

# HOUSE.....No. 90.

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[Reported, in the Senate, by the Committee on Railways and Canals.]

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## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Forty-Eight.

### RESOLVES

Concerning the construction of a Railroad from Lake Michigan to the Pacific Coast.

*Resolved,* That a railroad from Lake Michigan to the Pacific Coast is highly desirable, and, if practicable, should be constructed.

*Resolved,* That it would be suitable and proper to appropriate to the object of constructing such a road, a part of the public lands along the line of its route, so that the sale and settlement of those lands may be connected with the construction of the road.

*Resolved,* That this subject be respectfully commended to the attention of our senators and representatives in Congress.

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SENATE, March 18, 1848.

Passed to be engrossed.

Sent down for concurrence.

CHAS. CALHOUN, *Clerk.*

