Also, that the Senate has passed the following concurrent resolutions:

Resolved, The House concurring, That the Senate will meet the House of Representatives in joint convention in the Representative Hall, on Tuesday next, January 22d, at eleven o'clock A. M., for the purpose of electing surveyors of logs and lumber in the several lumbering districts, and one of the agricultural board.

Resolved, The House concurring, That there be appointed a joint committee of five members of the Senate and seven members of the House, to whom all bills having for their object amendments to the general statutes shall be referred,

And respectfully ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives therein.

GEO. P. WILSON, Secretary of the Senate.

Mr. Pope introduced the following resolution, which was adopted:

Resolved, That the House proceed to act on the resolutions just presented by the Senate.

Mr. Wilson moved the adoption of the Senate concurrent resolution referring to a joint committee to make necessary arrangements for the proposed visit to the State normal school at Winona.

Which prevailed.

The Speaker announced as such committee, Messrs. Buck, Dunnell and A. C. Smith.

Mr. King moved that the House agree in the Senate amendment to the joint resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. Ames moved to concur in the concurrent Senate resolution relative to a joint convention, and the appointing of a committee to whom bills amendatory to the general statutes should be referred.

Mr. Colburn called for a division of the question.

Mr. Wilson moved to concur in the Senate concurrent resolution relative to the joint convention on the 22d, to elect surveyors of logs and lumber in the several lumber districts.

Which prevailed.

Mr. Colburn moved to lay the resolution regarding the joint committee to whom bills amendatory to the general statutes should be referred, on the table.

Which motion prevailed.

Mr. A. C. Smith, from the committee on insurance, reported that they have had under consideration

S. F. No. 3, A bill for an act to amend chapter 6 title 34 of the general statutes, relating to insurance companies,

And beg leave to report back the bill and recommend its passage.

Mr. King moved that the rules be so far suspended that the bill may have its second and third reading, and be put upon its passage at this time,

Which prevailed.

It was read by its title the second time, and was then read the third time and put upon its final passage.

. The question being taken on the final passage of the bill, there were yeas 42 and nays none, as follows:

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. Aaker, Ames, A. Andrews, B. S. Andrews, Ayres, Blodgett, Braden, Brisbane, Brown, Buck, Colburn, Davis, Donaldson, Dunnell, Felch, Gould, Hanft, Howell, Kemp, King, Knapp, Lewis, Lienau, Miner, Mitchell, Oleson, Perry, Pope, Randall, Reed, Rice, Savage, Sawyer, Shillock, A. C. Smith, J. E. Smith, Seboski, Twiford, Wheaton, Wilson, Yates and Mr. Speaker.

So the bill was passed and its title agreed to.

Upon motion of Mr. Perry, the House adjourned.

EIGHTH DAY.

Friday, January 18th, 1867.

The House was called to order at the usual hour, by the Speaker.

Prayer by the Chaplain.

The roll being called, the following members were found to be absent:

Messrs. Brisbane, Donaldson, Johnson, Kennedy, Lewis, Randall, Rice and Shillock.

The journal was read and approved.

Mr. Jackman presented the petition of L. A. Huntoon and others praying for the enactment of a law creating an independent department of public instruction, &c.

Which was referred to the committee on education.

Mr. Buck, from the committee on federal relation, to whom was referred

H. F. No. 2, A bill to cede to the United States jurisdiction over such territory in the city of Saint Paul, Minnesota, as may be selected by the general government as a site for a custom house and postoffice building,

Would respectfully report that they have examined the same and recommend its passage without amendment.

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