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Affairs, on the petition of John Walker, in behalf of Edmund P. Folsom; and, in concurrence therewith,

*Resolved*, That the prayer of the petitioner is unreasonable, and ought not to be granted.

The Senate proceeded to consider the report of the Committee on Indian Affairs on the petition of the widow of Alexander McNair, deceased; and,

On motion by Mr. Benton,

*Ordered*, That it be laid on the table.

A message from the House of Representatives, by Mr. Franklin, their Clerk:

*Mr. President*: The House of Representatives have concurred in the amendments of the Senate to "An act to revive and amend 'An act for the relief of certain insolvent debtors of the United States,' passed on the 2d day of March, 1831, and an act in addition thereto, passed on the 14th of July, 1832;" and to "An act for the relief of Martha Bailey and others."

The Senate resumed the consideration of the report of the select committee on the respective claims of Messrs. Robbins and Potter to a seat in the Senate; and

On the question to concur in the resolution with which it concludes, as follows:

*Resolved*, That Asher Robbins, being duly and constitutionally chosen a Senator in Congress from the State of Rhode Island, is entitled to his seat in the Senate—

It was determined in the affirmative, { Yeas, . . . . . 27,  
Nays, . . . . . 16.

On motion by Mr. Wright,

The yeas and nays being desired by one-fifth of the Senators present,

Those who voted in the affirmative, are,

Messrs. Bell, Bibb, Calhoun, Chambers, Clay, Clayton, Ewing, Frelinghuysen, Hendricks, Kent, Knight, Leigh, McKean, Mangum, Naudain, Poindexter, Porter, Preston, Silsbee, Smith, Southard, Sprague, Swift, Tip-ton, Tomlinson, Waggaman, Webster.

Those who voted in the negative, are,

Messrs. Benton, Brown, Forsyth, Grundy, Hill, Kane, King, of Alabama, King, of Georgia, Linn, Morris, Robinson, Shepley, Tallmadge, White, Wilkins, Wright.

The Senate resumed, as in Committee of the Whole, the resolution proposing amendments to the constitution of the United States for the election of President and Vice President; and

On motion by Mr. Mangum,

The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, MAY 28, 1834.

Mr. Chambers presented a series of resolutions adopted at a meeting of the voters of the second election district of Frederick county, Maryland, disapproving the recent acts of the Executive in relation to the public money, the Bank of the United States, and the doctrines contained in the message which he sent to the Senate on the 17th of April last, as a protest against the proceedings of that body in relation to those acts; and in favor of rechartering said bank; and

*Ordered*, That it be referred to the Committee on Finance, and printed.