under the auspices, management and control of the national government.

2nd. Be it resolved, That our senators and representatives in Requested congress be and they are hereby requested to vote for, and to to vote for hasten as much as possible the passage of a suitable bill for the accomplishment of this object, and that a copy hereof be transmitted to them to be laid before the several houses of congress.

No. 7.

Joint resolution requesting the senators and representatives of this State, in the congress of the United States, to vote for and urge the passage of the bill now pending in congress, authorizing the construction of a bridge across the eastern branch of the Potomac river, at or near the foot of South Capitol street, in the District of Columbia.

Preamble

WHEREAS, there is now pending in the congress of the United States, a bill for the construction of a bridge across the eastern branch of the Potomac river, at or near the foot of South Capitol street, in the city of Washington, District of Columbia; and

Preamble

WHEREAS, the construction of such a bridge will be of great benefit to a large number of the citizens of this State, by giving them a more easy and direct route to and from the Capitol of the Nation, and by thus making more accessible to the city of Washington a large area of land of citizens of this State: there-

Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the senators and representatives of this State, in the congress of the Urge pas- United States, be and they are hereby requested to vote for and urge the passage—as speedily as practicable—of the bill now pending in congress, entitled "A bill authorizing the construction of a bridge across the eastern branch of the Potomac river, at or near the foot of South Capitol street, in the District of Columbia."

Be it further resolved, That a copy of this joint resolution be forwarded to each of said senators and representatives.