and operate a temporary bridge and approaches thereto, across the Mississippi River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation at or near the point where Jackson Street, in said city of Saint Paul, crosses the Mississippi River in the county of Ramsey, in the State of Minnesota, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906: Provided, That all parts of the said temporary bridge shall be removed from the water-way within one year from the date that the new Robert Street Bridge, authorized by Act of Congress approved January 31, 1923, is opened to traffic.

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

Approved, May 26, 1924.

Chap. 198.—An Act Granting the consent of Congress to the city of Chicago to construct a bridge across the Calumet River at or near One hundredth Street, in the city of Chicago, County of Cook, State of Illinois.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent of Congress is hereby granted to the city of Chicago, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of Illinois, and its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Calumet River, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, at or near One hundredth Street, in the city of Chicago, in the county of Cook, in the State of Illinois, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906.

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

Approved, May 26, 1924.

Chap. 199.—An Act To fix the salaries of officers and members of the Metropolitan police force, the United States park police force, and the fire department of the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the annual basic salaries of the officers and members of the Metropolitan police force shall be as follows: Major and superintendent, $5,200; assistant superintendents, $3,500 each; inspectors, $3,250 each: Provided, That the inspector assigned to the supervision and command of the detective bureau shall during the period of such assignment be rated as and shall receive the pay of an assistant superintendent; captains, $3,000 each; lieutenants, $2,700 each: Provided, That the lieutenant assigned as assistant to the inspector commanding the detective bureau, shall during the period of such assignment hold the rank and pay of a captain; sergeants, $2,400 each; privates of class 3, $2,100 each; privates of class 2, $1,900 each; privates of class 1, $1,800 each. Driver-privates shall have the same rank and pay as privates of the above classes. Members of said police force who may be mounted on horses, furnished and maintained by themselves, shall each receive an extra compensation of $450 per annum; members of said force who may be called upon to use motor vehicles, furnished and maintained by themselves, shall each receive an extra compensation of $480 per annum; members
of said force detailed to detective headquarters in the prevention and detection of crime shall each receive extra compensation of $600 per annum; members of said force who may be mounted on bicycles shall each receive an extra compensation of $70 per annum; members of said force detailed for special service in the various precincts in the prevention and detection of crime shall each receive an extra compensation of $240 per annum; and members detailed to the motor-cycle service shall each receive an extra compensation of $120 per annum.

SEC. 2. That the annual basic salaries of the officers and members of the fire department of the District of Columbia shall be as follows: Chief engineer, $5,200; deputy chief engineers, $3,500 each; battalion chief engineers, $3,050 each; fire marshal, $3,250; deputy fire marshal, $2,500; inspectors, $2,160 each; captains, $2,500 each; lieutenants, $2,350 each; sergeants, $2,200 each; superintendent of machinery, $3,250; assistant superintendent of machinery, $2,500; pilots, $2,250 each; marine engineers, $2,250 each; assistant marine engineers, $2,150 each; marine fireman, $1,800 each; privates of class 3, $2,100 each; privates of class 2, $1,900 each; privates of class 1, $1,800 each.

SEC. 3. That in lieu of Sunday there shall be granted to the Metropolitan police and to each officer and member of the fire department of the District of Columbia one day off out of each week of seven days, which shall be in addition to his annual leave and sick leave now allowed by law: Provided, however, That whenever the Commissioners of the District of Columbia declare that an emergency exists of such a character as to require the continuous service of all the members of the Metropolitan police force and the members of the fire department, the major and superintendent of police and the chief engineer of the fire department shall have authority, and it shall be their duty, to suspend and discontinue the granting of the said one day off in seven during the continuation of such emergency.

UNITED STATES PARK POLICE.

SEC. 4. That the United States park police shall be under the exclusive charge and control of the officer in charge of public buildings and grounds, under the general direction of the Chief of Engineers, United States Army. It shall consist of an active officer of the United States Army, detailed by the War Department, one lieutenant with grade corresponding to that of lieutenant (Metropolitan police), one first sergeant, five sergeants with grade corresponding to that of sergeant (Metropolitan police), and fifty-four privates, all of whom shall have served three years to be with grade corresponding to private, class 3 (Metropolitan police); all of whom shall have served one year to be with grade corresponding to private, class 2 (Metropolitan police); and all of whom shall have served less than one year to be with grade corresponding to private, class 1 (Metropolitan police).

SEC. 5. That the annual salaries of the members of the United States park police force shall be as follows: Lieutenant, $2,700; first sergeant, $2,400; sergeants, $2,300 each; privates, class 3, $2,000 each; privates, class 2, $1,800 each; privates, class 1, $1,700 each.

SEC. 6. That the members of the United States park police force shall be furnished with uniforms, means of transportation, and such other equipment as may be necessary for the proper performance of their duties, including badges, revolvers, and ammunition; the United States Army officer detailed as superintendent of the United States park police, who shall use on official business motor transportation furnished and maintained by himself, shall receive
an extra compensation of not to exceed $480 per annum. Members
detailed to motor-cycle service shall each receive an extra compensa-
tion of $120 per annum.

Sect. 7. That under and in accordance with section 12 of the Act
entitled "An Act making appropriations to provide for the expenses
of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year
ending June 30, 1917, and for other purposes," approved September
1, 1916, as amended, members of the United States park police force
shall be entitled to all the benefits of relief and retirement therein
authorized upon the payment by each member into the policemen
and firemen's relief fund, District of Columbia, of an amount equal
to 1½ per centum of the total basic salary received by him since
September 1, 1916, as a member of such United States park police
force, and as a watchman of the United States in any public square
or reservation in the District of Columbia: Provided, That a mem-
ber of the United States park police force, to be designated by the
officer in charge of public buildings and grounds, shall be a mem-
ber of the police and firemen's retirement and relief board in all
cases of relief and retirement of members of the United States park
police force and of the White House police force: Provided further,
That on and after July 1, 1924, appropriations to pay relief and
other allowances authorized by said section 12 of the Act of Sep-
tember 1, 1916, shall be paid 60 per centum from the revenues of the
District of Columbia and 40 per centum from the revenues of the
United States: And provided further, That on and after July 1,
1924, the rate of deduction from the monthly salary of members of
the Metropolitan police force, United States Park police, and the
White House police force shall be 2½ per centum: And provided
further, That such monthly deductions and other moneys now
authorized by law to be credited to the policemen and firemen's
relief fund shall continue to be so credited.

Sect. 8. That the refund provided for in section 11 of the Act
entitled "An Act for the retirement of employees in the classified
civil service, and for other purposes," approved May 22, 1920, as
amended, shall be paid to all members of the United States park
police force, who, on the date on which the provisions of this Act
become effective are entitled to such refund, by reason of contribu-
tions previously made by them to the civil service retirement fund.

Sect. 9. That the officer in charge of public buildings and grounds,
in his discretion, may appoint special policemen, without compensa-
tion, for duty in connection with the policing of the public parks
and other reservations under his jurisdiction within the District of
Columbia, such special policemen to have the same powers and per-
form the same duties as the United States park police and the Metro-
politan police of said District of Columbia, and to be subject to
such regulations as the Chief of Engineers may prescribe: Provided,
That the jurisdiction and police power of such special policemen
shall be restricted to the public parks and other reservations under
the control of the officer in charge of public buildings and grounds.

Sect. 10. That the salaries herein provided for shall be payable
on and after July 1, 1924.

Approved, May 27, 1924.