

## RESOLUTION No. 8—H. F. No. 13

*A concurrent resolution memorializing the President of the United States and the Congress of the United States that it is the sense of the members of the Minnesota Legislature that we favor the retention of the principle of the flexible tariff law.*

WHEREAS, the administration of tariff laws requires close and intelligent supervision, and

WHEREAS, tariff schedules cannot be drawn which will continually represent the fair and reasonable relationship between various commodities or between the production cost of the same commodity in this country as compared with its production cost in countries which are importers or prospective importers, and

WHEREAS, such relationship can be maintained by the wise and honest administration of a flexible tariff;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota, the Senate concurring, that we favor the continuance of the principle of the flexible tariff law, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of the State of Minnesota be instructed to send copies of this resolution to the President of the United States, the members in Congress from the State of Minnesota and to the President-elect Herbert Hoover.

Approved February 16, 1929.

## RESOLUTION No. 9—H. F. No. 325

*A concurrent resolution memorializing the Congress and the Secretary of Agriculture of the United States to oppose tariff on Canadian lumber and shingles.*

WHEREAS, the Farmers of Minnesota, as well as of other Northwestern States, as a result of seven years of agricultural depression, today are confronted with an urgent necessity for a general reconstruction and rehabilitation of their farm buildings, and

WHEREAS, the building material necessary therefor is to a very large extent imported from the Dominion of Canada, and

WHEREAS, there is now pending in the Congress of the United States a bill proposing a duty of 25 per cent ad valorem on Canadian cedar shingles and lumber and a specific duty of \$3.00 per thousand feet on lumber other than cedar, products largely used by the farmers of this and other states, and which now enter this country duty free; and