

## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,

June 16 (legislative day, June 15), 1948.

Certificate of Senate.

The Senate having proceeded to reconsider the bill (S. 110) entitled "An Act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act with respect to certain agreements between carriers", returned by the President of the United States with his objections, to the Senate, in which it originated, it was

*Resolved*, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative.

Attest:

CARL A. LOEFFLER

*Secretary.*

Certificate of origin.

I certify that this Act originated in the Senate.

CARL A. LOEFFLER

*Secretary.*

## IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.,

June 17, 1948.

Certificate of House of Representatives.

The House of Representatives having proceeded to reconsider the bill (S. 110) entitled "An Act to amend the Interstate Commerce Act with respect to certain agreements between carriers", returned by the President of the United States with his objections, to the Senate, in which it originated, it was

*Resolved*, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the House of Representatives agreeing to pass the same.

Attest:

JOHN ANDREWS

*Clerk.*

## [CHAPTER 492]

## AN ACT

June 17, 1948

[S. 153]

[Public Law 663]

Authorizing the Secretary of the Army to have prepared a replica of the Dade Monument for presentation to the State of Florida.

Dade Monument.  
Replica.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That, upon payment by the State of Florida to the Department of the Army of such sum as may be necessary to defray all expenses necessarily incident thereto, the Secretary of the Army is authorized and directed to cause to be prepared an exact replica of the Dade Monument, located on the grounds of the United States military reservation at West Point, New York, and to present such replica to the State of Florida for erection in the Dade State Memorial Park.

Approved June 17, 1948.

## [CHAPTER 493]

## AN ACT

June 17, 1948

[S. 1520]

[Public Law 664]

To amend section 3 of the Act of August 24, 1912 (37 Stat. 554), as amended, so as to provide reimbursement to the Post Office Department by the Navy Department for shortages in postal accounts occurring while commissioned officers of the Navy and Marine Corps are designated custodians of postal effects.

Navy and Coast  
Guard mail clerks.

39 U. S. C. § 135.

Bonds.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That section 3 of the Act of August 24, 1912 (37 Stat. 554), as amended (39 U. S. C., Supp. V, 135), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"Every Navy mail clerk and assistant Navy mail clerk and every Coast Guard mail clerk and assistant Coast Guard mail clerk shall give bond to the United States in such penal sum as the Postmaster General may deem sufficient for the faithful performance of his duties

as such clerk: *Provided*, That the Secretary of the Navy may waive the giving of bond in the cases of Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks. Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks whose bonds are so waived shall not be entitled to the extra compensation otherwise authorized to be paid them by law. The Post Office Department shall be reimbursed annually by the Navy Department in an amount equal to funds embezzled by unbonded Navy mail clerks, assistant Navy mail clerks, and commissioned officers of the Navy and Marine Corps, and funds expended in payment of claims arising from errors, losses, or defalcations by unbonded Navy mail clerks, assistant Navy mail clerks, and commissioned officers of the Navy and Marine Corps: *Provided further*, That 'commissioned officers of the Navy and Marine Corps' as used in the foregoing provision shall be construed to mean only those commissioned officers of the Navy and Marine Corps who have been designated custodians of postal effects by the commanding officer."

SEC. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such amounts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved June 17, 1948.

Waiver of requirement.

Reimbursements.

"Commissioned officers."

Appropriation authorized.

[CHAPTER 494]

AN ACT

Providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States.

June 17, 1948

[S. 2479]

[Public Law 665]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the provision of section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which requires on each mining claim located, and until a patent has been issued therefor, not less than \$100 worth of labor to be performed or improvements aggregating such amount to be made each year, be, and the same is hereby, suspended as to all mining claims in the United States, until the hour of 12 o'clock meridian on the 1st day of July, 1948: *Provided*, That every claimant of any such mining claim in order to obtain the benefits of this Act shall file, or cause to be filed, in the office where the location notice or certificate is recorded, on or before 12 o'clock meridian of July 1, 1948, a notice of his desire to hold said mining claim under this Act.

Mining claims.  
Suspension of annual assessment work.  
30 U. S. C. § 28.

Approved June 17, 1948.

[CHAPTER 495]

AN ACT

To provide for the conveyance to Pinellas County, State of Florida, of certain public lands herein described.

June 17, 1948

[S. 2496]

[Public Law 666]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to the following described public lands in the State of Florida, to wit: Lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 of section 5; lots 1 and 2 of section 6; lots 1, 2, and 3 of section 7; lots 1, 2, 3, and 4 of section 8; lots 1 and 2 of section 9; lot 1 of section 17; and lots 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5 of section 18 in township 33 south, range 16 east, together with accretion thereto, shall be conveyed to Pinellas County, State of Florida, when it shall be determined that it is no longer necessary for the purpose for which it was reserved by Presidential orders of March 23, 1849, and November 17, 1882, or is not needed for the purposes as set forth in Executive Order Numbered 9151, April 28, 1942, and that the Secretary of the Interior is hereby

Pinellas County,  
Fla.  
Conveyance.

3 CFR, Cum. Supp.,  
p. 1151.