

[CHAPTER 249]

AN ACT

May 24, 1937
[H. R. 3135]
[Public, No. 107]

For the exchange of land in Hudson Falls, New York, for the purpose of the post-office site.

Hudson Falls, N. Y.
Exchange of land
for post-office site au-
thorized.

Description.

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 to convey to the owner of the land abutting the easterly side of the post-office site at Hudson Falls, New York, the following-described piece or parcel of land forming a part of said post-office site:

Lying and being in the city of Hudson Falls, county of Washington, State of New York, and described as follows: Beginning at a point in the northerly side of Pearl Street distant eastwardly one hundred and forty-five feet from the intersection of the easterly side of Main Street with the northerly side of Pearl Street, said point being the southeast corner of the present post-office site; running thence along the northerly side of Pearl Street, south eighty-one degrees fifty-seven minutes west a distance of ten feet to a point; thence north five degrees forty-eight minutes west a distance of thirty-six and sixty-seven one-hundredths feet to a point in the westerly side of lands now or formerly of D. S. Griffin; thence along lands of said Griffin south twenty-one degrees twelve minutes east a distance of thirty-seven and sixty-two one-hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning; in consideration of the conveyance to the United States of the following-described piece or parcel of land as an addition to the said post-office site:

Lying and being in the city of Hudson Falls, county of Washington, State of New York, and described as follows: Beginning at a point eighty-five feet north and one hundred and forty-five feet east of the intersection of the easterly side of Main Street with the northerly side of Pearl Street, said point being the northeast corner of the present post-office site; running thence north eighty-one degrees fifty-seven minutes east a distance of twelve and fifty-nine one-hundredths feet to a point; thence south five degrees forty-eight minutes east a distance of forty-six and eighteen one-hundredths feet to a point in the easterly side of the present post-office site; thence along the easterly side of said post-office site north twenty-one degrees twelve minutes west a distance of forty-seven and thirty-eight one-hundredths feet to the point or place of beginning.

Approved, May 24, 1937.

[CHAPTER 252]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Designating May 28, 1937, National Aviation Day.

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National Aviation
Day.
President author-
ized to issue procla-
mation designating
May 28, 1937, as.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States is authorized to designate May 28, 1937, as National Aviation Day, and to issue a proclamation calling upon officials of the Government to display the flag of the United States on all Government buildings on that day, and inviting the people of the United States to observe the day with appropriate exercises to further and stimulate interest in aviation in the United States.

Approved, May 25, 1937.

[CHAPTER 253]

AN ACT

For the relief of soldiers who were discharged from the Army during the Spanish-American War, the Philippine Insurrection, and the Boxer Uprising because of minority or misrepresentation of age.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in the administration of any laws conferring rights, privileges, or benefits upon honorably discharged soldiers of the United States Army, their widows and dependent children, a soldier who was enlisted between April 21, 1898, and July 4, 1902, both dates inclusive, and who was discharged for fraudulent enlistment on account of minority or misrepresentation of age, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been discharged honorably from the military service on the date of his actual separation therefrom, if his service otherwise was such as would have entitled him to an honorable discharge: *Provided,* That no back pay or allowance shall accrue by reason of the passage of this Act: *Provided further,* That in all such cases the War Department shall, upon request, grant to such men or their widows a discharge certificate showing that the soldiers are held and considered to have been honorably discharged under the provisions of this Act.

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Army.
Soldiers discharged during Spanish-American War, etc., because of minority or age misrepresentation deemed honorably discharged.

Proviso.
No back pay, etc.

Issuance of discharge certificate.

[CHAPTER 254]

AN ACT

Authorizing the conveyance to the State of Virginia, for highway purposes only, of portions of the Fort Myer Military Reservation, Virginia, 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 Secretary of War is hereby authorized to convey to the State of Virginia, for highway purposes only, upon such terms and conditions as he may prescribe, all right, title, and interest of the United States of America in and to that portion of the Fort Myer Military Reservation, Arlington County, Virginia, and that section of the military road connecting the said reservation with Key Bridge, over which the State of Virginia was granted permission to extend a State highway known as the Lee Memorial Boulevard by instrument dated July 1, 1936: *Provided,* That the Secretary of War is authorized to make such deviations in the descriptions of the lands involved as may be necessary to carry out the purposes and intent of this Act.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of War is hereby further authorized, upon such terms and conditions as he may consider advisable, to sell or otherwise dispose of that portion of the Fort Myer Military Reservation comprising the northwest corner thereof, containing approximately two and two-tenths acres, which will be separated from the main body of said reservation by the conveyance to the State of Virginia of one of the parcels referred to in section 1 hereof.

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Virginia.
Conveyance of portion of Fort Myer Military Reservation to, for highway purposes.

Proviso.
Deviations in descriptions permitted.

Disposition of certain detached portion.