

No. 7.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the expenses of the legislature.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That hereafter the speaker of the senate, and the speaker of the house of representatives, shall draw their warrants on the state treasurer for payment of Postage. the accounts for postage on letters, documents and newspapers, sent and received by the members and officers of the two branches of the legislature, in accordance with the provisions of the twelfth section of the act of assembly of the seventeenth of April, Anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, entitled "An Act to reduce the expenses of government," which warrants shall be paid by the state treasurer out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Resolved, That hereafter the account of the clerks of the senate Contingent ex- and of the house of representatives, for the contingent expenses of either penses. branch of the legislature, shall embrace no expenditures, except for light and fuel for the halls and repairs thereof, and for labor done therein, and such stationery as may be necessary for the clerks of the two houses and the use of the several committees, to be furnished them on the demand of their respective chairman; and that no part of the thirteenth section of an act, entitled "An Act to reduce the expenses of government," passed the seventeenth of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three, shall be so construed as to allow any member candles, paper, or other stationery, for his use as a member, other than that provided for in eleventh section of the aforesaid act.

JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM BIGLER,

Speaker of the Senate.

APPROVED—The twenty-sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four.

DAVID R. PORTER.