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No. 7

Resolutions reported by the Committee on the Judiciary on the petition of James Wingate, for a State subscription to "Maryland Register." Passed March 10, 1856.

*Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the State Librarian be and he is hereby authorised and directed to subscribe for three hundred copies of the Maryland Register for 1856 and 1857, when published by James Wingate, at one dollar per copy; and that upon the delivery of said books to the State Library, the Comptroller is hereby authorised to issue his warrant to the Treasurer, to pay said James Wingate, for said Maryland Register, at the rate of one dollar per copy, when the money therefor is appropriated by law.

*Resolved,* That two hundred and fifty copies of said Maryland Register shall be distributed from the State Library, under the direction of the Comptroller of the Treasury, among the different officers of this State, in the various counties and in the city of Baltimore.

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No. 8.

Resolutions relative to the advance by the State of Maryland, to the United States, of \$72,000 in the years 1791 and 1792. Passed Mar 10, 1856.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That this Legislature regrets to find that no decisive action has yet been taken by the Congress of the United States in reference to the request preferred by this State, by resolutions of her Legislature, passed and submitted to Congress so long ago as the year 1842, to have refunded to her the sum of seventy-two thousand dollars, with interest upon it; said sum being the amount advanced by the State of Maryland in the years seventeen hundred and ninety-one and seventeen hundred and ninety-two, to the Fed-