By

The United States in Congress Assembled

July 23d 1781.

Resolved

That five suitable persons be appointed and authorised to open a subscription for a loan of thirty thousand dollars for the support of such of the citizens of the State of South Carolina and Georgia as have been driven from their Country and possessions by the enemy, the said States respectively by their delegates in Congress pledging their faith for the repayment of the sums so lent with interest in proportion to the sums which shall be received by their respective citizens, as soon as the legislatures of the said States shall severally be in condition to make provision for so doing, and Congress hereby guaranteeing this obligation.

That the said five persons do also receive voluntary and donations to be applied to the further relief of the said sufferers.

ARCHIVES OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.