

the States, and that no distribution of them, should be made in which all do not participate.

*Resolved*, That after the proper and necessary wants of the government are provided for, and to prevent the accumulation of large sums of money in the Treasury, which would tend to embarrass the trade of the country, the surplus should be distributed quarter annually amongst the States.

*Resolved*, That whenever the exigencies of the government should require it, Congress is clothed by the constitution, with ample authority to put in requisition, all the resources of the country, and a patriotic people will never fail to sustain a government of their own choice, with all the means in their power.

*Resolved*, That the Senators and Representatives, from this State in Congress be requested to bring the subjects embraced in the preceding resolutions before their respective houses, and to urge the adoption of such measures, as will be in accordance therewith.

*Resolved*, That his Excellency the Governor, be requested to forward to each of the Senators and Representatives in Congress from this State, a copy of the foregoing resolutions.

---

No. 23.

Resolution in favor of Levi Dawson.

Passed Feb. 20,  
1837.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland*, That Levi Dawson be allowed ten days from the passage of this resolution to compound on a tract of land called, Deep Snow, and the Treasurer of the Western Shore is hereby authorised to receive the same, thereby making the certificate for said tract of land as valid as if the same had been compounded on in due time; *provided nevertheless*, that rights acquired in any part or the whole of said land, by other persons since the issuing of the warrant on which said survey was made, shall not be effected by any thing contained in this resolution.