

FURTHER RESOLVED that the Honorable William A. Egan, Governor of Alaska, be respectfully requested to direct the Division of Highways, Department of Public Works, to cooperate with the National Park Service in building a road from the outlet

of Naknek Lake to Brooks Lake, and, if the National Park Service cannot do so, to construct a road on that part of the distance that is on state land.

Passed by the House February 2, 1962.

Passed by the Senate February 16, 1962.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 39

**Relating to striking a coin commemorating the one-hundredth anniversary of the purchase of the Territory of Alaska.**

**Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:**

WHEREAS commemorative coins have been popular since the days of the Greeks and the Romans, serving to record and honor events of historical significance in the progress of nations; and

WHEREAS, in the United States, commemorative coins have been struck since 1892 commemorating centennials, tercentennaries, diamond jubilees, sesquicentennials, bicentennials, expositions, granting of charters, and commemoration purchases, bridges, battles, individuals, and canals; and

WHEREAS commemorative coins, when struck in a sufficient number, are widely collected at home and abroad so that the significance of important historical events is made known to many people; and

WHEREAS, in 1867, the United States, following its peaceful tradition, acquired the Territory of Alaska from Russia by purchase and not by conquest; and

WHEREAS, following the United States' traditional policy of granting equality and self-government to its territories, Alaska has been admitted to the Union of States; and

WHEREAS 1967 will be the one-hundredth anniversary of the purchase of the Territory of Alaska;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Congress of the United States be urged to authorize a silver dollar or other coin commemorating the one-hundredth anniversary of the acquisition in 1867 of the Territory of Alaska, to be struck in 1967 in a sufficient number to allow wide distribution to emphasize that the Territory was acquired by purchase and not by conquest, the design of either the obverse or the reverse to be approved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Chairman, Senate Committee on Banking and Currency; the Chairman, House Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures; and the Alaska delegation to Congress.

Passed by the House February 5, 1962.

Passed by the Senate February 19, 1962.

### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 42

**Relating to the extension of stopover rights in Alaska to the through passengers of foreign air carriers landing in Alaska.**

**Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:**

WHEREAS the development of the travel industry is essential to the economic well-being of Alaska and its citizens; and

WHEREAS the full and expedient devel-

opment of that industry is retarded by restrictions of the Civil Aeronautics Board which deny the through passengers of foreign air carriers traversing Alaska the privilege of stopping over in Alaska; and

WHEREAS these restrictions are contrary to the national policy of encouraging travel by foreign nationals in the United States as demonstrated by the creation of the U. S. Travel Service and in other ways; and

WHEREAS the effect of these restric-

tions is to deny to domestic air carriers the benefits of revenues which would accrue from travel within and beyond Alaska; and

WHEREAS the removal of these restrictions would contribute to the economy through increased expenditures for travel and for other purposes, thereby easing the existing dollar drain;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Legislature does strongly protest the aforesaid restrictions as inimical to the interests of the United States, the State of Alaska, and the domestic air carrier industry, and does endorse and support the

efforts of the State Administration in urging the Civil Aeronautics Board to rescind said restrictions; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States of America; the Honorable Dean Rusk, Secretary of State; the Honorable Alan Boyd, Chairman of the Civil Aeronautics Board; the Honorable Luther Hodges, Secretary of Commerce; the Honorable Voit Gilmore, Director of the U. S. Travel Service, Department of Commerce; and to the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House February 7, 1962.

Passed by the Senate February 15, 1962.

#### COMMITTEE SUBSTITUTE FOR HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 45

**Relating to federal grants and loans for academic facilities.**

**Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:**

WHEREAS legislation for matching grants and loans for academic facilities is now under consideration by the Congress of the United States; and

WHEREAS the public and nonprofit institutions of higher learning of Alaska face extraordinary growth problems to provide minimum essential classrooms, laboratories, library, offices, and other instructional and research facilities; and

WHEREAS, according to U. S. Bureau of Census projections, Alaska's college age population in the ages of 18 to 21 years will increase during the period 1962 to 1978 from a present 18,262 to a total of 72,241; and

WHEREAS federal grants for public and nonprofit institutions of higher learning academic facilities will greatly aid and facilitate the rapid growth of such institutions; and

WHEREAS it is estimated that the pub-

lic and nonprofit institutions of higher learning of Alaska would receive a minimum of 10 million dollars during the 1960's for academic facilities under the proposed legislation, which would greatly aid Alaska in providing to its young people the opportunity to acquire knowledge and develop skills necessary for success in today's complex society;

BE IT RESOLVED by the Legislature of the State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session assembled, that the Congress of the United States be respectfully urged to enact the "College Academic Facilities and Scholarship Act," H.R. 8900; and be it

FURTHER RESOLVED that copies of this resolution be sent to the Honorable John F. Kennedy, President of the United States; the Honorable Lyndon B. Johnson, Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate; the Honorable John W. McCormack, Speaker of the House of Representatives; the Honorable A. Ribicoff, Secretary of the Department of Health, Education, and Welfare; and the members of the Alaska delegation in Congress.

Passed by the House February 23, 1962.

Passed by the Senate March 7, 1962.

#### HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 52

**Relating to a request by the Air National Guard for aircraft.**

**Be It Resolved by the Legislature of the**

**State of Alaska in Second Legislature, Second Session Assembled:**

WHEREAS the Alaska Air National