

services of the highest value. A classical scholar of the broadest attainments, he adorned the Assembly; a man of energy, industry and integrity, guided by a lofty public spirit, he was ever faithful to his constituents and his State.

*Resolved, further,* That a copy of this Resolution be bound with the Acts of Assembly for the year 1912, and that a copy thereof be properly engrossed and under the Great Seal, be transmitted by the Secretary of the Senate to the family of Louis McK. Griffith.

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No. 3.

WHEREAS, The General Assembly of Maryland has received a communication through the Governor of Maryland, transmitting a resolution passed by the General Assembly of Virginia declaring that uncertainty still exists as to the real boundary line between the States of Maryland and Virginia along the Potomac River, by reason of failure of arbitrators appointed to ascertain the boundary line between said States, to define and limit the meaning of the term "Headland" as used in said award or to locate "Headlands" upon the plat filed with said award; in consequence whereof the jurisdiction of said States is still in doubt and litigation and conflict is constantly arising on said waters; and appointing a joint committee of the two Houses of the General Assembly of Virginia to confer with a like committee on the part of the General Assembly of Maryland; therefore be it

1. *Resolved by the Senate (the House of Delegates Concurring),* That a joint committee, to be composed of three on the part of the Senate and five on the part of the House of Delegates, to be appointed by the President of the Senate and Speaker of the House, to confer with a like committee on the part of the General Assembly of Virginia and to frame and report such a law or compact as will settle questions of jurisdiction or doubt as to said boundary line, in so far as the designations and names of such "Headlands" are concerned, and in so far as the respective jurisdictions of the said States over felonies and misdemeanors are concerned, without in any way affecting the rights or jurisdictions of either of the said States in said waters so far as fishing and oystering is concerned.

2. *Resolved,* That the Governor of the State of Maryland is hereby requested to transmit a copy of these resolutions at once to the Governor of Virginia, to be by him laid before the General Assembly of Virginia immediately upon the receipt thereof.