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Time for report on value of dams, etc., extended.
Ante, p. 348.

Company on the Monongahela River in Pennsylvania and the commercial importance of the free navigation of said river, directed to be taken by the Secretary of War under the River and Harbor Act of August seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, be, and the same is hereby, extended to the thirtieth day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and the Secretary of War shall report to Congress thereon at its next regular session in December next, to the end that Congress may determine as to the expediency of making the navigation of said river free from tolls: *Provided*, That the expense of taking such testimony shall be paid for out of the appropriation for the improvement of the Monongahela River, contained in the act aforesaid.

Proviso.
Expenses.

Approved, March 2, 1895.

March 2, 1895.

[No. 27.] Joint Resolution Continuing the present officers of the courts in the Indian Territory until the bill for the reorganization of the judiciary of that Territory which has passed both Houses of Congress and awaits the signature of the President of the United States becomes a law.

Indian Territory.
Present court officers to hold over.
Ante, p. 693.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That until the appointment and qualification of the district attorneys, marshals, and clerks of court in the three judicial districts according to the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of additional judges of the United States court in the Indian Territory, and for other purposes," which has passed the Senate and House of Representatives and now awaits the consideration of the President of the United States, the district attorney, the marshal, and the clerk of the court shall respectively perform all the duties appertaining to such offices in such districts; and until the appointment and qualification of the judges required to be appointed in the northern and southern judicial districts, the commissioners now in office shall have jurisdiction in the said districts as heretofore.

Approved, March 2, 1895.

March 2, 1895.

[No. 28.] Joint Resolution To direct the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to the governor of the State of West Virginia the sum appropriated by the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to credit and pay to the several States and Territories and the District of Columbia all moneys collected under the direct tax levied by the Act of Congress approved August fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one."

West Virginia.
Payment of direct taxes to.
Vol. 26, p. 822.
Vol. 12, p. 294.
Deduction.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to the governor of the State of West Virginia, under the provisions, conditions, and limitations of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to credit and pay to the several States and Territories and the District of Columbia all moneys collected under the direct tax levied by the Act of Congress approved August fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one," which Act was approved March second, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, the sum of one hundred and eighty-one thousand three hundred and six dollars and ninety-three cents, less the sum of twenty-seven thousand three hundred and twenty-eight dollars and eighteen cents, which was paid to the governor of the State of West Virginia on the twenty-fifth day of August, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, to be held in trust for the citizens and inhabitants of said State, notwithstanding any claim by the Government of the United States against the State of Virginia.

Approved, March 2, 1895.