

JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

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Joint Resolutions tendering the thanks of the State of Maryland to Commander Winfield Scott Schley, Commander George W. Coffin, Lieutenant William H. Emory, jr., Lieutenant Charles J. Badger, Dr. Howard E. Ames, Dr. Edward H. Green, and to the other officers, and to George E. Yewell and the other men of the Greely Relief Expedition of eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and authorizing the Governor to procure and present, as a memorial to Commander Winfield Scott Schley, a gold chronometer watch suitably inscribed.

WHEREAS Commander Winfield Scott Schley, U. S. N., a native of this State, was appointed by President Chester A. Arthur, to command the Greely Relief Expedition of Eighteen hundred and eighty-four, to the Arctic Regions, in search of Lieutenant A. W. Greely, U. S. A., and his comrades; and

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WHEREAS said service was perilous, demanding skill, perseverance and courage in the presence of hourly danger; and

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WHEREAS the said Expedition succeeded in rescuing said Greely and six of his comrades from imminent death; therefore,

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*Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the thanks of the State of Maryland, be and they are hereby tendered to Commander Winfield Scott Schley, Commander George W. Coffin, Lieutenant William H. Emory, jr., Lieutenant Charles J. Badger, Dr. Howard E. Ames, Dr. Edward H. Green, and to the other officers, and to George E. Yewell and the other men of said Expedi-

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