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taining to the celebration of the one hundred and twenty-fifth anniversary of the framing of the Constitution of the United States, not to exceed two thousand obsolete Springfield rifles, caliber forty-five, and such number of obsolete swords or sabers as may be desired and are on hand and available: *Provided*, That prior to the issue of these articles the committee shall execute a good and sufficient bond in such sum as may be fixed by the Secretary of War, guaranteeing the safe return of the articles to the Government arsenal from which originally issued, and guaranteeing the payment of the value of all articles not returned and the cost of repairs, if any be required, to such articles as may be damaged: *Provided further*, That this issue shall be made without any expense to the United States.

Provisos.
Bond for safe return, etc.

No expense.

Approved, August 13, 1912.

August 15, 1912.
[H. J. Res. 356.]
[Pub. Res., No. 51.]

[No. 44.] Joint Resolution To further continue the provisions of a joint resolution approved July first, nineteen hundred and twelve, entitled "Joint Resolution extending appropriations for the necessary operations of the Government under certain contingencies."

Appropriations for last fiscal year continued during last half of August.

Ante, pp. 638, 640.

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 "Joint Resolution extending appropriations for the necessary operations of the Government under certain contingencies," approved July first, nineteen hundred and twelve, be, and the same are, further extended and continued in full force and effect for and during the last half of the month of August, nineteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, August 15, 1912.

August 17, 1912.
[S. J. Res. 126.]
[Pub. Res., No. 52.]

[No. 45.] Joint Resolution Authorizing Federal bureaus doing hygienic and demographic work to participate in the exhibition to be held in connection with the Fifteenth International Congress on Hygiene and Demography.

Congress on Hygiene, etc.
Exhibits from bureaus, etc., authorized.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the several Federal bureaus doing hygienic and demographic work are hereby authorized to prepare and install exhibits at the exhibition to be held in connection with the Fifteenth International Congress on Hygiene and Demography, at Washington, District of Columbia, September sixteenth to October fourth, nineteen hundred and twelve: *Provided*, That such exhibits shall consist of such materials as are now available in such bureaus, or can be prepared and installed without requiring any special appropriation for this purpose.

Proviso.
Use of materials now available.

Approved, August 17, 1912.

August 19, 1912.
[H. J. Res. 327.]
[Pub. Res., No. 53.]

[No. 46.] Joint Resolution Requesting the President of the United States to direct the Secretary of State to issue invitations to foreign Governments to participate in the Fourth International Congress on School Hygiene.

School Hygiene Congress.
Foreign Governments invited to attend Fourth International.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States is hereby requested to direct the Secretary of State to issue invitations to foreign Governments to participate in the Fourth International Congress on School Hygiene, to be held in Buffalo, New York, August twenty-fifth to thirtieth, nineteen hundred and thirteen: *Provided*, That no appropriation shall be granted at any time hereafter in connection with said congress.

Proviso.
No appropriation.

Approved, August 19, 1912