

## RESOLUTIONS assented to

or house of delegates, unless the same shall be transmitted from the house in which it originates within fourteen days after the expiration of the ten days given for making applications as aforesaid.

RESOLVED, That the naval officers of this state discount with, or refund to, the merchants in their respective districts, the amount of the duties on salt lost on the 24th day of July last past, by the high tide at that time, which may have been bonded for or paid, provided the person or persons applying for such discount or refunding, shall produce a certificate from the governor and council, ascertaining, upon evidence to be given them, the quantity of salt lost by such person or persons on the said 24th day of July last.

RESOLVED, That the debtors to the state of Maryland, whose bonds, by the third section of the act, entitled, An act to establish funds to secure the payment of the state debt within six years, and for the punctual payment of the annual interest thereon, passed at November session, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-four, were appropriated as an additional fund for the redemption of the emissions of June, one thousand seven hundred and eighty, may pay and discharge their respective debts and interests in depreciation or other liquidated state certificates, provided that the same be paid into the treasury on or before the first day of August next.

RESOLVED, That the attorney-general be authorized, on the part of this state, to waive the objection of the said Philip Barton Key's being a minor at the time the said debt was contracted, and that the treasurer be authorized and required to discount and allow the claim of the said John Ross Key against Philip Barton Key, after the same shall be passed by the auditor-general, out of the debts due by the said John Ross Key to the state of Maryland, for the property of the said John Ross Key purchased of the intendant.

RESOLVED, That the auditor-general liquidate the depreciation on the pay of Patrick Kelly, a soldier of the German regiment from this state, in the same manner as to other soldiers, and grant him a certificate therefor.

RESOLVED, That all executions issued against, or served on, any of the debtors of the state, on bonds passed for state or continental state money, or where the original contract was in state or continental state money, be countermanded, and that no executions issue against such debtors before the first day of September next; and that all the said debtors for state and continental state money, be allowed to discharge the whole or any part of their debts respectively in final settlements, at the rate stipulated by the resolution of April session, 1787, provided they pay all legal costs that have accrued on or before the first day of May next; and in case of default by any of the said debtors, executions shall issue for the balance due.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be ordered to pay to Samuel Sterett, attorney for Messieurs Vanstaphorst, the sum of fifteen hundred pounds of the money collected for the use of the United States, if there shall be that sum remaining in the treasury after the payment of the journal of accounts, towards payment of the interest of the debt due to the said Messieurs Vanstaphorst.

RESOLVED, That the funds appropriated to St. John's college for the purpose of paying professors, and other officers, be and are hereby suspended until said college shall be finished, and the professors and officers thereof be appointed and actually engaged in the exercise of their several duties, and that the same be applied to the payment of the interest of the debt due to Messieurs Vanstaphorst.

WHEREAS the governor and council have drawn many orders on the treasurer of the western shore, payable to the citizens of this state, which are not satisfied: And whereas the general assembly have solemnly and repeatedly plighted the faith of the state, in case the interest received from its debtors should be inadequate