

heroes of the Revolutionary War; and whereas, they intend as one of the means of raising the said money, to hold in Baltimore city, during the winters of 1892 and 1893, a bazaar and an exhibition of relics of the said Revolutionary War; and whereas, such an exhibition is not only calculated to inculcate patriotism among the citizens of the State, but to be of great interest to them; and whereas, it is desirable that the State of Maryland should aid in such a laudable undertaking; therefore, be it

Resolved, That the Governor, the Comptroller and the Commissioner of the Land Office of the State, together with William Ridgely Griffith and Dr. James D. Iglehart, of Baltimore city, on the part of said Society, be and are hereby fully authorized to exhibit at the said "Bazaar and Exhibition of Relics of the Revolutionary War," such of the battle flags of said war, both American and British, together with such other articles, letters, commissions, documents, &c., in the possession of the State, as they may deem best and of interest to the citizens of this and other States of these United States, the expenses of said exhibit to be borne by the said Society.

Which was read the first time, and

Referred to the Committee on Federal Relations.

Mr. Robinson presented the following:

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTIONS

Requesting the Senators and Representatives in Congress from the State of Maryland to take action to prevent the extension of the Washington and Western Maryland Railroad Company, unless said charter shall be so amended as to prevent said company from occupying, using or acquiring any of the property of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company.

Whereas, The Washington and Western Maryland Railroad Company, a company chartered by Act of Congress and authorized to construct a railroad from Acquaduct Bridge, in Georgetown, D. C., to the District line west of Georgetown, has passed under the control of parties representing the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company; and

Whereas, Said charter expired on the 2d day of March, 1892; and