

[No. 53.] Joint Resolution Ceding to the State of California temporary jurisdiction over certain lands in the Presidio of San Francisco and Fort Mason (California) Military Reservations.

October 22, 1914.
[S. J. Res. 188.]

[Pub. Res., No. 57.]

Whereas the Secretary of War was authorized by H. J. Res. 8, of February sixteenth, nineteen hundred and twelve, to grant to the Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company permission to occupy and utilize such portions of the Presidio of San Francisco and Fort Mason Military Reservations for exposition purposes as he might designate; and

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Whereas the Secretary of War, under the authority in him vested by the said joint resolution, did by an instrument dated April twenty-second, nineteen hundred and twelve, grant permission to the said company to occupy and utilize for the said purposes certain portions of the said military reservations, and did by an instrument dated April tenth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, grant a like permission to the said company as to certain other portions of the said Presidio Military Reservation; and

Whereas the United States now has exclusive jurisdiction over the said military reservations; and

Whereas it is desirable that the power to preserve order in all of the said portions of said reservations during their occupancy by the said Panama-Pacific International Exposition Company be vested in the authorities of the State of California: Therefore be it

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the United States hereby cedes to the State of California such jurisdiction over the said portions of the said military reservations as the said State now possesses elsewhere within its territory, such cession to be coextensive territorially with the said permits of April twenty-second, nineteen hundred and twelve, and April tenth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, and to terminate upon their expiration: *Provided,* That jurisdiction to try and punish all crimes committed within said portions of said military reservations prior to the date that this cession becomes effective is reserved to the United States: *Provided further,* That the cession of jurisdiction made by this resolution shall not take effect until the same is accepted by the legislature of the State of California: *And provided further,* That when the United States shall resume possession of the said lands or any part thereof, the jurisdiction herein ceded over lands so repossessed shall revert in the United States.

California ceded jurisdiction over portions of, used for Exposition.

Provisos.
Prior offenses.

Acceptance by California.

Revesting on resumption of possession.

Approved, October 22, 1914.

[No. 55.] Joint Resolution Authorizing the payment of October salaries to officers and employees of the Senate and House of Representatives on the day of adjournment of the present session.

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[S. J. Res. 200.]

[Pub. Res., No. 58.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives be, and they are hereby, authorized and instructed to pay to the officers and employees of the Senate and House of Representatives, including the Capitol police, borne upon the annual and session rolls, their respective salaries for the month of October, nineteen hundred and fourteen, on the day of adjournment; and the Clerk of the House is authorized to pay on said day to Members, Delegates, and resident commissioners their allowances for clerk hire for said month of October: *Provided,* That the session employees of the Senate and House of Representatives shall be paid hereunder for the entire month of October and a sufficient sum is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for that purpose.

Congressional officers, etc., to be paid October, 1914, salaries on day of adjournment.

Clerk hire to Members, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners.

Proviso.
Appropriation for session employees.

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