

JOINT RESOLUTIONS.

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[S. F. NO. 152.]

A joint resolution of the senate and the house of representatives for the extermination of a weed known as Russian thistle.

Whereas, the noxious weed commonly known as Russian thistle or Russian cactus by its rapid spread throughout the agricultural regions of the Northwestern states, namely Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, North Dakota, South Dakota and Nebraska as shown by the bulletin of the department of agriculture at Washington; and

Whereas, it is essential to the extermination of the weed aforesaid that the people of every infested section act in harmony, therefore

Be it resolved by the senate, the house concurring, that the governor be requested to appoint two members of the Legislature or other persons, as may to him may seem fittest, to act with commissioners from other states to devise a means for concerted action in the extermination of the aforesaid Russian thistle,

Request for concerted action by other states.

Also that the governor be requested to invite the governors of the several states, aforesaid, namely, Wisconsin, North Dakota, South Dakota, Iowa and Nebraska, to send two (2) commissioners to meet in the city of Saint Paul as soon as convenient, the date to be fixed by the governor, to discuss ways and means for the extermination of the aforesaid weed, with a view to agreeing upon legislation which shall be recommended to the legislature of the several states aforesaid and also to congress.

Approved February 1st, 1895.