and unequal burdens placed upon agriculture, during the period of price fixing and deflation, may be lightened, by providing for the liquidation, and refinancing of farm mortgages and farm indebtedness at a reduced rate of interest through the Federal farm loan system, the Federal reserve banking system and the postal savings depository system, and creating a Board of Agriculture to supervise the same.

AND WHEREAS, this bill is a sound economic measure designed to remedy the inequalities under which agriculture is now laboring,

Now, Therefore, Be It Resolved, by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota, the Senate concurring, that the Congress of the United States be and it is hereby urgently petitioned to enact the said bill into law, and that the President of the United States be urged to approve said measure after its passage.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Minnesota members of the United States Senate and the Representatives in Congress from the State of Minnesota be and they are hereby petitioned and most earnestly urged to use their best efforts to bring about a speedy enactment of said legislation.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that a duly authenticated copy of this resolution be presented to the President of the United States, to the presiding officers of the Senate and of the House of Representatives of the Congress of the United States and to each of the Senators and Representatives from the State of Minnesota in the Congress of the United States.

Approved February 20, 1931.

RESOLUTION No. 12-S. F. No. 482

Concurrent resolution providing for a joint session of the Senate and the House of Representatives for the purpose of electing members of the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House of Representatives concurring, that the Senate and the House of Representatives meet in joint session on February 24, 1931, at two o'clock P. M., for the purpose of electing five members of the Board of Regents of the University of Minnesota, one from the Second Congressional District to fill the vacancy created by the death of L. O. Teigen, for the unexpired term of said L. O. Teigen, one each from the Third, the Ninth and the Tenth Congressional Districts respectively, and one at large, for terms of six years commencing on February 1, 1931.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, by the Senate, the House of Representatives concurring, that the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House each appoint a committee of eleven, one from each congressional district in the state and one at large, the persons so appointed to be and act as a joint nominating committee to nominate said members of the Board of Regents, said nominations to be reported by said joint committee at the joint session aforesaid; provided the members of the said joint nominating committee from each of the said Second, Third, Ninth, and Tenth Congressional Districts shall call a separate joint caucus of the Senators and Representatives from their congressional districts for the purpose of recommending to the joint nominating committee persons for its consideration in making nominations for the Board of Regents hereunder, and it shall be the duty of the members of the joint nominating committee calling such caucus in each case to report the recommendations of the caucus to the joint nominating committee for its consideration in making said nominations.

Approved February 21, 1931.

RESOLUTION No. 13-H. F. No. 709

Concurrent resolution postponing joint conventions to elect regents of the State University.

BE IT RESOLVED, by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota, the Senate concurring, that the meeting of the joint session of the House and Senate set for February 24, 1931, at