

session 1780; that your committee have counted and burnt the sum of 6484 2 6 of the act of assembly and convention money of this state.

And that it appears to your committee, the said treasurer hath paid away, from the 19th of November 1780, to the 26th of November 1781, the sum of 324222 19 11 continental currency, and 202 9 8 specie, for all which payments have been produced to your committee the necessary vouchers and receipts.

That your committee have examined the state of the account of the bills of credit emitted by an act of assembly passed June session 1780, and of the bills of credit made pursuant to an act of congress of the 18th of March 1780, and find, by an account settled by the committee of claims the 19th of November 1780, there was a balance of 6694 15 11 remaining in the office.

That it appears to your committee, by said account, there has been received, since the 19th of November 1780, from the treasurer of the eastern shore, the sum of 24297 14 1; from sundry persons on account, 4435 1 9; from the collectors of the several counties on account of taxes, 38914 10 11, and the further sum of 2410 0 0 on account of sinking fund; from auctioneers, for 1 per cent. duty on property sold by them, 21 15 0; of the lieutenants of the several counties, 2713 3 7 for class money; from naval officers for tonage on vessels, 889 11 11; for ordinary licences, 1627 17 6; for registers of vessels and commissions of letters of marque, 319 4 0; for marriage licences, 594 12 0; fines and forfeitures, 121 7 3; for confiscated British property, 2078 7 6, and 2472 6 9 specie; also the sum of 2405 19 9, in lieu of 96238 13 2 old continental currency, exchanged at 40 for 1.

That your committee have counted and burnt the sum of 1747 17 6, of the bills of credit emitted by an act of assembly passed June session 1780, and the further sum of 21792 10 0, of the bills of credit made pursuant to an act of congress of the 18th of March 1780.

That it appears to your committee, by the accounts of said treasurer, he hath paid away, from the 19th of November 1780, to the 26th of November 1781, the sum of 63939 15 6 state and state continental money; also the sum of 2444 9 1 specie; for all which payments have been produced to your committee the necessary vouchers and receipts; and that there remains in the office on said account a balance of 28 17 8 specie.

That your committee find, there is the sum of 8521 17 6 of the bills of credit made pursuant to an act of congress of the 18th of March 1780, still remaining in the office, out of the money appropriated to exchange the bills of credit emitted by acts of assembly and resolves of convention of this state; that there has been received from sundry persons the sum of 3614 8 4, on account of British creditors, which sum now remains in the office unappropriated.

That your committee have also examined the state of the account of the 9000 0 0, emitted by an act of assembly passed at October session 1780, for exchanging the bills of credit emitted June 1780, and find, that the treasurer has paid away to sundry persons the sum of 653 7 6, in exchange for said bills emitted June 1780, which your committee have counted and burnt, and that there now remains in the office, for the purpose of exchanging the bills of credit emitted June 1780, the sum of 8346 12 6.

Your committee have also examined the accounts of tobacco with said treasurer, and find, by an account settled by the committee of claims on the 19th of November 1780, there was a balance of 736 hhds. of crop tobacco, containing 692129 net pounds, and 179030 pounds of transfer tobacco, remaining in the office.

That it appears to your committee, there has been received, since the 19th of November 1780, from the treasurer of the eastern shore, 802 hhds. of crop tobacco, containing 824018 net pounds, and 182454 pounds of transfer tobacco; from sundry persons on account, 104 hhds. containing 88779 net pounds; from Benedict Calvert, agreeable to an act of assembly, 39 hhds. containing 38000 net pounds tobacco; from the collectors of the several counties for taxes, 1356 hhds. crop tobacco, containing 1340537 net pounds, also 223574 pounds transfer tobacco; and from sundry persons on loan, 72 hhds. crop tobacco, containing 70432 net pounds.

That it also appears to your committee by said account, there has been paid away, from the 19th of November 1780, to the 26th of November 1781, for which have been produced to your committee the necessary vouchers and receipts, 2151 hhds. containing 2117399 net pounds of crop tobacco, also 17501 pounds of transfer tobacco; and that there remains in the office a balance of 958 hhds. crop tobacco, containing 936496 net pounds, and 567557 pounds of transfer tobacco.

Your committee beg leave further to report, that they have examined the books of the old loan-office, and find there is due on the several bonds taken by the commissioners in virtue of an act of assembly passed at November session 1769, for bills of credit, bills of exchange, and gold and silver, lent out on bond to sundry persons on interest at four per cent. per annum, and compared the same with a list thereof now remaining in the office ready for the inspection of the honourable house, amounting to 4610 0 0 sterling, and that by accounts in said office it appears there has become and still remains due, from sundry persons, on the before mentioned bonds, to the 31st of December 1781, the sum of 544 11 4 sterling for interest.

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