Resolved by the Scnate, the Assembly concurring, That an interim committee be constituted to study the problem of the regulation of the sale of intoxicating liquors of a greater alcoholic content than that now permitted under the Federal Constitution. Said committee shall consist of two senators and three assemblymen who shall be appointed as are standing committees in the respective houses. The members of this committee shall receive no compensation for their services but shall be reimbursed their actual and necessary expenses. This committee shall consider what regulations and restrictions should be adopted upon the sale of intoxicating liquors of a greater alcoholic content than three and two-tenths per cent by weight. It shall prepare a bill providing for such regulations as it may deem proper and shall present such bill with its report, which shall be made either to the present legislature, in the event that it is convened in special session, or to the legislature of 1935 at the opening of its regular session. Said committee is empowered to hold such meetings and and at such times and places as it may deem advisable. Such meetings may either be public hearings or executive sessions, as the committee may determine. All state departments shall render such assistance to the committee as it may require. The committee may exercise any other powers which may be necessary for the discharge of the duty herein specified.

[Jt. Res. No. 125, S.]

[Deposited July 24, 1933.]

No. 113, 1933.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Continuing the Wisconsin committee on the pollution of the boundary waters of the upper Mississippi river.

WHEREAS, An interim investigating committee was appointed under Joint Resolution No. 17 of the legislative session of 1925 to investigate the problem of the pollution of the boundary waters of the upper Mississippi river, in conjunction with a similar committee appointed by the Minnesota legislature; and

Whereas, Said committee has since been continued by each successive legislature including the 1931 session; and

WHEREAS, The Minnesota legislature has enacted legislation providing for a sanitary district and the treatment and proper disposition of the sewage of said district which heretofore has been

discharged into the Mississippi river, and it is desirable that the Wisconsin interim committee be continued to complete the work for which it was created; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the committee appointed pursuant to Joint Resolution No. 17 of the legislative session of 1925, and since kept in existence by legislative authority, be continued with the same authority and power conferred upon it by the legislature, and that it be authorized to use the unexpended balance of any appropriation heretofore made for said committee.

[Jt. Res. No. 129, S.] [Deposited July 24, 1933.]

No. 114, 1933.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to a reduction in the rate of interest on farm loans from state investment funds to correspond with the reduction made by the federal government in loans made by federal land banks.

Whereas, Under the federal farm relief act, recommended by President Roosevelt and enacted by Congress in its recent session, the interest rate on loans made by the federal land banks has been reduced by one per cent, as a measure for farm relief; and

Whereas, This Legislature and the state administration have repeatedly declared that they desired to cooperate with President Roosevelt and the national government in carrying out their program for agricultural and industrial recovery; and

Whereas, In accord with this expressed policy this state should follow the example set by the federal government in the matter of reducing the interest rate on farm loans made from its investment funds; therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring, That the Annuity and Investment Board is hereby requested and directed to reduce the interest rate on all farm loans made from state investment funds during the present emergency, and until July 1, 1935, to a rate not exceeding that charged by the federal government on farm loans made by the federal land banks and the federal credit administration. Be it further

Resolved, That a properly attested copy of this resolution be transmitted to the Annuity and Investment Board.