MESSAGES FROM THE GOVERNOR.

STATE OF MINNESOTA,
EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENT,
ST. PAUL, APRIL 7, 1909.

Hon. A. O. Eberhart, President of the Senate:

SIR—I have the honor to inform you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following joint memorial:

S. F. No. 719. Joint Memorial. A memorial from the Legislature of the State of Minnesota to the Congress of the United States for the early enactment of an amendment to the national bank act, giving national banks not located in reserve cities permission to make loans upon the security of real estate.

ST. PAUL, APRIL 8, 1909.

Hon. A. O. Eberhart, President of the Senate:

SIR—I have the honor to advise you that I have approved, signed and deposited in the office of the Secretary of State the following Senate Files:

S. F. No. 265, A bill for an act to authorize cities in the State of Minnesota now or hereafter having a population of more than fifty thousand (50,000) inhabitants to issue and sell bonds for the purpose of acquiring grounds for public school purposes and constructing public, graded school buildings and additions to and repairs on public graded school buildings.

S. F. No. 281, A bill for an act to amend section five thousand forty-six (5046) of the Revised Laws of Minnesota for one thousand nine hundred five (1905) relating to the having in possession or making of burglar's tools.

S. F. No. 447, A bill for an act to amend section two thousand sixty (2060) of the Revised Laws of one thousand nine hundred five (1905) relating to the appointment of members of the Grain Inspection Boards.

S. F. No. 475, A joint resolution.

S. F. No. 491, A bill for an act to amend chapter four hundred eight (408) of the General Laws of Minnesota for one thousand nine hundred seven (1907) relating to the powers and duties of the Minnesota Tax Commission.

S. F. No. 518, A bill for an act to amend section nine hundred sixty-four (964) of chapter eleven (11) of Revised Laws of one
thousand nine hundred five (1905) relating to refundment of moneys paid at tax sale when the land sold was exempt from taxation.

S. F. No. 553, A bill for an act to validate and legalize payments of public moneys heretofore made by officers of cities in this state for the purpose of aiding in the appropriate observance of Memorial Day, the thirtieth (30th) day of May, and Independence Day, the fourth (4th) day of July, in the years one thousand nine hundred seven (1907) and one thousand nine hundred eight (1908).

Very respectfully,

JOHN A. JOHNSON,
Governor.

On motion of Mr. Sullivan, the Senate adjourned.

Attest:

GEO. W. PEACHEY,
Secretary of the Senate.