

rank of captain, corresponding to those of the Regular Coast Guard, as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, or by the Secretary of the Navy while the Coast Guard is operating as a part of the Navy: *Provided*, That there shall not be more than one officer in the grade of captain: *Provided further*, That military authority of officers commissioned under the provisions of this title may be exercised over women of the Reserve only and is limited to the administration of the Women's Reserve."

Military authority
of officers.

56 Stat. 1020.
14 U. S. C., Supp.
II, §§ 386-388.
Ante, p. 587.

Strike out section 406, and renumber sections 407 and 408 as 406 and 407, respectively.

Approved December 23, 1943.

[CHAPTER 379]

AN ACT

December 23, 1943
[H. R. 2562]
[Public Law 215]

To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell and convey to The State Hospital at Goldsboro, Goldsboro, North Carolina, a certain tract of land, situated in Wayne County, North Carolina.

The State Hospital
at Goldsboro, N. C.
Conveyance of land.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Agriculture be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, upon payment by The State Hospital at Goldsboro of \$4,180, to convey to the hospital all right, title, and interest of the United States to that portion of the North Carolina farm tenant security project, located in Wayne County, North Carolina, known as unit numbered 11 of said project, consisting of eighty-seven and ninety-four one-hundredths acres, more or less, described by metes and bounds as follows:

Description.

Beginning at a nail on the centerline of a dirt road said corner being a common corner between lands owned by one Charles Davis and the tract hereinafter described, thence along the common line north one degree fifty minutes east one thousand three hundred and forty-five and eight one-hundredths feet; thence north sixty-nine degrees thirty-three minutes east one thousand three hundred and sixty-six and twenty one-hundredths feet; thence south four degrees fifty-three minutes west two hundred and ninety-seven feet to the center line of a canal; thence along said canal the following courses and distances: South seventy-three degrees one minute east eighty-one and eighty-four one-hundredths feet, south seventy-six degrees fifty-seven minutes east one hundred and two and seventy one-hundredths feet, south forty-seven degrees twenty-four minutes east one hundred and thirty-three and six one-hundredths feet to the west bank of Little River; thence along the west bank of Little River the following courses and distances: South seventy-one degrees forty-nine minutes thirty-eight seconds west fifty-one and ninety-four one-hundredths feet, south seventy degrees ten minutes thirty-two seconds west one hundred and twenty and sixty-five one-hundredths feet, south fifty-five degrees thirty-three minutes forty-nine seconds west one hundred and sixty-four and twenty-one one-hundredths feet, south forty degrees thirty-four minutes thirty-four seconds west two hundred and fifty-three and four one-hundredths feet, south seven degrees twenty-two minutes west one hundred and seventy and twenty-one one-hundredths feet, south forty-six degrees forty-two minutes seventeen seconds east three hundred and ninety-five and eighty one-hundredths feet, south forty-one degrees thirteen minutes thirteen seconds east two hundred and fifty-one and thirty-three one-hundredths feet, south sixty degrees forty-one minutes forty-four seconds east two hundred and thirty-four and thirty-one one-hundredths feet, south seventy-five degrees thirty-seven minutes forty-four seconds east two hundred and fifty-five and fifty-five one-hundredths feet, south sixty-four degrees twenty-six

minutes forty-six seconds east eighty-one and forty-four one-hundredths feet, south forty-one degrees twenty minutes nine seconds east two hundred and ninety-five and twenty-eight one-hundredths feet, south seventy-four degrees eight minutes nineteen seconds east one hundred and forty-two and ten one-hundredths feet, south sixty-seven degrees no minutes thirty-eight seconds east three hundred and twenty-three and forty-seven one-hundredths feet, south thirty-one degrees six minutes thirty seconds east eighty-three and eighty-nine one-hundredths feet, south one degree twenty-seven minutes thirteen seconds east eighty-four and fifty-five one-hundredths feet, south forty-nine degrees fourteen minutes west two hundred and twenty-seven and thirty-seven one-hundredths feet, south seventy-four degrees twenty-six minutes seven seconds west three hundred and twenty and fifty-six one-hundredths feet, south forty-eight degrees fifty-six minutes eleven seconds west one hundred and seventy-five and thirty one-hundredths feet; thence leaving the west bank of Little River and running south seventy-seven degrees thirty-nine minutes west seven hundred and fifty-eight and sixty one-hundredths feet; thence north seventy degrees eighteen minutes west nine hundred and four and seventy-nine one-hundredths feet to the center line of a dirt road; thence along the center line of said dirt road the following courses and distances: North twenty-six degrees eleven minutes west two hundred and thirty-one and sixty-six one-hundredths feet, north thirty-eight degrees twenty-two minutes west one hundred and thirty-two and no one-hundredths feet, north fifty-two degrees twenty-five minutes west one hundred and thirty-two and no one-hundredths feet, north fifty-eight degrees twenty minutes west two hundred and ninety-one and eighty-five one-hundredths feet to the point of beginning.

Approved December 23, 1943.

[CHAPTER 380]

AN ACT

Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

December 23, 1943
[H. R. 3598]
[Public Law 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, to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes:

First Supplemental
National Defense Appropria-
tion Act, 1944.

TITLE I—GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

LEGISLATIVE

SENATE

To enable the Secretary of the Senate to expend from the appropriation for "Salaries of officers and employees of the Senate", fiscal year 1944, the necessary amount to increase from \$3,600 per annum to \$4,200 per annum, beginning December 1, 1943, the salary of the chief bookkeeper so long as the position is held by the present incumbent, and the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, hereby is amended accordingly.

Ante, p. 220.

Chief bookkeeper.

Ante, p. 220.

For an amount to increase the salary of the assistant clerk of the Committee on Appropriations at \$3,900 per annum to \$5,000 per an-

Assistant clerk,
Committee on Appropria-
tions.