

**REPORTS AND RESOLUTIONS**

OF THE

**GENERAL ASSEMBLY**

OF THE

STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA,

PASSED AT THE

**EXTRA SESSION OF 1866.**

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COLUMBIA, S. C.:

JULIAN A. SELBY, PRINTER TO THE STATE.

1866.

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**REPORTS**

OF THE

**VARIOUS STANDING COMMITTEES,**

AT THE

**EXTRA SESSION OF 1866.**

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## COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

The Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the account of P. B. Glass, for stationery furnished the House of Representatives at this session, amounting to four hundred and eighty-seven dollars and thirteen cents, (\$487.13,) beg leave to report: That they have examined the same, and recommend that it be paid.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

The Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the account of Townsend & North, for stationery furnished the House of Representatives for this session, beg leave to report: That they have examined the same, and recommend that it be paid—to wit: Sixty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON CLAIMS AND GRIEVANCES.

IN THE SENATE, September, 18, 1866.

The Committee on Claims and Grievances, to whom was referred the account of P. B. Glass, for stationery furnished to the Senate, at this session, beg leave to report: That they have considered the same, and recommend that he be paid the amount of sixteen dollars and sixty cents, in full of his account.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 18, 1866.

The Committee on Claims and Grievances, to whom was referred the account of Joseph Walker, for stationery and binding the Journal of the Senate, at the present session, beg leave to report: That they have examined the same, and find it correct, and recommend that he be paid the sum of two hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty cents, (\$221.20,) in full of his account.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

## IN THE SENATE, September 17, 1866.

The Committee on Claims and Grievances, to whom was referred the petition of C. Bruce Walker, Librarian of the South Carolina University, praying for an appropriation to repair mutilated furniture belonging to the Library of the University, respectfully report: They have considered the same, and find that, since the Library Room has been occupied by the Senate, four chairs belonging to the Library have been broken and entirely destroyed, and three others seriously damaged. It is supposed that it will require one hundred dollars to replace said chairs. The Committee therefore recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That one hundred dollars be paid to C. Bruce Walker, Librarian of the University of South Carolina, to replace and repair chairs belonging to the Library Room of said University, destroyed and broken whilst said room was occupied by the Senate.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

## IN THE SENATE, September 19, 1866.

The Committee on Claims and Grievances, to whom was referred the account of Theodore Stark, for contingent expenses of the Legislature at the special session, respectfully report: That they have examined the same, and recommend its payment, viz: eight hundred and thirty-five dollars and seventy-five cents.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

## MEDICAL COMMITTEE.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

The Medical Committee, to whom was referred the memorial of Drs. George E. Trescott and Samuel Logan, requesting some action on the part of the State to supply disabled soldiers with artificial limbs, who have lost the same in State or Confederate service, ask leave to report: That they have had the same under consideration, and in order to ascertain the number required, with a view to definite action, they ask to submit the following resolution:

Resolved, That His Excellency the Governor be requested to issue a circular, directed to each of the Tax-Collectors of the State, requiring them to furnish him with a list of the names of all citizens in their respective Districts who were permanently disabled in the State or Confederate service during the late war, particularly specifying those who have been deprived of their limbs, and stating in each case whether it be an arm or leg, or both; and that the Governor be also requested to furnish the information thus acquired to the General Assembly at the next regular session.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 21, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON PUBLIC PRINTING.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 7, 1866.

The Committee on Public Printing, to whom was referred a resolution instructing the Clerk of the Senate to receive new bids for the Public Printing, asking leave to report: That they have had the same under consideration, and find that no provision has been made for the printing of this extra session, and recommend the adoption of the following resolutions:

Resolved, That the Clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives be instructed to advertise, to-morrow, in the daily papers of this city, for proposals to execute the current and permanent work of this extra session, and that the bids be submitted to their respective Houses on Monday next.

Resolved, That Mr. Julian A. Selby be requested to continue the printing until a Printer shall be chosen.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report and resolutions.

Ordered, That they be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 8, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 11, 1866.

