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in the same proportion as the other subscribers to the said augmented capital shall from time to time pay and advance to the said president and directors the amount of their respective subscriptions, nor until the said president and directors shall certify to the said treasurer, under their hands, that the preceding instalments have been paid on every share of said augmented capital.

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Passed December 24.

An ACT for the payment of the journal of accounts.

Preamble.

WHEREAS it appears by the journal of accounts of this session, that there is now due from this state the sum of seven thousand six hundred and forty-six pounds ten shillings and three-pence current money,

Treasurer to pay persons, &c.

II. Be it enacted, by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the treasurer 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 said journal of accounts, out of any money now in the treasury, or that shall come into the treasury, subject to the appropriation of the general assembly.

RESOLUTIONS assented to November Session, 1795.

Land

RESOLVED, That no application shall be received at the land-office for any proclamation warrant to affect any land heretofore located or surveyed until the end of this present session of assembly, or until the further order of the legislature.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be and they are hereby requested to appoint some practising attorney of the court of appeals, to appear on the part of the state to the writs of error now depending in the said court, brought by the attorney-general on judgments of the general court for the eastern shore, founded on certain indictments against the said attorney-general for taking illegal fees; and that the person so appointed join in the errors assigned, or that may be assigned, by the said attorney-general in the said causes, and do all other acts and things, on the part of the state, necessary to be done, in order to a final decision on the said writs of error.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be empowered to draw an order on the treasury, in favour of the person so appointed, for such compensation as may be deemed reasonable.

State debts

RESOLVED, That the fine of fifteen per cent. interest, incurred by Joseph Baxter, clerk of Cecil county, for delay in payment of ordinary licence money to the treasurer of the eastern shore for the year seventeen hundred and ninety-four, be and the same is hereby remitted.

RESOLVED, That the sum of fifteen per cent. interest, incurred by Samuel Maffit, late sheriff and collector of Cecil county, for delay in payment of retailers licences, fines and americiaments, for the year seventeen hundred and ninety-four, be and the same is hereby remitted.

RESOLVED, That Nicholas Tice, one of the securities of Adam Fisher, late of Frederick county, deceased, be and he is hereby released from the interest due on the balance for which the said Nicholas Tice, conjointly with George Burkhart and Benjamin Musgrove, was security, on the said Nicholas Tice's paying all costs that have accrued.

RESOLVED, That the agent of this state be and he is hereby directed to delay all proceedings on the bond of Benjamin Cawood, and his securities, to the state of Maryland, for arrearages of taxes, and that indulgence be granted to the said securities, and Benjamin Cawood, until the first day of December, seventeen hundred and ninety-six, provided that all interest which may be due on said debt be paid by the said Cawood, and his securities, on or before the first day of September next.

RESOLVED, That the sum of twenty-two pounds three shillings and nine-pence in bills of credit emitted by an act of congress of the eighteenth of March, seventeen hundred and eighty, and deposited on the nineteenth of May, seventeen hundred and eighty-one, in the treasury, in lieu of eight hundred and eighty-seven pounds eight shillings and nine-pence currency, by Benjamin Rogers, on account of Thomas Bladen, under an act of assembly of this state passed at October session, seventeen hundred and eighty, chapter five, and still remaining in the treasury, be returned by the treasurer of the western shore to said Benjamin Rogers, or order, the said Rogers having otherwise satisfied the claim of the said Bladen, as appears by the certificate of Daniel Dulany, his administrator.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer be and he is hereby authorized and directed to release to Dennis Griffith all the interest now due on his bond to the state, and to release the interest as it shall arise due for three years from this period, and in the mean time no process to issue on said bond against him, or his securities.

RESOLVED,

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