

# House Resolutions

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 1

**Relating to commending the Salvation Army on its 100th anniversary.**

**Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives:**

WHEREAS during the last 100 years with no thoughts given to economic gain but rather the betterment of mankind, the Salvation Army has brought both physical and spiritual warmth to thousands of needy individuals regardless of race or religion around the world; and

WHEREAS the work of the Salvation Army in prisons, rescue work, maternity homes, settlements, hospitals, labor bureaus and many other fields is of recognized social significance; and

WHEREAS after the disastrous March

27, 1964, earthquake, the Salvation Army distributed supplies and money, performed search and rescue jobs, cleared the names of missing persons and notified the next of kin, processed the thousands of inquiries pouring into Civil Defense headquarters and innumerable other beneficial tasks; and

WHEREAS this year is the 100th anniversary of the founding of the Salvation Army by William Booth;

BE IT RESOLVED that the House of Representatives of the legislature of the State of Alaska honors the Salvation Army on the occasion of its 100th anniversary and commends it for its services to mankind.

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 2

**Honoring former Speaker of the House, the Honorable E. B. Collins.**

**Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives:**

WHEREAS the Honorable Earnest B. Collins served as the Speaker of the House of Representatives of the First Territorial Legislature in 1913 and is the sole surviving member of the House of the First Territorial Legislature; and

WHEREAS the Honorable John W. O'Connell, Mayor of Sitka and a member of this honorable House has declared February 22, 1965, as "E. B. Collins Day" in Sitka; and

WHEREAS a special schedule of the state ferry will enable members of the House to travel to Sitka during the recess on February 22; and

WHEREAS E. B. Collins and the other members of the First Territorial Legislature are remembered for their diligence as Alaska's first elected representatives in enacting sound and forward looking legislation such as woman suffrage, compulsory education for children, and the establishment of the Alaska Pioneer's Home at Sitka; and

WHEREAS E. B. Collins is now a resident of the Alaska Pioneer's Home at Sitka;

BE IT RESOLVED that the Speaker of this House appoint a special committee to convey the respects of this House to the Honorable E. B. Collins and deliver a copy of this resolution to the former Speaker, the special committee to consist of all members of the House who intend to visit Sitka on February 22, 1965.

## HOUSE RESOLUTION NO. 3

**Commending the efforts of rescue workers at the Granduc mine disaster.**

**Be It Resolved by the House of Representatives:**

WHEREAS the recent avalanche disaster at the Granduc mine near Stewart, British Columbia, was met with prompt and often heroic rescue efforts by Alaskan neighbors; and