

## APPENDIX.

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delivery; **RESOLVED**, That the intendant of the revenue be required and directed, to adjust and settle the same with the said Garretson, and in case of diversity of sentiment, that the same be referred to three disinterested persons, to be nominated by the said intendant and Garretson, who, upon hearing all the circumstances on oath, shall settle and adjust the same.

Intendant to settle  
with Job Garret-  
son, &c.

### NOVEMBER SESSION, 1785.

#### No. 1.

On reading and considering the report from the commissioners of this state, appointed to meet the commissioners from the commonwealth of Virginia, to regulate and settle the jurisdiction and navigation of Potomac and Pocomoke rivers, and that part of Chesapeake bay which lieth within the territory of Virginia, the house came to the following resolutions to wit:

Relative to regu-  
lating and settling  
jurisdiction, &c.  
of Potomac, &c

**RESOLVED**, That it is the opinion of this house, that this state should concur with the commonwealth of Virginia in making a joint application to Congress for their consent to form a compact for the purpose of affording, in due time, and in just proportion, between the two states, naval protection to such part of Chesapeake bay and Potomac river, which may at any time hereafter be left unprovided for by congress, and that such compact, when made, be laid before congress for their approbation; and that such compact, if approved, should continue until mutually dissolved by the two states, or until congress shall declare that such compact ought no longer to exist.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the opinion of this house, that if the general assembly of the commonwealth of Virginia concur in making such application to congress, the delegates from this state to congress be authorised and requested, to make such application on behalf of this state, in conjunction with the delegates from the commonwealth of Virginia, to congress, or with such other persons as the legislature of Virginia shall appoint for that purpose.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the opinion of this house, that foreign gold and silver coin received in the two states as the current money thereof, should pass in the two governments at the same value, according to its fineness and weight; and that if the species of coin could be regulated at the same nominal value, it would be of great convenience to the commerce between the citizens of the two states.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the opinion of this house, that the damages on foreign bills of exchange protested, ought to be the same in both states, and that foreign protested bills of exchange should be considered, in all cases, and to all purposes, as of equal rank with debts upon contract, in writing, signed by the party.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the opinion of this house, that draughts by the merchants of either state upon those of the other, in the nature of inland bills of exchange, should be subject by law to official protest by a notary public, and that the damages for non payment should be the same in both states.

**RESOLVED**, That it is the opinion of this house, that it is essential to the commerce and revenue of the commonwealth of Virginia, and of this state, that duties on imports or exports, if laid, should