

NUMBER 10.

MEMORIAL.

[S. F. NO. 290.]

Historical
society.

A memorial to the secretary of the interior of the United States and to the judge advocate general of the United States, for the purpose of procuring certain records of their respective offices for the benefit of the Minnesota Historical society.

Indian war of
1862 and Sibley
court martial.

Your memorialists, the Legislature of the state of Minnesota, respectfully request that you will furnish the historical society of the state of Minnesota copies of the records of a commission appointed by the United States government in the year one thousand, eight hundred sixty-two to take the testimony of persons who had suffered loss in the Sioux Indian war of that year, in the state of Minnesota, and elsewhere. And also the minutes and records of a certain court martial appointed in the same year by General Henry H. Sibley, commanding in said Indian war, containing the trial of many Indians accused of murder and other crimes, and also any records that may exist of the reference of said last named record to the judge advocate general of the United States for consideration, and his report thereon.

And if any obstacle exists to the furnishing of said reports by the departments above referred to that permission may be granted to the said historical society to procure copies of the same.

Approved March 19th, 1895.

NUMBER 11.

JOINT RESOLUTION.

Resolution of condolence tendered the Honorable John D. Ludden by the legislature of the state of Minnesota.

Whereas, Honorable John D. Ludden, who was for many years an honored member of the Legislature of the former territory of Minnesota and one of the presiding officers, has been grievously afflicted in the death of his wife, therefore

Resolved by the senate, the house of representatives

concurring, that our sincere condolence is hereby tendered to our respected fellow citizen in his bereavement.
Approved March 21st, 1895.

NUMBER 12.

JOINT RESOLUTION.

[S. F. NO 437.]

A joint resolution praying for a final passage by the U. S. congress of a certain bill now pending in the senate of the United States, to regulate the mode of removal of letter carriers, post office clerks and railway postal clerks, known as U. S. senate bill 2523.

Postal employees.

The memorial of the Legislature of the state of Minnesota respectfully represent:

Whereas, a certain bill is now pending in the senate of the United States, known as senate bill No. 2523; the same being a bill, intended for the protection of letter carriers, postoffice clerks and railway postal clerks, and providing that no letter carrier, postoffice clerk or railway postal clerk shall be removed or requested to resign (except when arrested for a crime, when suspension or removal may take place at once, in the discretion of the postmaster general) until after written charges shall have been examined into by the postoffice department, upon such reasonable notice to the person charged and in such manner of examination as the regulations of the postoffice department may prescribe; *provided* that letter carriers, postoffice clerks and railway postal clerks may be suspended by the postmaster general, pending the examination therein provided for; and,

Whereas, the final passage of such bill is to be greatly desired, as well in the interests of civil service reform, as in justice to the employes of the United States government, for whom it intends to provide; and

Whereas, it is the earnest sentiment of the people of this state, that the final passage of such bill will subserve the best interests of the public at large; therefore,

Resolved by the Legislature of the state of Minnesota:

That this state and the people thereof, respectfully and urgently request and recommend the final passage of the bill heretofore mentioned, by the congress of the United States, so that the same may become law.

Request for Congress to pass U. S. Senate bill 2523