

## COINAGE OF PEACE DOLLARS.

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JUNE 29, 1921.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

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Mr. VESTAL, from the Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures, submitted the following

### REPORT.

[To accompany H. J. Res. 111.]

The Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures, to which was referred the resolution (H. J. Res. 111) to provide for the coinage of peace dollars, having had the same under consideration, reports the resolution without amendment and recommends that it do pass.

Under the act of April 23, 1918, known as the Pittman Act, 270,232,000 silver dollars were melted and the silver was sold with a charge sufficient to cover the cost of recoinage, together with the cost of copper for alloy. We have begun to replace the 270,232,000 dollars under the terms of the above act and have coined to date more than 10,000,000 dollars.

More than 25 years have elapsed since the present design of the silver dollar was effected and the purpose of this resolution is to change the design of the dollar to an appropriate design commemorative of the termination of the war between the Imperial German Government and the Government and people of the United States; that the remainder of the silver dollars to be recoined under the Pittman Act be of the new design which will be selected by the Director of the Mint with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury; that the weight, fineness, etc., shall not be changed—the only change shall be in the design, making it a commemorative coin.



COINAGE OF PRAGE DOLLARS

Approved and printed at the expense of the House of Representatives  
June 26, 1921

Mr. Vester, from the Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures,  
submitted the following

REPORT

[To accompany H. R. 111]

The Committee on Coinage, Weights, and Measures, to which was  
referred the resolution (H. R. 111) to provide for the coinage of  
prage dollars having had the same under consideration reports the  
resolution without amendment and recommends that it do pass.

Under the act of April 23, 1918, known as the Pittman Act,  
\$70,000,000 silver dollars were melted and the silver was sold with a  
change sufficient to cover the cost of recoinage, together with the cost  
of copper for alloy. We have begun to replace the \$70,000,000 dol-  
lars under the terms of the above act and have coined to date more  
than 10,000,000 dollars.

More than 25 years have elapsed since the present design of the  
silver dollar was adopted and the purpose of this resolution is to  
change the design of the dollar to an appropriate design commensurate  
with the termination of the war between the United States Govern-  
ment and the Government and people of the United States; that  
the remainder of the silver dollars to be retained under the Pittman  
act for the new design which will be issued by the Director of the  
Mint with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, that the  
weight, fineness, and shall not be changed—this change shall be  
of the design, making it a commemorative coin.