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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: *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 hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay the same: *Provided further*, That there be and is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated a sum sufficient to enable the Clerk of the House to pay to Members and Delegates the amount which they certify they have paid or agreed to pay for clerk hire necessarily employed by them in the discharge of their official and representative duties, as provided in the Joint Resolution approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, until the end of the present session of Congress.

Session employees continued.

Clerk hire for Members and Delegates.

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Approved, June 29, 1894.

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June 29, 1894.

[No. 33.] Joint Resolution Directing the Secretary of War to appoint a commission of engineers to examine and report upon the cost of deepening the harbors of Superior and Duluth and their entrances to a uniform depth of twenty feet.

*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, directed to appoint a commission, to consist of three engineers, to examine the harbors of Superior and Duluth and the entrances thereto, with a view of ascertaining the cost of deepening said harbors and entrances to a uniform depth of twenty feet, and to report their conclusions to the Secretary of War without delay, to be by him transmitted to Congress.

Harbors of Duluth and Superior.
Commission to examine cost of deepening entrance.

*Ante*, p. 345.

Approved, June 29, 1894.

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July 3, 1894.

[No. 34.] Joint Resolution To appoint three members of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That Charles M. Anderson, of Greenville, Darke County, Ohio; Sidney G. Cooke, of Herington, Dickerson County, Kansas, and A. L. Pearson, of Pittsburg, Pennsylvania, be, and the same hereby are, appointed as members of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers of the United States; Charles M. Anderson to succeed General A. L. Barnett, whose term of service has expired; Sidney G. Cooke to succeed Major E. N. Morrill, whose term of service has expired, and A. L. Pearson to succeed himself, his term of service having expired. All to take effect from and after the passage of this Resolution.

National Volunteers' Home.
Managers appointed, Charles M. Anderson, Sidney G. Cooke, A. L. Pearson.

Approved, July 3, 1894.

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July 9, 1894.

[No. 35.] Joint Resolution Authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to continue the employment of certain mechanics and laborers.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to continue, until the thirty-first day of July, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, the employment of mechanics and laborers paid from the appropriation "Increase of the Navy: Construction and Machinery," whose services are required upon work in progress,

Navy.
Appropriations continued until July 31, 1894.

*Ante*, p. 585.