

1840.

RESOLUTIONS.

No. 7.

Passed Jan. 23, 1841. Resolution relative to the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company.

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That the Treasurer of the Western Shore proceed forthwith to call a general meeting of the stockholders of the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Company, at Frederick, upon the earliest convenient day, in pursuance of the resolution unanimously adopted for the regulation and government of said company, by the stockholders thereof, on the tenth day of July, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, to investigate the affairs and past management of the company, and to take such further order in the premises as the interests of the stockholders may require.*

No. 8.

Passed Feb. 9, 1841. Preamble and Resolutions in relation to the Six per cent. Dollar and other Bonds of the State.

WHEREAS, by the annual report of the Treasurer of the Western Shore, to the Legislature, at December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, it appears that of the six per cent. dollar bonds of this State, amounting to eight millions of dollars, which were issued in pursuance of chapter three hundred and ninety-five, of the acts of December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and for which five per cent. sterling bonds of the State have been substituted, in pursuance of chapter three hundred and eighty-six, of the acts of December session, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, there were five and a half millions then in the Treasury of the Western Shore; and this General Assembly considering it expedient to adopt the said Treasurer's suggestion, that the said bonds, and also the certificates of the State, held by the said Treasurer, for the use of the sinking fund, should be inspected, counted and destroyed by authority of the Legislature—therefore,

*Resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland, That a joint committee of the two houses, to consist of two members from the House and one from the Senate, be and they are hereby authorised and directed to receive from the said Treasurer, and receipt for, examine, count and*