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From the Account of the net produce of all the permanent Taxes in the year ending the 10th of October, 1797, now on the Table of the House of Commons, it appears that the receipt of the old Taxes amounts (besides fractions) to 4,340,036l. The same Taxes produced in 1792, 4,284,295l. The deficiency, therefore, in consequence of the War, is 55,741l. The produce of the Taxes of the years 1793-4-5-6 is 4,572,959l. They were calculated in the different Budgets to produce 4,387,000l; the deficiency, therefore, amounts to 185,959l.

Deficiency of the old Revenue	£ 55,741
Ditto of the Taxes 1793-4-5-6	129,218
Total	185,959

For the service of the year 1797 provision was made by Taxes for the receipt of 3,318,000l. There has been actually received 760,044l. The deficiency amounts, therefore, to 2,557,956l.

Deficiency of the old Revenue	£ 55,741
Ditto of the Taxes 1793-4-5-6	129,218
Ditto of ditto, 1797	2,372,997
Total deficiency	2,557,956

AN ACCOUNT

Of the Total Net Produce of the TAXES, for One Year, ending the 10th of October 1797,
Distinguishing each QUARTER;
And distinguishing also the DUTIES imposed in 1793, 1794, 1795, 1796, and 1797.

BRITISH HOUSE OF COMMONS.

FRIDAY. The House in a Committee of Ways and Means, Mr. PITT, after addressing to the Address of the Parliament, in answer to his Majesty's Message, and especially to convince our enemies, and the world, that our spirit was equal to our professions, and our means commensurate with both; said, that though savings would be effected to the amount of 6,700,000l. yet the

Navy Estimate for the year amounted to	£ 12,500,000
Army	11,000,000
Ordnance	1,500,000
Miscellaneous Services	673,000
Commissioner of National Debt	500,000
Deficiency of Grants	677,000
Total	£ 26,250,000

which sum could not be obtained without adding to the burthen of the People. In calculating the means to answer this expence, he laid the

Lottery and Growing Produce of the Consolidated Fund at	£ 7,500,000
Land and Malt	18,750,000
Exchequer Bills	3,000,000
New Loan	12,000,000
Increase for Altered Taxes	7,000,000
Total	£ 48,250,000

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Quarter	1793	1794	1795	1796	1797
1st Quarter					
2nd Quarter					
3rd Quarter					
4th Quarter					
Total					

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