The Committee on Public Printing, to whom was referred the proposals of Mr. F. G. DeFontaine, and Mr. Julian A. Selby, for the remainder of this extra session of the General Assembly, after having duly considered the same, beg leave to report: That they have accepted the proposals of Mr. Selby, who undertakes to perform the printing, subject to the following rates and conditions:

Daily Journals, Calendars, &c., stitched and trimmed, two hundred copies, \$2.50 per page of two thousand ems Bourgeois type.

Bills, 6x11 inches, to contain two thousand three hundred and twelve ems Pica type to the page, two hundred copies, \$2.75 per page.

So much of the permanent work as includes the Journals, Reports and Resolutions, one thousand copies, \$3.00 per page—each page to contain

two thousand and sixty ems Bourgeois type, and uniform in size with the same work executed in the year 1844; the whole to be stitched and bound together in good paper covers, the paper used to be of the best quality, and the entire work, in every respect, to be executed in a neat and workmanlike manner.

So much of the permanent work as includes the Acts, with side-notes, one thousand copies, Bourgeois type, \$3.50 per page, each page to contain two thousand and sixty ems; the work to be of the same style and quality as that embraced in the preceding paragraph.

For all rule and figure work, \$5.50 per page.

The Committee would, therefore, recommend for adoption the following resolutions :

Resolved, That Mr. Julian A. Selby be, and he is hereby, declared the Printer of this General Assembly, for the aforesaid work, and shall continue as such during the present extra session.

Resolved, That for the work of the present session, which has been performed by Mr. Selby, prior to the adoption of these resolutions, he be paid at the rates specified in his proposals submitted at the present session.

Resolved, That before any bills for public printing shall be paid by the State Treasurer, a copy of each Journal, Calendar, Bill, or other printing, shall be presented to said officer, who shall see that the texts and specifications in regard to the printing shall have been complied with.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.



## COMMITTEE OF WAYS AND MEANS.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 10, 1866.

The Committee of Ways and Means, to whom was referred the petition of J. Ralph Smith, praying "that he may be allowed to purchase certain machinery, belonging to the State Works, at Greenville, on time," respectfully report: That the prayer of the petitioner be granted, under the supervision of the Board of Commissioners appointed at the last session of the Legislature, and that said Commissioners be furthermore allowed the discretion of granting indulgence to other purchasers of the machinery belonging to the State Works, at Greenville, at the sale in October next, not exceeding one and two years, and that they report at the next regular session of the General Assembly.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, G. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 12, 1866.

The Committee of Ways and Means, to whom were referred the memorial of R. C. Pool, Tax-Collector of Spartanburg District, praying an extension of time to make his tax returns, and, also, certain resolutions for the relief of delinquent tax-payers, ask leave to report: That it is ascertained by the Committee that more than two-thirds of the Tax-Collectors of the State are in like default with the Tax-Collector of Spartanburg, and for the same reasons assigned by him in excuse, if not in justification therefor.

The Committee have already acted on one petition from the Tax-Collector of Greenville District; and the House has expressed its approval of their recommendation.

In order to avoid the unnecessary trouble of reporting on each application as it may be presented, the Committee recommend the adoption of the resolutions which follow, which are intended to cover and dispose of all similar cases:

Resolved, That the Tax-Collectors of the State who have failed to make returns, as required by law; have leave, until the first day of November next, to complete the collection of taxes, and to make their final returns;

and that they be, and are hereby, exempted from the penalties imposed by law for such failure: Provided, however, That they do pay over to the Treasurer, by the first day of October next, all moneys which have been, or may be, collected up to that day.

Resolved, That all executions which have been, or may be, issued against defaulting tax-payers be suspended and stayed until the first day of November next.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

♦ IN THE SENATE, September 17, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

The Committee of Ways and Means, to whom was referred the petition of Mrs. Susan E. Porcher, praying the renewal of a lost certificate of six per cent. State stock, in the name of the late Dr. F. Y. Porcher, beg leave to report: That they have considered the same, and recommend that the prayer of the petitioner be granted, and that the Treasurer be authorized and directed to issue a renewal of the certificate number three, for three thousand dollars (\$3,000) for six per cent. State stock in the name of Francis Y. Porcher.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON THE MILITARY.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, December 16, 1865.

