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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JULY 14, 1894.—Ordered to be printed.

Mr. Jones, of Arkansas, submitted the following

RESOLUTION

As an amendment to the resolution offered by Mr. Pettigrew, viz: Strike out all after "Resolved," and insert:

That the Committee on Indian Affairs be instructed, either by full committee or such subcommittee or committees as may be appointed by the chairman thereof, with the full power of such committee to continue during the recess of Congress the investigations authorized by the resolutions of May thirteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety, and February twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, with the authority and in the manner and to the extent provided in said resolutions, and in the pursuance of such investigations, to visit the several Indian reservations, Indian schools supported in whole or in part by the Government, and the five nations in the Indian Territory, or any reservation where, in the opinion of said committee, it may be necessary to extend their investigations.

Second. That said committee or subcommittee shall have power to send for persons and papers, to administer oaths, and to examine witnesses under oath touching the matters which they are hereby empowered to investigate, and may hold their sessions during the recess of the Senate at such place or places as they may determine; and the necessary and proper expense incurred in the execution of this order shall be paid out of the coutingent fund of the Senate upon vouchers approved by the chairman of said committee.