the office of President, or acted as President, for more than two years of a term to which some other person was elected President shall be elected to the office of the President more than once. But this Article shall not apply to any person holding the office of President when this Article was proposed by the Congress, and shall not prevent any person who may be holding the office of President, or acting as President, during the term within which this Article becomes operative from holding the office of President or acting as President during the remainder of such term.

'SEC. 2. This article shall be inoperative unless it shall have been ratified as an amendment to the Constitution by the legislatures of three-fourths of the several States within seven years from the date of its submission to the States by the Congress'";

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the legislature of the State of of Minnesota:

- Section 1. That the said proposed amendment to the Constitution of the United States of America be, and the same is hereby, ratified by the legislature of the State of Minnesota.
- Sec. 2. That the secretary of state be, and he is hereby, directed to forward certified copies of this preamble and joint resolution to the presiding officer of the United States Senate and the speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States, and that he transmit official notice hereof to the secretary of state of the United States, as provided by the law of this state.

## RESOUTION No. 5-S. F. No. 901

A joint resolution memorializing the Congress of the United States to reenact the "Emergency Maternity Care Program" for the wives of servicemen similar to the benefits provided for pregnant wives of servicemen during World War II.

WHEREAS, during World War II the Congress of the United States enacted into law the "Emergency Maternity Care

Program" for the benefit of pregnant wives of servicemen which legislation did much to alleviate the hardship and distress experienced by the wives and families of men called into active service at a time when the husband is not available or able to provide the necessary care for his pregnant wife because of such military service, and

WHEREAS, during the present national emergency many of our young married men are being called into active service with the armed forces of our country, and already a number of cases have arisen wherein actual suffering and hardship has been experienced by pregnant wives who have no one to help or care for them, owing to the absence of their husbands from home, except public relief or such private charity as may be available locally

Now, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota as follows:

1. That the Congress of the United States be requested to immediately re-enact into law the "Emergency Maternity Care Program" for the benefit of pregnant wives of men serving in the armed forces of the United States during the present national emergency, and

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the Secretary of State of Minnesota be instructed to transmit copies of this resolution to the President of the United States, the President of the Senate and to the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the United States Congress, and to each member of Congress from the State of Minnesota.

## RESOLUTION No. 6-H. F. No. 204

A concurrent resolution memorializing Congress to establish a national cemetery at Birch Coulee Battlefield in Renville County, Minnesota.

WHEREAS, on September 2nd and 3rd, 1862, there was fought at Birch Coulee in Renville County a battle with the Indians of great historic importance, at which soldiers and pioneer citizens, heroically fighting against overwhelming odds, laid down their lives; and,