

sioners on the part of this state to meet such commissioners as may be appointed for the same purpose by the commonwealth of Virginia, to settle and adjust, by mutual compact between the two governments, the western and southern limits of this state, and the dividing lines and boundaries between this state and the said commonwealth; and also to settle and adjust as aforesaid any claim of this state or the said commonwealth to territory within the limits of the other; and the said commissioners are required to report their proceedings, in virtue of this appointment and authority, to the general assembly of this state, at their next session after the same shall have been concluded, for confirmation or rejection.

No. 4.

RESOLVED, That the governor of this state be requested to transmit, without delay, to the governor of Virginia, a copy of the foregoing resolve, in order to its being laid before the legislature of that commonwealth, and at the same time to communicate the wish of this general assembly that a similar resolve may be passed by the general assembly of Virginia.

Copy of resolution to be forwarded to Governor of Virginia, &c

No. 5.

RESOLVED, That the trustee of this state be and he is hereby empowered and directed to transfer to the Patuxent associators, or their legal representatives, stock of the United States belonging to this state bearing an immediate interest of six *per cent.* to the amount of four thousand three hundred and eighty-four dollars, stock of the United States bearing an interest of six *per cent.* after the year eighteen hundred to the amount of two thousand one hundred and ninety-two dollars, and stock of the United States bearing an interest of three *per cent.* to the amount of three thousand two hundred and eighty-eight dollars, in the proportions herein after directed; and in order to ascertain the proportion of the said stocks which each individual associator, or his representatives, may be entitled to receive, the governor for the time being is hereby authorised and requested to nominate for that purpose three impartial persons as referees, who, or a majority of them, shall thereupon, and after five weeks notice in the Annapolis and George-town newspapers, and such other notice as they shall think necessary, meet at a convenient place, by them to be appointed, and proceed to adjust the several proportions aforesaid upon principles of right and justice; and the said referees, or a majority of them, may adjourn from day to day until the objects of their nomination shall be completed; and when the said adjustment shall be closed, they shall report the same, under their hands and seals, to the said trustee, who shall thereupon transfer to such of the said associators, or their legal representatives, as shall apply for the same, stocks of the United States as aforesaid to the amount of their respective proportions; provided, that the aggregate of transfers shall not exceed the sums aforesaid; and provided also, that before any such transfer, bond with security, to be approved by the said trustee, shall be given for repayment to the state of the stock to be transferred, in case it shall hereafter appear that this state hath not had credit with the United States for the amount of the aforesaid sums in the late settlement of the accounts between the United States and the individual states.

Trustee authorised to transfer stock of the U. S. to the Patuxent association, &c.