

ences demand that the suppression of their civil liberties should not be passed over in silence; moreover, the people of the State and your committee cherish an abiding confidence, that the time is not far distant, when an enlightened public opinion will be aroused in every part of this once great and happy Republic, which will of itself rebuke the action, and reverse the policy of the administration at Washington, and in their judgments when that time shall have arrived the Legislature of this State should be ready to make suitable provision for the restoration of its authority, and the enforcement of its laws.

Your committee are of opinion that the next General Assembly should be held in the Capitol of the State. They therefore, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Delegates, That when the Senate and House of Delegates adjourn Wednesday, the Seventh of August, instant, 1861, they stand adjourned until Tuesday, the Seventeenth of September, 1861, at 1 o'clock, P. M., and shall then meet at the city of Annapolis.*

[Signed.]

JAMES T. BRISCOE,

T. PARKIN SCOTT,

WILLIAM HOLLAND:

Committee on part of the House.

TEAGLE TOWNSEND,

F. WHITAKER.

Committee on part of the Senate.

Which was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Briscoe,

The rules were suspended to give the resolution a second reading; pending the reading,

Mr. Eakle moved to strike out "Annapolis" and insert "Frederick."

Mr. Chaplain moved to lay the resolution on the table,

Which was lost.