

ACTS

OF THE

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

OF THE

State of Georgia,

PASSED IN MILLEDGEVILLE

AT AN

ANNUAL SESSION

IN NOVEMBER AND DECEMBER,

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Whereas, by the existing law of this State, the trustees of the University of the State of Georgia, have from time to time received from the treasury of this State, large sums of money and they are now by the laws of this State entitled to receive from year to year, considerable sums of money from the State Treasury.

Be it therefore resolved, That the trustees of the University of Georgia, be required to lay before the next Legislature, at its next annual session, a full plain and detailed account of the annual revenue of that institution, and the sources from which said revenue is derived, and that they also make a full and detailed statement how that revenue has been appropriated and expended for the years eighteen hundred and thirty-two, and eighteen hundred and thirty-three; and that they also make a report of the condition of the buildings of said institution.

Agreed to, Dec. 22, 1832.

ASBURY HULL, Speaker.

Attest, ROBERT W. CARNES, Clerk.

In Senate, read and concurred in, Dec. 22, 1832.

THOMAS STOCKS, President.

Attest, IVERSON L. HARRIS, Secretary.

Approved, Dec. 24, 1832.

WILSON LUMPKIN, Governor.

 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Forasmuch as throughout the United States, there exist many controversies, growing out of the conflicting interest which have arisen among the people since the adoption of Federal Constitution—out of the cases in which Congress

claims the right to act under constructive powers—out of the disposition shewn by Congress, too frequently, to act under assumed powers—and out of the rights of jurisdiction either claimed or exercised by the Supreme Court—all of which tend directly to diminish the affection of the people for their own government, to produce discontent, to repress patriotism, to excite jealousies, to engender discord; and finally to bring about that event, of all others most deeply to be deplored, and most anxiously to be guarded against, namely, a dissolution of our happy Union, and a severance of these States into hostile communities, each regarding, and acting towards the other with the bitterest enmity.

And the experience of the past having clearly proved that the Constitution of the United States needs amendment in the following particulars:

That the principle involved in a Tariff for the direct protection of domestic industry may be settled.

That a system of Federal taxation may be established which shall be equal in its operation upon the whole people, and in all sections of the country.

Be it therefore resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of Georgia in General Assembly met, and acting for the people thereof, That the State of Georgia in conformity with the fifth article of the Federal Constitution hereby makes application to the Congress of the United States for the call of a Convention of the people to amend the Constitution aforesaid, in the particulars herein enumerated, and in such others, as the people of the other States, may deem needful of amendment.

Resolved further, That his Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby requested to transmit copies of this document to the other States of the Union, and to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

Agreed to, Dec. 13, 1832.

ASBURY HULL, Speaker.

Attest, ROBERT W. CARNES, Clerk.

In Senate, concurred in, Dec. 20, 1832.

THOMAS STOCKS, President.

Attest, IVERSON L. HARRIS, Secretary.

Approved, Dec. 22, 1832.

WILSON LUMPKIN, Governor.