

Tabulation.

of each claimant, the monthly rate of payment granted to or received by him, and the county and State of his residence; and shall at the end of the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen tabulate the record so obtained by States and counties, and shall furnish certified copies thereof upon demand and the payment of such fee therefor as is provided by law for certified copies of records in the executive departments.

Copies.

Approved, May 11, 1912.

May 20, 1912.  
[S. 2224.]

CHAP. 124.—An Act To amend "An Act to regulate the height of buildings in the District of Columbia," approved June first, nineteen hundred and ten.

[Public, No. 156.]

District of Columbia.  
Height of buildings in  
Vol. 36, p. 452,  
amended.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That section one and section seven of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to regulate the height of buildings in the District of Columbia," approved June first, nineteen hundred and ten, be, and they are hereby, amended to read as follows:

Height of nonfireproof buildings, etc., limited.

"SECTION 1. That from and after the date of approval of this Act no combustible or nonfireproof building in the District of Columbia used or occupied or intended to be used or occupied as a dwelling, flat, apartment house, tenement, lodging or boarding house, hospital, dormitory, or for any similar purpose shall be erected, altered, or raised to a height of more than four stories, or more than fifty-five feet in height above the sidewalk, and no combustible or nonfireproof building shall be converted to any of the uses aforesaid if it exceeds either of said limits of height."

Extended to 55 feet.

Basis of measurement,  
Vol. 36, p. 454,  
amended.

"SEC. 7. That for the purposes of this Act the height of buildings shall be measured from the level of the sidewalk opposite the middle of the front of the building to the highest point of the roof. If the building has more than one front, the height shall be measured from the elevation of the sidewalk opposite the middle of the front that will permit of the greater height. No parapet walls shall extend above the limit of height except on nonfireproof dwellings where a parapet wall or balustrade of a height not exceeding four feet will be permitted above the limit of height of building permitted under this Act."

Parapet walls on nonfireproof dwellings restricted.

Approved, May 20, 1912.

May 20, 1912.  
[H. R. 12013.]

CHAP. 125.—An Act To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to convey to the city of Corsicana, Texas, certain land for alley purposes.

[Public, No. 157.]

Corsicana, Tex.  
Strip from public building site granted to.

*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 be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered to convey, by quitclaim deed, to the city of Corsicana, Texas, for the purpose of a public alley, and for no other purpose, all the right, title, and interest of the United States of America in and to a strip of land off the rear of the Federal building site in said city of sufficient width to provide, in connection with land adjacent thereto, a ten-foot alley: *Provided,* That the city of Corsicana shall open said alley and improve and maintain the same as other public alleys of said city are improved and maintained.

Proviso.  
Opening alley.

Approved, May 20, 1912.

**CHAP. 126.**—An Act Providing for the sale of the old post-office property at Providence, Rhode Island, by public auction.

May 20, 1912.  
[H. R. 13774.]

[Public, No. 158.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the second paragraph of section ten of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to increase the limit of cost of certain public buildings, to authorize the purchase of sites for public buildings, to authorize the erection and completion of public buildings, and for other purposes," approved June sixth, nineteen hundred and two (Thirty-second Statutes at Large, page three hundred and twenty-two), be, and it is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

Providence, R. I.  
New public building  
at.  
Vol. 32, p. 322,  
amended

"When said building is completed and occupied by the United States authorities the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to sell the present post-office, courthouse, and customhouse building and the site thereof, situated at the corner of Weybosset and Custom House Streets, in the City of Providence, and State of Rhode Island, at public auction, after proper advertisement, on such terms as he may deem to be to the best interests of the United States; to execute a quitclaim deed to the purchaser thereof, and to deposit the proceeds of said sale in the Treasury of the United States as a miscellaneous receipt: *Provided,* That said building and site shall not be sold for any sum less than two hundred thousand dollars."

Sale of old building  
at auction.

*Proviso.*  
Minimum price re-  
duced.

Approved, May 20, 1912.

**CHAP. 127.**—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to convey to the city of Uvalde, Texas, a certain strip of land.

May 20, 1912.  
[H. R. 22301.]

[Public, No. 159.]

*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 be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered to convey, by quitclaim deed, to the city of Uvalde, Texas, for street purposes, and for no other purpose, all the right, title, and interest of the United States of America in and to a strip of land off the west and south sides of the Federal building site in said city of sufficient width to provide a ten-foot sidewalk: *Provided,* That the city of Uvalde, Texas, shall construct and maintain said sidewalks the same as other sidewalks in said city are improved and maintained.

Uvalde, Tex.  
Strip of public build-  
ing site granted to.

*Proviso.*  
Sidewalks by city.

Approved, May 20, 1912.

**CHAP. 128.**—An Act To extend the time for the construction of a dam across the Pend Oreille River, Washington.

May 20, 1912.  
[H. R. 22731.]

[Public, No. 160.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the time for the commencement and completion of the construction of a dam across the Pend Oreille River, Washington, authorized by the Act entitled "An Act authorizing the construction of a dam across the Pend Oreille River in the State of Washington by the Pend d'Oreille Development Company, for the development of water power, electrical power, and for other purposes," approved February twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and seven, be extended for one and three years, respectively, from the date of the passage of this Act.

Pend Oreille River,  
Wash.  
Time extended for  
dam by Pend d'Oreille  
Development Com-  
pany across.  
Vol. 34, p. 981,  
amended.

Sec. 2. That the construction, maintenance, and operation of the dam therein authorized by the aforesaid Act shall be in all respects in accordance with and subject to the provisions of the Act approved June twenty-third, nineteen hundred and ten, entitled "An Act to amend an Act entitled 'An Act to regulate the construction of dams

Construction.

Vol. 36, p. 593.