

VOTES AND PROCEEDINGS, NOVEMBER 1784. 25

	Brought over	1530365 ³³
1784. Sept. 3.	French loan of 24000000 livres, at ditto,	} 222000
Nov. 5.	Dutch loan of 10000000 livres, guaranteed by France,	} 7474
Dec. 31.	Spanish loan Farmers general of France,	7500 7840

DOMESTIC DEBT.

1782. Dec. 31.	Loan-office debt.	
	11473802.26 at 6 per cent.	} 1184176
	Liquidated debt.	
	701404 at ditto,	21042

	Army debt.	
	5635018, at ditto,	676272
		1881490
	Deduct the requisition Sept. 4,	} 1200000
1783. 1782		641490
Dec. 31.	Loan-office debt,	749050
	Liquidated debt,	42084
	Unliquidated debt, estimated at 8 millions of dollars, suppose $\frac{1}{3}$ now liquidated,	} 160000
	Army debt,	333136
	Total	3812539 ³³

☞ This deduction made, because the resolution gave licence to the states to apply so much as should be necessary of their respective quotas of it to the payment of the interest due on certificates issued from the loan-office of their own states, and other liquidated debts of the United States contracted therein.—This state has paid of the principal money £. 92603 12 5, equal to 246,942 $\frac{1}{2}$ ¢.

A TABLE of the several existent requisitions, and payments made under them as credited by the United States.

	Apportionment of the 1200000 dol.	Apportionment of the 8 millions.	Apportionment of the 2 millions.	Paid of the 8 millions Dec. 1783.	Sums now required to make $\frac{1}{2}$ the 8 million.
New-Hampshire,	48000	373598	80000	3000	183799
Massachusetts,	120000	1307596	320000	247676 ⁶⁶	406121 ³⁴
Rhode Island,	28800	216684	48000	67847 ⁵⁵	40191 ⁵
Connecticut,	133200	747196	222000	131577 ⁵³	242020 ¹⁷
New-York,	54000	373598	90000	39064 ¹	147734 ⁹
New-Jersey,	66000	485679	110000	102004 ⁵⁵	140834 ⁵⁵
Pennsylvania,	180000	110794	300000	346632 ²⁰	21364 ²
Delaware,	16800	112005	28000		55042
Maryland,	132000	923996	220000	89302 ¹¹	377695 ⁶⁹
Virginia,	174000	1307594	290000	115103 ⁵³	538693 ⁴⁷
North Carolina,	88800	622677	148000		311338 ⁵
South-Carolina,	72000	373598	120000	344301 ⁵⁷	
Georgia,	14400	24905	24000		12452 ⁵
	1200000	8000000	2000000	1486511 ⁷¹	2670685 ⁵⁰

☞ The state of Maryland has paid the sum of 58545 $\frac{1}{2}$ dollars to the continental receiver; besides the sum of 89302 dollars credited above, has advanced to the Maryland line for five months pay £. 33163 9 8, is 84435 $\frac{5}{8}$ ¢, also very large sums for the United States in light and dragoon hories, provisions, and transportation and cloathing, &c. &c. which have not been credited.

There are also funds in aid of complying with this requisition; the balances due from the several collectors of the 5/80 tax £. 1597 0 2 and the whole amount of the half of the present year's assessment, sup. oted will produce 93333 dollars; and to these sums may be added considerable advances to the officers of the Maryland line on account, which they will be charged with in the paymasters books, and consequently the state will have credit for them. The intendant begs leave to observe, that the state of Maryland is over-rated, compared with the quotas of other states, in every requisition, but more especially in that of 8,000,000

The intendant having advertised for several months in the papers for an architect to undertake the repair of the dome of the stadthouse, and meeting with no person that would undertake it for the sum appropriated by the general assembly for that purpose, he caused a survey to be made of the timbers on which the dome rests, when they were found to be so much decayed, that it would, in his opinion, as well as of others, be money thrown away to have it laid out for that purpose. It was originally constructed contrary to all rules of architecture; it ought to have been built double instead of single, and a stair-case between the two domes, leading up to the lantern. The water should have been carried off by the eves, instead of being drawn to the center of the building, to two small conductors, which are liable to be choaked by ice, and overflowed by heavy rains. That it was next to impossible, under the present construction, that it could have been made tight. The dome may stand six or seven years without injuring the building much more than it is at present, and by that time it will want a new roof, the present being very slight, the building far from being finished. I called upon Mr. Wallace to know his reasons why he did not complete it. Paper No. 22 contains his answer. His bonds are put in suit, and he is also sued to render an account of the state's copper that he sold. Mr. Wallace having given