

prosecutions under the federal anti-trust laws against all combinations which in violation of these laws are utilizing the present opportunity to profiteer shamelessly at the expense of the American consuming public. Be it further

*Resolved*, That properly attested copies of this resolution be transmitted to Honorable Homer S. Cummings, Attorney-General of the United States and to the Wisconsin department of agriculture and markets.

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### JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to the services rendered by the legislative reference library.

WHEREAS, The legislative reference library of Wisconsin, the first institution of its kind to be established in America, has grown in importance and service until it has become indispensable to members of the legislature as a most valuable and reliable aid in research and in the preparation of bills, amendments, resolutions and other legislative matters; and

WHEREAS, The members of this legislature have made continuous use of the services of this department throughout the present session, which in many respects has been the most strenuous and exacting in the state's history due to the very many important and unprecedented emergency problems requiring consideration; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Edwin E. Witte, the able and efficient chief of this department, has rendered abundant service to the members of this legislature with absolute impartiality regardless of party affiliations, with a courtesy that is rare, with unflagging zeal and with an industry which has been untiring and unselfish; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring*, That the members of this legislature recognize and appreciate the service rendered by the legislative reference library and extend their sincere thanks and expressions of esteem to Mr. Witte and his staff. Be it further

*Resolved*, That this resolution be spread upon the journals of both houses and that a suitable copy thereof be transmitted to Mr. Witte.