OFFICIAL

Resolutions.

(Public 3.)

No. 3.] A Resolution presenting the Thanks o Congress to George Peabody.

Resolved by the Senate and House Representatives of the United States America in Congress assembled, I. That e thanks of Congress be, and hereby are esented to George Peabody of Massausetts, for his great and peculiar beficence in giving a large sum of money, mounting to two million of dollars, for e promotion of education in the more estitute portions of the southern and uthwestern States, the benefits of hich, according to his direction, are to distributed among the entire populan without any distinction, except hat may be found in needs or opportuities of usefulness.

SEC. 2. *And be it further resolved,* That shall be the duty of the President to use a gold medal to be struck, with itable devices and inscriptions, which, gether with a copy of this resolution, all be presented to Mr. Peabody in e name of the people of the United tates.

SEC. 3. *And be it further resolved,* That sufficient sum of money to carry this solution into effect is hereby appropried out of any money in the treasury t otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, March 16, 1867.

(Public 4.)

No. 4.] A Resolution for the Relief of Freedmen e Destitute Colored People in the District of Columbia.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That fifen thousand dollars be, and the same hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the relief of freedmen or destute colored people in the District of olumbia, the same to be expended unr the direction of the commissioner of e bureau of freedmen and refugees.

APPROVED, March 16, 1867.

(Public 5.)

No. 5.] Joint Resolution to authorize the refunding of discriminating Duties exacted upon Merchandize imported in Hawaiian Vessels

Resolved by the Senate and House Representatives of the United States America in Congress assembled, That he Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby authorized to remit or refund ll duties which have been assessed ince the first day of January, one thousnd eight hundred and sixty-five, on Hawaiin vessels and their cargoes beond the amount which would have een payable on vessels of the United tates and their cargoes.

APPROVED, March 22, 1867.

(Public 6)

No. 6] Joint Resolution in Relation to certain Coin and Bullion on Special Deposit in the Treasury.

Resolved by the Senate and House Representatives of the United States America in Congress assembled, That e one hundred thousand dollars, or ereabout, in coin and bullion, now on pecial deposit in the treasury of the nited States, after said bullion is conerted by directions of the treasurer into coin, be paid into the treasury.

APPROVED, March 22, 1867.

(Public 7.)

No. 7.] Joint Resolution authorizing the Secretary of War to turn over certain Property of the United States, at Camp Chase, Ohio, for the Use of the National Asylum for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, and for other Purposes.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and hereby is, authorized to turn over the barracks, buildings, and other property of the United States, now at Camp Chase, near Columbus, Ohio, to the board of managers of the national asylum for disabled volunteer soldiers, for the use and benefit of such soldiers.

SEC. 2. *And be it further resolved,* That the Secretary of War be, and hereby is, authorized to sell such surplus clothing, quartermaster's and medical stores, as he may deem expedient, at first prices, to the national asylum for the use of disabled volunteer soldiers therein.

APPROVED, March 22, 1867.

(Public 8.)

[No. 8.] Joint Resolution to supply an Omission in the Enrolment of the "Act to provide Increased Revenue from imported Wool, and for other Purposes.

WHEREAS, in the enrolment of the bill entitled "An Act to provide increased revenue from imported wool and for other purposes," approved March second, eighteen hundred and sixty seven, the words "Canada long wools" were inadvertently omitted from the paragraph designated under the heading "Class 2. Combing Wools"; and whereas, said words are in the engrossed bill, and were intended as part of the act aforesaid, as passed by the Thirty-ninth Congress: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Reprentatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the "Act to provide increased revenue from imported wool, and for other purposes," aforesaid, be, and is hereby, amended by inserting after the words "Down combing wools," in the paragraph headed "Class 2. Combing Wools," the words "Canada long wools."

APPROVED, March 22, 1867.

(Public 9.)

[No. 9.] A Resolution providing for the necessary Surveys for a Ship Canal between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario, for Military, Naval, and Commercial Purposes.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause surveys, with plans and estimates of cost, to be made by an officer of engineers for a ship canal to connect lakes Erie and Ontario, or the navigable waters thereof, of suitable location and dimensions for military, naval, and commercial purposes, and that the expenses of the same be defrayed from the sums appropropriated in the acts of June twenty-three, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and March two, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, for examinations and surveys relating to the improvment of harbors and rivers on the northwestern lakes.

APPROVED, March 22, 1867.

(Public 10.)

No. 10. A Resolution amending the ninth Section of "An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the better Security of the Lives of Passengers on board of Vessels propelled in whole or in part by Steam, and for other Purposes," approved August thirtieth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the fifth division of the ninth section of an act entitled "An Act to amend an act entitled an act to provide for the better security of the lives of passengers on board of vessels propelled in whole or part by steam and for other purposes," approved August thirtieth, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-two, is so far amended that inspectors may, in the license therein provided for, exempt a steamer from the obligation to carry in a safe, chest, or apartment, composed of or lined with metal, compact packages of friction-matches, securely packed in strong, tight wooden chests or boxes, the covers of which shall be firmly fastened on by locks, screws, or other fastenings, and which shall be stowed in a safe part of the steamer designated in their license by the inspectors, and at a safe distance from any fire.

APPROVED, March 22, 1867.

(Public 11.)

