

[No. 19.] Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to accept an invitation to participate in the Sixth International Congress of Chambers of Commerce and Commercial and Industrial Associations.

May 28, 1914.
[H. J. Res. 264.]
[Pub. Res., No. 31.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept an invitation extended by the Government of the French Republic to the Government of the United States to participate by delegates in the Sixth International Congress of Chambers of Commerce and Commercial and Industrial Associations, to be held at Paris from the eighth to the tenth of June, nineteen hundred and fourteen: Provided, That no appropriation shall be granted for expenses of delegates or for other expenses incurred in connection with the said conference.

Congress of Chambers of Commerce, etc. Participation in, authorized.

Proviso.
No expense.

Approved, May 28, 1914.

[No. 20.] Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to extend invitations to foreign Governments to participate, through their accredited diplomatic agents to the United States, in the National Star-Spangled Banner Centennial Celebration.

June 15, 1914.
[S. J. Res. 148.]
[Pub. Res., No. 32.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to extend invitations to foreign Governments to be represented by their accredited diplomatic agents to the United States at the National Star-Spangled Banner Centennial Celebration to be held at the city of Baltimore, Maryland, in September of the year nineteen hundred and fourteen: Provided, That no appropriation shall be granted by the United States for expenses of delegates or for other expenses incurred in connection with said invitation.

Star-Spangled Banner Centennial Celebration.
Foreign Governments invited to take part in.

Proviso.
No expense.

Approved, June 15, 1914.

[No. 21.] Joint Resolution Providing for the procurement of title to land at Cape Henry, in the State of Virginia, for works for fortification and coast defense purposes.

June 23, 1914.
[S. J. Res. 160.]
[Pub. Res., No. 33.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for procuring title to land at Cape Henry, in the State of Virginia, for works for fortification and coast defense purposes there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$31,000, the same to be immediately available and to remain available until expended, to complete the payment of awards in condemnation proceedings prosecuted by the War Department for the acquisition of land at Cape Henry, Virginia.

Cape Henry, Va.
Appropriation for lands acquired for fortifications at.

Approved, June 23, 1914.

[No. 22.] Joint Resolution Extending appropriations for the necessary operations of the Government and of the District of Columbia under certain contingencies.

June 30, 1914.
[H. J. Res. 286.]
[Pub. Res., No. 34.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all appropriations for the necessary operations of the Government and of the District of Columbia which shall remain unprovided for on the thirtieth day of June, nineteen hundred and fourteen, are continued and made available for and during the first half of the month of July, nineteen hundred and fourteen, unless the regular appropriations provided therefor in bills now pending in Congress shall have been previously made for the service of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and

Appropriations for last fiscal year continued through first half of July if not previously provided for.
Post, p. 774.

Provisos. Proportionate amounts.

Total expenditure for the year not to exceed final appropriations.

Exceptions.

Congressional session employees continued.

Appropriation.

Physical valuation of railroads. Appropriation for continuing work on. Vol. 37, p. 701.

fifteen; and a sufficient amount is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to carry on the same: *Provided*, That no greater amount shall be expended for such operations than as the sum of one twenty-fourth of the appropriations made for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen bears to the whole of the appropriations of said fiscal year: *Provided further*, That the total expenditures for the whole of the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen under the several appropriations hereby continued, and under the several appropriation bills now pending, shall not exceed in the aggregate the amounts finally appropriated therefor in the several bills now pending, except in cases where a change is made in the annual, monthly, or per diem compensation or in the numbers of officers, clerks, or other persons authorized to be employed by the several appropriations hereby continued, in which cases the amounts authorized to be expended shall equal one-twenty-fourth of the appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, and twenty-three twenty-fourths of the appropriations contained in the several bills now pending when the same shall have been finally passed, unless the salary or compensation of any office shall be increased or diminished without changing the grade or the duties thereof, in which case such salary or compensation shall relate to the entire fiscal year and run from the beginning thereof: *And provided further*, That the session employees of the Senate and House of Representatives now authorized by law shall be continued upon the rolls until the end of the present session of Congress and paid at the rate per diem or month at which they are now paid; and a sufficient amount is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the same: *And provided also*, That the operation of the Interstate Commerce Commission, in securing a valuation of the several classes of property of carriers, subject to the Act to regulate commerce, authorized by the Act of March first, nineteen hundred and thirteen, shall continue, and a sufficient amount is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, not to exceed the sum of \$65,000, for the first half of the month of July, nineteen hundred and fifteen.

Approved, June 30, 1914.

July 13, 1914.
[S. J. Res. 105.]
[Pub. Res., No. 35.]

[No. 24.] A Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to accept an invitation to participate in the Sixth International Dental Congress.

International Dental Congress. Representation at authorized.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and is hereby, authorized to accept an invitation extended by the Government of Great Britain to that of the United States to be represented by delegates in the Sixth International Dental Congress, to be held at London, August third to eighth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and is authorized to appoint fifteen delegates to such Congress: *Provided*, That no appropriation shall be granted at any time for expenses of delegates or for other expenses incurred in connection with said Congress.

Approved, July 13, 1914.

July 16, 1914.
[H. J. Res. 300.]
[Pub. Res., No. 36.]

[No. 25.] Joint Resolution To continue the provisions of a joint resolution approved June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, entitled "Joint resolution extending appropriations for the necessary operations of the Government and of the District of Columbia under certain contingencies."

Extensions of appropriations through last half of July.
Supra.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of a joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution extending appropriations