

of ten thousand dollars, may be set apart and appropriated for the use of the improvement aforesaid.

And your Memorialists will ever pray.

Approved March 1st, A. D. 1861.

NUMBER XV.

Memorial to Congress, and Joint Resolutions, asking that the Lands reserved for the uses of a Territorial University, under the Act of February 19th, 1851, may be donated for the benefit of said Territorial University.

To the Congress of the United States:

The Memorial of the Legislature of the State of Minnesota respectfully represents :

That the Territory of Minnesota established a University in 1851 ; and that the Regents of the Territorial Institution contracted debts, relying on the proceeds of the lands reserved for the use of said Territorial University, under the act of Congress of February 19th, 1851, and duly selected, for the liquidation of the same.

Asking donation of lands for the benefit of Territorial University

Your Memorialists, therefore, pray that the lands reserved for the Territorial University, under the provisions of said act, may be donated by Congress for the use of said University.

Resolved,—That the Governor of the State forward a certified copy of the foregoing Memorial and Joint Resolution to each of our senators and representatives in congress, and that they be requested to use their influence to procure the speedy passage of an act vesting the title in the State to the lands above mentioned, already reserved and selected by an act of congress.

Approved March 6th, A. D. 1861.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,

{ OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF STATE.
, Saint Paul, March 12th 1861.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Laws, Joint Resolutions and Memorials have been compared with the originals on file in this office, and that the same are true and correct copies thereof.

J. H. BAKER, *Secretary of State.*