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Repealed. *Be it further resolved,* That resolution number four, passed at January session, eighteen hundred and seventy, be repealed.

No. 4.

Joint Resolutions in relation to the reduction of the federal tax on manufactured tobacco.

Preamble. Whereas tobacco is one of the staple products of our State, and enters largely into the industries thereof, whereby it affords the means of employment to many of our people; and whereas the present rate of federal tax operates injuriously upon the production, sale and manufacture of the same—

Reduction of federal tax. 1st. *Be it resolved by the General Assembly of Maryland,* That it is the sentiment of this General Assembly that the present rate of federal tax upon manufactured tobacco, twenty-four cents per pound,