The Committee on the Military, to whom was referred the report of William J. Rivers, agent of the State to collect and record the names of deceased soldiers from South Carolina, ask leave to report: That they have considered the matter referred to them. Immediately after his appointment, at the last session of the Legislature, Mr. Rivers proceeded to collect from the most reliable sources the information necessary to the completion of his work. But after a month's service, his labors were stopped by interruption of all mail communication in the State, and it became impracticable to continue the work. During that time, he collected, from various sources, the names of about seventeen hundred and thirty persons who had perished in our cause. He estimates the number of soldiers from South Carolina who died from wounds and disease at ten thousand. Owing to the sudden breaking up of our armies and other causes, this work will be more difficult, and will require a longer time for its completion.

The agent suggests that, if the continuation of the work be ordered, only an annual amount sufficient to cover his expenses be appropriated, and that on the completion of the work, such compensation be given him as may be adequate. He has drawn no part of the appropriation made by the Legislature, and claims no more of it than will be necessary to pay for postage, printing circulars and advertising. From the estimate which he submits of the expenses already incurred, and of what will be needed for another year, the Committee are of opinion that five hundred dollars will be sufficient to cover both.

The Committee are of opinion that it is due to the memory of these fallen heroes that their names should be preserved in a permanent record, to be deposited in the archives of the State.

The Committee, therefore, recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That William J. Rivers be continued the agent of the State, to collect and record the names of deceased soldiers from South Carolina, and that five hundred dollars, if so much be necessary, be appropriated to pay his expenses for another year; and that on the completion of the work he be allowed such compensation as may be adequate for his services.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON INTERNAL IMPROVEMENTS.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

The Committee on Internal Improvements, to whom was referred the "Memorial of Alexander McBee, Executor for the heirs of Vardry McBee, deceased," respectfully report: That they have considered the memorial, with the endorsement of the Commissioners, for the sale of the State Works, at Greenville, and the letter of the Hon. William H. Gist, in reference to the same.

The Committee learn that the State Works are one and one-fourth miles from the town of Greenville; that the State owns twenty acres of land on which the Works were erected, which is enclosed by a substantial plank fence; that a "turn-out" from the Railroad passes through the enclosure; and that the buildings, independent of the machinery, cost the State thirty or forty thousand dollars. The Committee submit that the buildings should not be sold separate from the land as so much damaged material. The Committee do not, therefore, recommend the restoration of the land, as prayed for in the memorial; but in consideration of the partial or complete failure of the various considerations as set forth in the memorial, as inducing the late Vardry McBee, deceased, to give the land on which the State Works were erected, the Committee do recognize the propriety of paying to the representatives of the said Vardry McBee, deceased, the value of said land.

The Committee recommend the adoption of the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Commissioners appointed to sell the State Works, at Greenville, be authorized to pay to the representatives of the late Vardry McBee, deceased, of Greenville District, fifteen hundred dollars, as the value of the above-named land, to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of the State Works, at Greenville.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON OFFICERS AND OFFICES.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 15, 1866.

The Committee on Officers and Offices, to whom was referred the petitions from sundry Districts for the appointments of Magistrates, have considered the same, and recommend the following appointments:

For York District—J. M. Martin.

For Beaufort District—Ephraim M. Seabrook, Elisha B. Wall, James T. Dowling, Thomas E. Searson, Henry M. Fuller, (of Shelton,) and Benjamin F. Stone.

For Barnwell C. H.—F. H. Gantt.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

The Committee on Officers and Offices ask leave to recommend the appointment of the following District Officers :

### MARLBORO DISTRICT.

*Commissioners of Public Buildings.*—A. G. Johnson, Robert Johnson, Jackson Stubbs, Robert C. Easterling, Z. A. Drake, H. G. Lucas, John Covington and J. B. Willis.

*Commissioners to Approve Public Securities.*—William Hurchinson, J. H. Hudson, Joseph L. Breeden, B. D. Townsend and R. A. Douglass.

