

HOUSE No. 305

By Mr. Pratt of Saugus, petition of C. F. Nelson Pratt and other members of the House for adoption of resolutions commending the President of the United States for his courage and leadership in connection with various emergency programs and projects authorized by the federal government. Constitutional Law.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Thirty-Four.

Resolutions commending the President of the United States for His Courage and Leadership in Connection with Various Emergency Programs and Projects authorized by the Federal Government.

1 *Whereas*, Through the earnest efforts and the
2 courageous and inspiring leadership of the president
3 of the United States the people of our nation are
4 gradually being restored to employment and more
5 prosperous economic, industrial and social conditions,
6 particularly through the channels of the civil works,
7 public works, civilian conservation corps, and similar
8 programmes inaugurated by the president and carried
9 through successfully by federal, state and municipal
10 agencies; and

11 *Whereas*, It is probable that private industry will
12 not be able to absorb the supply of unemployed per-
13 sons in our nation, and particularly in our common-
14 wealth, for several months to come, and that a con-

15 tination of the aforesaid federal programmes is
16 deemed essential in order to relieve distress and suf-
17 fering on the part of our people; therefore be it

18 *Resolved*, That the general court of Massachusetts
19 hereby commends the president of the United States
20 for his outstanding courage and inspiring leadership
21 in these critical times, and for the beneficial accom-
22 plishments under the various programmes initiated by
23 the president, and earnestly and respectfully requests
24 the president to recommend a continuation of these
25 programmes so that the people of our nation, and
26 particularly of our commonwealth, may receive the
27 benefits therefrom, until national recovery from the
28 depression demonstrates that private industry will be
29 able to care for our unemployed; and be it further

30 *Resolved*, That copies of these resolutions be trans-
31 mitted forthwith by the secretary of the common-
32 wealth to the president of the United States, to the
33 presiding officers of both branches of congress, and
34 to the representatives in congress from this com-
35 monwealth.