

C H A P. LXXXV.

A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to impose duties on certain enumerated articles imported into and exported out of this state, and all other goods, wares and merchandises, imported into this state. C 84

BE it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That three fourths ^{How duties are to be applied, &c.} of the money collected and received for duties in virtue of the said act, shall be remitted to the continental treasury, and the residue shall be subject to the future disposition of the general assembly; and the duties on exports, imposed by the said act, shall be continued for and during the term of three years, and no longer.

C H A P. LXXXVI.

An ACT for the payment of the journal of accounts.

WHEREAS it appears by the journal of accounts and list ^{Preamble.} of debts, that there is now due from this state the sum of eight thousand four hundred and thirteen pounds thirteen shillings and six-pence three farthings, current money,

II. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer ^{Treasurer to pay journal, &c.} of the western shore shall, and he is hereby authorized and required to pay the several persons, their executors, administrators, assigns, or orders, or to such of them as shall offer to receive the same, the several sums of current money allowed to them respectively, as they appear to be settled and ascertained by the journal of accounts aforesaid.

RESOLUTIONS assented to November session, 1784.

WHEREAS this house, on the twenty-third day of November, in the year 1781, resolved *unanimously*, That the governor be requested to write to Mr. Peale, of Philadelphia, to procure as soon as might be the portrait of his excellency general Washington at full length, to be placed in the house of delegates, in grateful remembrance of that most illustrious character: And whereas this house are informed, that the said portrait, with the frame, is finished, and ready to be delivered: Therefore, **RESOLVED**, That the governor be empowered to draw on the intendant of the revenue for such sum of money as may be necessary to pay for the said portrait and frame, and for conveying the same from Philadelphia, and setting it up.

RESOLVED, That each delegate to congress from this state be allowed the sum of three pounds current money for every day he shall attend, or be on his journey to or from congress.

ON reading and considering the several letters to his excellency the governor, from Samuel Chase, Esq; respecting his agency, **RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY**, That it is the opinion of this house, that the said Samuel Chase, Esq; in conducting and negotiating the affairs of this state, lately entrusted to his care as agent, hath manifested great zeal, fidelity, diligence, and ability, and a vigilant attention to the honour and interest of this government; and that his said conduct merits, and therefore hath, the approbation of this general assembly.

RESOLVED, That the intendant of the revenue be authorized and directed to pay the interest due on certificates liquidated agreeably to the act of May 1781, to adjust the debts due from this state.

RESOLVED, That the intendant of the revenue be authorized and directed to pay the interest due on certificates issued agreeably to the act of November session 1782, proposing to the citizens of this state creditors of