### FAIRFIELD DISTRICT.

*Magistrate in Horeb Beat.*—Chappell O. Tropp.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON THE STATE HOUSE AND GROUNDS.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 14, 1866.

The Committee on State House and Grounds, to whom was referred the petition of "The Ladies' Memorial Association, of Columbia," asking permission to use certain granite and marble, belonging to the State, for head-stones for the graves of Confederate soldiers, beg leave to report: That they have carefully considered the same, and recommend that the prayer of the petitioners be granted, and that the Keeper of the State House be directed to deliver to the order of Catherine McFie, President of said Association, for the purposes indicated in said petition, such marble and granite as has not been specially prepared for any work upon the new State House, or which has been prepared, and, since, so damaged as not to be fit for the purposes for which it was prepared.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 15, 1866.

The Committee on State House and Grounds, to whom was referred the petition of the "Ladies' Memorial Association of Charleston," praying an appropriation of marble and granite for the erection of head-stones and a monument to the Confederate dead in the vicinity of Charleston, beg leave to report: That after considering the petition of the memorialists, they respectfully recommend that the prayer be granted, and that the Keeper of the State House and Grounds be authorized to deliver to the order of Mrs. M. A. Snowden, President of the Ladies' Memorial Association of Charleston, such marble and granite belonging to the State, not otherwise designed for special purposes in the erection of the new State

**House:** And further, That the sum of one thousand dollars be appropriated from the Treasury of the State to aid the said Association in carrying out their undertaking.

**Resolved,** That the House do agree to the report.

**Ordered,** That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 18, 1866.

**Resolved,** That the Senate do concur in the report.

**Ordered,** That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## REPORT OF THE PRESIDING OFFICERS OF THE TWO HOUSES OF THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 13, 1866.

The Presiding Officers of the two Houses of the General Assembly, in accordance with the resolution adopted at the last session, respectfully submit the following Joint Rules for the regulation of the Senate and House of Representatives:

1. All messages between the two Houses must be in writing, and numbered in regular sequence for each session, except that messages announcing the organization of either House, or its readiness to adjourn pursuant to joint resolution, may be communicated orally by the Clerk in person.

2. When the two Houses meet for any purpose, the President of the Senate shall preside; but the Speaker shall put all questions to the House.

3. Questions of disagreement between the two Houses shall be referred to Committees of Conference, as follows: If the disagreement be upon a resolution or a report adopted by one House and sent to the other House for consideration, and it be proposed to amend such resolution or report, the House in possession of the paper will send a message to the other House containing the amendment proposed. If that House disagree to such amendment, it will return a message accordingly. If the House proposing the amendment still desire to urge it, it will send a message to the other House insisting upon its amendment, and asking that a Committee for Conference may be appointed, at the same time naming its own Committee of Conference. This will be granted as of course. The Joint Committee will meet and exchange views in writing, or orally, as they may deem proper. If the Committees cannot agree upon any plan of settlement, or if their report be not concurred in by both Houses, a Committee of Free Conference will be appointed on the request of either House. Such Committees shall always consist of persons who were not on the first Committee. If the Committee of Free Conference fail to agree upon any plan of settlement, or if their report be not concurred in by both Houses, the proposition to amend is lost.

4. Either House may amend a Bill originating in the other House on its second reading, and may adopt, amend or reject, upon the third reading, any amendment made by the other House to a Bill returned to it. But where it is proposed to amend on its third reading a Bill which originated in and has passed the other House, a message must be sent and the course must be pursued as provided in Rule Third.

5. When a Bill or resolution, or any other matter which shall have passed in one House, is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given to that House in which the same shall have passed.

6. Each House shall transmit to the other all papers upon which any Bill, or resolution, or report, sent to it for its consideration, shall have founded.



