

issippi River, from a point on the west side of said river to be located by said company and approved by the War Department, suitable to the interests of navigation, between the Eads Bridge in Saint Louis, Missouri, and the Alton Bridge at Alton, Illinois, to a point in the State of Illinois, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

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Amendment.

SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, July 9, 1912.

CHAP. 227.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to convey to the board of education of New Hanover County, North Carolina, portion of marine-hospital reservation not needed for marine-hospital purposes.

July 10, 1912.
[S. 6603.]

[Public, No. 221.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to convey to the board of education of New Hanover County, State of North Carolina, the following-described tract of land, being a portion of the marine-hospital reservation in the city of Wilmington, which, in the opinion of the Secretary of the Treasury, is no longer needed for marine-hospital purposes, to wit, thirty-four and one-tenth acres of land, more or less, covering six whole and three one-half city blocks, lying east of Tenth Street, in the city of Wilmington, county of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, such conveyance to be upon condition that the land shall be used exclusively for industrial-school purposes, the title thereof to revert to the United States if at any time the land or any building erected thereon shall no longer be used for such purpose.

Wilmington, N. C.
Part of marine-hospital tract, conveyed for industrial-school purposes.

Reversion for non-user.

Approved, July 10, 1912.

CHAP. 228.—An Act To amend section eleven of an Act entitled "An Act to grant additional authority to the Secretary of the Treasury to carry out certain provisions of the public building Acts, and for other purposes," approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and nine.

July 10, 1912.
[H. R. 24227.]

[Public, No. 222.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section eleven of chapter three hundred and eighteen of the Acts of nineteen hundred and nine, entitled "An Act to grant additional authority to the Secretary of the Treasury to carry out certain provisions of the public building Acts, and for other purposes," approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and nine, be amended by striking out, in the last three lines of said section, the words "including expenses incident to the temporary removal of the force employed in the customhouse during the enlargement, remodeling, or extension."

Boston, Mass.
Customhouse enlargement, etc.
Vol. 25, p. 1068, amended.
Expenses of removing employees.

That such amounts as the Secretary of the Treasury has charged against the appropriation for the customhouse, Boston, Massachusetts, for expenses incident to the temporary removal of the force employed in the customhouse during the enlargement, remodeling, or extension of said customhouse shall be repaid to said appropriation from moneys in the Treasury to be hereafter appropriated: *Provided*, That no compensation shall be paid to architects additional to the amounts now due or payable under the original limit of cost of said building, to wit, one million five hundred thousand dollars, or because of the increased limit of cost provided by this Act.

Repayment to appropriation for enlarging building, etc.

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Approved, July 10, 1912.

July 10, 1912.
[S. 6946.]

[Public, No. 223.]

Flathead Indian Res-
ervation.
Sale of tract to Ro-
nan, Mont.

Proviso.
Proceeds to credit of
tribe.

CHAP. 229.—An Act Authorizing the sale of certain lands in the Flathead Indian Reservation to the town of Ronan, State of Montana, for the purposes of a public park and public-school site.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized, in his discretion, to sell and convey to the town of Ronan, Montana, under such terms, conditions, and regulations as he may prescribe, not to exceed twenty acres of unallotted tribal land within the Flathead Indian Reservation, at not less than its appraised price; said lands to be used by the town of Ronan for school, park, or other public purposes: *Provided,* That the net proceeds received from the sale of said lands shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States to the credit of the Flathead Indians and draw interest at the rate now provided by law, and may thereafter be used for the benefit of said Indians.

Approved, July 10, 1912.

July 12, 1912.
[S. 6636.]

[Public, No. 224.]

Army.
Robert H. Peck may
be appointed captain
of Infantry.

No back pay, etc.

CHAP. 233.—An Act To authorize the President of the United States to appoint Robert H. Peck a captain in the Army.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States in his discretion be, and he is hereby, authorized to appoint Robert H. Peck to the grade of captain of Infantry, United States Army, to take rank at the foot of the list of captains of Infantry; and that no back pay or allowances shall accrue as a result of the passage of this Act; and that there shall be no increase in the total number of officers now authorized by law by reason of the passage of this Act.

Approved, July 12, 1912.

July 15, 1912.
[H. R. 21259.]

[Public, No. 225.]

Harney National
Forest, S. Dak.
Exchange of lands
in, with John L. Baird.

CHAP. 234.—An Act To allow an exchange of certain lands in the Harney National Forest.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That upon the transfer by John L. Baird to the United States of title to the east half of the southeast quarter, and lot numbered one in section four, and lot numbered four in section three, all in township one south, range one east, of Black Hills meridian, containing one hundred and fifty-five and ninety-six one hundredths acres, situated in the Black Hills National Forest, the Secretary of the Interior is authorized, upon the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture, to issue a patent to said John L. Baird for the lands covered by the Keen Stone Placer mineral survey numbered nineteen hundred and forty-seven, in Lawrence County, South Dakota, containing ninety and nine hundred and seventy-eight one-thousandths acres; and the lands thus transferred to the United States shall thereupon become a part of the Harney National Forest.

Approved, July 15, 1912.

July 16, 1912.
[S. 5271.]

[Public, No. 226.]

District of Columbia.
Police court.
Jurisdiction ex-
tended to affrays, etc.

CHAP. 235.—An Act To confer concurrent jurisdiction on the police court of the District of Columbia in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the police court of the District of Columbia shall have jurisdiction, concurrently with the Supreme Court of the District of Columbia, of affrays and the keeping