trusts that the conference will honor Wisconsin by voting to accept the invitation of Milwaukee to hold its next annual session in that city.

RESOLVED that a copy of these resolutions be forwarded to the Honorable Hastings II. Hart, secretary of the conference, with a request that they be read before the conference to be held at Washington, May 9-15, 1901.

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JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 6.

Whereas this Senate learns with profound sorrow of the death of one of its honored members, the Honorable Thomas Fearne; and

Whereas his high character, kindness of heart, and marked devotion to duty, have earned our esteem and admiration; therefore, in recognition of his valuable public services; as a testimonial to his integrity and fidelity; as evidence of our affectionate regard, and as an expression of our deep sense of loss, be it

RESOLVED by the Senate, the A. embly concurring, that a committee of five from the senate and five from the assembly be appointed to attend the funeral.

RESOLVED that memorial exercises be held by the senate in the senate chamber, at eleven A. M., Wednesday, May 8th.

RESOLVED further, that copies of these resolutions be spread upon the journals of the two houses, and that an engrossed copy of the same be transmitted to the family of the deceased senator. And as a further mark of respect, be it

RESOLVED that the Senate do now adjourn.