

amendment too small, and suggest the propriety of increasing it to four per centum, which will meet with our concurrence.

By order,

JOHN BREWER, Clk.

Which was read.

On motion, the question was put, Will the senate re-consider their amendments to said resolutions? Resolved in the affirmative.

The amendment being read, the question was put, Will the senate recede therefrom? Resolved in the affirmative.

The question was then put, Will the senate receive the following as an amendment, viz.

*Amendment proposed.*

Strike out the word "six" in the last line but one of the resolution and insert "four?"

Resolved in the affirmative, and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

Also delivers the following resolution :

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES, Jan. 4, 1812.

Resolved, That the treasurer of the Western Shore be, and he is hereby authorised and required to pay to William Richardson, of Caroline county, the executor of the last will and testament of Henry Dickinson, deceased, or to his order, the sum of thirty pounds five shillings and six pence, of bills of credit emitted in June seventeen hundred and eighty, being the same money heretofore deposited in the Eastern Shore treasury by Ann Hindman, executrix of Andrew Mein, for the payment of a British debt, which has since been received by the creditor, Christopher Court & Co. merchants of London, to whom it was due by the course of law, upon the said William Richardson giving bond with security to the state to be approved of by the said treasurer, to refund the aforesaid sum of money and interest, in case a certificate shall at any time hereafter be produced to the treasurer, acknowledging that on the thirteenth day of May in the year seventeen hundred and eighty-one, Ann Hindman paid into the treasury for Christopher Court & Co. the sum of thirty pounds five shillings and six pence, by virtue of an act of assembly passed at October session seventeen hundred and eighty, entitled, An act for calling out of circulation the quota of this state of the bills of credit issued by Congress, and the bills of credit emitted by acts of assembly under the old government, and by the resolves of convention.

By order,

JOHN BREWER, Clk.

Which was read the first and second time by special order assented to and sent to the house of delegates by the clerk.

The resolutions in favor of Richard Butler and Thomas Rey-