

RESOLUTIONS

OF THE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF MARYLAND,

IN FAVOR OF

*The publication and distribution, by Congress, of the Reports of the
Decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States.*

JANUARY 27, 1845.

Referred to the Committee on the Judiciary, and ordered to be printed.

BY THE HOUSE OF DELEGATES.

JANUARY 6, 1845.

Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a knowledge of the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, embodying the supreme judicial law of the country, in the construction of the Constitution, treaties, and acts of Congress, and comprehending adjudged principles of general application, and of supreme authority in the Federal courts, and respected in the judicial tribunals of the States, is of the highest importance to every citizen, and should be as widely diffused and published as the acts of Congress themselves.

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By order :

GEORGE G. BREWER, *Clerk.*

We hereby certify that the foregoing is a true copy of the original resolution which passed both branches of the General Assembly of Maryland, at December session, 1844. Given under our hands, at the city of Annapolis, this 22d day of January, 1845.

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JOSEPH H. NICHOLSON,
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