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of the most salutary effects by securing the mutual confidence and affections of the States.

Resolved That Buildings be likewise erected for the use of Congress at or near the lower falls of Potomack or George Town, provided a suitable district on the banks of the River can be procured for a federal town and the right of soil and an exclusive Jurisdiction over such other as Congress may direct shall be vested in the United States; And that until the Buildings to be erected on the Banks of the Delaware & Potomack shall be prepared for the reception of Congress their residence shall be alternately at equal periods of not more than one year and not less than six months, in Trenton & Annapolis And the President is hereby authorised and directed to adjourn Congress on the twelfth Day of November next to meet at Annapolis on the twenty Sixth of the same month for the Dispatch of public business.

Chas Thomson Secy

ARCHIVES OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.