

the several plans of improvement now pending in the Legislature.

Which was read.

And, on motion by Mr. Teackle,

Ordered, to be printed separate from the journal, and distributed with the laws:

Mr. Nicols, from the select committee, delivered the following report:

The committee, to which was referred so much of the executive communication as refers to certain resolutions of the general assembly of the state of Delaware, in relation to the re-election of Andrew Jackson, as President of the United States, have had the same under consideration, and beg leave to recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That this legislature accord with the views of the legislature of Delaware, in believing that the best interests of the country do not require the re-election of Andrew Jackson, after his present term of office shall expire.

*And whereas,* the state of Delaware, through their legislature, have expressed their views as to the person who shall next fill the presidential chair.—We consider it our privilege and duty, to declare what we conceive to be the will and wish of our state.—Therefore,

*Resolved,* That the course of that patriot and statesman, Henry Clay, has our gratitude; and we believe that the best interests of the nation would be greatly promoted by his election to the Presidency of the United States, after the present term of office of Andrew Jackson shall have expired:—And we therefore recommend said Henry Clay, as a suitable person for President of the United States.

*Resolved,* That his excellency the governor, be requested to transmit copies of these resolutions to the governors of the different states, to be laid before their respective legislatures.

Which was read.

Mr. Rogerson, chairman of the committee on pensions and revolutionary claims, made favorable reports upon the petitions of William L. Barnard, of the state of Kentucky; and the petition of Elizabeth White, of Montgomery county, widow of Samuel B. White, a revolutionary soldier, accompanied with the following resolutions:

*Resolved,* That the treasurer of the Western Shore, pay to William L. Barnard, of Ohio county, state of Kentucky, or to his order, during life, in quarter yearly payments, a sum of money equal to the half pay of a private, in consi-