No. 4.

JOINT RESOLUTION in relation to D. D. Owen's Geological Survey of Wisconsin, Iowa, and Northern Illinois.

Resolved, by the Senate and Assembly of the State of Wisconsin, That our senators in congress be requested to procure the senate of the United States to order a reprint of the report of D. D. Owen's survey of the mineral lands in Iowa, Wisconsin, and northern Illinois, with the accompanying illustrations, in the same style as the "Report of a Geological Survey of Wisconsin, Iowa, and Minnesota, &c., &c., by D. D. Owen, United States Geologist," published in 1852, by order of the U. S. Senate by Lippincott, Grambo & Co., which report was submitted by the president of the United States to the house of representatives, June 6, 1840, and is published in volume 4, part 2, of the executive documents of the second session of the 28th Congress, (Doc. No. 239.)

Resolved, That the governor of this state be requested to forward a copy of the foregoing resolution to each of the senators of this state.

Approved, March 8, 1854.

No. 5.

JOINT RESOLUTION relative to old Soldiers.

Whereas, The subject of the disposal of the public lands belonging to the United States has for sometime engaged the attention of public men; And whereas, the condition of the treasury does not require the proceeds of sale to be used for the ordinary purposes of government, And whereas, gratitude as well as justice to the soldiers who have been engaged in the wars of the Republic, has been deemed proper as manifested by the passage of act of Congress donating to soldiers of the late war