IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

DEC 8, 1941

Mr. CONNALLY introduced the following joint resolution; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on ______.

THIRD TIME NOT PASSED.

JOINT RESOLUTION

Declaring that a state of war exists between the Imperial Japanese Government and the Government and the people of the United States and making provision to prosecute the same.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

WHEREAS the Imperial Japanese Government, has committed unprovoked acts of war against the Government and the people 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 state of war between the United States and the Imperial Japanese Government which has thus been thrust upon the United States is hereby formally declared; and the President is hereby authorized and directed to employ the entire naval and military forces of the United States and the resources of the Government to carry on war against the Imperial Japanese Government; and, to bring the conflict to a successful termination, all of the resources of the country are hereby pledged by the Congress of the United States.