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in the specialized field of higher education for women; and be it further

Resolved, That the Chief Clerk of the Assembly is directed to transmit a suitably prepared copy of this resolution to the president of Mills College.

CHAPTER 6

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 3—Relative to "I Am an American Day."

[Filed with Secretary of State April 1, 1952.]

WHEREAS, On February 29th President Truman designated September 17th of each year as "Citizenship Day," thereby abolishing the annual celebration of "I Am an American Day"; and

WHEREAS, "I Am an American Day" was espoused and promoted for many years throughout the Nation by the Hearst newspapers, the American Legion, civic and patriotic organizations; and

WHEREAS, The celebration of "I Am an American Day" permits Americans to show their devotion to the United States of America, to draw inspiration from its glorious history, to honor its magnificent founders and express gratitude to its patriotic defenders; and

WHEREAS, The appeal and warmth, patriotism and love for our Country is lost in the vague coldness of "Citizenship Day"; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring, That the Governor of the State of California is hereby requested to proclaim September 14th "I Am an American Day" in conformance with tradition heretofore established and reverently observed by all patriotic Americans throughout the great State of California.

CHAPTER 7

Senate Concurrent Resolution No. 4—Relative to accepting permit from the Government of the United States for the transfer of lands for the use of the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District for the purpose of widening the San Francisco approach to the Golden Gate Bridge.

[Filed with Secretary of State April 1, 1952.]

WHEREAS, The Secretary of the Army of the United States has, by grant dated the thirtieth day of October, 1951, granted, to the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District control over certain areas additional to the present Golden Gate Bridge and
Highway District for the purpose of widening the San Francisco approach to the Golden Gate Bridge; and

WHEREAS, The said grant is by its terms granted, an extension of the original permit to erect the Golden Gate Bridge made by the Assistant Secretary of War, dated October 27, 1930, and various permits granted subsequent to that date; and

WHEREAS, Said permit dated the thirtieth day of October, 1951, requires as a condition precedent to the taking effect of such permit that the State of California accept the same and conform to the requirements therein contained; now, therefore, be it

Resolved by the Senate of the State of California, the Assembly thereof concurring, That the said permit granted by the Secretary of the Army, successor to the previously designated Secretary of War, to the Golden Gate Bridge and Highway District be and the same hereby is, together with each, all, every and singular, the terms, conditions, limitations, reservations and requirements therein contained accepted by and on behalf of the State of California; and be it further

Resolved, That the State of California does hereby make application to Congress for a retrocession of jurisdiction over all of the lands and territories described in the original and amendatory permits heretofore or hereafter to be made; and be it further

Resolved, That the State of California will, in case such retrocession of jurisdiction is granted by Congress, accept such retrocession of jurisdiction and will assume the responsibility for managing, controlling, and policing the same, all subject to the conditions embraced within said permit; and be it further

Resolved, That each and every condition and restriction contained within said permit granted by the United States Government will be fully complied with; and be it further

Resolved, That the State of California does hereby agree to accept said permit and will in all respects comply therewith and obey all of the requirements thereof; and be it further

Resolved, That copies of this resolution be transmitted to the President of the United States, to the Secretary of the Army, to each House of Congress, and to the Senators and Representatives in Congress of the State of California.

CHAPTER 8

Assembly Joint Resolution No. 8—Relative to petitioning Congress to call a convention for the purpose of considering an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to taxes on vehicles and vehicle fuels.

[Filed with Secretary of State April 2, 1952.]

Resolved by the Assembly and the Senate of the State of California, jointly, That this Legislature respectfully petitions the