

of the honor conferred upon me, with the assurance that my best efforts shall be put forth in the discharge of the very responsible duties of the office.

Very respectfully,
Your obedient servant,

SPENCER C. JONES.

We recommend that this report be entered in full on the journal.

Respectfully submitted,

ROBERT MOSS,
JOHN S. WIRT,

On the part of the Senate.

HARRY A. FULD,
J. ROGER McSHERRY,
HOWARD GRIFFITH,

On the part of the House.

Which was read and ordered to be spread on the journal.

JOINT RESOLUTIONS—SECOND READING.

Mr. Combs, from the Committee on Federal Relations, reported favorably,

House Joint Resolution requesting and directing the Senators and Representatives of the State of Maryland, in the Congress of the United States, to use their best efforts for the passage of a bill transferring the Revenue Marine Service from the Treasury Department to the Navy Department of the United States.

Which was read a second time, and passed by yeas and nays, as follows:

AFFIRMATIVE.—Messrs. Speaker, Combs, Strong, Wilson, Brashears, Donaldson, Hutchins, Sappington, of Anne Arundel, Lane, Carrico, Maddox, Orrick, Cole, Elliott, Hamilton, Jr., Schlafler, Wooters, Leonard, Green, Sterling, Smith, of Dorchester, Miles, Kirk, Beeks, Grove, of Cecil, Bowie, of Prince George's, Hill, Wilkinson, Hayman, McSherry, Gaver, Grove, of Frederick, Bevard, Hayward, Deen, Johnson, Thompson, Fitzgerald, Brennan, Field, Gill, Sams, Sanders, Carr, Cornthwaite, Smith, of Washington, Fockler, Shafer, Garrott, Barber, Young,