

*Resolved*, That for the purpose of enabling the committee appointed by the General Assembly to meet the said committee on the part of Virginia, to confer and report such concurrent legislation concerning the matters herein considered and for the mutual advantage of the citizens of said States, the Commander of the State Fishery Force is hereby required to furnish, on the request of said joint committee, one of the steamers of said force, for the purpose of giving said committee, if need be, the opportunity of going over the grounds and personally inspecting the location of said waters, and the rights of the respective States therein, and in taking said committee to such points as may be agreed upon by the Virginia committee for the consideration of the question to be considered and reported on. May use State steamer.

*Resolved*, That the Comptroller be and he is hereby directed to draw his warrant on the Treasurer, subject to the order of the chairman of said committee for the sum of five hundred dollars, to defray the expenses of said committee in the discharge of the duties hereinunder; and the said committee shall report to the next General Assembly an accurate account of such expenses, with proper vouchers therefor. Appropriation.

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WHEREAS, There is now pending before Congress an act to reclassify and prescribe the salaries of the railway postal clerks; and Preamble.

WHEREAS, The United States Railway Mail Service is of inestimable value to all classes of our citizens and especially to the business classes; and Preamble.

WHEREAS, The requirements of this branch of the Post-Office Department are so exacting, calling for ability and sacrifices demanded in no other branch of the Government services; and Preamble.

WHEREAS, The continued improvement in this branch of service demands additional requirements of the employees; and Preamble.

WHEREAS, The Hon. Mr. Linton, on behalf of the National Railway Postal Clerks Association, has introduced into Congress a bill to reclassify railway postal clerks, and prescribe their salaries, said bill having been endorsed by the Honorable Postmaster General; therefore, Preamble.