

[CHAPTER 315.]

AN ACT

To amend section 5 of the Suits in Admiralty Act, approved March 9, 1920.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Suits in Admiralty Act (41 Stat. 525; U. S. C., title 46, secs. 741-745), approved March 9, 1920, is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 5. That suits as herein authorized may be brought only on causes of action arising since April 6, 1917: *Provided*, That suits based on causes of action arising prior to the taking effect of this Act shall be brought within one year after this Act goes into effect¹; and all other suits hereunder shall be brought within two years after the cause of action arises: *Provided further*, That the limitations in this section contained for the commencement of suits hereunder shall not bar any suit against the United States or the United States Shipping Board Merchant Fleet Corporation, formerly known as the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation, brought hereunder on or before December 31, 1932, if such suit is based upon a cause of action whereon a prior suit in admiralty or an action at law or an action under the Tucker Act of March 3, 1887 (24 Stat. 505; U. S. C., title 28, sec. 250, subdiv. 1), was commenced prior to January 6, 1930, and was or may hereafter be dismissed because not commenced within the time or in the manner prescribed in this Act, or otherwise not commenced or prosecuted in accordance with its provisions: *Provided further*, That such prior suit must have been commenced within the statutory period of limitation for common-law actions against the United States cognizable in the Court of Claims: *Provided further*, That there shall not be revived hereby any suit at law, in admiralty, or under the Tucker Act heretofore or hereafter dismissed for lack of prosecution after filing of suit: *And provided further*, That no interest shall be allowed on any claim prior to the time when suit on such claim is brought as authorized hereunder."

Approved, June 30, 1932.

[CHAPTER 316.]

AN ACT

To provide for expenses of the Crow and Fort Peck Indian Tribal Councils and authorized delegates of such tribes.

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 to expend \$5,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, of the funds standing to the credit of the Crow Indians in the Treasury of the United States for expenses of the Crow Indian Tribal Council and authorized delegates of the tribe.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Interior is further authorized to expend \$5,000, or as much thereof as may be necessary, of the funds standing to the credit of the Fort Peck Indians in the Treasury of the United States for expenses of the Fort Peck Indian Tribal Council and authorized delegates of the tribe

Approved, June 30, 1932.

¹ So in original.

June 30, 1932.

[H. R. 7238.]

[Public, No. 213.]

Suits in Admiralty Act, amendment.
Vol. 41, p. 525.
U. S. C., p. 1527.

Time limit for suits.

Provisos.

If on causes arising prior hereto.
Others.

Suits brought before January 6, 1930, etc., when not heard on merits.

Vol. 24, p. 505; vol. 36, p. 1136.
U. S. C., p. 897.

Commencement within statutory period required.

Dismissal for lack of prosecution.

Interest on claims.

June 30, 1932.

[H. R. 8031.]

[Public, No. 214.]

Crow Indians.
Expenses of tribal council.

Fort Peck Indians.
Expenses of tribal council.

[CHAPTER 317.]

AN ACT

Amending the Act of May 25, 1918, with reference to employing farmers in the Indian Service, and for other purposes.

June 30, 1932.
[H. R. 10161.]
[Public, No. 215.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions in the Act of May 25, 1918 (40 Stat. L. 565), which requires "that hereafter no money shall be expended for the employment of any farmer or expert farmer at a salary of or in excess of \$50 per month, unless he shall first have procured and filed with the Commissioner of Indian Affairs a certificate of competency showing that he is a farmer of actual experience and qualified to instruct others in the art of practical agriculture, such certificate to be certified and issued to him by the president or dean of the State agricultural college of the State in which his services are to be rendered, or by the president or dean of the State agricultural college of an adjoining State," be and the same is hereby, repealed.

Indian Service.
Employment of farmers in.
Vol. 40, p. 565, repealed.

Approved, June 30, 1932.

[CHAPTER 318.]

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, and for other purposes.

June 30, 1932.
[H. R. 11452.]
[Public, No. 216.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Navy Department and the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, namely:

Navy Department and naval service appropriations, fiscal year 1933.

NAVAL ESTABLISHMENT

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

PAY, MISCELLANEOUS

For commissions and interest; transportation of funds, including the cost of insurance on shipments of money by registered mail when necessary; exchange; for traveling expenses of civilian employees, including not to exceed \$1,500 for the expenses of attendance, at home and abroad, upon meetings of technical, professional, scientific, and other similar organizations when, in the judgment of the Secretary of the Navy, such attendance would be of benefit in the conduct of the work of the Navy Department; not to exceed \$2,000 for the part-time or intermittent employment in the District of Columbia or elsewhere of such experts and at such rates of compensation as may be contracted for by and in the discretion of the Secretary of the Navy; actual expenses of officers and midshipmen while on shore-patrol duty, including the hire of automobiles when necessary for the use of shore-patrol detachments; hire of launches or other small boats in Asiatic waters; for rent of buildings and offices not in navy yards; expenses of courts-martial, including law and reference books, prisoners and prisons, and courts of inquiry, boards of inspection, examining boards, with clerks, and witnesses' fees, and traveling expenses and costs; expenses of naval districts; not to exceed \$15,000 for promoting accident prevention and safety for civilian employees in shore establishments of the Navy, to be expended in the discretion of the Secretary of the Navy; stationery and recording; religious

Naval Establishment.

Secretary's office.

Pay, miscellaneous.

Expenses designated.

Attendance at meetings.

Experts.