7. Every Bill which shall have had three readings in each House, and shall have passed, shall be engrossed, and be signed in the Senate House by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, at such times as they may appoint during the session of the Senate. The Bill or Act thus signed shall be presented to the Governor by the hands of the Clerk of that House in which it shall have originated, and such Clerk shall endorse thereon the day and hour of such presentation. The Speaker of the House may attend in the Senate House for the purpose of ratifying engrossed Acts or Bills, unaccompanied by the House. The Governor will communicate by message to the General Assembly the titles of the Bills or Acts approved by him. If he disapprove a Bill he will return it, as provided in the Constitution. If a Bill be passed as provided in the Constitution, notwithstanding the disapproval of the Governor, it will be again ratified in the mode herein provided, with a certificate thereunto attached, signed by the President of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, showing that it had been returned by the Governor, with his objections, to the House in which it originated, and that it had been duly reconsidered by that House; that after such reconsideration a majority of the whole representation in that House had agreed to pass the Bill, and that upon being sent to the other House, by which it was also reconsidered, it was approved by a majority of the whole representation in that House. To a Bill thus certified the seal of the State will be affixed by the Secretary of State. It shall also be the duty of the Secretary of State to affix the seal of the State to every Bill which shall have been presented to the Governor, which has not been signed by him, and which has not been returned with his objections, within the time prescribed by the Constitution.

8. When Bills, which have been sent from one House to the other, are ordered to be printed in that other, a greater number shall not be printed than may be necessary for the use of the House making the order.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

—  
IN THE SENATE, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## COMMITTEE ON RAILROADS.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 14, 1866.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the "Memorial of James Brown, relating to the Railroad Bridge over the Congaree and Wateree Rivers," beg leave to report: That they have considered the same, and recommend that it be referred to the Attorney-General and Solicitors, who shall be required to investigate the cause of complaint, and report the result of their investigation to the General Assembly, on the first day of its next regular session.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the report.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the report.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

## RESOLUTIONS.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 4, 1866.

Resolved, That J. C. Horton be re-appointed Magistrate for Broadway Beat Co., Anderson District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That L. B. Maffett be, and is hereby, appointed Magistrate for Beat No. 2, Newberry District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That Elmore Allan, Duncan McCall and John W. Harrington be, and they are hereby, appointed Magistrates in and for the District of Marlboro.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.  
 By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

—  
 IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.  
 By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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 IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That Thomas J. Duncan be appointed a Magistrate for the  
 Judicial District of Sumter.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.  
 By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

—  
 IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.  
 By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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 IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That Peter G. Snowden, Charles J. Macbeth, D. McCants  
 Winter and Henry S. Tew be re-appointed Magistrates in Berkeley Dis-  
 trict.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.  
 By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

—  
 IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.  
 By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That the following persons be, and are hereby, appointed Magistrates to fill the vacancies now existing, namely :

For Greenville District—J. Dunklin Sullivan and Charles F. Davis.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That Samuel Dibble be re-appointed a Magistrate at Orangeburg village ; also, that D. O. Tindal be appointed a Magistrate in place of Lewis Rast, deceased.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That Wm. A. Besant be appointed a Magistrate for Little River Village, Horry District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That John M. Graham be appointed a Magistrate, to reside at Florence, in Darlington District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 5, 1866.

Resolved, That Reuben Steedman be appointed Magistrate in Lexington District, in place of Anderson Steedman, whose term has expired.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 7, 1866.

Resolved, That P. M. Harner, Philip Odom, W. W. Irby, A. N. Bristow, D. Mattheson, Thompson Allen, Frank Manuing and Lauchlin McLaurin be, and are hereby, appointed Commissioners of Free Schools for Marlboro District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 7, 1866.

Resolved, That the election precinct in Berkeley District known as the Tar Kiln Poll, near the twenty-two mile post, on the State road, be abolished, and that the Summerville and Brick House Polls be re-established, and that John Gadsden, Stephen T. Browning and E. L. Stoppelen be appointed Managers at the Summerville Poll, and that George Lynes, Henry Nichols and O. C. Rhame be appointed Managers at the Brick House Poll.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 8, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 8, 1866.

Resolved, That the appointments by His Excellency the Governor of William K. Blake and James W. Black as Magistrates of Abbeville District, made since the last session of the Legislature, be confirmed.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September , 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 8, 1866.

