

In Congress 5 May, 1779. — 2275

Whereas the accounts of the deputy purchasing & issuing commissary, under the late Commissary general Joseph Trumbull deceased, were unfinished at the time of his death and still remain to be adjusted, and it is necessary that those accounts should be closed without delay,

Resolved, That Jonathan Trumbull Jun^r. Esq. be, and he is hereby fully authorized & empowered to settle and adjust the said accounts under the direction of the board of treasury.

Resolved, That the said Jonathan Trumbull be allowed a clerk to assist him, and be paid his expenses and a reasonable compensation, for his time and trouble, to be adjusted when the nature & extent of the service can be ascertained.

Resolved, That the said Jonathan Trumbull shall take an oath for the faithful execution of this duty, to be administered by the board of Treasury.

And it is recommended to the Legislatures of the several States whom it may concern to enact proper Laws for facilitating the settlement of the said accounts and compelling accountants and defaulters within their respective jurisdictions to settle their accounts and do justice to the public.

Extract from the Minutes

Chatham on July

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