

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

UPON the second reading of the report of the committee on the petition of Lazarus Harman, **RESOLVED**, That the governor of Maryland, for the time being, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to grant unto the said Lazarus Harman, in future, half of the monthly pay which he the said Harman received in the continental service, by orders drawn quarterly on the treasury of the eastern shore for the same, and that the same be charged to the United States.

WHEREAS it appears to the general assembly that John Morris, of Saint-Mary's county, late a soldier in the third Maryland regiment, in the service of the United States, is disabled, from wounds received at the battle of the Cow-Pens, and is thereby incapable of getting a livelihood; therefore, **RESOLVED**, That his excellency the governor of Maryland, for the time being, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to grant unto the said John Morris, in future, half of the monthly pay which he the said Morris received in the continental service, by orders drawn quarterly on the treasurer of the western shore for the same, and that the same be charged to the United States.

WHEREAS it is represented to this general assembly, by the petition of Richard Barnes, of Saint-Mary's county, that on the second day of June, seventeen hundred and eighty-one, he paid to the treasurer of the western shore the sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, on account of Hanbury and Lloyd, merchants, London, pursuant to an act of assembly of October session, seventeen hundred and eighty; that he has since that time settled all accounts with the said Hanbury and Lloyd; and praying a return of the money paid into the treasury as aforesaid; and the said facts appearing to this general assembly to be true, **RESOLVED**, That the treasurer of the western shore pay unto Richard Barnes the aforesaid sum of one hundred and fifty pounds, being the same money heretofore deposited in the treasury as aforesaid.

**RESOLVED**, That the governor and council be authorized and are hereby required to appoint some person to collect all sums of money and tobacco which did belong to Robert Christie, late sheriff of Baltimore county, and were forfeited to this state, except the public and county dues, to be applied, in the first place, to the payment of a debt due from the said Christie to the state of Maryland, and so much of the remainder as may be necessary, to be applied towards payment of the debts due from the said Christie to the counties of Baltimore and Harford, and any person or persons whatever, at the time of his attainder; and that the said person, before he begins to collect, shall give bond, with sufficient security, for the faithful discharge of his duty in collecting the same; which said bond shall be lodged in the treasury of the western shore; and that the governor and council allow said person a commission not exceeding ten per cent. for collection.

**RESOLVED**, That the governor and council be requested to forward, without delay, the resolution in favour of Lazarus Harman, and all similar resolutions, with the vouchers upon which they are respectively founded, to the representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, in order that they may use their endeavours to obtain an act of congress making provision for the payment of the pensions by the United States.

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## A LIST of the LAWS passed last SESSION.

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| A Supplement to the act, entitled, An act to establish a bank in Baltimore-town.  | I.       |
| An ACT to authorize the justices of Dorchester county to assess and levy a sum of money on the inhabitants of said county for the purpose therein mentioned.  | II.      |
| An ACT continuing in force certain acts and resolutions of the general assembly for the time therein mentioned.   | III.     |
| An ACT to revive and aid the proceedings of Worcester county court.   | IV.      |
| An additional supplement to the act, entitled, An act directing the time, places and manner, of holding elections for representatives of this state in the congress of the United States, and for appointing electors on the part of this state for choosing a president and vice-president of the United States, and for the regulation of the said elections, and also to repeal the act of assembly therein mentioned.           | V.       |
| A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act supplementary to an act, entitled, An act for the more effectual paving the streets of Baltimore-town, in Baltimore county, and for other purposes.  | VI.      |
| A Supplement to an act, entitled, An act to provide for the further encouragement and establishment of Washington college, and to an act, entitled, An act for founding a college on the western shore of this state, and constituting the same, together with Washington college on the eastern shore, into one university, by the name of the University of Maryland, passed November session, seventeen hundred and eighty-four. | VII.     |
| A Supplement to the act for the relief of sundry insolvent debtors.   | VIII.    |
| An ACT to repeal part of an act, entitled, A Further supplement to the act for establishing a company for opening and extending the navigation of the river Patowmack.  | IX.      |
| An ACT for the payment of the journal of accounts.  | X.       |