[CHAPTER 435]

AN ACT

To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Niobrara, Nebraska.

July 5, 1937 [H. R. 6292] [Public, No. 187]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Niobrara, Nebraska, authorized to be built by the county of Knox, State of Nebraska, by section 32 of the Act of Congress approved August 30, 1935, amended by Act of Congress approved May 18, 1936, are extended one and three years, respectively, from August 30, 1937.

Missouri River. Time extended for bridging, at Niobrara, Nebr.

49 Stat. 1074, 1354.

Approved, July 5, 1937.

[CHAPTER 436]

AN ACT

To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Washington, and Lewiston, Idaho.

July 5, 1937 [H. R. 6494]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Snake River between Clarkston, Washington, and Lewiston, Idaho, authorized to be built by the States of Washington and Idaho, by an Act of Congress approved February 19, 1935, are hereby extended one and three years, respectively, from the date of approval hereof.

Snake River.
Time extended for bridging, between Clarkston, Wash., and Lewiston, Idaho.

49 Stat, 27.

Sec. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, July 5, 1937.

Amendment.

[CHAPTER 438]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To amend the Act entitled "An Act to amend section 4471 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended."

July 5, 1937 [H. J. Res. 434] [Pub. Res., No. 51]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act entitled "An Act to amend section 4471 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, as amended" (Public, Numbered 712, Seventy-fourth Congress), approved June 20, 1936, is amended by striking out "July 1, 1937" in the first line of the second paragraph thereof and inserting in lieu thereof "October 1, 1937".

Passenger vessels.
Time extended for installing sprinkler systems on certain.
49 Stat. 1540.
46 U. S. C., Supp. II, § 464.

Approved, July 5, 1937.

[CHAPTER 441]

AN ACT

To amend the Act of May 25, 1933 (48 Stat. 73).

Naval, Military, and Coast Guard Academies. Degree of bachelor of science may be conferred on living graduates. 48 Stat. 73.

July 8, 1937 [H. R. 2291] [Public, No. 189]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act approved May 25, 1933 (48 Stat. 73), be amended by changing the period at the end of the Act to a colon and by adding the following words: "Provided, That on and after the date of the accrediting of the said academies by the Association of American Universities the superintendents of the respective academies may, under such rules and regulations as the respective secretaries may make, confer the

degree of bachelor of science upon such other living graduates of the said academies as shall have met the requirements of the respective academies for such degree."

Approved, July 8, 1937.

[CHAPTER 442]

AN ACT

July 8, 1937 [H. R. 3123] [Public, No. 190]

To authorize the Secretary of War to lease to Old Fort Niagara Association, Incorporated, portions of the Fort Niagara Military Reservation, New York.

Fort Niagara Military Reservation, N. Y. Portions of, leased to Old Fort Niagara Association. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to lease to Old Fort Niagara Association, Incorporated, a nonprofit membership corporation incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, that portion of the Fort Niagara Military Reservation, New York, known as Old Fort Niagara, including all grounds, buildings, and fortifications pertaining thereto which have been restored and rehabilitated by Old Fort Niagara Association, Incorporated, and the United States of America, together with such additional adjacent areas and/or buildings as, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, may be or become necessary for such term or terms and subject to such conditions as, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, shall be advisable: Provided, however, That the consideration for any lease executed pursuant to this Act shall be the maintenance by said Old Fort Niagara Association, Incorporated, of said premises in accordance with the terms of such lease, and every such lease shall be revocable at will by the Secretary of War.

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Approved, July 8, 1937.

[CHAPTER 443]

AN ACT

July 8, 1937 [H. R. 6436] [Public, No. 191]

Proviso. Consideration.

Authorizing cash relief for certain employees of the Panama Canal not coming within the provisions of the Canal Zone Retirement Act.

Panama Canal, employees. Superannuation pay for certain, not qualifying under Retirement Act. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Governor of the Panama Canal, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the President of the United States, may pay cash relief to such employees of the Panama Canal not coming within the provisions of the Canal Zone Retirement Act as may become unfit for further useful service by reason of mental or physical disability resulting from age or disease, and also to such former employees of the Panama Canal not coming within the provisions of the Canal Zone Retirement Act as have within three years prior to the date of enactment of this Act been separated from the service because of unfitness for further useful service by reason of such disability: Provided, That such cash relief shall not exceed \$1 per month for each year of service of the employee so furnished relief, with a maximum of \$25 per month, nor be granted to any employee having less than ten years' service with the Panama Canal, including any service with the Panama Railroad Company on the Isthmus of Panama.

Proviso. Limitation on amount.

SEC. 2. That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated annually such sums as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved, July 8, 1937.

Annual appropriation authorized.