to its award has been transferred, through the acquisition of stock interests or other transactions, to the ownership or control of a refinery ineligible for a preference under said Act of July 13, 1946, and the regulations in force thereunder at the time of such transfer.

Sec. 3. The Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized under general rules and regulations to be prescribed by him to issue leases or permits for the exploration, development, and utilization of the mineral deposits, other than those subject to the provisions of the Act of August 7, 1947 (61 Stat. 913), in those lands added to the Shasta National Forest by the Act of March 19, 1948 (Public Law 449, Eightieth Congress), which were acquired with funds of the United States or lands received in exchange therefor: Provided, That any permit or lease of such deposits in lands administered by the Secretary of Agriculture shall be issued only with his consent and subject to such conditions as he may prescribe to insure the adequate utilization of the lands for the purposes set forth in the Act of March 19, 1948: And provided further, That all receipts derived from leases or permits issued under the authority of this Act shall be paid into the same funds or accounts in the Treasury and shall be distributed in the same manner as prescribed for other receipts from the lands affected by the lease or permit, the intention of this provision being that this Act shall not affect the distribution of receipts pursuant to legislation applicable to such lands.

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[CHAPTER 530]

AN ACT

To authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to convey certain lands and to lease certain other land to Milwaukee County, Wisconsin.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs is authorized and directed to (1) convey by quitclaim deed the lands described in section 2 of this Act as parcels I and II, part of the lands of the Veterans' Administration center at Wood, Wisconsin; and (2) lease for a period of twenty years the land described in section 2 of this Act as parcel III, also part of the lands of such Veterans' Administration center, to Milwaukee County, a municipal subdivision of the State of Wisconsin: Provided, That Milwaukee County pay one-half the appraised market value of parcels I and II, and a fair yearly rental for parcel III, as determined by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs.

Sec. 2. The parcels of land referred to in the first section of this Act, all of which are located in Milwaukee County, Wisconsin, are described as follows:

Parcel I. That tract of land located in the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of section 35, township 7 north, range 21 east, and described, in general, as follows: Beginning at a point where the east line of South Harnischfeger Avenue crosses the south line of the Chicago, Milwaukee, Saint Paul and Pacific Railroad Company right-of-way; running thence south on the east line of South Harnischfeger Avenue to the north line of West National Avenue; thence southwesterly along the north line of West National Avenue a distance of approximately six hundred and ten feet; thence northerly and parallel to the east line of South Harnischfeger Avenue a distance of three hundred feet, more or less; thence northeasterly and parallel to the north line of West National Avenue to a point of curvature of a curve; thence along the arc of the curve the radius of which is two hundred and thirty-three feet, to a point which is two hundred feet west of the east line of South Harnischfeger Avenue; thence northerly...
on a line parallel to and two hundred feet west of the easterly line
of South Harnischfeger Avenue to the south line of the Chicago,
Milwaukee, Saint Paul and Pacific Railroad Company right-of-way;
thence easterly along the south line of said railroad right-of-way to
the point of beginning, excepting therefrom that part of South
Harnischfeger Avenue previously dedicated for street purposes.

