Be it further resolved, That the mention of any line of inquiry herein shall not in any way limit the field of investigation which each of the said committees is empowered to enter upon and which it shall deem expedient in connection with the subject matter assigned to it for consideration.

Each of the said committees, by a majority vote of the members thereof, is hereby vested with plenary power to perform and discharge the duties by this resolution enjoined. Any member of each of the said committees shall have power to administer oaths to persons appearing before such committee.

Each of the said committees shall have power to employ such stenographers, clerks, assistants and experts as it may deem necessary and expedient for the proper discharge of the duties hereby assigned to it, and to fix the compensation of such persons as it shall employ.

Be it further resolved, That each member of each of the said committees shall be reimbursed by the state for his actual necessary expenses but shall receive no compensation for time devoted to the work of such committee.

Be it further resolved, That a copy of the proposed bill or bills framed by each of the said committees together with a copy of the findings and recommendations of such committee shall be sent to each member of the legislature at least sixty days before the convening of the special session of the legislature, hereinafter provided for.

Be it further resolved. That each of the said committees shall hold such meetings at such places and at such times as it shall deem most expedient.

Be it further resolved, That the governor is hereby requested to call a special session of the legislature at such time as he may determine after all of the said joint committees have notified him that they are ready to report in full upon the subjects assigned to them.

## [No. 45, S.]

## JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 9.

Relating to United States appropriations for the department of agriculture for the benefit of agricultural colleges.

Whereas, At the second session of the 59th Congress of the United States, there was passed Chapter 2907, an Act making

appropriations for the department of agriculture, which includes appropriations to the several states and territories for the more complete endowment and maintenance of agricultural colleges, and

WHEREAS, The grants of money made by this act are subject to the legislative assent of the several states and territories,

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That the legislature of the state of Wisconsin assent to the purposes of the grants of money providing for the more complete endowment and maintenance of agricultural colleges by Chapter 2907 of the statutes of the second session of the 59th Congress, and authorize the proper state officers to accept for the university the funds appropriated to the state of Wisconsin, said funds to be used for the purposes mentioned in said act.

## [No. 44, S.]

## JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 10.

Relating to the approval of the action of the regents of the University in reference to the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching.

Whereas, The regents of the University of Wisconsin on February 17th, 1909, adopted the following resolution: "Resolved, that the regents direct the president of the university to make application to the trustees of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching to have the University of Wisconsin placed upon the accepted list of institutions of the Foundation," and

WHEREAS, The rules of the trustees of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching require that the application for recognition by state universities be approved by the legislature and governor, therefore be it

Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring, That the application of the regents to have the University of Wisconsin placed upon the accepted list of institutions of the Carnegie Foundation for the Advancement of Teaching, is approved.