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for the property therein, the total amount of the valuation of each person's property respectively, according as the same shall be returned by the assessors, and as corrected by them, expressing the sum charged thereon and to be paid by this act.

How the assessment is to be paid, &c.

XXXI. And be it enacted, That every person shall, on or before the tenth day of April next, pay to the collector of the county, or his deputy, in the district where his property was assessed, the sum of fifteen shillings, the said first part of the assessment imposed by this act, rating Spanish dollars at seven shillings and six-pence each, on every hundred pounds worth of his property, and so pro rata, in such of the articles following as he may be entitled to pay, that is to say: Good fresh merchantable pork, delivered before the first day of March next, well fattened on corn, and each hog exceeding ninety pounds weight, at three pounds per hundred; good beef on the hoof, adding the fifth quarter to the weight of net beef, at forty-five shillings per hundred; good merchantable barreled pork, containing at least two hundred and twenty pounds of net pork, at eight pounds ten shillings per barrel; good merchantable wheat, weighing not less than fifty-eight pounds per bushel, at seven shillings and six-pence per bushel; good sweet fresh wheat flour, the bran and shorts well separated from it, and packed in strong seasoned barrels, at eighteen shillings and nine-pence for each short hundred weight, with allowance of three shillings for the barrel and nails; transfer tobacco, inspected since the fifteenth day of September last, at seventeen shillings and six-pence per hundred; crop tobacco, inspected since the fifteenth day of September last, in hogheads weighing not less than nine hundred and fifty net, at twenty shillings per hundred, without any further allowance for cask; Spanish dollars, at seven shillings and six-pence each; other silver or gold, or new bills of credit of the emission of this state, or of the continental emission in this state, at the respective comparative passing value at the time of payment. *to be set by Com. monthly @ 9 Cts - at 2 for 1 till April 1. 1781 @ c. 48 - at 3 for 1 from the 1st of 1781 till c. 25 -*

Persons may pay in pork, &c.

XXXII. And be it enacted, That any person may pay his assessment in pork, beef, or wheat or wheat flour; and that any person making tobacco, or receiving rents due by contract to him in tobacco, provided he hath not wheat of his own raising for sale, may pay his tax for property assessed in the same county in the tobacco so made or received by him; provided that any person whose tax amounts to so much, and pays in tobacco, shall pay in crop tobacco, except the balance that may remain after the application of the hoghead or hogheads by him paid; and any person having wheat, and making or receiving tobacco as aforesaid, may, after applying his surplus wheat in the payment of his tax, pay the residue thereof in tobacco as aforesaid.

Persons having surplus wheat, &c. to pay the first part of their tax in such articles.

XXXIII. And be it enacted, That every person, having, at the time of the publication of this act, any wheat or wheat flour for sale, or beyond what may be sufficient for the common and ordinary consumption of himself and his family till the first day of August next, or any beef or pork for sale, or beyond what may be sufficient for the common and ordinary consumption of himself and his family till the first day of November next, is hereby obliged to pay off the first part of his tax in the county where he shall have such supplies, or so much of the first part of his tax as the said surplus shall amount to, in the

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