[CHAPTER 554.]

AN ACT

To provide for the extension of the boundaries of the Hot Springs National Park in the State of Arkansas, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the boundaries of the Hot Springs National Park in the State of Arkansas be, and the same are hereby, extended to include the following land, to wit: Lot 11, block 101; lot 5, block 185; lot 6, block 186; lots 5, 6, and 7, block 187; and lots 1, 2, 3, 6, and 15, block 188, United States Hot Springs Reservation, as surveyed, mapped, and plotted by the United States Hot Springs Commission, and any of such lands when acquired by the Secretary of the Interior on behalf of the United States shall be and remain a part of the Hot Springs National Park, subject to all laws and regulations applicable thereto: Provided, That the lands hereinabove described may be acquired within funds already appropriated and at a cost not to exceed $15,000.

Approved, June 15, 1936.

[CHAPTER 555.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing the President to invite foreign countries to participate in the New York World’s Fair 1939, Incorporated, in the city of New York during the year 1939.

Whereas there is to be held at New York City during the year 1939 a world’s fair, which has for its purpose the celebration of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary of the inauguration of the first President of the United States of America and of the establishment of the national government in the city of New York; and Whereas, because of its location and purpose, its scope and aims, said world’s fair is deserving of the support and encouragement of the Government of the United States of America; Therefore be it Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and respectfully requested by proclamation, or in such manner as he may deem proper, to invite foreign countries and nations to such proposed world’s fair with a request that they participate therein.

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[CHAPTER 556.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Making provision for a national celebration of the bicentenary of the birth of Charles Carroll of Carrollton, wealthiest signer of the Declaration of Independence.

Whereas Charles Carroll of Carrollton during his lifetime of nearly a century rendered services of paramount importance to his country; and Whereas on February 18, 1776, more than four months before the adoption of the Declaration of Independence, John Adams stated that “in the cause of American liberty, his zeal, fortitude, and perseverance have been so conspicuous that he is said to be marked out for a peculiar vengeance by the friends of administration; but he continues to hazard his all, his immense fortune, the largest in America, and his life”; and

1 So in original.