

fitting one of the original States and one with such important maritime interests. Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That a commission of three be appointed, two by the Speaker of the House and one by the President of the Senate, to investigate and report to the General Assembly of 1912 the cost and advisability of purchasing and fitting out one of the old Baltimore clipper ships and sailing said ship through the Panama Canal to San Francisco, as a part of Maryland's contribution to the exposition, together with such other recommendations in connection therewith as the said commission may see fit to make.

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No. 6.

*Be it resolved*, That the thanks of the General Assembly of Maryland, be and the same are hereby, tendered to Professor H. F. Moore, of the Federal Department of Commerce, Bureau of Fisheries, and to Captain C. C. Yates, of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, for the services performed by these gentlemen in marking out the natural oyster beds of the State of Maryland.

Our citizens of all sections, and without regard to differences in political opinion are greatly appreciative of the courtesy, industry, tact and kindness which have been displayed by these gentlemen in dealing with an important and difficult question.

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No. 7.

*Resolved by the House of Delegates (the Senate concurring)*, That Murray Vandiver, James McC. Trippe, Ogle Marbury, Charles A. Andrew, William W. Beck and William T. Warburton be and they are constituted a State commission to inquire into and report to the General Assembly of 1914 all matters and facts concerning the relation of the State of Maryland to the Maryland Agricultural College, situated at College Park, Maryland, and particularly the condition, value and effectiveness of its plant and buildings, the title, nature and ownership of private corporate stock, and private corporate lands and State lands there situate, the teaching staff and the work done for the State as to its character, value and effectiveness, and all other matters connected with and pertaining to the interest of the State of Maryland in these matters and its present and future appropriations on this account, with full power to said commission to investigate and report in the premises.