

In Congress Oct.^r 6th 1779. --

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Resolved, That in addition to the sums required by the resolutions of Congress of the 22^d Nov^r 1777 and 2^d Jan^y and 21 May 1779, the several States be called on to raise in such manner as they may judge expedient, sufficient sums to enable them to pay into the Continental Treasury or to the order of Congress on the first day of February next, and on the first day of each succeeding month until the first of October next inclusive, their respective proportions of fifty million dollars.

That all sums which may be so paid by any of the States during the continuance of the War, shall be passed to their respective credits on the terms prescribed by the first article of a resolution of Congress of the 22^d Nov^r 1777; and that the several States be respectively charged with the annual interest of six per centum on all deficiencies in the payment of the several quotas which have been or may be required of them.

Resolved, That the encouragement offered by the resolution of Congress of the 29th of June last for promoting loans, be extended to all sums which may be paid into the Continental loan office on or before the first day of March next, to the amount of the blank loan office certificates which are already ordered to be struck by Congress.

That any person subscribing ten thousand dollars

dollars or upwards, shall be allowed to pay one half thereof within fourteen days after the Subscription, and the residue at the end of two months after the first payment, the whole to bear interest from the time of the first payment, if the other is punctually made.

Octo^r. 7th

Resolved, That it be recommended to the Several States, to direct their Treasurers to transmit to Congress on the first day of every month returns of the Sums which they may have respectively received for supplying the Continental treasury: That the money mentioned therein be credited from the respective dates of the returns and that the same be entered on the journals of Congress.

Resolved, That the quotas of the Several States to make up the monthly apportionment of fifteen million dollars to be paid the first day of February next, and the first day of each succeeding month to the first day of October next inclusive, be as follows,

New Hampshire	400.000 dollars
Massachusetts Bay	2.300.000 d ^o
Rhode Island &c	200.000 d ^o
Connecticut	1.700.000 d ^o
New York	750.000 d ^o
New Jersey	900.000 d ^o

Per legl.

Pennsylvania	2.300.000 dollars
Delaware	170.000 d ^o
Maryland	1.580.000 d ^o
Virginia	2.500.000 d ^o
North Carolina	1.000.000. d ^o
South Carolina	1.200.000 d ^o
Georgia being invaded is hereafter to raise its proportion	15.000.000

Resolved, That neither the present nor any former apportionment of quotas of taxes to the several States be considered as a precedent.

Extract from the Minutes
Charlottesville 1797

New Hampshire

Sum of 18 millions monthly

6th 1779

For June 1779