
HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 11.

TO THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF
THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, IN CONGRESS AS-
SEMBLED:

We, your memorialists, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, do most respectfully and earnestly represent, that,

WHEREAS, by law, residents of Alaska are permitted, among other things, to kill each year a certain limited number of game food animals, including moose, deer, caribou and sheep; and

WHEREAS, certain fees, in some cases almost prohibitive in character, are charged to residents of Alaska on shipments outside of all trophies of such food game animals above described; and,

WHEREAS, Great waste results from carrying out of such policy in that the heads of such animals have to be cast away; and

WHEREAS, a check on such shipments could continue to be kept by a shipping permit being required to be taken out on each shipment out of the Territory;

NOW, THEREFORE, The Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in this their third session assembled, respectfully urges upon the Congress of the United States an amendment to the Act of May 11, 1908, 35 Statutes at Large 102, permitting the free shipment of trophies of the above named food animals by residents of the Territory out of Alaska, subject, however, to permit or license through the United States Customs House, such trophies not to exceed in number for each person the limit of any particular class of animals permitted by law to be killed during the proper season.

Passed the House, April 20, 1917.

Passed the Senate, April 28, 1917.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 12.

TO THE HONORABLE, THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REP-
RESENTATIVES OF THE UNITED STATES:

Your memorialists, the Senate and House of Representatives of Alaska, most respectfully represent that

WHEREAS, the Seward Peninsula is one of the greatest gold producing sections of Alaska, its total output almost total-