

Proviso.
Restriction.

incidental to the conference, including personal services in the District of Columbia notwithstanding the provisions of any other Act: *Provided*, That no part of said sum shall be used in entertainment or for the purchase of medals and badges.

Approved, December 17, 1919.

December 17, 1919.
[H. J. Res. 266.]
[Pub. Res., No. 22.]

CHAP. 8.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the payment of salaries of officers and employees of Congress for December, 1919.

Congressional officers, etc., to be paid December, 1919, salaries on day of adjournment for holiday recess.
Post, p. 369.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives are authorized and instructed to pay the officers and employees of the Senate and House of Representatives, including the Capitol Police, their respective salaries for the month of December, 1919, on the day of adjournment of the present session for the holiday recess.

Approved, December 17, 1919.

December 18, 1919.
[H. R. 1199.]
[Public, No. 101.]

CHAP. 10.—An Act To prohibit the purchase, sale, or possession for the purpose of sale of certain wild birds in the District of Columbia.

District of Columbia. Dealing, etc., in designated wild birds, unlawful in.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be unlawful, within the District of Columbia, for any person at any time to buy, sell, or expose for sale, or to have in possession for the purpose of selling, any heath hen, sage hen, any kind of quail, bob white, grouse, partridge, ptarmigan, prairie chicken, pheasant, wild turkey, Hungarian partridge, English, ring-necked, Mongolian or Chinese pheasant, or marsh blackbird.

Taking, etc., under license for scientific purposes, allowed.

SEC. 2. That nothing herein contained shall prevent the right of any person to take or kill any game birds herein defined when the same shall be so taken or killed by virtue of the authority of a license duly issued by the proper authorities of said District of Columbia for scientific purposes.

Punishment for violation.

That any person who shall violate any of the provisions of this Act shall be fined not more than \$100, or be imprisoned for not more than one month, or both so fined and imprisoned: *Provided*, That each bird mentioned in this Act so had in possession, bought, sold, exposed for sale, or had in possession for the purpose of sale shall constitute a separate offense.

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Each bird a separate offense.

Sales permitted, if raised in captivity, or for propagation.

SEC. 3. That nothing in this Act shall prevent the sale at any time of Hungarian partridges, English, ring-necked, Mongolian or Chinese pheasants, when the same shall have been raised in captivity, or the sale of birds mentioned in this Act alive, for propagating purposes, under such regulations and requirements as shall be prescribed by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

Inconsistent laws repealed.

SEC. 4. That all Acts or parts of Acts in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Approved, December 18, 1919.

December 18, 1919.
[H. R. 3754.]
[Public, No. 102.]

CHAP. 11.—An Act To amend sections 8 and 21 of the Copyright Act, approved March 4, 1909.

Copyrights.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That sections 8 and 21 of the Act entitled "An Act to amend and consolidate the Acts respecting copyright," approved March 4, 1909, be amended to read as follows: