

use of said Department and for the purpose of exchange for the codes and supplements of the several States.

Approved May 17, 1935.

NO. 11.

A Joint Resolution for the appointment of a Commission to study the question of prison labor.

WHEREAS, Governor Albert C. Ritchie, in his message to the General Assembly on January 2, 1935, called attention to the serious problem confronting the people of this State relative to the employment of prisoners, due to legislation prohibiting the sale of prison-made goods; and

WHEREAS, Governor Harry W. Nice, in his message to the General Assembly on February 5, 1935, stated that steps must be taken to substitute some adequate State Use System for the present contract system in the employment of able-bodied prisoners; therefore be it

Resolved, By the General Assembly of Maryland, That a Commission be and it is hereby created, to consist of nine members, three to be appointed by the Speaker of the House of Delegates, three by the President of the Senate, and three by the Governor, to study and investigate the problem of prison labor and, if possible, to recommend ways and means of employing able-bodied prisoners in the penal institutions of this State; and be it further

Resolved, That this Commission be requested to organize promptly and to report as soon as practicable to the General Assembly if in session, and if not in session then to the Governor of this State and to the General Assembly of Maryland at its next session.

Approved May 17, 1935.

NO. 12.

A Joint Resolution, requesting the Congress of the United States to pass, and the President of the United States to approve, if passed, the "General Pulaski's Memorial Day" Resolution now pending in Congress.