RESOLUTION NO. 17.

PENSION.

JOINT RESOLUTION relative to the pension of Silas Messenger.

Resolved.

Pension for Silas Messenger. That our senators be instructed and our representatives requested to use their influence in the congress of the United States, and before the proper departments, to procure a pension for Silas Messenger, of the county of Buchanan, and we do hereby most earnestly recommend his application to the early and favorable consideration of the government.

Resolved,

Secretary forward. That a copy of this resolution be forwarded to each of our senators and representatives by the secretary of state.

Approved, January, 23d, 1851.

[246] RESOLUTION NO. 18.

LIBRARIAN.

JOINT RESOLUTION for the appointment of a Librarian.

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,

I. Kister appointed librarian. That Israel Kister be and he is hereby appointed librarian who shall hold his office for the term of two years and until his successor is appointed and qualified.

Approved, January 24th, 1851.

RESOLUTION NO. 19.

SALINE LANDS.

JOINT RESOLUTION respecting saline lands.

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,

For the sale of saline lands. That our senators in congress be instructed and our representatives requested, to urge the passage of a law by congress authorizing the general assembly of said state to sell and dispose of the saline lands belonging to said state, pursuant to act of congress, approved March 3d, 1845, in such manner and at such price not less than one and one-fourth dollar per acre, as said general assembly may see fit.

Resolved.

Secretary forward. That the secretary of state be requested to forward a copy of the above resolution to each of our senators and representatives in congress.

Approved, January 24th, 1851.