1. Resolved, That A. M. Boozer be, and he is hereby, appointed a Magistrate for Lexington District, *vice* Reuben Gross, who refused to qualify.
2. Resolved, That Charles Hutto be appointed a Magistrate for Lexington District, *vice* John T. Williamson, removed.
3. Resolved, That David Counts be, and he is hereby, re-appointed a Magistrate for Lexington District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September , 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 8, 1866.

1. Resolved, That S. H. Wilds, R. L. Hart and J. B. Nettles be, and they are hereby, appointed members of the Board of Commissioners of Public Buildings for Darlington District, to fill existing vacancies.

2. Resolved, That D. C. Milling, B. F. Williamson and Moses Huggins be, and they are hereby, appointed members of the Board of Commissioners for the approval of official bonds for Darlington District, to fill vacancies now existing.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September , 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 8, 1866.

Resolved, That W. L. Coleman be, and is hereby, appointed Magistrate for Edgefield District, Edisto Beat.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 11, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That all of the unfinished business of the last regular session be continued to the next regular session of the General Assembly.



Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That Robert Campbell, William S. Harley, James T. Cantwell, Benjamin S. Rhett, J. O. A. Connor, Adrian Appleby and Joseph Minus be appointed Magistrates for the District of Colleton.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September , 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 11, 1866.

Resolved, That Simeon Fair, Esq., Solicitor of the Middle Circuit, be, and is hereby, excused from attendance on the present session on account of sickness.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 11, 1866.

Resolved, That Messrs. J. E. Sampson, W. S. McConnell and J. W. Waldun be appointed Magistrates for Williamsburg District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 11, 1866.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the State be required to notify, by mail, the Clerks of the Court in those Districts in which a surplus of the Acts and Reports and Resolutions of the General Assembly have accumulated, to forward the same to him at Columbia, without delay, for distribution, in conformity with a joint resolution of the General Assembly, at its last session.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 15, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 11, 1866.

Resolved, That T. E. Dickison be appointed Magistrate for Beat Company No. 4, Clarendon District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 12, 1866.

Resolved, That the resolution passed at the last session of this General Assembly appointing Magistrates for Greenville District, be so amended as to read James Birnie, where it now reads William Birnie.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 12, 1866.

Resolved, That William W. Kirton be, and is hereby, appointed a  
 Magistrate in and for the District of Georgetown.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 21, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the widow of Josiah B. Perry, late Solicitor of the  
 Southern Circuit, be paid his salary for the quarter during which he died.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 17, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 13, 1866.

Resolved. That William H. Peronneau, Esq., be, and he is hereby, ap-

pointed a Magistrate for the Judicial District of Pickens, to reside at Walhalla.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That James E. Lee be appointed the Magistrate for the Beat known as "Gibson's Beat," in Edgefield District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 14, 1866.

Resolved, That A. M. Aiken be appointed Commissioner of Free Schools for Abbeville District, in the place of Dr. John Logan, deceased.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 14, 1866.

Resolved, That B. G. Willis, Frederick Jaques, I. I. Fox and John Touchstone, Jr., be, and the same are hereby, appointed Commissioners of Roads for St. Bartholomew Parish, in Colleton District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order :

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order :

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 15, 1866.

Resolved, That the Special Joint Committee, to whom was referred the Bill to provide artificial legs for all citizens of the State who have lost their legs during the recent war, have leave to report thereon at the next session of the Legislature.

Resolved, That the Governor be requested to take such measures as may be necessary to procure information of the number of those citizens in the State who have lost their legs as aforesaid, and to invite proposals and specimens of artificial legs, and to report at the next session of the General Assembly the number needing artificial legs, together with the name of that manufacturer who will present the best and cheapest models, with the price thereof.

And that the foregoing resolutions be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order :

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 17, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order :

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 17, 1866.

