

Purposes declared.

The land to be acquired by the United States under this Act shall be used by the Department of Commerce in maintaining air-navigation facilities. If at any time this land or any portion thereof should not be needed for such purpose the Secretary of the Interior shall, upon advice to that effect by the Secretary of Commerce, restore said land or such portion to the public domain for disposition under applicable law.

Approved, June 11, 1932.

[CHAPTER 245.]

AN ACT

June 13, 1932.
[H. R. 7123.]
[Public, No. 171.]

To amend the Act of March 2, 1917 (39 Stat. 983; U. S. Code, title 25, sec. 242):

Osage County, Okla.
Manufacture and
sale of alcohol in.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act of March 2, 1917 (39 Stat. 983; U. S. Code, title 25, sec. 242), declaring all of Osage County, Oklahoma, to be Indian country within the meaning of the Acts of Congress making it unlawful to introduce intoxicating liquors in the Indian country, shall be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding the following thereto: "Except that the manufacture and sale of industrial and beverage alcohol for lawful purposes shall be permitted in said Osage County, in accordance with the laws of the United States pertaining to the regulation of such industry."

Vol. 39, p. 983; U. S.
C., p. 705, amended.

Approved, June 13, 1932.

[CHAPTER 246.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

June 13, 1932.
[H. J. Res. 429.]
[Pub. Res. No. 25.]

To amend section 625 (a) of the Revenue Act of 1932:

Revenue Act of 1932,
amendment.

Tax exemption of
certain contracts, prior
to May 1, 1932, modi-
fied.

Ante, p. 269.
Deliveries under con-
tract before June 21,
1932.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 625 (a) of the Revenue Act of 1932 is amended by striking out the words "or with any person other than a dealer", and by adding at the end thereof a new sentence as follows: "If any article has, under a contract of the character above described, been delivered, prior to June 21, 1932, to any person (other than a dealer or other than a person intending to use the article as material in the manufacture or production of another article, or to sell it on or in connection with, or with the sale of, another article), no tax shall be collected under this title."

Approved, June 13, 1932.

[CHAPTER 247.]

AN ACT

June 14, 1932.
[S. 1768.]
[Public, No. 172.]

To provide for the opening and closing of roads within the boundaries of the District of Columbia workhouse property at Occoquan, Fairfax County, Virginia.

District of Columbia
workhouse property,
Occoquan, Va.
Conveyance to Vir-
ginia, etc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized to convey to the State of Virginia, or to the county of Fairfax in said State, a strip of land fifty feet wide to be used as a public thoroughfare running southerly for a distance of approximately one thousand seven hundred feet from the Fairfax Courthouse Road to the Telegraph Road in Fairfax County, Virginia, as shown on

map numbered 1595, filed in the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia: *Provided*, That the State of Virginia, or the county of Fairfax in said State, shall convey to the District of Columbia for private use as part of the workhouse property a portion of Telegraph Road running southwesterly for a distance of approximately nine hundred feet from the Fairfax Courthouse Road to the fifty-foot strip herein authorized to be conveyed by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, as shown on map numbered 1595, filed in the office of the Surveyor of the District of Columbia.

Proviso.
Conveyance in exchange.

Approved, June 14, 1932.

[CHAPTER 248.]

AN ACT

To authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to close certain alleys and to set aside land owned by the District of Columbia for alley purposes.

June 14, 1932.
[S. 3929.]
[Public, No. 173.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized to close the alley in square 2740, abutting lots 9 to 14, both inclusive, and extending east from the sixteen-foot alley in said square; to close the alleys in square 3268 extending south from Sheridan Street to the twenty-foot alley running east and west through said square, and to close all that portion of the alley ten feet wide in square 4541 abutting lots 803 and 804, and extending northerly from Rosedale Street to the ten-foot alley running east and west in said square, the District of Columbia being the owner of all the property abutting on said alleys herein authorized to be closed in said squares 2740, 3268, and 4541; and the said commissioners are further authorized to close any alleys or parts of alleys in the District of Columbia when, in their judgment, such alleys, or parts of alleys, are rendered useless and unnecessary by reason of the acquisition of abutting land for municipal purposes: *Provided*, That the District of Columbia, prior to the closing of any such alley or part of alley, has acquired title to all the land abutting on the alley or part of alley proposed to be closed: *Provided further*, That the title to the land comprised in the alleys or parts of alleys so closed shall revert to the District of Columbia: *And provided further*, That no property owner within the block where such alleys or parts of alleys are closed shall be deprived of the right of access to his property by alleys or parts of alleys, unless adequate access to such property be substituted therefor.

District of Columbia.
Closing certain alleys in, authorized.

Provisos.
Acquisition of all abutting land required.

Title to alleys to revert to the District.

Right of access.

Authority conferred to set aside any District owned land for alley purposes, when necessary.

Proviso.
Area limited.

Public notice to be given.

Provisos.
Time provision.

SEC. 2. The Commissioners of the District of Columbia are hereby further authorized to set aside for alley purposes any land owned by the District of Columbia whenever it becomes necessary to provide additional area for alleys by reason of the closing of any alley or part of any alley: *Provided*, That in each case the area set aside for alley purposes shall not exceed the area of the alley or part of alley closed.

SEC. 3. The Commissioners of the District of Columbia shall cause public notice to be given, by advertisement in a newspaper of general circulation in the District of Columbia, of any order to be made by the said commissioners under the authority granted them by the provisions of this Act: *Provided*, That such public notice shall be given not less than thirty days prior to the effective date of such order: *And provided further*, That if any interested prop-