

S. F. No. 1, An act to change the time of holding courts in Dakota, Olmsted and Houston counties.

Very respectfully,

Your obedient servant,

WM. R. MARSHALL,

Governor of Minnesota.

S. F. Nos. 8, 9, 10, 11 and 12, were read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Perkins S. F. No. 2 was referred to a special committee of one, with instructions that it be so amended as to provide that the compensation of members of the Legislature be five dollars per day during the present session only.

Mr. Perkins was appointed as such committee.

Mr. Yale offered the following resolution, which was adopted :

Resolved, By the Senate (the House of Representatives concurring) That a joint committee of two Senators and three Representatives be and are hereby appointed to make the necessary arrangements for the proposed visit to the State normal school at Winona, on Wednesday next.

Messrs. Yale and Murray were appointed as such committee on the part of the Senate.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives :

MR. PRESIDENT :—I have to announce to the Senate that the House of Representatives has passed the following bill, to wit :

H. F. No. 3, A bill for an act to appropriate money for newspapers, postage and stationery of the officers and members of the present Legislature,

Herewith transmitted.

Also, that the House has concurred with the Senate in the passage of the joint resolution relating to the joint committee on University and University Lands, and Messrs. King, Wheaton, Ayres, Felch and Maynard are appointed as such committee on the part of the House of Representatives.

Also that the House of representatives has passed a joint resolution ratifying a proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States, and respectfully request the concurrence of the Senate in the passage of the same.

S. P. JENNISON,

Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives.

The message from the House of Representatives being under consideration,

On motion of Mr. Daniels the resolution ratifying the proposed amendment to the constitution of the United States, was read the first time.

Mr. Murray moved that the resolution be referred to the committee on federal relations.

Which motion was lost.

On motion of Mr. Pillsbury, the rules were suspended, so that the resolution could be read the second and third times.

The resolution was then read the second time.

On motion of Mr. Lord the resolution was amended by striking out from the same the words "the Senate concurring."

The resolution was then read the third time and put upon its passage.

The roll being called, there were yeas 16 and nays 5, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. A. Armstrong, J. L. Armstrong, Buck, Bristol, Draper, Daniels, Folsom, Gordon, Lord, Perkins, Porter, Pillsbury, Temple, Whitney, Wakefield and Yale.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Butters, Baxter, Evans, Griggs and Murray.

And so the resolution was passed.

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Was read the first time.

On motion of Mr. Wakefield the rules were suspended so that the bill could be read the second and third times, and put upon its passage.

H. F. No. 3 was then read the second time.

H. F. No. 3 was then read the third time and put upon its passage.

The roll being called, there were yeas 19 and nays none, as follows :

Those who voted in the affirmative were—

Messrs. A. Armstrong, J. L. Armstrong, Buck, Butters, Bristol, Baxter, Daniels, Evans, Folsom, Griggs, Gordon, Murray, Perkins, Porter, Pillsbury, Temple, Whitney, Wakefield and Yale.

And so the bill passed and its title was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Murray, S. F. Nos. 4 and 5 were referred to the joint committee on taxes and tax laws.

Mr. Murray presented a petition from various citizens of West St. Paul, Dakota county, asking for the passage of a law detaching certain portions of Dakota county therein named, and attaching the same to the county of Ramsey,

Which was read and referred to a special committee consisting of Messrs. Draper and Murray.

On motion of Mr. Evans the Senate adjourned.

THOMAS H. ARMSTRONG,

Attest :

President.

GEO. P. WILSON, Secretary.