and in vindicating the honor and reputation of our common

country.

7. Resolved, That the Governor of this State be requested to transmit a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolutions, certified under the Great Seal of the State, to the Governor of each of the several States in the Union, with a request that he will cause the same to be laid before the Legislature thereof.

House of Assembly, February 1st, 1843.

This joint resolution having been three times read and compared to the House of Assembly,

Resolved, That the same do pass.

By order of the House of Assembly.

SAML. B. HALSEY, Speaker.

In Council, February 17, 1843.

This joint resolution having been three times read in Council, Resolved, That the same do pass.

By order of Council.

## WILLIAM PENNINGTON,

President of Council.

State of New Jersey:

{ SEAL. } I, CHARLES G. McChesney, Secretary of State of the State of New Jersey, do hereby certify, that the foregoing is a true copy of a Preamble and Joint Resolutions, passed by the Legislature of this State, February 17, 1843, as taken from, and compared with the original, now on file in my office.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand, and affixed the Great Seal of the State of New Jersey, at Trenton, in said State, this fifteenth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, and of the Independ-

ence of the United States the sixty-seventh.

## CHARLES G. McCHESNEY,

Secretary of State.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE,

Trenton, New Jersey, March 15, 1843.

Sir:—I have the honor to transmit a copy of Preamble and Joint Resolutions, adopted by the Legislature of the State of New Jersey, at its recent session, and to request that you will cause the same to be laid before the Legislature of the State over which you preside.

With the highest consideration,

Your obedient servant.

WM. PENNINGTON,

Governor of New Jersey.

To his Excellency the Governor of the State of Maryland.