

No. 8.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the claim of J. W. Hammond for certain services rendered in the treasury office.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania in General Assembly met, That the state treasurer be and he is hereby authorized to pay to John W. Hammond, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars in full, for services rendered in the treasury office, as set forth in a report from a committee of the senate, and joint resolution of the legislature, at the session of one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.

JAMES ROSS SNOWDEN,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM BIGLER,
Speaker of the Senate.

We do certify that the bill, entitled "Resolution relative to the claim of J. W. Hammond, for certain services rendered in the treasury office," was presented to the governor on the twenty-fifth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, and was not returned within ten days, (Sundays excepted,) after it had been presented to him; wherefore, it has, agreeably to the constitution of this commonwealth, become a law in like manner as if he had signed it.

WILLIAM JACK,
Clerk of the House of Representatives.

JOHN J. M'CAHEN,
Clerk of the Senate.

HARRISBURG, February 7, 1844.

No. 9.

RESOLUTION

Relative to the preservation and improvement of the harbor of Erie.

Preamble.

WHEREAS, The preservation and improvement of the harbor of Erie, on Lake Erie, in this state, is a subject of great public importance, both in a commercial and military point of view: *And whereas,* The government of the United States, many years ago, commenced the construction of pier work, designed for the improvement of said harbor, the construction of which has been suspended, and left in an unfinished condition, and, in consequence thereof, is fast becoming dilapidated;