

CHAP. 28.—An Act Authorizing Beaufort and Saint Helena Townships, Beaufort County, South Carolina, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across Beaufort River, in Beaufort County, South Carolina.

October 6, 1913.
[H. R. 7472.]

[Public, No. 28.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Beaufort and Saint Helena Townships, Beaufort County, South Carolina, their successors, and assigns, be, and are hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto at a point suitable to the interests of navigation across Beaufort River, in Beaufort County, State of South Carolina, in accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

Beaufort River,
Beaufort and Saint
Helena Townships,
S. C., may bridge, in
Beaufort County.
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SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Amendment.

Approved, October 6, 1913.

CHAP. 29.—An Act To increase the limit of cost of the United States post-office building at Beloit, Kansas.

October 6, 1913.
[H. R. 7596.]

[Public, No. 29.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the limit of cost of the United States post-office building at Beloit, Kansas, be, and the same is hereby, increased \$8,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to meet the additional cost of construction of said building by the substitution of stone for trimmings instead of terra cotta and wood as specified in the existing contract.

Beloit, Kans.
Limit of cost in-
creased, public build-
ing at.
Vol. 32, p. 681,
amended.

Approved, October 6, 1913.

CHAP. 30.—An Act To increase the limit of cost of the public building at Augusta, Georgia.

October 6, 1913.
[H. R. 7875.]

[Public, No. 30.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the limit of cost of the public building at Augusta, Georgia, provided for under Act of June twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and ten, is hereby increased from \$250,000 to \$325,000.

Augusta, Ga.
Limit of cost in-
creased, public build-
ing at.
Vol. 36, p. 695,
amended.

Approved, October 6, 1913.

CHAP. 31.—An Act Authorizing the construction of a bridge across White River at Newport, Arkansas.

October 7, 1913.
[H. R. 5891.]

[Public, No. 31.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That S. Heinemann, his associates and assigns, be, and they are hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across White River at or near Newport, Jackson County, Arkansas, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, in the State of Arkansas, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

White River,
S. Heinemann, may
bridge, at Newport,
Ark.

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SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Amendment.

Approved, October 7, 1913.

October 22, 1913.

[H. R. 7898.]

[Public, No. 32.]

Urgent deficiencies
appropriations.

CHAP. 32.—An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and thirteen, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and thirteen, and for other purposes, namely:

Botanic Garden.

BOTANIC GARDEN.

Assistants and labor-
ers.

For assistants and laborers, under the direction of the Joint Committee on the Library, \$630.21.

Repairs and improve-
ments.

For procuring manure, soil, tools, fuel, purchasing trees, shrubs, plants, and seeds; and for services, materials, and miscellaneous supplies, and contingent expenses in connection with repairs and improvements to Botanic Gardens, under direction of the Joint Committee on the Library, \$276.44.

General repairs.

For general repairs to buildings, heating apparatus, painting, glazing, repairs to footwalks and roadways, general repairs to packing sheds, storerooms, and stables, under the direction of the Joint Committee on the Library, \$324.44.

Civil Service Com-
mission.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Examination of
fourth-class postmas-
ters.

Examination of fourth-class postmasters: For necessary additional office employees, printing, stationery, travel, contingent, and other necessary expenses of examinations, \$30,000; field examiners at the rate of \$1,500 per annum each, for work in connection with members of local boards and other necessary work as directed by the commission, \$9,000; in all, \$39,000, to be available during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen: *Provided*, That hereafter any deputy collector of internal revenue or deputy marshal who may be required by law or by authority or direction of the collector of internal revenue or the United States marshal to execute a bond to the collector of internal revenue or United States marshal to secure faithful performance of official duty may be appointed by the said collector or marshal, who may require such bond without regard to the provisions of an Act of Congress entitled "An Act to regulate and improve the civil service of the United States," approved January sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, and amendments thereto, or any rule or regulation made in pursuance thereof, and the officer requiring said bond shall have power to revoke the appointment of any subordinate officer or employee and appoint his successor at his discretion without regard to the Act, amendments, rules, or regulations aforesaid.

Provided.
Collectors of internal
revenue and marshals
may appoint bonded
deputies without re-
gard to civil service
provisions.

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Control of appoint-
ing officer.

Department of State.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

Suppressing opium
evil.

International investigation of the opium evil: To meet expenses incurred and incidental to and in continuity of efforts to stamp out the opium evil through the final international opium conference at The Hague, \$1,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mexican disturb-
ances.
Relief of destitute
Americans from.
Post, p. 239.

RELIEF AND TRANSPORTATION OF DESTITUTE AMERICAN CITIZENS IN MEXICO: For relief of destitute American citizens in Mexico, including transportation to their homes in the United States, to be expended under the direction and within the discretion of the Secretary of State, to be available during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, \$100,000. Authority is granted to reimburse from this appropriation the appropriation for "Emergencies arising in the Diplomatic and Consular Service" for such sums as shall have been expended for relief purposes in Mexico from said appropriation for "Emergencies."

Emergencies fund re-
imbursed.