

indicated: *Provided further*, That no part of this appropriation shall be used to pay the cost or value of farm animals, farm crops, or other property injured or destroyed: *Provided further*, That procurements under this appropriation may be made by open-market purchases notwithstanding the provisions of section 3709 of the Revised Statutes of the United States (U. S. C., title 41, sec. 5).

Approved, June 24, 1936.

Restriction.

Open-market purchases.
R. S., sec. 3709, p. 733.
U. S. C., p. 1803.

[CHAPTER 764.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Providing for the establishment of a game management supply depot and laboratory, and for other purposes.

June 24, 1936.
[H. J. Res. 366.]
[Pub. Res., No. 128.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Agriculture is hereby authorized to purchase on behalf of the United States such tract or tracts of land, in Pocatello, Idaho, including structures thereon, as in his judgment may be suitable for the establishment of a game management supply depot and laboratory for use of the Department of Agriculture, and to pay all costs incident to examining, transferring, and perfecting title to said land, and to construct thereon such building or buildings and to repair, add to, or remodel any existing structures thereon, as in his judgment may be suitable for use as a depot and laboratory and to purchase and install therein such equipment¹ machinery as may be necessary for its efficient use and operation; he is authorized to provide such sidewalks and approaches in and around said premises as may be required. That appropriations made for the administration, protection, maintenance, control, improvements, and development of wildlife sanctuaries, reservations, and refuges under the control of the Secretary of Agriculture shall be available for the purchase, transportation, and handling of supplies and materials for distribution at cost from game management supply depots maintained by the Department of Agriculture to projects specially provided for, and transfers between the appropriations for said purposes are hereby authorized in order that the cost of supplies and materials, and transportation and handling thereof, drawn from central warehouses so maintained may be charged to the particular project benefited; and such supplies and materials as remain in said depots at the end of any fiscal year shall be continuously available for issuance during subsequent fiscal years and to be charged for by such transfers of funds between said appropriations for the fiscal year then current without decreasing in any way the appropriations made for that fiscal year: *Provided*, That supplies and materials shall not be purchased solely for the purpose of increasing the value of storehouse stock beyond reasonable requirements for any current fiscal year.

Pocatello, Idaho.
Game management supply depot and laboratory, establishment.

Administrative, etc., funds available for purchase, handling, distributing, etc., supplies and materials.

Transfers between appropriations, authorized.

Proviso.
Supplies beyond requirements.

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 765.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Granting the consent of Congress to the city and county of San Francisco to construct a causeway and highways on Yerba Buena Island in San Francisco Bay, and for other purposes.

June 24, 1936.
[S. J. Res. 251.]
[Pub. Res., No. 129.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent of Congress is hereby given to the construction and maintenance by the city and county of San Francisco, California, of (1) a causeway between Yerba Buena Island in San Francisco Bay and a public airport to be constructed by said city and county on lands

San Francisco, Calif.
Construction, etc., of causeway, highways, etc., on Yerba Buena Island, authorized.

¹ So in original.

reclaimed in said bay; (2) roads or highways on said Yerba Buena Island connecting such causeway with the State highway on said island provided by the San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge crossing; (3) such fresh-water supply reservoirs, tanks, conduits, and pipe lines as may be necessary or proper to enable said city and county to supply said Yerba Buena Island and said public airport with an adequate supply of fresh water; and (4) all usual, necessary, and reasonable incidents and appurtenances to such causeway, roads, highways, reservoirs, tanks, conduits, and pipe lines. The Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to grant permits for such construction and maintenance, together with all usual, necessary, and reasonable incidents and appurtenances thereto, and to grant to said city and county perpetual easements for rights-of-way therefor, subject to such restrictions as he may in his discretion prescribe to avoid injury to the military, naval, or defense uses of said island and inconvenience to the military or naval forces thereon: *Provided*, That said causeway and any such connecting roads and highways hereby authorized shall be forever toll free: *And provided further*, That the location and plans of such causeway, roads, highways, reservoirs, tanks, conduits, and pipe lines, with the incidents and appurtenances thereto, shall be first approved by the Secretary of the Navy: *And provided further*, That nothing in this resolution or consent shall preclude the erection and maintenance of tollgates and tollhouses upon any of said roads or highways connecting said causeway with said San Francisco-Oakland Bay Bridge crossing for the purpose of collecting tolls for the use of such bridge.

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 766.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

June 24, 1936.
[S. J. Res. 277.]
[Pub. Res., No. 130.]

To investigate corporations engaged in the manufacture, sale, or distribution of agricultural implements and machinery.

Agricultural implements and machinery. Investigation by Federal Trade Commission of corporations engaged in manufacture, sale, or distribution of.
Vol. 38, p. 721; U. S. C., p. 516.
Scope of investigation.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Federal Trade Commission be, and it is hereby, directed under the authority of and in pursuance of the Act entitled "An Act to create a Federal Trade Commission, to define its powers and duties, and for other purposes", approved September 26, 1914, as amended, to investigate and report to the Congress the facts relating to—

(a) Whether any corporation engaged in the manufacture, sale, or distribution of agricultural implements and machinery, of whatever kind and description is, or within the past three years has been, violating any of the antitrust Acts of the United States, and the nature, extent, and effects of any such violation;

(b) The existence and effect of any contract, agreement, combination, or conspiracy in unlawful restraint of trade and the existence of any unfair methods of trade or competition in connection with the manufacture, sale, and distribution of said agricultural implements and machinery;

(c) Whether and to what extent methods of price fixing, price maintenance, and price discrimination in violation of the antitrust Acts exist in connection with the manufacture, sale, and distribution of said agricultural implements and machinery;

(d) Any developments and tendencies in the direction of monopoly and concentration of ownership or control of the means of the manufacture, sale, or distribution of said agricultural implements and machinery;