

RESOLUTIONS.

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No. 48.

RESOLVED, by the General Assembly, two thirds of all the members of each house concurring, That the following address be presented to his excellency the governor :

To his Excellency the Governor of the State of Maryland,

The General Assembly of Maryland conceive it to be their bounden duty, as guardians of the public interest and safety, to call your attention to the conduct and habits of one of the members of the judiciary.

It appears to the general assembly, from satisfactory testimony, that the intemperate habits of Zebulon Hollingsworth, of the sixth judicial district, associate judge, is wholly incompatible with his official character and usefulness, and that he has failed to give that attendance on the courts which the nature of his appointment, and the interest of the public absolutely require. You are therefore requested, immediately on the receipt of this address, to remove the said Zebulon Hollingsworth from his office as associate judge.

No. 49.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and directed, to pay to John Norris, of Harford county, or to his order, the sum of sixty-four dollars and eighty-nine cents.

No. 50.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised, to pay to William H. Marriott, the sum of one hundred and eighty-five dollars, for military services rendered to this state during the late war, out of any unappropriated money in the treasury.

No. 51.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby directed, to pay unto Peregrine Bantham, of Kent county, late a private in the revolutionary war, annually, in quarterly payments, during life, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, as a further remuneration for those services by which his country has been so essentially benefitted.

No. 52.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby directed, to pay to Jacob Jeffries, of Queen-Anne's county, late a private in the revolutionary war, or to his order, annually, in quarterly payments, during life, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, as a further remuneration to him for those services by which his country has been so essentially benefitted.

No. 53.

RESOLVED, That our senators and representatives in the Congress of the United States, be requested to call the attention of the national legislature to the shortness of the corn crop in this and some of the adjacent states, and to co-operate in such measures as the wisdom of congress may devise, to alleviate the distress which our citizens will necessarily experience in case the apprehended scarcity of bread stuffs throughout the union should be likely to be realized.

RESOLVED, That the honourable the President of the Senate, and the Speaker of the House of Delegates, cause copies of the above resolution to be made out and signed by the President on behalf of the Senate, and by the Speaker on behalf of the House of Delegates, and forwarded to the members of congress from this state.

No. 54.

RESOLVED, That the executions against the securities of Thomas Pollard, late sheriff of Allegany county, on judgments already obtained, or hereafter to be obtained, at the suit and in the name of the treasurer of the western shore of Maryland in Allegany county court, shall not be executed or levied before the twentieth day of January next, provided the said securities severally, or together, as they may be sued, shall with security to be approved by the clerk of the said county, confess judgment in the several cases.

RESOLVED, That the sheriff of said county shall require the payment of interest upon the judgment above mentioned only from and after the twentieth day of January as aforesaid.

No. 55.

RESOLVED, That the treasurer of the western shore be and he is hereby authorised and directed, to pay to the executor of the late John E. Ford, of Charles county, the sum of one hundred and forty-four dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

No. 56.

RESOLVED, That the governor and council be authorised and required, to examine into and settle the claims of Lewis Medley, of Saint-Mary's county,

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Passed Jan. 31
For the removal of Zebulon Hollingsworth.

Passed Feb. 1
In favour of John Norris.

Passed Feb. 3
— of William H. Marriott.

Passed Feb. 3
— of Peregrine Bantham.

Passed Feb. 4
— of Jacob Jeffries.

Passed Feb. 4
Relative to exportation of bread stuffs.

Passed Feb. 4
In favour of securities of Thomas Pollard.

Passed Feb. 5
In favour of executor of John E. Ford.

Passed Feb. 5
Relative to claims of Lewis Medley