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That your committee have also examined the several bonds taken by the commissioners, for bills of credit emitted in virtue of an act of assembly passed November session 1773, and compared the same with a list thereof now remaining in the office, to the amount of 6378 15 6 sterling; and that there has become and still remains due from sundry persons, on the said bonds, to the 31st of December 1781, the sum of 800 3 6 sterling for interest.

That it appears to your committee, there is due from the supervisors of the public roads in Baltimore county, 378 1 8 sterling; from the supervisors of the road to the westward of Fort Cumberland, 31 14 9 sterling; from the supervisors of Baltimore county poor-house, 2400 0 0 sterling; from the supervisors of the public roads in Frederick county, 1347 17 10 sterling; that there is also due on said books from sundry sheriffs, 1881 19 3 gold currency; from the collector of the land-tax in Queen-Anne's county for the year 1763, the sum of 73 17 2 gold currency.

That it appears to your committee, there is due to sundry claimants on journal of accounts for 1760, the sum of 568 2 6 currency, and the further sum of 424 7 2 currency, due to sundry claimants on journal 1773.

Your committee have also examined the several accounts and proceedings of Henry Dickinson, Esq; treasurer of the eastern shore, and find, by a report made the 22d day of June last, there was a balance due to the state from said treasurer of 5901 6 3 continental and convention money.

That he hath received from the collectors of the several counties, the sum of 15 6 11 1/4 hard money, 4436 14 0 3/4 red money, 9918 0 0 state emission, 44616 8 4 continental and convention money, and in specific articles 13395 3 8 1/4; from William Richardson, clerk of Caroline county, for marriage licences, 19 14 4 1/2 state emission; from William Hemsley, lieutenant of Queen-Anne's county, for part of class money, 718 3 9 in said emission; from John Stevens, sheriff of Dorchester county, in part of fines to the 20th of March, 599 2 6 continental and convention money; from Gustavus Scott, on account of escheat lands in Dorchester county, 33 7 6 red money; and from sundry persons the following sums of money and tobacco, viz.

	State emis.	Cont. & conv.	Tob.	
John Woolford, late collector of Dorset, in part of balance due 1780,	15	0	0	28517
John Harrison, late clerk ditto, for marriage licences,	2	6	10 1/2	
John Page, late collector of Kent county, for balance of tobacco tax due 1780,	181	13	9	
James Bennett, late ditto of Somerset county, for part balance due ditto,				6161
John Needles, late ditto of Talbot, for ditto ditto,				11748
Patrick Hamilton, ditto Cæcil, ditto ditto,	11	10	6	20638 2 6
B. Williams, clerk ditto, for marriage licences ditto,				1139
Patrick Hamilton, late collector ditto, for balance due ditto,			65 0 0	
James Woolford, ditto Dorset, for part due ditto,	353	7	3	2118
William Parker, ditto Worcester, ditto ditto,	15	0	0	5724
Benjamin Dennis, ditto ditto ditto,	1	0	6	11483
	3	3	0	6460

From sundry collectors in part of the fund tax, 3402 14 2; from William Vickars, inspector, for duty on tobacco, 29 5 8; from Nathaniel Ricketts, for ditto, 13 8 10; from William Richardson, clerk of Caroline county, for marriage licences 55 4 0, and for ordinary licences 15 7 3; from James R. Morris, clerk of Worcester, for ditto, 69 0 0; from Robert Dennis, naval officer, for duties, 106 17 3, all of the state and continental state emissions; and from Henry Downes, collector of Caroline county, for fines, &c. 64 4 0 red money.

Your committee also find, that said treasurer hath paid away, to the 27th of November inclusive, the sum of 15 6 11 1/4 hard money, 4534 5 6 3/4 red money, 9862 1 3 state emission, 65918 13 4 continental and convention money, 3691 17 2 state and continental state emissions, and accounted for and paid away specific articles amounting to 13395 3 8 1/4, and 73350 lb tobacco, which, with 1376 18 9 state emission, in lieu of 211 16 8 specie, allowed him for balance of his salary to the 1st day of November 1781, balances said accounts; and that for all the payments the necessary vouchers and receipts have been produced to your committee.

All which is submitted to the honourable house.

By order,

A. GOLDER, clk.

Which were read, and the journal of accounts assented to.

The house adjourns till 5 o'clock.

P O S T M E R I D I E M.

The house met. Mr. Brevard appeared in the house.

The journal of accounts was sent to the senate by Mr. Quynn and Mr. Ridgely. Mr. M^cMechen brings in and delivers to Mr. Speaker the following message:

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