Resolved, That Isaac Epton be appointed one of the Managers of Elections at the precinct in Spartanburg District known as "Demascus," in place of — Fike, resigned.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

—  
 IN THE SENATE, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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 IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the Messenger of this House be allowed, in addition to his salary, twenty-five dollars, for extra services in conveying the mail of the members to and from the Post Office.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

—  
 IN THE SENATE, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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 IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the President and Directors of the Blue Ridge Railroad Company, in South Carolina, be, and are hereby, authorized to deal with the shares held by the State in said Company in the same manner as with the shares of all other stockholders, in any arrangement that may be made with any other companies or individuals for the completion of the said road, by the issuing of preferred shares, or reducing the number of shares held by the State in the same ratio in which the city of Charleston and other stockholders may consent that their shares shall be reduced, or in any other manner in which it may be found necessary to surrender a portion of the capital already invested to accomplish the construction of the said Railroad: Provided, That in any arrangement that may be made, the State shall not be held liable for any additional assessment on the shares held.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.  
 Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That two hundred copies of the Rules of this House be printed, under the direction of the Clerk, and that they be ready for distribution at the next regular session.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the Keeper of the State House be instructed to fit up the College Chapel and College Library for the next regular session of the General Assembly.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That James J. Gregg, of Edgefield District, be appointed Magistrate for the village of Graniteville, in said District.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the Treasurer of the State be, and he is hereby, authorized to sell the gold and silver coin now in the Treasury, and credit the premium of the same to the account of "Extraordinary expenditures."

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the following appointments of Commissioners of Roads for St. Helena Parish be, and are hereby, made, viz:

Port Royal Island—George Gage, Shepard D. Gilbert and A. S. Hitchcock, *vice* R. M. Fuller, Jr., H. M. Stuart, Jr., and Franklin Tyler, resigned.

Ladies' Island—E. W. Phelps, W. F. Reed and J. Eustis, *vice* Edward B. Cuthbert, Julius B. Chaplin and Joseph Hazel, resigned.

St. Helena Island—H. S. Taft, T. Edwin Ruggles and G. M. Wells, *vice* A. A. Tripp, Paul Chaplin and Lewis B. Sams, resigned.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the Governor do advertise for estimates of the cost of covering the new State House, and of fitting up therein a sufficient number of rooms for the use of the General Assembly and its officers, upon the most economical plan, and lay them before the Houses at their next session.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.



IN THE SENATE, September 21, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.  
Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the printer of the Acts and Resolutions be required to publish in his newspaper all the public Acts which may be passed at the present session, immediately after the adjournment of the Legislature, and forward a copy thereof, by mail, to each member of the General Assembly, each of the Judges, including the District Judges, Solicitors and Clerks of the Courts.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Keeper of the State House and Librarian be allowed, as compensation for his attendance on this extra session, the per diem and mileage of a member of this General Assembly.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 21, 1866.

The Printing Committee of the House of Representatives would respectfully recommend that Julian A. Selby, the State Printer, be excused

for his failure to trim the Daily Journals, as required by his contract, on condition that he perform this work upon the permanent Journals, Resolutions and Acts of the present session.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Governor be, and is hereby, authorized to appoint an agent to receive the land scrip to which this State may be entitled, under an Act of Congress of the United States of America, entitled "An Act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanics arts," approved 2nd July, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and the subsequent Acts of Congress extending the same, and to sell and dispose of the same under the directions of the Governor, paying the proceeds of such sale into the Treasury of the State, to be appropriated exclusively to the purpose contemplated by said Act of Congress; and such agent shall be entitled to receive the usual compensation paid for such services.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

Whereas, in accordance with the proclamation of His Excellency Governor Orr, one of the avowed objects of the present special session was to grant relief to a suffering constituency, in consequence of a long and continued drought; and whereas it is not only the privilege, but the duty, of the General Assembly to manifest their sympathy by some practicable method, of proving their "faith by their works;" be it

Resolved, That the Governor be, and he is hereby, authorized to pledge the faith and credit of the State for the issue of bonds to the amount of three hundred thousand dollars, in such manner and form as he may deem proper and most expedient, for the purpose of purchasing corn for the people of this State: Provided, Such bonds shall realize the delivery of three hundred thousand bushels of corn, including freight and transportation.

Resolved, That the Governor shall be authorized to appoint an agent to carry out the object of the foregoing resolution, the compensation of said agent being one thousand dollars and traveling expenses.

