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Availability of remainder of quota to unmarried minor children or wives of permanent alien residents.

"(2) The remainder of the quota of each nationality for such year, plus any portion of the 50 per centum referred to in paragraph (1) not required in such year for the issuance of immigration visas to the classes specified in such paragraph, shall be made available in such year for the issuance of immigration visas to quota immigrants of such nationality who are the unmarried children under twenty-one years of age, or the wives, of alien residents of the United States who were lawfully admitted to the United States for permanent residence.

Portion not required for specified classes available to other quota immigrants.

"(3) Any portion of the quota of each nationality for such year not required for the issuance of immigration visas to the classes specified in paragraphs (1) and (2) shall be made available in such year for the issuance of immigration visas to other quota immigrants of such nationality.

Month of issue, for preference rights.

"(b) The preference provided in paragraphs (1) and (2) of subdivision (a) shall, in the case of quota immigrants of any nationality, be given in the calendar month in which the right to preference is established, if the number of immigration visas which may be issued in such month to quota immigrants of such nationality has not already been issued; otherwise, in the next calendar month."

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CHAP. 915.—Joint Resolution Suspending certain provisions of law in connection with the acquisition of lands within the Alabama National Forest.

Alabama National Forest.
Preamble.
Vol. 36, p. 962.

Whereas section 7 of the Act of March 1, 1911 (Thirty-sixth Statutes, page 961), provides "That no deed or other instrument of conveyance shall be accepted or approved by the Secretary of Agriculture under this Act until the legislature of the State in which the land lies shall have consented to the acquisition of such land by the United States for the purpose of preserving the navigability of navigable streams"; and

Whereas the State of Alabama by an Act approved November 30, 1907, consented to such acquisitions; and

Whereas the State of Alabama by an Act approved September 28, 1923, repealed the aforesaid Act of November 30, 1907; and

Whereas the Secretary of Agriculture was not informed of said repeal and continued to contract for the purchase of certain lands within the present exterior boundaries of the Alabama National Forest, located in Winston, Lawrence, and Franklin Counties, in the said State of Alabama; and

Whereas the forestry officials of the said State of Alabama approved the policy of consolidation of lands within the present exterior boundaries of the aforesaid Alabama National Forest: Now, therefore, be it

Requiring consent of State legislature for acquisition of additional lands for, suspended until December 30, 1930.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of section 7 requiring the consent of the said State legislature for the acquisition of such lands be and the same are hereby suspended as to any unacquired lands within the present exterior boundaries of the said Alabama National Forest until and including December 31, 1930.

Approved, May 29, 1928.