

assigned to it, and to fix the compensation of such persons as it shall employ; be it further

*Resolved*, That each member of the said committee shall be reimbursed by the state for his actual necessary expenses, but shall receive no compensation for time devoted to the work of such committee.

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[Jt. Res. No. 28, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 44.

Urging the Congress of the United States to enact legislation relating to the conservation of fish and clams in the Mississippi river and its branches in the states of Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin.

WHEREAS, The fishing and clamming industry in the Mississippi river and its branches in the states of Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin has become of vital importance in the production of food; and

WHEREAS, This industry in the states mentioned has been greatly retarded in its proper development because of the lack of uniform laws providing definite and uniform regulations governing the industry; and

WHEREAS, The legislatures of Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin heretofore have been unable to agree upon laws which would provide such uniform and definite regulations; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring*, That this legislature respectfully memorialize and urge the congress of the United States to enact legislation governing and regulating fishing and clamming in the Mississippi river and its tributaries in the states of Minnesota, Iowa and Wisconsin; and be it further

*Resolved*, That a suitable copy of this resolution properly attested by the presiding officers and chief clerks of both houses be forwarded to the president of the United States senate, the speaker of the house of representatives and to each United States senator and congressman from this state.

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[Jt. Res. No. 57, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 45.

Relating to Wisconsin Day.

WHEREAS, In May 1916, Emanuel L. Philipp, governor of the state of Wisconsin, by proclamation, designated the 29th day of May as "Wisconsin day", in recognition of her admission to statehood; and

WHEREAS, It is especially fitting that we should honor by

words and deeds the memories of the men that made possible the state of Wisconsin, and those who have played an important part in her development; and

WHEREAS, An annual review of Wisconsin's history of progress, achievement and development will produce a better informed and hence a more patriotic and loyal citizenship to the great benefit of this state; and

WHEREAS, The city of Sheboygan through the association of commerce, has already taken the initiative in the observance of Wisconsin day, and demonstrated the merit of annually observing this important event; and

WHEREAS, The observance of Wisconsin day has already been approved by Governor Philipp, and by the press, commercial bodies and schools of Wisconsin; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring,* That the governor of the state of Wisconsin be requested to annually issue a proclamation similar to the one issued in 1916, either separate or in connection with the annual Decoration proclamation, calling upon the schools, colleges, civic bodies and other organizations and the press to observe Wisconsin day, by reviewing through appropriate programs and through the publication of interesting stories, the state's history, resources, opportunities, pioneer reminiscences and facts dealing with Wisconsin's growth and achievements. Let us all glory in her achievements and play our humble part to the end that our state, great and rich in resources and achievements, may continue to hold the proud position she commands today. Be it further

*Resolved,* That Wisconsin day be not observed as a holiday, but part of an educational movement to develop better informed citizens, regarding their state and country. And be it further

*Resolved,* That a copy of this resolution duly attested by the presiding officer of each house be sent to his excellency, the governor of the state.

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[Jt. Res. No. 76, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 46.

Memorializing congress for the speedy withdrawal of the American forces from Russia.

WHEREAS, In the prosecution of the great war our government has seen fit to send American forces, including Wisconsin troops, into Russia; and

WHEREAS, By virtue of the signing of the armistice on November 11, 1918, the same reasons which pertained to the maintenance of American troops in Russia were obliterated; and