

this song he was not a Wisconsin university graduate himself. It proves the moral influence which the healthy, daring and stimulating life of our university has on the imagination of men.

William Purdy was an idealist. He left a legacy of immense moral value which will be religiously preserved by all those who shall come to our great seat of learning for many generations. The magnificent tribute paid William Purdy at his death by the students and the alumni of the University of Wisconsin is a manifestation of the influence his great work has on the life of the university. Now, therefore, be it

*Resolved*, That this resolution be spread upon the journal of this day in recognition of the work of Mr. Purdy, and that a copy of this resolution, suitably engrossed and duly attested, be transmitted to the family of Mr. Purdy.

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[Jt. Res. No. 33, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 22.

In commendation of Senator J. H. Dennhardt.

*Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring*, That this legislature formally recognize and commend the action of Senator J. H. Dennhardt in bringing to the attention of the members of the road school, after they had sung "On Wisconsin," the fact that "Bill" Purdy, the composer of the music for that wonderful song had recently died, and that his family was in need of assistance and thereby securing almost three hundred dollars for those dependent upon this young man who contributed so much to this state.

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[Jt. Res. No. 38, A.]

JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 23.

Relating to the formation at Berlin, Wisconsin, of the first organization in the United States of veterans of the great war.

WHEREAS, There has been formed at Berlin, Wisconsin, an organization of the veterans of the great war called "Liberty War Veterans of the World;" and

WHEREAS, This is the first organization of the kind in the United States; and

WHEREAS, The city of Berlin has thus taken a lead in a great patriotic movement; therefore, be it

*Resolved by the Assembly, the Senate concurring*, That the city of Berlin be congratulated upon its initiative in this patriotic movement and that this resolution be spread upon the records of the day.