Resolved, That the said agent shall be required to report to the next regular session the result of his mission, (through His Excellency the Governor,) and that the apportionment of the corn, when purchased and delivered, shall be made through a special committee, consisting of one member from each District in the State.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolutions.

Ordered, That they be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 20, 1866.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives, of the State of South Carolina, now met and sitting in General Assembly, and by the authority of the same, That the said State hereby accepts the donation of public lands to it under an Act of the Congress of the United States of America entitled "An Act donating public lands to the several States and Territories which may provide colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts," approved the second day of July, Anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and the subsequent Acts of Congress extending the same, and hereby signifies its assent to all the provisions of said Acts of Congress.

Resolved, That the House do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the Senate for concurrence.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That the Senate do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the House of Representatives.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE SENATE, September 8, 1866.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives, That the General Assembly do adjourn, *sine die*, on Friday, the 21st instant, at 12 M.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 10, 1866.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Court of Appeals be authorized and empowered to purchase, under the direction of the Chief Justice, the necessary furniture for the Court Room: Provided, however, That the cost of the same shall not exceed the sum of three hundred dollars (\$300.00).

Resolved, That this resolution be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 15, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the following persons be, and the same are hereby, appointed Managers of Elections for the several election precincts in the District of Chesterfield, viz:

Cheraw—E. M. Wells, James H. Powe and P. A. Brock.

Steer-pen Springs—B. F. Ellerbe, John S. Burch and J. E. Douglas.

Cole Hill—John Ellis, Solomon Wilks and Michael Watson.

Court House—W. A. Mulloy, Robert E. Evans and Miles Hurst.

Alligator—B. C. Cassady, Isaac Hoffman and James Campbell.

Jefferson—John S. Miller, Wellington Baker and Thomas N. Lee.

Old Store—Hiram Evans, J. P. Gathings and J. E. Robertson.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That W. J. Seale be appointed a manager of elections for Sumter District, to fill a vacancy at the Stateburg precinct.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 18, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That the following persons be, and the same are hereby, appointed to the following offices for the District of Chesterfield :

*Coroner.*—John C. Evans.

*Magistrate.*—For Chesterfield Court House Beat—Thos. F. Mulloy.

*Commissioners to Approve Public Securities.*—W. A. Mulloy, Wm. E. Craig, James C. Chapman, W. W. Blakeney and Duncan Mulloy.

*Commissioners of Public Buildings.*—James Johnson, Robt. E. Evans, Edward Bowne, W. B. Hancock and Allan Macfarlan.

*Commissioners of Free Schools.*—D. B. McCarn, Lafayette Douglas, Daniel Douglas, Dr. Thos. E. Lucas, Roderick Shaw, O. P. Edgeworth, W. A. Baker and W. W. Blakeney.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

IN THE SENATE, September 13, 1866.

Resolved, That G. S. Cooper, S. J. Montgomery and R. G. McCutchen be, and are hereby, appointed Commissioners of Roads for Williamsburg District.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 15, 1866.

Resolved, That the members composing this General Assembly be requested to ascertain the number of indigent poor residing in their respective Districts; also the quantity of supplies that will be absolutely necessary for their subsistence during the ensuing year, and report the same at the next regular session of this General Assembly.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 15, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That A. D. Gaillard, the Messenger of the Senate, be paid from the Public Treasury the sum of twenty-five dollars, for compensation for extra services for mailing and receiving letters and papers for members of the Senate.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 19, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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IN THE SENATE, September 20, 1866.

Resolved, That J. A. David, of Greenville, be, and is hereby, appointed one of the Commissioners charged with the sale of the State Works and

the property connected therewith; and that he be associated with the Commissioners already appointed.

Resolved, That the Senate do agree to the resolution.

Ordered, That it be sent to the House of Representatives for concurrence.

By order:

WM. E. MARTIN, C. S.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, September 21, 1866.

Resolved, That the House do concur in the resolution.

Ordered, That it be returned to the Senate.

By order:

JOHN T. SLOAN, C. H. R.

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