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RESOLUTIONS

Moved in Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union on the President's Message.

DECEMBER 10, 1832.

The three first resolutions reported to the House—the remainder not acted on in Committee.

1. Resolved, That so much of the President's message as relates to the political relations of the United States with other nations, be referred to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

2. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the commerce of the United States with foreign nations, be referred to the Committee on Commerce.

3. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the finances, and to such further reduction in the revenue as may not be required for objects of general welfare and public defence, authorized by the constitution; and, also, so much of said message as relates to the sale of bank stock owned by the United States, be referred to the Committee of Ways and Means.

The following are the resolutions, not yet acted on, by the Committee of the Whole on the state of the Union.

4. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the Bank of the United States, be referred to a select committee.

Motion of Mr. WAYNE depending in committee:

Add to the foregoing 4th resolution, the following:

“With power to call for persons, and on the bank and its branches for papers, and to examine witnesses generally in reference to the operations of the bank.”

5. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to domestic manufactures, and the protection necessary to be afforded the same, be referred to the Committee on Manufactures.

6. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the public lands, be referred to the Committee on Public Lands.

7. Resolved, That so much of said message as recommends an amendment of the constitution in relation to internal improvements, and the reducing the same to some fixed and certain rule, be referred to a select committee.

8. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the War Department, be referred to the Committee on Military Affairs.
9. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the militia, be referred to a select committee.

10. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to Indians, and the removal of the same, be referred to the Committee on Indian Affairs.

11. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the navy, and the gradual improvement of the same, be referred to the Committee on Naval Affairs.

12. Resolved, That so much of said message as recommends an amendment of the constitution in relation to the election of President and Vice President, be referred to a select committee.

13. Resolved, That so much of said message as relates to the judiciary system, and the punishment of official frauds, be referred to the Committee on the Judiciary.

14. Resolved, That the said select committees have leave to report by bill or otherwise.