No. 11. Joint Resolution fixing Rate of Duty on Umbrellas, and on Wire Spiral Furniture Springs.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Represeatatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this joint resolution, there shall be levied, collected, and paid upon umbrellas, parasols, and sun-shades, imported from foreign countries, when made of silk, no lower rate of duty than that now imposed upon piece and dress silks, namely, sixty per centum ad valorum; and when made of other materials than silk, the duty shall be fifty per centum ad valorum; and that wire spiral furniture springs, imported from foreign countries, manufactured of iron wire, shall be required to pay the same rate of duty as now imposed on iron wire, namely, two cents per pound, and fifteen per centum ad valorem.

APPROVED, March 25, 1867.

(Public 12.)

No. 12. A Resolution to terminate a Contract of a Member of Congress with the Post Office Department of the United States of America.

WHEREAS it is declared by an act of Congress, approved April twenty-first, eighteen hundred and eight, that "No member of Congress shall directly or indirectly, himself or by any other person, in trust for him, or for his use or benefit, or on his acount, execute, hold, or enjoy, in whole or in part, any contract or agreement, hereafter to be made, or entered into, with any officer of the United States * * * or to any benefit to arise therefrom," and so forth; and whereas the present contractor for route No. 14782, from Lincoln, California, to Portland, Oregon, has recently been elected United States Senator: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Postmaster-General be, and he is hereby, authorized to cancel the contract between the United States and the present contractor for the transportation of the mail on route No. 14782, between Lincoln, California, and Portland, Oregon, annulling the same in the usual way, to take effect on the thirtieth day of September, anno Domini eighteen hundred and sixty-seven. And it is hereby made the duty of the Postmaster General, after the passage of this resolution, to advertise for bids, for the performance of the service, for the residue of the contract term, for at least sixty days, in at least one newspaper published at the seat of government of the State of California; and one newspaper published in Portland, Oregon, and to contract with the lowest responsible bidder *Provided,* That the Postmaster General, in accordance with the usages of the department, shall have the power to reject any bid which he may deem exorbitant.

APPROVED, March 26, 1867.

(Public 13.)

No. 13. Joint Resolution providing for the Importation into the United States of certain Works of Art Duty free, and for other Purposes.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this joint resolution, any object of art imported by any individual or association of individuals for presentation, as a gift, to the United States government, or to any State, county, or municipal government, shall be admitted free of duty, under such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescibe.

SEC. 2. *And be it further resolved,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized to refund the duties paid on any steam machinery imported into the United States during the current fiscal year as models or for experimental purposes, and to remit the duties on any steam machinery of like description which may be imported for such purpose prior to the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight: *Provided,* That this section shall apply only to steam ploughs.

SEC. 3. *And be it further resolved,* That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and requirred to discontinue the employment of any officer or person employed under the acts for the collection of direct taxes in insurrectionary districts within the United States, whenever in his judgement their service is no longer needed, and he is hereby authorized to devolve upon any officer or officers of internal revenue in said districts any portion of the duties imposed by said acts, who shall perform such duties without additional compensation.

APPRNVED, March 26, 1867.

(Public 14.)

No. 14. A Resolution to make valid the Laws of New Mexico passed at the Session of the Legislature held at Santa Fe, from the third Day of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, to thirty-first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the laws passed by the legislative assembly of the Territory of New Mexico, at its last session, which began on the third day of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and ending on the thirty-first day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and signed by W. F. M. Arny, acting secretary and acting governor of said Territory of New Mexico, shall have the same force and effect as though the same had been approved and signed by the governor duly appointed, subject to the future revision and approval of Congress.

APPROVED, March 26, 1867.

(Public 15.)

No. 15. A Resolution concerning the Uniform of Persons in the Diplomatic Service of the United States.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all persons in the diplomatic service of the United States are prohibited from wearing any uniform or official costume not previously authorized by Congress.

APPROVED, March 27, 1867.

(Public 16.)

No. 16. A Resolution declaring the Meaning of the second Section of the Act of the second of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, relative to Property lost in the Military Service.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section two of the act of Congress entitled "An act to provide for the payment of expenses incurred by the Territories of Washington and Oregon in the suppression of Indian hostilities therein in the years eighteen hundred and fifty-five and eighteen hundred and fifty-six," approved the second of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, shall be so construed that whenever any claimant for lost property shall comply with all the terms and conditions of the act of the third of March, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, on the subject of property lost in the military service, he, she, or they shall be paid the amount of the judgements in his, her, or their favor, entered by the third auditor and certified by him as required by the last-named act, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, March, 28, 1867.

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DAVID McCRANOR, Sheriff.

Virginia City, Montana Territory, Dec. 18, 1867
174, 177, W.

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THIS is to give notice, that on the 9th day of December, 1867, a warrant in bankruptcy was issued against the estate of Henry Myers of Virginia city in the county of Madison and Territory of Montana, who has been adjudged a bankrupt on his own petition. That the payment of any debts and delivering of any property by him are forbidden by law; that a meeting of the creditors of the said bankrupt to prove their debts, and to choose one or more assignees of his estate, will be held at a court of bankruptcy to be holden at the office of Theo. Muffly, in the city of Virginia, county and Territory aforesaid, before Theo. Muffly, Register, on the 8th day of February, A. D. 1868, at 10 o'clock, a. m.

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