

many proposed sites, selected Annapolis, Maryland, as the place for its location; and,

WHEREAS, In our opinion Annapolis, the location of the United States Naval Academy, on the Chesapeake Bay, the largest inland body of salt water on the Atlantic Coast, is an ideal location for the same; and,

WHEREAS, This matter of location having been referred to a most competent Board of Naval experts to make this location, the people of our State feel that their selection should be approved.

*Therefore, be it resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of Maryland, in Special Session Convened, That the Honorable Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, be and he is respectfully urged to approve the location made by the Naval Consulting Board, at as early day as possible, thereby locating at Annapolis, Maryland, the New Naval Experiment Station and Research Laboratory.*

*Resolved further, That the Governor of this State cause a copy of the Joint Resolution under the Great Seal of the State of Maryland, to be sent to the President of the United States, the Secretary of the Navy, and to each Senator and Member of the House of Representatives in Congress from the State of Maryland.*

Approved June 27th, 1917.

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*Resolved, whereas, the State of Maryland is now constructing a bridge across the Synipuxent Bay at Ocean City and it is necessary to make a fill except 190 feet; and,*

WHEREAS, the Synipuxent Bay a body of fresh water containing about 50,000 acres or 75 square miles of fresh water within fifteen hundred feet from the Atlantic Ocean if salted could be made the most valuable inland protected Oyster, Clam and Crab grounds to be found in the State of Maryland; and,