

officers and chief clerks of the assembly and senate, be transmitted to the president of the senate of the United States, to the speaker of the house of representatives, and to each of the senators and representatives in Congress from the state of Wisconsin.

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[No. 66, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 18.

Memorializing the Congress of the United States to enact a law vesting power in an appointive commission to regulate and control the production, distribution, transportation, and price of food stuffs, grains, fuel, and other basic commodities.

WHEREAS, Control of food stuffs, grains, fuel, and other basic commodities is essential to the welfare of our country and people and the prompt enactment of appropriate legislation to accomplish this end is necessary for success in the present war and for the safety and preservation of our nation. Therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Senate, the Assembly concurring,* That the Congress of the United States be and is hereby respectfully memorialized to enact at once a thorough-going law that will vest in a commission to be appointed by the president, appropriate power to regulate and control the production, distribution, transportation, and price of food stuffs, grains, fuel, and other basic commodities. Be it further

*Resolved,* That a copy of these resolutions be transmitted by the chief clerk of the senate to the president of the United States senate and to the speaker of the House of Representatives, and also to the representatives from this state in the Congress of the United States.

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[No. 65, S.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 19.

Relating to paintings by Mrs. L. H. Bancroft.

WHEREAS, Three paintings of distinguished citizens of Wisconsin now adorn the walls of the state capitol, which are the product of the hand of a native of the Badger state, Mrs. L. H. Bancroft of Richland Center, which paintings have been donated by her without any cost or remuneration to her on the part of the state or otherwise. They are the portraits of Hon. Samuel Crawford, a Justice of the Supreme Court of Wisconsin, from 1853 to 1855; Hon. Edward Scofield, Governor of Wisconsin, from 1897 to 1901, and Hon. Robert M. La Follette, Governor of Wisconsin, from 1901 to 1905,