

service shall be granted the same rights and benefits with respect to annual and sick leave that accrue to regular employees in proportion to the time actually employed.

Sick leave; disqualifications.

"SEC. 2. No substitute shall be entitled to sick leave for an illness or disability incurred at a time when such substitute is on leave of absence, granted at his own request, other than annual leave, or when such substitute is not available for duty."

Approved, April 30, 1940.

[CHAPTER 166]

AN ACT

April 30, 1940
[H. R. 8320]
[Public, No. 493]

To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River near Jefferson Barracks, Missouri.

Mississippi River.
Time extended for
bridging, near Jefferson
Barracks, Mo.
53 Stat. 1257.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River near Jefferson Barracks, Missouri, authorized to be built by the county of Saint Louis, State of Missouri, by an Act of Congress approved August 7, 1939, is hereby extended one and three years, respectively, from August 7, 1940.

Amendment.

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

Approved, April 30, 1940.

[CHAPTER 167]

AN ACT

April 30, 1940
[H. R. 8397]
[Public, No. 494]

To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge or bridges across the Saint Louis River at or near the city of Duluth, Minnesota, and the city of Superior, Wisconsin, and to amend the Act of August 7, 1939, and for other purposes.

Saint Louis River.
Time extended for
bridging, at Duluth,
Minn.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge and approaches thereto across the Saint Louis River, at or near the city of Duluth, Minnesota, and the city of Superior, Wisconsin, authorized to be constructed by the city of Duluth by an Act of Congress approved August 7, 1939, is hereby extended one year from August 7, 1940, and three years from August 7, 1940, respectively.

53 Stat. 1258.

Bonds, form and
maturity.
53 Stat. 1259.

SEC. 2. The second sentence of section 3 of said Act approved August 7, 1939, is hereby amended to read: "All such bonds shall be in a form not inconsistent with this Act and shall mature at such time or times as the city may determine, not exceeding twenty years from August 7, 1940."

Amendment.

SEC. 3. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, April 30, 1940.

[CHAPTER 168]

AN ACT

April 30, 1940
[H. R. 8398]
[Public, No. 495]

Amending Acts extending the franking privilege to widows of ex-Presidents of the United States.

Franking privilege
to widows of ex-Presi-
dents of U. S.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Acts of February 1, 1909 (ch. 55, 35 Stat. 591), October 27, 1919 (ch. 84, 41 Stat. 1449), March 4, 1924 (ch. 45, 43 Stat. 1359), June 14, 1930