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~~June 15/60~~

Files certified copy of Joint
Resolution, of the Legislature of
California, in relation to Indian
reserves in that State.

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Concurrent Resolutions
G. O. H. Q.
relative to Indian Reservations
- in -
California -

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STATE OF CALIFORNIA,

Department of State.

I, JOHNSON PRICE, Secretary of State of the State
of California, do hereby certify that the annexed is a true, full
and correct copy of Concurrent Resolutions
relative to Indian Reserves
in this State, ()

Approved April 25th 1860.

now on file in my office.

Witness my hand and the Great Seal
of State at Office in Sacramento,
California, the Eleventh
day of May A.D. 1860.

Johnson Price
Secretary of State.

By

Deputy.

Concurrent Resolution

Relative to the Indian Reserves in this State, Whereas the Indian Reserves in this State are entirely inadequate to answer the purposes intended by the General Government, and whereas Round Valley in Mendocino County containing an area of about twenty five thousand acres is, owing to its isolated position - the mildness of its climate - the richness of its soil and its general adaptation to the requirements of the Indian race, peculiarly suited to the purposes of an Indian Reservation, and whereas the greater portion of the said Valley is at present occupied by Settlers who have made extensive and valuable improvements therein - for which they should receive fair and just compensation before being required to abandon them, Therefore be it Resolved - by the Assembly - the Senate Concurring - That our Senators and Representatives in Congress be instructed and requested to urge all honorable exertion to procure such action on the part of the General Government as will provide for the appropriation of the entire valley aforesaid,

and the surrounding country by
the main fork of Eel river, on the
south and west and by the summit
of the Coast Range on the north
and east, for the purpose of an
Indian Reserve, and also to urge
the Appropriation of a sufficient
sum of money to remunerate
the citizens of said Valley for
their improvements: grain and
such other property as they
may desire to dispose of which
may be necessary for the use
and convenience of the Reserve.
Resolved, That our Senators
and Representatives in Congress
be instructed and requested to
urge upon the Federal Authori-
ties to cede to the State of
California the entire juris-
-diction over Indians and Indian
affairs within our borders togeth-
-er with such appropriations
of Land and money as will be
adequate for the proper manage-
-ment and support of the Indians,
also an appropriation of
money for the payment of the
Indian War indebtedness incurred
in the suppression of Indian
hostilities in this State, Resolved
That the Governor be requested to
forward to each of our Senators and Representa-
-tives a copy of the foregoing preamble and
Resolutions.

Approved April 25th A. D. 1861.