

United States, and any officer of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps or Revenue-Cutter Service, detailed to conduct an investigation, and the recorder, and if there be none the presiding officer, of any military, naval, or Revenue-Cutter Service board appointed for such purpose, shall have authority to administer an oath to any witness attending to testify or depose in the course of such investigation."

Approved, February 13, 1911.

Army, Navy, etc.,  
added.

**CHAP. 44.**—An Act To provide for the erection of a monument to commemorate the battle of Guilford Court House, North Carolina, and in memory of Major-General Nathanael Greene and the officers and soldiers of the Continental Army who participated with him in the battle of Guilford Court House, North Carolina.

February 13, 1911.  
[S. 5879.]

[Public, No. 348.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the sum of thirty thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the erection of a monument on the battlefield of Guilford Court House, in Guilford County, North Carolina, to commemorate the great victory won there on March fifteenth, seventeen hundred and eighty-one, by the American forces, commanded by Major-General Nathanael Greene, and in memory of Major-General Nathanael Greene and the officers and soldiers of the Continental Army who participated in the battle of Guilford Court House: *Provided,* That the money authorized to be appropriated as aforesaid shall be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, and the plans, specifications, and designs for such monument shall be first approved by the Secretary of War, with the assistance of the officers of the Guilford Battle Ground Company, before any money so authorized to be appropriated is expended: *And provided further,* That the site for said monument within the limits of said battlefield of Guilford Court House shall be selected by the Secretary of War and donated free of cost to the United States: *And provided further,* That when said monument is erected the responsibility for the care and keeping of the same shall be and remain with the Guilford Battle Ground Company, it being expressly understood that the United States shall have no responsibility therefor; and it being further understood that said Guilford Battle Ground Company shall provide for the public use an open highway thereto.

Guilford Court  
House, N. C.

Appropriation au-  
thorized for battle-  
field memorial monu-  
ment,  
Post, p. 1402.

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Approval of plans.

Donation of site.

Future care.

Approved, February 13, 1911.

**CHAP. 45.**—An Act For the relief of John M. Blankenship.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint John M. Blankenship an ensign in the United States Navy on the retired list.

Approved, February 13, 1911.

February 13, 1911.  
[S. 5873.]

[Public, No. 349.]

Navy.  
John M. Blanken-  
ship may be appointed  
ensign, retired.

**CHAP. 46.**—An Act To provide for the lading or unlading of vessels at night, the preliminary entry of vessels, and for other purposes.

February 13, 1911.  
[S. 6011.]

[Public, No. 350.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

**SECTION 1.** That upon arrival at any port in the United States of any vessel or other conveyance from a foreign port or place, either directly or by way of another port in the United States, or upon such arrival from another port in the United States of any vessel or other

Customs.  
Lading and unlading  
vessels, etc., at  
night.  
Special license for.  
Vol. 34, p. 633.