

classes on account of the cutters being called away from port on regular duty.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House, February 20, 1939.

Passed by the Senate, March 6, 1939.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 31.

TO THE HONORABLE FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT, PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES, TO THE SECRETARY OF COMMERCE, TO THE CONGRESS OF THE UNITED STATES, AND TO THE HONORABLE ANTHONY J. DIMOND, DELEGATE TO CONGRESS FROM THE TERRITORY OF ALASKA:

Your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in Fourteenth Regular Session assembled, respectfully submits that:

WHEREAS, during the year 1937, 1255 boats with crews of approximately 2,000 men were employed in fishing for salmon and about 700 men were engaged in fishing for halibut, and the industry produced \$3,001,813.00 in fish products in the waters of Southeastern Alaska lying south of the 59th degree north latitude and east of the 137th degree west longitude. During that year approximately six million pounds of herring were used for bait which was the general annual average from 1922 to 1937, and,

WHEREAS, the records of the Bureau of Fisheries show that the industry of packing herring for food has been practically wiped out because the larger herring have all been used and the remaining are the small herring which are being manufactured into herring meal and oil. This industry has increased, but if the use of herring for meal and oil continues the entire herring supply will soon be gone, and accordingly no herring will be available to supply bait for the halibut and salmon trolling fleet.

WHEREAS, H. R. 3024 was introduced in Congress by the Honorable Anthony J. Dimond, Delegate from Alaska, on January 23, 1939, and the purpose of the Bill is to forbid the taking of herring in the waters of the Territory of Alaska southeast of the 59th degree north latitude and east of the 137th degree west longitude, except for curing

for human consumption and for bait, and it is the belief of the fishing industry of the Territory of Alaska that this Bill should be enacted into law.

NOW, THEREFORE, Your Memorialist respectfully urges the enactment of H. R. No. 3024 into law.

AND YOUR MEMORIALIST WILL EVER PRAY.

Passed by the House, February 20, 1939.

Passed by the Senate, March 1, 1939.

HOUSE JOINT MEMORIAL NO. 34.

TO THE CIVIL AERONAUTICS AUTHORITY OF THE UNITED STATES:

Your Memorialist, the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska, in Fourteenth Regular Session assembled, does most respectfully represent that:

WHEREAS, on December 27, 1938, the President of the United States approved a program presented by the Civil Aeronautics Authority for the annual training of approximately 20,000 airplane pilots in the colleges and universities of the United States, and authorized the allocation of \$100,000.00 of National Youth Administration funds for inaugurating the program; and,

WHEREAS, certain universities and colleges have been designated as places to be used for the present test semester for the training of airplane pilots; and,

WHEREAS, the University of Alaska at Fairbanks, Alaska, is an ideal place for training airplane pilots, for many reasons, which include the following:

1. The climatic conditions are most favorable;
2. There is more air traffic in and out of Fairbanks, Alaska, in proportion to the population and the territory served, than in any other place in the world;