meeting in regiment, and on each of which days." Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, the question was put, That the following words in the foregoing amendment be struck out? "And in regiment on some day in October, after the tenth day thereof." Determined in the negative.

On motion, the question was put, That a fine be imposed on the militia for not appearing armed and accoutred as required by the act of congress? The yeas and nays being called for by Mr. Con-
tet, appeared as follow :

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

Messieurs	Ford, Plater, Kilgour, J. Wilmer, Lloyd, Tilghman, Harwood, Brogden,	Ridout, Freeland, M'Pherfon, Cox, Hayward, Goldsbrough, Jones, Denwood,	Daffin, Waggaman, Gordon, R. Bond, Ward, Ewing, Quynn, Duvall,	Barnes, Seney, Whittington, Dennis, Houston, Purnell, Beatty,	Jamison, Douglass, Loockerman, Driver, M'Mechen, Swearingen, Van Lear,	Oneale, R. Wootton, Threlkeld, Johnson, Bayard, Tomlinson, Simkins.	45.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	J. Worthington, Mackall, Brooke, Digges,	Ridgely, of Wm. Ridgely, T. Worthington, Howard,	Kerr, Frazier, Hollingsworth, T. Wootton,	Contee, Sprigg, O'Bryon,	Bayly, J. Bond, Prall,	Montgomery, Hughes, Crabb.	21.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, the question was put, That a fine of one cent be imposed on the militia for not ap-
pearing armed and accoutred as required by act of congress? The yeas and nays being called for by
Mr. R. Bond, appeared as follow :

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

Messieurs	Ford, Plater, Kilgour, Lloyd, Tilghman, Harwood, Brogden, Ridout, Mackall,	Brooke, Freeland, M'Pherfon, Digges, Ridgely, of Wm. Ridgely, T. Worthington, Howard,	Cox, Jones, Denwood, Frazier, Waggaman, Hollingsworth, R. Bond, Ewing,	Contee, Quynn, O'Bryon, Barnes, Seney, Whittington, Dennis, Houston,	Purnell, Beatty, Jamison, J. Bond, Montgomery, Douglass, M'Mechen, Swearingen,	Van Lear, Oneale, R. Wootton, Threlkeld, Johnson, Bayard, Tomlinson, Simkins.	49.
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N E G A T I V E.

Mess.	J. Wilmer, J. Worthington,	Goldsbrough, Daffin,	Gordon, T. Wootton,	Sprigg, Duvall,	Bayly, Driver,	Hughes, Crabb.	12.
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So it was resolved in the affirmative.

On progression in reading the said bill, the question was put, That the words "unless excused for
appearing without arms and accoutrements by the commanding officer of their respective companies
for the day," be inserted in the fourteenth clause of the said bill after the words "one cent per day?"
Resolved in the affirmative.

On motion, the question was put, That every person neglecting to attend on the several days of
meeting in militia shall forfeit and pay half a dollar per day? The yeas and nays being called for by
Mr. Kilgour, appeared as follow :

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

Messieurs	J. Wilmer, Lloyd, Tilghman, J. Worthington, Ridgely, of Wm. Ridgely,	Cox, Hayward, Goldsbrough, Denwood, Daffin,	Gordon, R. Bond, Ward, T. Wootton, Sprigg,	Duvall, Whittington, Dennis, Purnell, Beatty,	Bayly, Douglass, Driver, Swearingen, Van Lear,	Hughes, Crabb, Johnson, Bayard, Tomlinson.	31.
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N E G A T I V E.

Messieurs	Ford, Plater, Kilgour, Harwood, Brogden, Ridout,	Mackall, Brooke, Freeland, M'Pherfon, Digges,	T. Worthington, Howard, Kerr, Hollingsworth, Ewing,	Contee, Quynn, O'Bryon, Barnes, Seney,	Houston, Jamison, J. Bond, Prall, Montgomery,	M'Mechen, Oneale, R. Wootton, Threlkeld, Simkins.	31.
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The house being equally divided, the question was declared in the affirmative by the honourable
the speaker.

The further consideration of the said bill is postponed till to-morrow.

The bill to revive and aid the proceedings of the orphans court of Montgomery county, the reso-
lution making an advance of money to the emigrants of French Saint-Domingo, and the resolution
in favour of John Cartwright, were sent to the senate by the clerk.

The clerk of the senate delivers the following resolution :

RESOLVED, That it is the decided sense of this general assembly, that the true interest of this
country will be best promoted by observing an impartial neutrality in the present war among the
powers of Europe, consistent with the existing treaties of the United States; that the proclamation of
the president of the United States, of the twenty-second of April last, was wisely calculated to pre-
serve