

# RESOLUTIONS.

1831.

## No. 5.

Resolution in favour of Ann Evans, of the State of New York.

Passed Jan. 14, 1832

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the register of the Land office of the western shore, be, and he is hereby directed to issue a patent, in the name of Ann Evans, of the state of New York, wife of Joseph Evans, late of Baltimore county, deceased, for the land contained in a certificate of resurvey, called Limestone Valley, lying and being partly in Baltimore, and partly in Anne Arundel counties, and containing two hundred and thirty-three and three-fourths acres, which was heretofore returned to the land office, in the name of Joseph Evans, and that the said patent issue to hold according to the provisions of the last will and testament of said Joseph Evans, deceased.

## No. 6.

Resolution requesting the Senators and Representatives of this State, in the Congress of the United States, to use their exertions to procure appropriations for the erection of Light Houses, on Hooper's or Barren Island in Dorchester county, and on Sharp's Island, in Talbot county.

Passed Jan. 20, 1832

WHEREAS, the establishment of Light-houses at Hooper's or Barren Island, in Dorchester county, and at Sharp's Island, in Talbot county, have long been objects of desire to all concerned in the trade and navigation of the Chesapeake Bay; *And whereas,* it is believed, that the loss of a large amount of property might have been avoided, and many valuable lives saved to the country by the timely erection of the lights, desired on those Islands; *And whereas,* the necessary enactments for the cession of territorial jurisdiction, and the condemnation of sites have been passed by this Legislature—Therefore,

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That the senators and representatives of this state, in the Congress of the United States, be requested to use their exertions to procure appropriations for the erection of Light-houses, at such point or points on Hooper's or Barren Island, in Dorchester county, and at Sharp's Island, in Talbot county, as may be selected by the proper officers of the government,