APPENDIX. -- RESOLUTIONS.

and that the day on which any resolution, published with the laws, shall have been finally assented to, be also noted; that a short marginal abstract be given of each clause of an act as heretofore, and that as often as the acts and resolutions printed shall be sufficient to make a separate volume, (provided there be comprised in one volume, the acts and resolutions of four different sessions of the general assembly at least,) a table or index shall also be printed of the contents of that volume, together with a suitable title page; which said index shall be made by such person or persons whom the governor and council may think proper to employ from time to time for that purpose; who shall be paid such reasonable compensation therefor, as the general assembly shall think proper to allow.

See 1816, ch. 98.

JUNE SESSION, 1812.

No. 1.

WHEREAS the government of the United States has, by its com- Passed June 18, munication to the governor of this state, dated the fifteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and twelve, required of the state of Maryland its quota of one hundred thousand militia, to be got in readiness, armed and equipped, and ready to take the field at a moment's warning; and it has therefore become the duty of the general assembly of Maryland, to make immediate preparation to put its quota, consisting of six thousand men, in a state of readiness for service; therefore,

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be, and they are relative to arm. hereby authorised and directed, to furnish out of the public arms ing milita, &c. and accoutrements belonging to the state, to the non-commissioned officers and privates composing the said quota, such arms and accontrements as are required by the act of congress entitled, "An act more effectually to provide for the national defence, by establishing an uniform militia throughout the United States;" and if there be a deficiency of such accontrement in the arsenals of the state, then to contract for and purchase such articles as may be necessary to comply with the terms of this resolution.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be, and they are hereby authorised and directed, in addition to the accourrements required by the said act of congress, to supply such quota, in proportion as it may be called into actual service, with the following articles, to wit: one canteen to each non-commissioned officer and private, and such number of camp kettles and tents as the governor and council may deem necessary for the said detachment.

RESOLVED, That the governor be instructed to open a correspondence with the executive of the United States, relative to the terms on which the said arms and accourrements are loaned for the use of the United States; and requiring an assurance from the said government, that the said arms and accoutrements, or other arms and accoutrements equal in quantity and quality, shall be restored to the state, when the service of the quota of militia of this state shall have been completed.