

JOINT RESOLUTIONS

*Assented to by the General Assembly of Maryland, at a Session
begun on the tenth day of January, 1866, and ended
on the eighth day of February, 1866.*

No. 1.

Joint Resolutions of the General Assembly of ^{Assented to}
Maryland. ^{Jan. 26, 1866.}

WHEREAS, The Senate and House of Delegates of the General Assembly of Maryland, did by their Joint Resolution on the fourteenth day of February, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-five, unanimously protest against the authorization by the Congress of the United States, of any railroad through the State of Maryland, without giving to the Legislature thereof and to all persons interested in such projected road, the fullest opportunity of presenting their views in relation thereto, before committees of the two Houses of Congress duly charged with the office of examining the same; *and whereas*, the Senate and House of Delegates of Maryland, have been informed that bills have been introduced into the Congress of the United States, at the present session thereof, the purpose of which is to authorize the construction of such road or roads, within this State, without the assent of the General Assembly thereof, or without affording to the