

and a sufficient amount is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for this purpose, such sum to be immediately available: *Provided*, That the amount which may be expended by the Secretary of the Navy under the authority herein conferred shall be deducted from the amount which may be appropriated for "Increase of the Navy: Construction and Machinery," for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five.

Approved, July 9, 1894.

Proviso.
To be deducted from
annual appropriation.

[No. 37.] Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to appoint delegates to attend the meetings of the International Geodetic Association.

July 23, 1894.

Whereas the Government of the United States was invited in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine by the Imperial German Government to become a party to the International Geodetic Association; and

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Whereas this Government duly accepted said invitation by a joint resolution of Congress approved February fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine: Therefore,

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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 appoint delegates, who shall be officers of the United States Coast and Geodetic Survey, to attend the meetings of the said International Geodetic Association whenever and wheresoever the same shall be held; but no extra salary or additional compensation shall be paid to such officers by reason of such attendance.

International Geo-
detic Association.
Delegates to be ap-
pointed.

Approved, July 23, 1894.

[No. 38.] Joint Resolution To continue the provisions of a Joint Resolution approved June twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, entitled a "Joint Resolution to provide temporarily for the expenditures of the Government."

July 31, 1894.

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 a "Joint Resolution to provide temporarily for the expenditures of the Government," approved June twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, be, and the same are hereby, extended and continued in full force and effect to and including the fourteenth day of August, eighteen hundred and ninety-four.

Annual appropria-
tions continued until
August 14, 1894.
Ante, p. 585.
Post, p. 590.

Approved, July 31, 1894.

[No. 39.] Joint Resolution Providing for an investigation relative to the work and wages of women and children.

August 1, 1894.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioner of Labor be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed "to investigate and make report upon the conditions attending the employment of women and children; their wages, earnings, sanitary surroundings, and cost of living; the effect of various employments upon their health and longevity; what measures are taken to protect their physical condition and to protect them from accidents; the rates of wages paid them in comparison with the rates paid men; and the effect, if any, their employment has had upon the wages and employment of men: *Provided*, That the investigation hereby authorized shall be carried out under the regular appropriations made for the Department of Labor."

Wages of women and
children.
Commissioner of
Labor to investigate.

Proviso.
Expenses.

Approved, August 1, 1894.