

Resolved, That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be, and they are hereby requested to afford to the said agents every possible aid in their power.

Resolved, That the said agents, be, and they are hereby allowed a commission of two per cent on such sum or sums of money as they shall actually recover, and cause to be paid over to the Treasury of the State as hereinafter provided.

Resolved, That as soon as the said claim is settled, and the government of the United States is prepared to pay the money, the same shall be paid to the Treasurer of the Western Shore, who is hereby directed to receive the same, and to give the necessary receipts therefor, and the said money shall be held by the said Treasurer, and be by him applied from time to time as may be necessary upon the requisition of the President and Directors of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal company, to pay the interest on such sum or sums of money as this State may at this or at any future session of this General Assembly, authorise the Chesapeake and Ohio canal company to borrow upon the credit of the company for the completion of the Canal to Cumberland; and to secure the repayment of the sum or sums of money that may be so advanced and paid to the said company, the President and Directors of the said company, shall, at the same time, deliver to the Treasurer of the Western Shore, an equal amount in the bonds of the said company, which may be authorised to be issued by the President and Directors of the said company at the present or any future session of the General Assembly for the completion of the Canal to Cumberland.

Resolved, That his Excellency the Governor be and he is hereby requested to furnish a copy of these resolutions to each of the agents hereinbefore appointed; and also to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress, who will make such use of them as in their judgments they may deem most advisable.

Which was read the first time and ordered to lie on the table.

Mr. Worthington, of Baltimore county, moved that it be entered on the Journal, that he dissented from said report of the majority of the committee.

Determined in the affirmative.

On motion of Mr. Lankford,

The House adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock.