

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION NO. 45

INTRODUCED BY BARDANOUVE, HURWITZ, GALT

IN THE HOUSE

February 24, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education.
February 25, 1981	Committee recommend bill do pass. Report adopted.
	On motion rules suspended and bill placed on second reading this day.
	Second reading, do pass.
	On motion rules suspended and bill placed on third reading this day.
	Third reading, passed. Ayes, 95; Noes, 3. Transmitted to Senate.

IN THE SENATE

March 3, 1981	Introduced and referred to Committee on Education and Cultural Resources.
March 19, 1981	Committee recommend bill be concurred in. Report adopted.
March 21, 1981	Second reading, concurred in.
March 24, 1981	Third reading, concurred in. Ayes, 46; Noes, 0.

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7 PIONEER MONTANA SHEEPMAN, AND DIRECTING THE MONTANA
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9 PRESERVE THE COLLECTION OF ANTIQUES AND ARTIFACTS COLLECTED
10 BY THE FAMILY OF CHARLES M. BAIR.

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14 enthusiast, a developer of irrigation, a banker, an oil
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21 WHEREAS, through the generosity of the late Marguerite
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1 (2) That the Montana Historical Society make a report
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5 (3) That copies of this resolution be sent by the
6 Secretary of State to Miss Alberta Bair, to the members of
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