

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, by the Senate of the State of Minnesota, the House concurring, that the State of Minnesota does endorse and urge the passage of the legislation above referred to to the end that the Government of the United States may discharge its just and lawful obligations to the citizens of the State of Minnesota.

*"Be it further Resolved, that the Legislation above referred to be so amended so as to exclude insurance companies from participating therein and that it be further amended so as to protect all legitimate claimants against improper assignment of claims."*

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Secretary of State of the State of Minnesota be instructed to send a copy of this resolution to the President of the United States; to Walter Newton, Secretary to the President and Liaison Officer whose duties have to do with pending legislation in Congress and with contact of the Members of Congress in reference thereto; to each Member of the House of Representatives in Congress at Washington, D. C. from the State of Minnesota; and to each United States Senator from the State of Minnesota at Washington, D. C.

Approved January 21, 1931.

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RESOLUTION No. 2—H. F. No. 35

*Joint resolution memorializing congress to pass the pending measure for the relief of drainage and flood control districts.*

WHEREAS, there is now pending in congress a bill known as House File No. 11718, Senate File 4123, providing for aiding farmers in regions which have been drained or protected by flood control works by the making of loans to counties, drainage districts, and other political subdivisions in such regions for the purpose of redeeming bonds and other obligations issued in payment for drainage or flood control works, and interest thereon;

AND WHEREAS, under present agricultural conditions the payment of such bonds and other obligations and interest thereon has become difficult or impossible in many parts of the state of Minnesota affected thereby by reason of the inability of farmers to

meet their taxes and assessments, and the tax burdens of such regions have hereby been increased beyond the capacity of farmers generally to pay, and the agricultural depression in such regions has thereby been greatly aggravated;

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED, by the house of representatives of the state of Minnesota, the senate concurring, that we most earnestly urge the congress of the United States to pass said pending measure at the earliest possible time.

FURTHER RESOLVED, that the secretary of state of Minnesota be instructed to send copies of this resolution to both houses of congress and to each member in congress from the state of Minnesota.

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RESOLUTION No. 3—S. F. No. 60

*A resolution memorializing Congress to enact that certain bill now pending known as H. R. 15934, relating to the manufacture and sale of oleomargarine and restricting the use of palm oil in the manufacture thereof.*

WHEREAS, there is now pending before the Congress of the United States a certain bill known as H. R. 15934, the purpose and intent of which is to prohibit the use of palm oil in the manufacture of oleomargarine and its products; and whereas the enactment of such bill by Congress will be of great benefit to the dairying interests of the state of Minnesota,

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the House of Representatives of the State of Minnesota, the Senate concurring herein, that we do hereby respectfully petition and urge Congress to pass and enact said H. R. 15934.

AND BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the chief clerk be instructed to forward a copy hereof to each of the senators and representatives of the state of Minnesota in said Congress of the United States.

Approved January 22, 1931.