

JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

NUMBER 1.

JOINT RESOLUTION, inviting the state officers and legislature of the state of Minnesota to visit the capital of Wisconsin during the session of the present legislature.

WHEREAS, The capital of our state is now connected by continuous railway communication with the capital of our sister state, Minnesota, therefore affording additional means for the interchange of friendly intercourse, and the promotion of common interests between the people of the two states, and

WHEREAS, A more extended personal acquaintance between the citizens of the two states, affording opportunities to compare thoughts and feelings, would tend to the development of mutual interests and the general prosperity of each; therefore

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That we hereby extend to the state officers and members of the legislature of the state of Minnesota, a cordial invitation to visit the legislature of Wisconsin, at the capital at Madison, at such time during the present session thereof, as may suit their convenience.

Resolved, That the governor be requested to forward a copy of these resolutions to each state officer, and to the presiding officer of each house of the legislature of the state of Minnesota.

Approved January 28, 1869.

NUMBER 2.

JOINT RESOLUTION, providing for an amendment to the constitution.

WHEREAS, The legislature of this state at its annual session for the year 1868, proposed and adopted by a vote of a majority

of the members elected to each of the two houses, amendments to the constitution in the following language :

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That section five of article five of the constitution of the state of Wisconsin is amended to read as follows: Section 5. The governor shall receive during his continuance in office, an annual compensation of five thousand dollars, which shall be in full for all traveling or other expenses incident to his duties; and

Be it further resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That section nine of article five of the constitution of the state Wisconsin is amended to read as follows: Section 9. The lieutenant governor shall receive during his continuance in office, an annual compensation of one thousand dollars; therefore,

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the foregoing amendments to the constitution be and the same are hereby agreed to by this legislature.

Approved February 20, 1869.

NUMBER 3.

JOINT RESOLUTION, tendering thanks to the Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company and to S. S. Merrill, Esq., the superintendent thereof.

Resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring, That the thanks of this legislature are due to the Milwaukee and St. Paul railway company for their generous liberality and kindness in providing special trains to convey our distinguished guests, the members of the Minnesota legislature and state officers to and from this capitol. And we wish to express our great obligation to the careful and experienced superintendent, S. S. Merrill, Esq., whose politeness and courtesy rendered the excursion one of pleasure and enjoyment to all.

Resolved, That the speaker of this assembly be requested to send an engrossed copy of these resolutions, signed by himself and the president of the senate, to Mr. Merrill.

Approved March 3, 1869.