

EXTINCTION OF SLAVERY.

RESOLUTIONS

OF THE

LEGISLATURE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE,

RELATIVE TO

*Slavery in the District of Columbia and territories belonging or which may hereafter belong to the United States.*

DECEMBER 29, 1846.

Read, and laid upon the table.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened,* That the Senators and Representatives from this State in the Congress of the United States be respectively requested to urge in that body the passage of measures providing for the extinction of slavery in the District of Columbia; for its exclusion from Oregon, and other Territories that now or at any time hereafter may belong to the United States; for all constitutional measures for the suppression of the domestic slave-trade; and to resist the admission of any new State into the Union while tolerating slavery.

*Resolved,* That his excellency the governor be requested to furnish copies of the foregoing resolution to the legislatures of the several States, and to our Senators and Representatives in Congress.

JOHN P. HALE,

*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

JAMES U. PARKER,

*President of the Senate.*

Approved July 10, 1846.

ANTHONY COLBY, *Governor.*

A true copy:

GEORGE G. FOGG,

*Secretary of State.*