

On motion, the House reconsidered its former vote in passing the resolution, and concurred with the Senate in passing the amendment, and on further motion the resolution, as amended, was passed.

Senate Bill No. 14. The report of the Joint Standing Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred Senate Bill No. 14, being a bill for a private act, entitled "An Act to amend the charter of the city of Hartford," favorable to the passage of the act, was received from the Senate, the bill having been passed and the report of the committee having been accepted.

The bill was put upon its third reading, and the question being upon its passage, on motion of Mr. Catlin of Harwinton, the bill and report were tabled.

The report of the Joint Standing Committee on Claims, to whom was referred the resolution paying \$466.57 to the town of Enfield for subsisting troops, recommending that as the matter had been adjusted by the military authorities, the resolution be indefinitely postponed, was received from the Senate, the resolution being indefinitely postponed and the report being accepted.

On motion, the House concurred with the Senate in indefinitely postponing the resolution and in accepting the report of the committee.

House Bill No. 4. The report of the Joint Standing Committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred House Bill No. 4, being a bill for a public act, entitled "An Act in addition to an Act concerning Communities and Corporations," providing that the members of a church for the time being shall constitute a corporation, and hold real or personal property for the benefit of the church, favorable to the passage of the bill, was received from the Senate, the report of the committee being accepted, the bill having been amended by adding to section second the words "Provided the value of the property held by such corporation shall not exceed five thousand dollars," further amended by adding to the bill the following:

"SEC. 3. All property now held by, or which may hereafter come into the hands of any person or persons in trust for any

church or churches hereby incorporated, shall forthwith vest in such church or churches for the same purposes for which such property is or may be held by such trustee or trustees;" and, as amended, passed.

Mr. Rockwell of New Britain moved to amend the first amendment of the Senate, by striking out the word "five" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "eight," so as to read "eight thousand dollars."

The question being upon the amendment of Mr. Rockwell, the question was put and decided in the negative.

The question recurring upon the passage of the first amendment of the Senate, the question was put and decided in the affirmative; the question then being upon the passage of the second amendment of the Senate, on motion of Mr. Treat of Bridgeport, the bill and report were laid upon the table.

House Bill No. 60. The report of the Joint Standing Committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred House Bill No. 60, being entitled "An Act relating to the Military Force," adverse to the passage of the bill, was received from the Senate, the bill being rejected, and the report of the committee being accepted.

The question being upon the passage of the bill, on motion of Mr. Tannar of Preston, the previous question was ordered, and the main question being put, the bill was passed.

On motion, the House rejected the report of the committee.

The report of the Joint Select Committee on Federal Relations, to whom was referred the resolution relative to "Flag Day" and "Constitution Day," recommending the passage of the resolution, was received from the Senate, the resolution being passed, and the report of the committee being accepted.

Pending the question upon the passage of the resolution, the order of the day was called for.

House Bill No. 5. On motion of Mr. Gallup of Plainfield, the House resumed the consideration of the order of the day, being House Bill No. 5, entitled "An Act to encourage the erection and support of Water Power Manufactories," and known as the "Flowage Bill."

The question, being upon the adoption of the amendment