

APPENDIX.

RESOLUTIONS

PASSED SINCE THE REVOLUTION, WHICH ARE CON-
SIDERED PROPER TO BE PUBLISHED.

REVISED AND PREPARED UNDER THE AUTHORITY OF THE LEGISLATURE.

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No. 1.

RESOLVED, That Messrs. Thomas Brooke Hodgkin, William Wilkins and John Johnson, or any two of them, be and are hereby appointed a board of auditors, for the purposes herein after mentioned; and the said board shall meet as soon as possible, and qualify before some justice of the peace, by taking the oath of fidelity to this state, and an oath well, diligently, and faithfully to execute the duty of their office agreeable to this resolve, and by subscribing their belief in the christian religion, and shall appoint their clerk. That the business of the said board shall be to attend on the Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays, in every week, and oftener if required; to take into their care and possession the books, papers and accounts, of the late board of accounts, and continue the same in the best and plainest manner; to audit and state all accounts and sums of money due from or to this state; to audit and pass all accounts against this state, if in their judgment they are just, and to reject or correct such charges they may think are unjust; to transmit all accounts by them settled, with the respective balances struck, to the governor and the council, or the council, for their examination and controul; to keep and state, and lay before the governor and the council, the accounts of this state against congress, and against the agents of this state in foreign parts; to call on all persons that have had public monies advanced to them by order of the late conventions, councils of safety, this general assembly, or the governor and council, for an account of the expenditure thereof; to call on all persons who shall hereafter have public monies advanced to them, to render an account of the expenditure thereof; to call on the late treasurers under the old government, to render an account of their proceedings, and the balances in their hands respectively, if any; to call on the late committees of observation to render an account of the sums of money by them respectively received for fines imposed on non-enrollers; to call on collectors of fines to render an account of all monies by them respectively received; to render a true and perfect account of all their proceedings to the house of delegates, when required; to keep secret all such matters and things as they shall be enjoined to keep secret by the house of delegates, or the governor and council.

Auditors appointed—
their duties.