Parcel II. That tract of land located in the northeast quarter of
section 35, township 7 north, range 21 east, and described, in general,
as follows: Beginning at the intersection of the east line of Forty-
fourth Street and the north line of section 35 and running thence west
along the north line of section 35 to the northwest corner of the north-
east quarter of section 35; thence south along the west line of the north-
east quarter of section 35 a distance of four hundred feet, more or less;
thence east on a line parallel to and four hundred feet south of the north
line of the northeast quarter of section 35 a distance of three hundred
and seventy feet, more or less, to a point; thence south thirty degrees
east five hundred and forty feet; thence south forty-eight degrees east
three hundred and sixty feet, more or less, to the north edge of
Chrysler Road; thence easterly along the northerly line of Chrysler
Road to its point of junction with the easterly line of Red Arrow
Drive; thence southeasterly along the easterly line of Red Arrow
Drive to a point which is three hundred feet northerly of the north
line of the Chicago, Milwaukee, Saint Paul and Pacific Railroad right-
of-way, measured at right angles to said right-of-way; thence south-
easterly parallel to and three hundred feet northerly of the said
right-of-way to a point which is six hundred and eighty feet, more or
less, west of the east line of section 35; thence southerly on a line
parallel to the east line of section 35 to the north line of said railroad
right-of-way; thence easterly along the north line of said right-of-way
to the east line of section 35; thence north along the east line of section
35 a distance of seven hundred ninety-eight and thirty-eight one-
hundredths feet, more or less, to a stone in the east line of Forty-fourth
Street; thence northerly along the east line of Forty-fourth Street to
the point of beginning. Excepting, however, the four and sixty-eight
one-thousandths-acre tract of land in the northeasterly corner, now
occupied by the Menominee Valley booster pumping station and
further excepting therefrom the area, if any, dedicated for street
purposes.

Parcel III. That tract of land located in the southwest quarter of
section 26, township 7 north, range 21 east, and the northwest quarter
of section 35, township 7 north, range 21 east, and described, in gen-
eral, as follows: Beginning at the southeast corner of the southwest
quarter of section 26, and running northerly along the east line
of the southwest quarter of section 26 to the south line of West Blue
Mound Road; thence westerly along the south line of West Blue
Mound Road to the east line of The Milwaukee Electric Railway and
Light Company right-of-way; thence southerly along the east line
of said right-of-way to the south line of section 26; thence continuing
south on the same line, extended for a distance of four hundred feet,
more or less; thence easterly on a line parallel to and four hundred
feet south of the south line of section 26, to the west line of the north-
east quarter of section 35; thence north along said line to the point
of beginning.

Sec. 3. The parcels of land authorized to be transferred and leased
by the first section of this Act shall be used by said grantee and lessee
for civic and recreational purposes. The deed of conveyance of such
parcels I and II shall contain the provision that such tracts of land
shall be used for the purposes for which they were conveyed and that,
in the event such tracts cease to be used for such purposes, or in
the event the grantee attempts to alienate all or any part of such
tracts, then title thereto shall, at the option of the United States, revert to the United States. The lease of such parcel III shall contain the provision that such tract of land shall be used for the purposes for which it was leased and that, in the event such tract ceases to be used for such purposes, such lease shall be terminated at the option of the United States. Both such conveyance and such lease shall contain such additional terms, reservations, restrictions, and conditions as may be determined by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to be necessary to safeguard the interests of the United States. The exact legal descriptions of the land to be conveyed and leased under this Act are to be determined by a survey to be made under the supervision of the Veterans’ Administration.

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[CHAPTER 531]

AN ACT
For the relief of Chattooga County, Georgia.

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 is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Chattooga County, Georgia, the sum of $44,637.50. The payment of such sum shall be in full settlement of all claims of the said Chattooga County against the United States for the destruction by fire of the Summerville High School building on February 26, 1943, the second day of a two-day period during which such high school was being used exclusively for conducting a registration for ration books issued by the Federal Government: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agency or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding $1,000.

Approved September 1, 1949.

[CHAPTER 532]

AN ACT
Extending the Institute of Inter-American Affairs.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Institute of Inter-American Affairs, created by Public Law 369, Eightieth Congress, shall have—

(a) succession until June 30, 1955; and

(b) authority, within the limits of funds appropriated or specific contract authorizations hereafter granted to it, to make contracts for periods not to exceed five years and not to extend beyond June 30, 1955, in any case.

Sec. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sums, not to exceed $35,000,000, as may from time to time be necessary to carry on the activities of the Institute during the period ending June 30, 1955, and the appropriations hereby authorized shall be in addition to appropriations pursuant to authorizations granted in Public Law 369, Eightieth Congress.

Approved September 3, 1949.