Mississippi, etc.,
Rivers.
Flood control work.
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April. 475.
Interchangeable
appropriations.

Flood control, Mississippi River and tributaries: For prosecuting
the work of flood control in accordance with the provisions of the
Flood Control Act, approved May 15, 1928 (U. S. C., Supp. III, title
33, sec. 702a), $3,000,000, to remain available until expended.

Sec. 2. The sums herein appropriated shall be available inter-
changeably for expenditure on the objects named in this Act upon
order of the President stating the amounts and the appropriations
between which such interchanges are to be made.

Sec. 3. A report shall be submitted to Congress on the first day of
the next regular session showing, by projects or other appropriate
detailed classification, the amounts allocated under each of the fore-
going appropriations, the expenditures under each allocation, and
such other information which the President may deem pertinent in
advising Congress as to the allocation and expenditure of such
appropriations.

Approved, December 20, 1930.

December 20, 1930.
[H. Res. No. 444.]

House of Representa-
tives.
Deficiency appropri-
ation for expenses of
special and select com-
mitttee of.

December 20, 1930.
[S. Res. No. 112.]

Joint Resolution Making an appropriation to supply a defi-
cency in the appropriation for the fiscal year 1931 for expenses of special and
select committees of the House of Representatives.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of
$45,000 is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury
not otherwise appropriated, for the fiscal year 1931 for expenses of special
and select committees authorized by the House of Representa-
tives.

Approved, December 20, 1930.

Joint Resolution For the relief of farmers in the drought
and/or storm stricken areas of the United States.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Agri-
culture is hereby authorized, for the crop of 1931, to make advances or
loans to farmers in the drought and/or storm stricken or hail stricken
areas of the United States, where he shall find that an emergency
for such assistance exists, for the purchase of seed of suitable crops,
fertilizer, feed for work stock and/or fuel and oil for tractors, used
for crop production, and when necessary to procure such seed, fer-
tilizer, feed, and fuel and oil, and for such other purposes incident to
crop production as may be prescribed by the Secretary of Agriculture,
and sell the same to such farmers. Such advances, loans, or sales
shall be made upon such terms and conditions and subject to such
regulations as the Secretary of Agriculture shall prescribe, including
an agreement by each farmer to use the seed, fertilizer, feed for work
stock, fuel and oil thus obtained by him for crop production. A first
lien on all crops growing or to be planted and grown during the year
1931 shall, in the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture, be
deemed sufficient security for such loan, advance, or sale. All such
loans, advances, and sales shall be made through such agencies as the
Secretary of Agriculture may designate, and in such amounts as such
agencies, with the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture, may
determine. For carrying out the purposes of this resolution, includ-
ing all expenses and charges incurred in so doing, there is hereby
authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not
otherwise appropriated, the sum of $45,000,000: Provided, That loans
shall be available for summer fallowing in 1931.

Sec. 2. Any person who shall knowingly make any material false
representation for the purpose of obtaining an advance, loan, or sale,