

Wisconsin to commemorate the services of Henry Dodge and to perpetuate his name; and

WHEREAS, An appropriate monument should be erected in the city of Dodgeville at the expense of the state in recognition of his distinguished services and in honor of his memory.

*Therefore, Be it resolved by the assembly, the senate concurring,* That the governor of the state appoint a committee of three citizens of the state to investigate and ascertain the cost of an appropriate monument to be erected in the city of Dodgeville in honor of Honorable Henry Dodge and that such committee report thereon to the next legislature.

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[No. 69, S]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 53.

Relating to Education.

WHEREAS, Reliable statistics show that there are at least 104,000 illiterates in the State of Wisconsin at the present time.

WHEREAS, There is a great movement through this entire country at the present time to establish night schools and night trade schools so that workers and those who have been denied education can not only get the elements of education, but can also improve themselves in their business in life.

WHEREAS, The growing need of instruction to our people who cannot attend schools demands from us some investigation of this great problem. Therefore be it

*Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring,* That the state superintendent, the president of the University of Wisconsin, the director of the University extension division of the University of Wisconsin, the librarian of the legislative reference department, and the superintendent of the Milwaukee public schools are hereby created a commission to report to the next legislature upon remedies for these conditions. And be it further

*Resolved,* That the heads of these departments are hereby directed to use their respective clerical forces to help in this matter in so far as it is necessary and to hold such conferences with teachers and associations as will enable them best to work out the plans for the betterment of these conditions, pro-

vided that none of the said officers shall receive any extra compensation for their services but may receive such traveling expenses and other expenses necessary to the fullest investigation of all of these matters.

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[No. 88, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 54.

To appropriate an additional \$9,000 to complete a Forest Products Laboratory at the University.

WHEREAS, Joint Resolution No. 71, S., has passed the Senate and Assembly, as follows: "That the Legislature approve the construction from the permanent improvement fund of the University, at an estimated cost of about \$41,000, of a forest products laboratory for work in forestry and for co-operation with the United States Forest Service."

WHEREAS, It is now found that the laboratory will cost about \$50,000, instead of \$41,000, therefore,

*Resolved*, That the Legislature approves taking \$9,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, from the permanent improvement fund of the University in addition to the \$41,000 mentioned in joint resolution No. 71, S., for the purpose of completing such laboratory.

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[No. 35, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 55.

Providing an amendment to section 3 of article IV of the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin, relating to apportionment.

WHEREAS, At the biennial session of the legislature for the year 1907 an amendment to the Constitution of this State was proposed and agreed to by a majority of the members elected to each of the two houses, which proposed amendment was in the following language:

*"Resolved by the senate, the assembly concurring*, That section 3 of article IV of the Constitution of the State of Wisconsin be amended to read as follows:

"Section 3. At their first session after each enumeration made by the authority of the United States, the Legislature