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Abstract

James Duane, William Sharpe, and Oliver Wolcott comprised a committee to "estimate and state the amount of the debts due to the United States." The committee reported its findings to Congress on April 18, 1781. This report, mostly in narrative form but also including account statements, focuses largely on money owed soldiers and government officials. Tables of salaries due officers and officials are provided. Also included is information pertaining to loans, interest accrued, and financial arrangements with France. The report covers finances from 1775 to 1781, with estimates of expenses for 1781-1782. The final page includes the "further report of the Committee as amended by Congress, April 7, 1783."

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