

THIRTIETH CONGRESS—FIRST SESSION.

S. R. 1.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

JANUARY 12, 1848.

Read twice, and referred to the Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads.

~~A JOINT RESOLUTION~~

In favor of David Shaw and Solomon T. Corser.

1 *Resolved by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assem-*
3 *bled,* That the Postmaster General be, and hereby is, au-
4 thorized and required to examine *and* audit the claims of
5 David Shaw and Solomon T. Corser, contractors for car-
6 rying the mail on route number four, from Portland to Au-
7 gusta, in Maine, and allow them a just and equitable com-
8 pensation for the additional service performed, and the ad-
9 ditional stock or carriers required and actually employed
10 by them in fulfilling their contract, in consequence of any
11 change or alteration of the time stipulated in the contract,
12 and the proposals upon which it was made for the arrival
13 and departure of the mail from the said places; and to al-
14 low and pay to them, out of the revenues of the Post Of-
15 fice Department, whatever sum shall be found, after such

16 examination and auditing, equitably due to them for such
 17 losses, damages, and extra expenses: *Provided*, That a
 18 sum not exceeding three thousand dollars shall be allowed
 19 and paid to said contractors under the authority of this
 20 resolution.)

The Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads
 to whom was committed Senate Joint Resolution
 No 1, in favor of David Shaw and Solomon T
 Corser report the same back to the House
 with one amendment as follows.

~~Strike out all after the word "Examining"~~
~~in the 5th line and insert "the claim of~~
David Shaw and Solomon T Corser contractors
for carrying the mail on Route No 4 from
Portland to Augusta in Maine and ascertain
whether any sum of money is justly and equitably
due them for any more expensive service
performed by them on said route than was
required or contemplated by their contract,
and if it shall be found that any
sum of money is due them as aforesaid
then that he ascertain the amount thereof
and pay the same out of the revenues
of the Post Office Department *Provided*
that in no event shall a greater sum than
three thousand dollars shall be allowed
and paid on the claim aforesaid

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In the House of Representatives

January 12, 1848

Read twice, and referred
to the Committee on the Post
office and Post Roads

February 29, 1848

Mr. Rock from the said
Committee reported the
same back with amend-
ments, when it was Com-
mitted to a Committee
of the whole House tomorrow.
Strike out those words
in brackets [] and
insert the words in italics.

A Resolution

~~See within~~
(See within)

and must be
collected No. 1
by Com. on P. & R.
Committee