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ployee engaged in the cooperative activities of the Forest Service, or the persons, corporations, or associations contributing to such activities be subject to the said proviso.

Forest Service included.

To enable the Secretary of Agriculture to make suitable agricultural exhibits at State, interstate, and international fairs held within the United States, including the National Dairy Show to be held at Chicago, Illinois, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, $100,000: *Provided*, That not more than $25,000 shall be used in connection with the National Dairy Show to be held at Chicago, Illinois, and that not more than $5,000 shall be used in connection with any other one fair.

Agricultural exhibits at fairs, etc. Appropriation for.

Proviso. Limit for National Dairy Show.

That the President is hereby authorized to extend invitations to other Nations to appoint delegates or representatives to the International Farm Congress to be held at Kansas City, Missouri, in September, 1919.

International Farm Congress. Invitation to foreign nations.

That the President is hereby authorized to extend invitations to all nations of the world interested in the manufacture or raising of cotton to appoint delegates or representatives to the World Cotton Conference to be held at New Orleans, Louisiana, October 13, 14, 15, and 16, 1919: *Provided*, That no appropriation shall be granted for the expenses of such delegates or for any other expenses incurred in connection with said conference.

World Cotton Conference. Nations invited to. *Infra.*

Proviso. No expense authorized.

That the word "package" where it occurs the second and last time in the act entitled "An act to amend section 8 of an act entitled, 'An act for preventing the manufacture, sale, or transportation of adulterated or misbranded or poisonous deleterious foods, drugs, medicines, and liquors, and for regulating traffic therein, and for other purposes,'" approved March 3, 1913, shall include and shall be construed to include wrapped meats inclosed in papers or other materials as prepared by the manufacturers thereof for sale.

Pure Food Act. Vol. 34, p. 771. Vol. 37, p. 732, amended.

Wrapped meat packages subject to weight, etc., markings.

That any homestead settler or entryman who, during the calendar year 1919, finds it necessary to leave his homestead to seek employment in order to obtain food and other necessaries of life for himself, family, and work stock, because of great and serious drought conditions, causing total or partial failures of crops, may, upon filing with the register and receiver proof of such conditions in the form of a corroborated affidavit, be excused from residence upon his homestead during all or part of the calendar year 1919, or the current year of such homestead which may fall principally in the year 1919, and in the making of final proof upon such an entry absence granted under this Act shall be counted and construed as constructive residence by said homesteader.

Homestead settlers. Allowed leave of absence to obtain food, etc., because of drought conditions.

Residence requirement construed.

Total carried by this bill for the Department of Agriculture, $33,900,211.

Approved, July 24, 1919.

July 24, 1919.
[H. J. Res. 73.]
[Pub. Res. No. 5.]

CHAP. 27.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to extend invitations to other nations to send representatives to the World Cotton Conference to be held at New Orleans, Louisiana, October 13 to 16, 1919, inclusive.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President is hereby authorized to extend invitations to all other nations of the world interested in the manufacture or raising of cotton to appoint delegates or representatives to the World Cotton Conference to be held at New Orleans, Louisiana, October 13, 14, 15, and 16, 1919: *Provided*, That no appropriation shall be granted for the expenses of such delegates or for any other expenses incurred in connection with said conference.

World Cotton Conference. Invitation extended to foreign nations. *Supra.*

Proviso. No appropriation, etc.

Approved, July 24, 1919.