and whenever he shall be so directed by the Joint Committee on the Library, one hundred copies additional of all documents ordered to be printed, in excess of the usual number; said fifty or one hundred copies to be delivered to the librarian of Congress, to be exchanged, under direction of the joint committee on the library, as provided by joint resolution approved March two, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Fifty copies of any publication printed, &c. to be at disposal of the joint committee on library.

SEC. 2. *And be it further resolved*, That fifty copies of each publication printed under direction of any department or bureau of the government, whether at the Congressional Printing Office or elsewhere, shall be placed at the disposal of the joint committee on the library to carry out the provisions of said resolution.

APPROVED, July 25, 1868.

[No. 73.] *A Resolution granting Permission to Officers and Soldiers to wear the Badge of the Corps in which they served during the Rebellion.* July 25, 1868.

Officers and soldiers may wear the badge of their army corps.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all who served as officers, non-commissioned officers, privates, or other enlisted men in the regular army, volunteer, or militia forces of the United States, during the war of the rebellion, and have been honorably discharged from the service or remain still in the same, shall be entitled to wear, on occasions of ceremony, the distinctive army badge ordered for or adopted by the army corps and division, respectively, in which they served.

APPROVED, July 25, 1868.

[No. 74.] *A Resolution to admit certain Persons to the naval Academy.* July 27, 1868.

Six persons, designated by the government of Japan may be received at naval academy. Proviso.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized to receive for instruction at the Naval Academy, Annapolis, not exceeding six persons, to be designated by the government of the empire of Japan: *Provided*, That no expense shall thereby accrue to the United States: *And provided further*, That the Secretary of the Navy may, in the case of the said persons, modify or dispense with any provisions of the rules and regulations of the said academy which circumstances may, in his opinion, render necessary or desirable.

APPROVED, July 27, 1868.

[No. 75.] *A Resolution relative to Lighting the Streets of Washington City, District of Columbia.* July 27, 1868.

Preamble. 1866, ch. 296. Vol. xiv. p. 315.

WHEREAS, the municipal authorities of the city of Washington have failed to carry out the arrangements for lighting the streets of said city, in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the government," approved July twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six: Therefore,

Tax to be levied to pay for lighting streets with gas.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the mayor and city councils of the city of Washington be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to levy and collect a tax from the property holders of the city of Washington sufficient to defray the expenses of lighting the avenue and street lamps of said city with six-feet burners, twenty-one nights in each month, from dark until daylight, and keep said lamps so lighted each year.

Contract may be made with Washington Gas Light Company for gas.

SEC. 2. *And be it further resolved*, That the mayor and city councils of the city of Washington be, and they are hereby, authorized to contract with the Washington Gas Light Company for the term of one year, and so from year to year until otherwise provided by law, at such rates as may be agreed upon not exceeding the maximum now fixed by law, for

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