

That the Joint Committee on the Library are hereby authorized to make all necessary arrangements for said ceremonial and that the sum of fifteen hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to defray the expense thereof to be added to the contingent fund of the House of Representatives and disbursed on the order of said Committee.

Approved, April 29, 1884.

- [23.] Joint resolution authorizing Secretary of War to loan to the mayor of Richmond, Virginia, a certain amount of flags and bunting for use at a Fair

May 3, 1884.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to loan to the mayor of the City of Richmond, Virginia, or to such committee as may be appointed by the R. E. Lee Camp, to receive the same, such flags and bunting as can be conveniently spared to be used in the decoration of the Armory of the First Regiment of Virginia Volunteers, on the occasion of a fair to be held there in May eighteen hundred and eighty four, to raise funds to build a house for maimed and disabled Confederate soldiers, with such security for their prompt and safe return as he may deem necessary: *Provided*, That the transportation of said flags and bunting to and from Richmond shall be without expense to the Government.

Loan of flags to mayor of Richmond, Virginia, etc.

*Proviso.*

Approved, May 3d, 1884.

- [24.] Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of War to loan two hundred flags to the city of Charlotte North Carolina for the celebration of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence.

May 3, 1884.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of War be and he is hereby authorized to loan to the mayor and aldermen of the city of Charlotte North Carolina, two hundred United States flags, or as many as can be conveniently spared, to be used in decorating said city at the approaching celebration of the one hundred and ninth anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence of May twentieth, seventeen hundred and seventy-five: *Provided*, That satisfactory security be given for the safe return of said flags and that the Government be at no expense for transportation.

Loan of flags, etc., to mayor of Charlotte, North Carolina.

*Proviso.*

Approved, May 3d, 1884.

- [25.] Joint resolution to print twelve thousand five hundred copies of eulogies on Thomas H. Herndon late a Representative in Congress.

May 3, 1884.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That there be printed of the eulogies delivered in Congress upon the late Thomas H. Herndon, a Representative-elect in the Forty-eighth Congress from the State of Alabama, twelve thousand five hundred copies of which three thousand copies shall be for the use of the Senate, and nine thousand five hundred for the use of the House of Representatives. And the Secretary of the Treasury be and he is hereby directed to have printed a portrait of the said Thomas H. Herndon to accompany said eulogies, and for the purpose of engraving and printing said portrait the sum of five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Thomas H. Herndon, printing of eulogies on the late.

Portrait.

Approved, May 3d, 1884.