

**RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY,** That it was the duty of the General Assembly to comply (as far as in their power) with the requisition of Congress, of the 6th of October last, and to raise if possible fourteen million two hundred and twenty thousand dollars, required by Congress as our quota, in nine months from the first of February next; on which the public credit, the existence of our army, and the support of our liberties so greatly depend.

**RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY,** That it is the opinion of this House, that it is improper to attempt to raise whole of our quota by taxes, and that it is impracticable to collect by taxes the monthly sum of one million five hundred and eighty thousand dollars.

**RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY,** That it is the opinion of this House, that the honourable the Senate, by rejecting the bill for the seizing and confiscating British property, hath prevented this House from complying with the requisition of Congress, and raising money to enable that body to support the credit of our currency, and to defray the current expences of the war; and there ore, that any consequences which may arise therefrom to the public are properly and justly to be imputed to those members of the Senate who gave their negative to the bill.

**RESOLVED UNANIMOUSLY,** That the voters of this state be earnestly requested to express their sentiments on the present difference between the two branches of the legislature, respecting the seizing and confiscating British property within this State.

**ORDERED,** That the above resolves be printed in the Annapolis and Baltimore new papers, and with the messages before ordered to be published.