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county, of the Columbian Huzzars, or to Major James H. Gale, for his use, the following arms, and accoutrements viz:—forty-eight pair of pistols, forty-seven swords and forty-eight pair of holsters, on the said Capt. Wilkins, giving bond to the State of Maryland, to be approved of by the Adjutant General of the State.

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No. 31.

Passed Mar. 19, 1838. Resolution enquiring into the expediency of purchasing from the Executors of Horace Rideout, certain papers therein mentioned.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the joint committee on the Library, be, and they are hereby instructed to enquire into the expediency of purchasing from the executors of Horace Ridout, deceased, the papers belonging to them, which relate to the early history of this State, and that they report by bill or otherwise.*

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No. 32.

Passed Mar. 19, 1838. Resolution authorising the State Librarian, to subscribe to a compilation of Laws by the Honorable Clement Dorsey.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Librarian of the State Library, be, and he is hereby authorised to subscribe for two hundred and fifty copies of the compilation of the Laws proposed to be published by the Hon. Clement Dorsey, at ten dollars per copy, and the Treasurer is hereby directed to pay for the same, when published and delivered, out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury; provided, that before the said compilation be paid for, it shall be submitted to, and approved by any three Judges of the Court of Appeals; and provided, that the said work shall be completed and be delivered to the State Librarian within two years next after the date of the passage of this resolution.*