

[Jt. Res, No. 50, A.]

[Deposited April 20, 1931.]

No. 68, 1931.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to an increase in the tariff on butter, cheese and eggs.

WHEREAS, The prices now being paid for dairy products and eggs are the lowest in over twenty years; and

WHEREAS, These prices are absolutely ruinous to all dairy farmers and threaten universal bankruptcy; and

WHEREAS, These low prices are at least partly due to the large importations of butter, cheese and eggs from foreign countries, no less than 3,298,000 pounds of butter, 84,606,000 pounds of cheese, 291,000 dozen eggs, 10,000,000 pounds of dried eggs, and 27,968,000 pounds of frozen eggs, egg-yolks and egg albumen being imported in 1929; and

WHEREAS, This destructive competition can be absolutely eliminated through more adequate tariff duties; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the President of the United States and the tariff commission and the Congress of the United States be and they are hereby respectfully requested to promptly take measures for the increase of the tariff on butter, cheese and eggs, to eliminate all destructive competition, which is a large factor in the ruinous prices now being paid for these products. Be it further

Resolved, That properly attested copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States, the United States Tariff Commission, to each house of the Congress of the United States and to each Wisconsin member thereof.

[Jt. Res. No. 61, A.]

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No. 69, 1931.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact legislation for unemployment insurance.

WHEREAS, Statistics show that this country is almost constantly faced with the unemployment situation either sectional or national in its scope; and

WHEREAS, Unemployment subjects its victims to the ravages of extreme poverty and causes an enormous increase in crime; and

WHEREAS, The only way to combat this unemployment menace it to insure for the working man a steady and living wage. Therefore, be it

Resolved, by the Assembly, the Senate concurring, That the legislature of Wisconsin hereby respectfully memorialize the Congress of the United States to enact legislation making it possible for the working man to be protected by unemployment insurance; be it, therefore,

Resolved, That properly attested copies of this resolution be sent to both houses of the Congress of the United States and to each Wisconsin member thereof.

[Jt. Res. No. 14, A.]

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No. 71, 1931.

JOINT RESOLUTION

To amend section 3 of article XI of the constitution, relating to indebtedness secured by public utility and other income producing property of municipalities, and to submit this amendment to vote of the people at the general election of November, 1932.

WHEREAS, at the biennial session of the legislature for the year 1929, an amendment to the constitution was proposed and agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses, which proposed amendment is as follows:

“(Article XI) Section 3. Cities and villages organized pursuant to state law are hereby empowered, to determine their local affairs and government, subject only to this constitution and to such enactments of the legislature of statewide concern as shall with uniformity affect every city or every village. The method