

[No. 9.] Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of War to expend a sum of money heretofore appropriated for the erection of a storehouse and depot building at the city of Omaha, in the State of Nebraska.

Feb. 5, 1880.

Whereas, by act of Congress approved June twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, the sum of thirty thousand dollars was appropriated for the purpose of erecting a military storehouse and depot building at the city of Omaha, in the State of Nebraska, providing that no part of said sum should be expended for the purchase of ground; and

1879, ch. 35,
Sess. 1, p. 33.

Whereas the citizens of said city of Omaha have donated to the Government of the United States five acres of land, the title having been approved by the Attorney-General, whereon said building or buildings are to be erected; and

Preamble.

Whereas the legislature of the State of Nebraska does not convene until January, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, so as to fulfill the requirements of section three hundred and fifty-five of the Revised Statutes touching the expenditure of said money; and

R. S., 355.

Whereas the necessities of the government demand the immediate erection of said building or buildings; Therefore,

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and is hereby, empowered and directed to expend the said sum of thirty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the erection of said building or buildings.

Secretary of War
directed to expend
appropriation.

Approved, February 5, 1880.

[No. 10.] Joint resolution for printing the American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac

Feb. 11, 1880.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be printed annually at the Government Printing Office fifteen hundred copies of the American Ephemeris and Nautical Almanac and of the papers supplementary thereto, of which one hundred shall be for the use of the Senate, four hundred for the House of Representatives, and one thousand for the public service, to be distributed by the Navy Department.

The American
Ephemeris and
Nautical Almanac
printed annually.

SEC. 2. That additional copies of the Ephemeris and of the Nautical Almanac extracted therefrom may be ordered by the Secretary of the Navy for sale: *Provided*, That all moneys received from such sale shall be deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the appropriation for public printing.

Additional
copies for sale.

Proviso.

Approved, February 11, 1880.

[No. 11.] Joint resolution concerning an international fishery exhibition to be held in Berlin, Germany, in April, eighteen hundred and eighty.

Feb. 16, 1880.

Whereas, all civilized nations take part in the international fishery exhibition to be held in the city of Berlin, Germany, in April, eighteen hundred and eighty, it is deemed both right and expedient that the prominent and effective action of the United States in the line of the artificial propagation of fish and the stocking of depleted fishing waters should be conspicuously and well exhibited on the occasion; Therefore,

Preamble.

International
fishery exhibition
at Berlin.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That to enable the United States Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries to exhibit America in Berlin in April, eighteen hundred and eighty, a fair and full collection of the different specimens of American food-fishes, casts thereof, models of, and implements, and so forth, used in the prosecution of American fisheries, the sum of twenty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated in the Treasury of the United States, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose, to be

Casts and models
of American food-
fishes, &c.

Appropriation.