

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the State hereby declares its intention to submit to the people, at as early a day as practicable, a call for a Constitutional Convention, so as to give them an opportunity to carry such policy into effect. And be it further

Resolved, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be respectfully requested to use all honorable efforts to secure the passage of a law by Congress, whereby all LOYAL owners may be compensated for the loss of their slaves.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Which were read the first time.

Mr. Hebb moved to suspend the rules, in order to give the resolutions a second reading.

Mr. Barron demanded the yeas and nays.

The demand being sustained,

The yeas and nays were called, and appeared as follow :

AFFIRMATIVE.

Messrs. Hoffman,	Hammond,	Dundon,
Poteet,	Buhrman,	Mules,
Wright,	Biggs,	Boswell,
Pearce, of Balt.,	Rinehart,	Cushwa,
Lusby,	Snyder,	Masters,
Lester,	Trail,	Miller,
Kerr,	Hitchcock,	Gantz,
McNeal,	Archer,	Zeigler,
Elliott,	Ridgaway,	Greene,
Jones,	Barron,	Shaw,
Stubbs,	Silverwood,	Brown,
Boulden,	Chappell,	Hebb,
Pierce, of Q. A.	Stevens,	Ecker,
Duncan,	Stockbridge,	Starr,
Smith,	Lee,	Sykes,
Murray, of Wor.,	Murray, of B. c.,	Tyson—48.

NEGATIVE.

Messrs. Dent,	Ireland,	Brohawn,
Martin,	Carrico,	Hance,
Westcott,	Mathews,	Herbert,
Cosden,	Hyland,	Tolson,
Claude,	Handy,	Fawcett,
Iglehart,	Douglass,	Young,
Henkle,	Frazier,	Waters—22.
Griffith,		