

tained according to the existing provisions of the Constitution.

And be it further Resolved, That in the opinion of this General Assembly it would be desirable that the constitution of the United States should be so amended, as that the election of President and Vice President. should in no case whatever, be submitted to the decision of the house of Representatives of the United States, provided that in so amending the said constitution, provision be made for securing to the states an equal vote on such decision in the last resort.

Resolved That the General Assembly of the state of Maryland, does not concur in the resolutions of the state of Georgia and Missouri, that Congress have no power under the Constitution, to aid the Colonization Society.

Resolved, That the General Assembly of the state of Maryland does not concur in the resolution of the state of Mississippi, That the Tariff of 1828 is unconstitutional and oppressive, but that a *constitutional* opposition by those who may feel themselves aggrieved by its operation meets our entire approbation.

And be it further resolved, That a copy of the foregoing report and resolutions, be forwarded to each of our Senators and Representatives in Congress; and that the Executive of this state be requested to forward a copy of the foregoing report and resolutions to the Executive of each State, with a request that they be laid before their respective Legislatures.

By order,

RICHARD W. McPHERSON, Chairman.