

R E S O L U T I O N S assented to

which such taxes were payable; and that such certificates were not directly or indirectly furnished to or for the parties, or to or for any of them, by such collector, or by any other person for him: And that no collector shall have a credit for any certificates suggested to be received after the said sixth day of December aforesaid, for the taxes aforesaid, unless he shall return two lists of all the certificates for which he shall request a credit, with their numbers, dates and sums, and the names of the persons from whom received, and make oath, to be administered by either of the treasurers, to be endorsed on said list, that the certificates mentioned in such list, and requested to be allowed such collector, were, since the said sixth day of December aforesaid, actually, really and truly, and without any deceit or fraud, received in payment of the assessment due on the property in his county in the years aforesaid, and from the person named in such list, except only change, if any given on the receipt of the said certificates, in which case he gave certificates in change as far as in his power, and money only for the balance; and that such certificates were not directly or indirectly furnished to or for the parties, or to or for any of them, by such collector, or by any other person for him.

RESOLVED, That the orphans court of Charles county be authorized and empowered to draw on the treasurer of the western shore, in favour of James Taylor, a maimed militia soldier not heretofore provided for by law, for the lawful provision allowed to maimed soldiers, to commence from the first day of October, 1786.

ON the second reading the account of captain John Hamilton, **RESOLVED**, That the auditor-general be authorized and empowered to pass the account of captain John Hamilton, late agent for the Maryland line, for the sum of thirteen pounds ten shillings current money, and charge the same to the United States, agreeably to the resolve of congress of the 27th of May, 1785; and that the governor and council be authorized and empowered to draw an order on the western shore treasurer for the amount.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be authorized and required to make Simon Nicholls, late collector of the tax for Montgomery county, the following allowances in the settlement of his account, to wit: On account of William Benson, for two hundred eighteen and a half bushels of wheat delivered at his mill, the sum of eighty-one pounds eighteen shillings and nine-pence; on account of Charles Cheney, for sixty-nine and a half bushels wheat delivered at his mill, the sum of twenty-six pounds one shilling and three-pence; on account of Walter Beall, for thirteen and a half bushels of wheat delivered at his mill, the sum of five pounds one shilling and three-pence; in the whole amounting to one hundred and thirteen pounds one shilling and three-pence current money; and that the several vouchers be delivered to the treasurer, and that he be required immediately to call on the above persons for payment.

ON the second reading of the report on the petition of Sarah Buchanan the widow, and the securities, of Archibald Buchanan, deceased, **RESOLVED**, That all further proceedings on the executions issued for the state against the real property of the said Buchanan shall be and are hereby suspended until the end of this present session of the general assembly.

ON the second reading the report on the petition of Robert Long, **RESOLVED**, That the treasurer of the western shore set off and discount all interest due to this state from the said Robert Long on any bond or bonds passed by him for the purchase of confiscated property, out of the sum of six hundred and eighty-seven pounds five shillings and nine-pence due to him according to the said report, and that the said treasurer give a certificate or certificates to him for the residue; and that the said certificate or certificates be payable and received for interest payable for confiscated property sold, or for public assessments due, or to become due.

WHEREAS