

[No. 45, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 14.

To amend section 10 article 5 of the constitution relating to the approval of bills by the governor.

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That section 10 of article 5 of the constitution be amended by striking out the word "three" in line thirteen and inserting in lieu thereof the word "six" so that when so amended said section shall read as follows:

SECTION 10. Every bill which shall have passed the legislature shall, before it becomes a law, be presented to the governor; if he approve, he shall sign it, but if not, he shall return it, with his objections, to that house in which it shall have originated, who shall enter the objections at large upon the journal and proceed to reconsider it. If, after such reconsideration, two-thirds of the members present shall agree to pass the bill, it shall be sent, together with the objections, to the other house, by which it shall likewise be reconsidered, and if approved by two-thirds of the members present it shall become a law. But in all such cases the votes of both houses shall be determined by yeas and nays, and the names of the members voting for or against the bill shall be entered on the journal of each house respectively. If any bill shall not be returned by the governor within six days (Sundays excepted) after it shall have been presented to him, the same shall be a law unless the legislature shall, by their adjournment, prevent its return, in which case it shall not be a law.

[No. 16, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 15.

Providing for an amendment to section 1 of article 3 of the constitution, relating to electors.

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring. That subsection 2 of section 1 of article 3, of the constitution of the state

of Wisconsin, be amended so as to read as follows: 2. Persons of foreign birth who, prior to the first day of December, A. D. 1908, shall have declared their intentions to become citizens conformable to the laws of the United States on the subject of naturalization, provided that the rights hereby granted to such persons shall cease on the first day of December, A. D. 1912.

[No. 73, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 16.

On the life and services of the late Hon. A. R. Hall.

In His wisdom, the Supreme Ruler of the universe on June 2nd, 1905, removed from the sphere of human activity and usefulness, Albert R. Hall, a leading citizen of Wisconsin, preeminently a defender and advocate of government, by the people, and in his life an exemplar of civic honor and virtue.

He was a member of the Wisconsin legislature five consecutive terms. The earnestness and consistency with which he labored for the improvement of government in this commonwealth, the influence which he exerted in advancing and directing policies which have been wrought into the constitution, and the law, making it fitting that a tribute to his memory be entered in the permanent records of this state.

Albert R. Hall was born at Hartford, Windsor county, Vermont, May 20th, 1841; removed with his parents to Boston four years later; attended the public schools of Boston until 1856, when the family removed to Minnesota.

He enlisted in Company D, Second Regiment, Minnesota Infantry, Volunteers, June 21st, 1861; was promoted to corporal and first sergeant; was wounded at the battle of Chicamauga; was mustered out July 4th, 1864 on completion of his three years' term of service; re-enlisted and was commissioned first lieutenant of Company G, Eleventh Regiment Minnesota Infantry Volunteers. He was mustered out with his regiment June 26, 1865, and returned to Minnesota. Mr. Hall's disinterested concern in public affairs was recognized by his neighbors who elected him to several local offices and finally to the