

at a General Assembly of the State of Connecticut, holden at Hartford in said State, on the first Wednesday of May, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three.

Upon the report of a joint committee, to whom had been referred so much of the message of his Excellency the Governor, as relates to the several communications from the executive departments of the States of Maine, New-Hampshire, Massachusetts, New-York, New-Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Virginia, South Carolina, North Carolina, Georgia, Ohio, Indiana, Illinois and Mississippi, on the subject of the Tariff Laws, Internal Improvements, and amendments of the Constitution of the United States:

*Resolved*, by this Assembly, that the Congress of the United States are authorised by the Constitution, to pass acts for the levying and collecting of duties on imposts, and thereby to raise a revenue sufficient for all the exigences of the government; that in forming a tariff of such duties, it is just and constitutional that the interests of our own manufactures should be regarded, and due encouragement and protection thereby given to them; that such acts when approved by the President, are binding on all the states and on all the people of every state, and that no state has power to nullify, or the right to resist the execution of the same.

*Resolved*, That it is the imperious duty of the President of the United States to see that such laws are carried into execution; and that in the constitutional discharge of this duty, he is entitled to and ought to receive the aid and support of every citizen of the union.

*Resolved*, That this Assembly do most fully approve the essential principles and the determination avowed by the President in his Proclamation of the 10th of December, 1832, and in his subsequent message to Congress; and that this Assembly and the people of this state will cordially and faithfully co-operate with him in carrying the same into effect.

*Resolved*, That the members of this Assembly cherish a sincere regard and affection for the citizens of the state of South Carolina, as well as for all their brethren of this great confederated family; and that they shall ever remember with gratitude and pride the many and brilliant services rendered by that distinguished state, in the struggle for independence.