## GENERAL LAWS

| Pennington county | 250.00   | Todd county     | 14.59  |
|-------------------|----------|-----------------|--------|
| Renville county   |          | Wadena county   |        |
| Rice county       |          | Watonwan county |        |
| St. Louis county  | 4,300.00 | Wilkin county   |        |
| Scott county      |          | Wright county:. | 108.00 |
| Sibley county     |          | Yellow Medicine |        |
| Steele county     |          | county          | 200.00 |
| Swift county      |          | ·               |        |

The residue of the funds at the disposal of the commission for the year 1912 to be apportioned and distributed among the counties of the state, including the counties above mentioned, on an equitable basis and in pursuance of the laws governing such apportionment and distribution.

Approved April 20, 1911.

## JOINT RESOLUTION No. 2.

WHEREAS. The states of Ohio, Pennsylvania, Michigan, Illinois, Wisconsin, New York, Kentucky and Indiana have appointed commissions to represent their respective states in, and to co-operate in preparing and excuting plans for, a centennial celebration to be held on Put-In-Bay Island, Ohio, under the auspices of the national government and the states herein mentioned, during the year nineteen hundred and thirteen, to commemorate the one hundredth anniversary of the battle of Lake Erie and the nortwestern campaign of General William Henry Harrison in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve; and

WHEREAS, The State of Minnesota has been invited by all the participating states aforementioned to join with them in the effecting and executing of proper plans for the celebration; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable and fitting that the State of Minnesota be represented and active in so laudable a patriotic enterprise;

Be it Resolved, By the house of representatives, the senate concurring therein, that the governor is hereby authorized to appoint a commission, consisting of five persons, to represent the people of the State of Minnesota, at the celebration of the centennial anniversary of the battle of Lake Erie and the northwestern campaign of General William Henry Harrison in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, to be held at Put-In-Bay Island in the year 1913, and to consult and co-operate with like commissions from other states which may participate in said celebration; and, prior to the session of the legislature in the year 1913, the said commission shall make a report to the governor of this state of the action and progress of said commission, and such other matters pertaining to such proposed celebration as may be of interest to the people of the state.

The said commission shall receive no compensation other than their necessary and actual expenses which shall be paid on vouchers and bills approved by the governor.

Approved April 20, 1911.

## JOINT RESOLUTION No. 3.

WHEREAS, It has been the policy of the state to sell its school and other state lands on advantageous terms to purchasers by giving extensions of time for payment up to forty years, and by reducing the rate of interest to four per cent when the unpaid principal remains for ten years, and by such a policy has aided in the development of the state, and furnished the school and other trust funds with substantial long time investments; and

WHEREAS, The rapid expansion of the various municipalities of the state has created a large demand upon the investment board for loans to construct school houses and other necessary public improvements; therefore,

Bc it Resolved, By the house of representatives, the senate concurring, that it is the sense of this legislature, that at any time on or before December 31, 1912, on those land sale certificates wherein the time limit has been, or may soon be reached, the state treasurer should receive the principal and interest payments, and the governor be authorized to execute patents covering those tracts on which all demands due the state have been paid in full.

April 19, 1911.

## JOINT RESOLUTION No. 4.

WHEREAS, It is the practice of the United States circuit courts to enjoin state officers from the enforcement of state statntes, and the orders of state officers made in pursuance of authority vested in them by state statutes, in action brought by citizens of other states and foreign corporations claiming that the laws of the states, or the orders of state officers conflict with the federal constitution; and

WHEREAS, The courts of the several states of the Union have jurisdiction both in law and equity to protect every interest guaranteed either by the constitution and laws of the state, or United States,