

## JOINT RESOLUTIONS

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tion of sugar are continued; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring,* That the Congress of the United States is respectfully requested to provide by law for an immediate decontrol of sugar for home consumption and for industrial use; and be it further

*Resolved,* That Congress is respectfully requested to remove all controls from the production, distribution, rationing, sale and importation of sugar; and be it further

*Resolved,* That duly attested copies of this resolution be immediately transmitted to the Clerks of both houses of the Congress of the United States and to each member of the Congress from this state.

Jt. Res. No. 4, A.]

[Deposited March 6, 1947.

No. 8, 1947.

## JOINT RESOLUTION

Congratulating La Verne Hall upon winning the national achievement contest at the International Livestock Exposition.

WHEREAS, La Verne F. Hall, a veteran farmer and 4-H Club member at the youthful age of 20, who lives 2 miles north of Westby in Vernon county, distinguished himself and brought nationwide fame to the farming industry of this state as well as uncalculable inspiration to thousands of 4-H Club members everywhere, by winning the national achievement contest, the highest of 4-H Club awards, at the International Livestock Exposition in Chicago last December; and

WHEREAS, This high and singular award, which includes a trophy and college scholarship, was based upon La Verne's 8 years of 4-H Club accomplishments, in which time he built a prize herd of purebred Jerseys from a gift calf presented to him by his father, and earned \$52,026.06 from his dairy, swine, colt, beef, field crops and soil conservation projects, including scores of prizes and a number of scholarships; and

WHEREAS, This legislature is ever alert to recognize and encourage production and industry, the backbone of the nation's well-being; now, therefore, be it

*Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring,* That the

members of this legislature extend to La Verne F. Hall hearty congratulations upon winning the national achievement championship and bringing recognition to Wisconsin's farming industry, and commend to all young Americans the industrious and persevering endeavor which won for him such outstanding success; be it further

*Resolved*, That a properly attested copy of this resolution be sent to La Verne F. Hall.

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Jt. Res. No. 20, A.]

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No. 10, 1947.

### JOINT RESOLUTION

Relating to the life and public service of John Gamper.

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John Gamper, seven times elected member of the Assembly from Taylor county, died October 29, 1946 at the age of 86 in the city of Medford where he lived since his retirement in 1934.

Mr. Gamper was born in Chur, Switzerland on February 11, 1860 where he attended the common, high and normal schools. He received his higher education at the University of Zurich where he studied the Greek classics, German literature and history under the distinguished tutelage of Professor Gottfried Kinkel, whose great moral and intellectual influence reputedly put the cost of inflexible integrity into the character of Carl Schurz, the late German-American statesman.

He came to the United States when he was 23 years of age. Upon his arrival he joined the editorial staff of a German newspaper in St. Louis. Later he worked at Sauk City and in 1885 moved to Taylor county, homesteading about 4 miles northwest of Medford. He also owned farms in Deer Creek and Browning and operated a dairy farm until he moved to the city of Medford 12 years ago.

Mr. Gamper held numerous positions and offices of trust and confidence, the most important being member of the Assembly, and register of deeds and sheriff of Taylor county. His history in the legislature is unique in that he was first elected to the Assembly in 1914 as a Democrat and thereafter was re-