

appoint; and that if the above sum shall be expended, before the next meeting of the Congress, then that General *Schuyler*, or the Commander in Chief, for the time being, in that department be empowered to draw upon the continental treasury for a further sum not exceeding Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, to be applied for the use and in the manner above mentioned.

*Resolved*, THAT the sum of *sixteen thousand Dollars* be paid to the Delegates of the Colony of Pennsylvania, in full for the like sum by them borrowed by order of the Congress, on the 3d of June last, for the use of the Continent.

*Resolved*, THAT the sum of *ten thousand Dollars* be placed in the hands of the Delegates of Pennsylvania, or any three of them, for contingent services, and that out of the same, be paid the expences incurred for raising and arming the rifle companies, and for expresses and other small charges, of which the Congress have not been able to procure exact accounts; and that the said Committee do lay before the Congress, at their next meeting, an account of their proceedings in that matter.

WHEREAS at a former Congress it was resolved, that, if certain acts of Parliament, in the Continental Association enumerated and complained of, should not be repealed on or before the 10th day of September, 1775, the inhabitants of these United Colonies would not, directly or indirectly, export any merchandize or commodity