Whereas, It is believed that a grant to this state, of ten thousand acres of said lands, would be sufficient to construct said levee: Therefore,

Resolved, by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Instructions to representatives. That our delegation in congress be instructed to use their endeavors to obtain from congress the desired grant.

Resolved, that a copy of the foregoing preamble and resolution be forwarded to each of our representatives in congress.

Approved, January 9th, 1847.

RESOLUTION-NO. 5.

EXPENSES OF CONVENTION.

JOINT RESOLUTION requiring the auditor to audit and allow the expenses incurred by the late convention to form a constitution and state government for the state of Iowa.

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Auditor to audit expenses—certificate conclusive evidence—to issue warrants. That the auditor of state be, and he is hereby required to audit and allow the expenses incurred by the convention to form a constitution and form of state government for the future state of Iowa, which assembled at the state house in Iowa City, on the first Monday in May, A. D. 1846, and that the certificates of the amount of said expenses, signed by the president [194] of said convention and countersigned by the secretary thereof, shall be taken as conclusive evidence of indebtedness to the holder, upon which the auditor shall issue his warrant upon the treasurer of the state for the amount therein specified.

Approved, January 7th, 1847.

RESOLUTION-NO. 6.

PRINTING OF LAWS.

JOINT RESOLUTION relative to the printing of laws.

Resolved by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Laws published but once. That hereafter all laws ordered to be printed in all or any of the newspapers of the state, shall intend that the same shall respectively be printed but once in said paper or papers, unless otherwise specially ordered.

Approved, January 18th, 1847.

RESOLUTION-NO. 7.

CAVALRY COMPANY.

JOINT RESOLUTION instructing our representatives in congress to use their exertions to obtain six months pay for the volunteer company of cavalry, disbanded at Fort Atkinson on the 5th of October, 1846.

Preamble. Whereas, On the 24th of July, 1846, the secretary of war authorized his excellency Governor Clarke, to raise a company of cavalry to be sta-