entitled "An Act to require the registration of certain persons employed by agencies to disseminate propaganda in the United States and for other purposes", approved June 8, 1938, as amended (56 Stat. 248), is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 2. (a) No person shall act as an agent of a foreign principal unless he has filed with the Attorney General a true and complete registration statement and supplements thereto as required by this section 2 (a) and section 2 (b) hereof or unless he is exempt from registration under the provisions of this Act. Except as hereinafter provided, every person who is an agent of a foreign principal on the effective date of this Act shall, within ten days thereafter and every person who becomes an agent of a foreign principal after the effective date of this Act shall, within ten days thereafter, file with the Attorney General, in duplicate, a registration statement, under oath, on a form prescribed by the Attorney General, of which one copy shall be transmitted promptly by the Attorney General to the Secretary of State for such comment, if any, as the Secretary of State may desire to make from the point of view of the foreign relations of the United States. Failure of the Attorney General so to transmit such copy shall not be a bar to prosecution under this Act. The obligation of an agent of a foreign principal to file a registration statement shall, after the tenth day of his becoming or acting as such agent, continue from day to day, and discontinuance of such activity shall not relieve such agent from his obligation to file a registration statement for the period during which he acted within the United States as an agent of a foreign principal. The registration statement shall include the following, which shall be regarded as material for the purposes of this Act:".

Supra.

Sec. 2. Section 7 of such Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 7. Each officer, or person performing the functions of an officer, and each director, or person performing the functions of a director, of an agent of a foreign principal which is not an individual shall be under obligation to cause such agent to execute and file a registration statement and supplements thereto as and when such filing is required under sections 2 (a) and 2 (b) hereof and shall also be under obligation to cause such agent to comply with all the requirements of sections 4 (a), 4 (b), and 5 and all other requirements of this Act. Dissolution of any organization acting as an agent of a foreign principal shall not relieve any officer, or person performing the functions of an officer, or any director, or person performing the functions of a director, from complying with the provisions of this section. In case of failure of any such agent of a foreign principal to comply with any of the requirements of this Act, each of its officers, or persons performing the functions of officers, and each of its directors, or persons performing the functions of directors, shall be subject to prosecution therefor.".

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[CHAPTER 525]

AN ACT

To provide for the construction, development, administration, and maintenance of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway in the State of Maryland and its extension into the District of Columbia as a part of the park system of the District of Columbia and its environs by the Secretary of the Interior, and other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all lands and easements heretofore or hereafter acquired by the United States for the right-of-way for the parkway which is being constructed by the
Bureau of Public Roads between Anacostia Park in the District of Columbia and the northern boundary of Fort Meade in the State of Maryland, the extension of said parkway into the District of Columbia over park lands to the intersection of New York Avenue extended with the boundary of Anacostia Park, and including any lands required for additional connections to the Maryland road system all of which shall be regarded as an extension of the park system of the District of Columbia and its environs, to be known as the Baltimore-Washington Parkway and it shall be constructed, developed, administered, and maintained by the Secretary of the Interior, through the National Park Service, subject to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved August 25, 1916 (39 Stat. 535), the provisions of which Act, as amended and supplemented, are hereby extended over and made applicable to said parkway, insofar as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of this Act.

Sec. 2. The parkway shall be constructed, developed, operated, and administered as a limited access road primarily to provide a protected, safe, and suitable approach for passenger-vehicle traffic to the National Capital and for an additional means of access between the several Federal establishments adjacent thereto and the seat of government in the District of Columbia. To avoid impairment of this purpose, the Secretary of the Interior, with the concurrence of the Secretary of Commerce, shall control the location, limit the number of access points, and regulate the use of said parkway by various classes or types of vehicles or traffic.

Sec. 3. The Secretary of the Interior in his administration of this parkway is authorized, in his discretion, to accept from private owners, State and local governments, lands, rights-of-way over lands, or other interests in lands adjacent to such parkway, and also to accept the transfer of jurisdiction to the Department of the Interior of adjacent lands for park and recreational purposes from any Federal agency or department, without reimbursement to such Federal agency or department having jurisdiction thereof, when such transfer is mutually agreed upon by the Secretary and such department or agency; and such transfer of jurisdiction by any such department or agency of the Federal Government in possession of such lands is hereby authorized. Notwithstanding the provisions of any other law, the lands required for said parkway within the suburban resettlement project known as Greenbelt, Maryland, as surveyed by the Bureau of Public Roads and shown on plats AOV-WBP-3 and AOV-WBP-4 prepared by said Bureau and dated July 10, 1946, and within the Agricultural Research Center at Beltsville, Maryland, as surveyed by the Bureau of Public Roads and shown on plat SOM-WB-10 prepared by said Bureau and dated June 22, 1944, are hereby transferred, without reimbursement, to the administrative jurisdiction and control of the Department of the Interior, for the purposes of this Act, subject to such terms and conditions as may be agreed upon by the Public Housing Administration and the Department of Agriculture, respectively, with the Department of the Interior and the Bureau of Public Roads.

Sec. 4. The Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to accept, on behalf of the United States, title to any lands, rights-of-way, or easements over lands owned by the State of Maryland which may be offered by the Governor of Maryland for the proper development and administration of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway in accordance with the provisions of the laws of Maryland, chapter 644, approved May 6, 1943, and subject to such conditions respecting control and jurisdiction as may be mutually agreed upon by the designated agencies of the United States and the State of Maryland whenever


Limited access road.

Acceptance of lands, etc.
Sec. 5. Except as provided in section 6, the money appropriated for parkways administered by the National Park Service by the Department of the Interior Appropriation Act each fiscal year shall be available for expenditure for continuing the construction, development, maintenance, and policing of the Baltimore-Washington Parkway.

Sec. 6. The cost of construction of the parkway shall not exceed the additional sum of $13,000,000.

Approved August 3, 1950.

[CHAPTER 526]  
AN ACT
To amend an Act fixing the price of copies of records furnished by the Department of the Interior.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 1 of the Act of August 24, 1912, as amended (37 Stat. 497; 5 U.S.C., sec. 488), is hereby further amended to read as follows:

"The Secretary of the Interior, or any of the officers of that Department may, when, not prejudicial to the interests of the Government, furnish authenticated or unauthenticated copies of any official books, records, papers, documents, maps, plats, or diagrams within his custody, and may charge therefor a sum equal to the cost of production thereof, plus the cost of administrative services involved in handling the records for such purpose, as these costs may be determined by the Secretary of the Interior or such subordinate officials or employees as he may designate, and in addition the sum of 25 cents for each certificate of verification and the seal attached to authenticated copies. There shall be no charge for the making or verification of copies required for official use by the officers of any branch of the Government. Only a charge of 25 cents shall be made for furnishing authenticated copies of any rules, regulations, or instructions printed by the Government for gratuitous distribution. The money received for copies under this section shall be deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the appropriations then current and chargeable for the cost of furnishing copies as herein authorized."

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[CHAPTER 527]  
AN ACT
To provide that payments to States under the Oil Land Leasing Act of 1920 shall be made biannually.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 35 of the Act entitled "An Act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 28, 1920, as amended (30 U.S.C., sec. 191), is hereby amended by striking out "after the expiration of each fiscal year" and inserting in lieu thereof "as soon as practicable after December 31 and June 30 of each year".

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