CHAP. 267.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the President to invite the States of the Union and foreign countries to participate in the International Petroleum Exposition at Tulsa, Oklahoma, to be held October 4 to October 11, 1930, inclusive.

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 authorized to invite by proclamation, or in such other manner as he may deem proper, the States of the Union and all foreign countries to participate in the proposed International Petroleum Exposition, to be held at Tulsa, Oklahoma, from October 4 to October 11, 1930, inclusive, for the purpose of exhibiting samples of fabricated and raw products of all countries used in the petroleum industry and bringing together buyers and sellers for promotion of trade and commerce in such products.

Sec. 2. All articles that shall be imported from foreign countries for the sole purpose of exhibition at the International Petroleum Exposition upon which there shall be a tariff or customs duty shall be admitted free of the payment of duty, customs fees, or charges, under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury shall prescribe; but it shall be lawful at any time during the exhibition to sell any goods or property imported for and actually on exhibition, subject to such regulations for the security of the revenue and for the collection of import duties as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe: Provided, That all such articles when sold or withdrawn for consumption or use in the United States shall be subject to the duty, if any, imposed upon such articles by the revenue laws in force at the date of withdrawal; and on such articles which shall have suffered diminution or deterioration from incidental handling and necessary exposure, the duty, if paid, shall be assessed according to the appraised value at the time of withdrawal for consumption or use, and the penalties prescribed by law shall be enforced against any person guilty of any illegal sale, use, or withdrawal.

Sec. 3. That the Government of the United States is not by this resolution obligated to any expense in connection with the holding of such exposition and is not hereafter to be so obligated other than for suitable representation thereat.

Approved, May 13, 1930.

CHAP. 268.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the settlement of the case of the United States against the Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company, pending in the United States District Court in and for the District of Delaware.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Special Counsel Atlee Pomerene and Owen J. Roberts, representing the United States be, and they are hereby, authorized to settle the case of United States against Sinclair Crude Oil Purchasing Company (Numbered 1431, civil), now pending in the District Court of the United States for the District of Delaware for the sum of $2,906,484.32, which sum is now deposited by the defendant in escrow pending approval of such settlement by the Congress.

Resolved, That upon receipt of said sum by the Treasurer of the United States said special counsel be, and hereby are, authorized to satisfy any judgment which may be entered in said cause against the defendant pursuant to such settlement, upon payment by defendant of the record costs therein.

Approved, May 13, 1930.