"School-age population."

(15) The terms "Commissioner of Education" and "Commissioner" mean the United States Commissioner of Education.

(16) For the purposes of title I, the term "school-age population" means that part of the population which is between the ages of five and seventeen, both inclusive, and the school-age population of the several States shall be determined on the basis of the most recent estimates certified by the Department of Commerce; and for such purposes the term "school" means any elementary or secondary school which is tax-supported and publicly administered.

Approved September 23, 1950.

[CHAPTER 996] AN ACT

To amend title 14, United States Code, so as to equalize pay and retirement benefits of a certain class of commissioned officers of the Coast Guard.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That title 14, United States Code, is amended by inserting the following new section immediately following section 433 thereof:

"434. Personnel appointed as constructors.

"In computing length of service of a person commissioned under the provisions of section 8 of the Act entitled 'An Act to readjust the commissioned personnel of the Coast Guard, and for other purposes', approved July 3, 1926 (44 Stat. 817), there shall be included, in addition to all service now or hereafter creditable by law, for all purposes of retirement, all services as a civilian employee of the United States within the purview of sections 691, 693, 698, 707, 709-715, 716-719, 720-725, 727-729, 730, 731, and 733 of title 5; and for all purposes of pay, so much of such service as was rendered as a civilian employee in the Coast Guard. Service covering the same period shall not be counted more than once."

Approved September 23, 1950.

[CHAPTER 997] AN ACT

To amend the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, as amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 8 (a), as amended, of the Soil Conservation and Domestic Allotment Act, is amended (a) by striking out "January 1, 1951" wherever it appears therein and inserting in lieu thereof "January 1, 1953", and (b) by striking out "December 31, 1950" and inserting in lieu thereof "December 31, 1952".

Approved September 23, 1950.

[CHAPTER 998] AN ACT

To amend the Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946, as amended, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3 (b) of the Armed Forces Leave Act of 1946 (Public Law 704, Seventy-ninth Congress), approved August 9, 1946 (60 Stat. 963), as amended, is amended as follows:

Change the period at the end thereof to a comma and insert: "except that leave actually taken during any fiscal year may be charged to leave accruing during such fiscal year without regard to such sixty-day
limitation: Provided, That no cash settlement shall be made for unused or accumulated leave in excess of sixty days upon discharge or retirement subsequent to August 31, 1946."

Sec. 2. This Act shall be effective August 31, 1946.

Approved September 23, 1950.

[CHAPTER 999]

AN ACT

To authorize the exchange of certain land for purposes of the Colonial National Historical Park, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is authorized, in his discretion, to accept on behalf of the United States, from the York County School Board, State of Virginia, title to approximately one-half acre of land in Nelson District, York County, Virginia, situated within the authorized boundaries of the Colonial National Historical Park, and in exchange therefor to convey by deed, on behalf of the United States, to the school board approximately one-half acre of land of approximately equal value situated within the Colonial National Historical Park.

Approved September 23, 1950.

[CHAPTER 1000]

AN ACT

To amend the Atomic Energy Act of 1946.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the next-to-last sentence of section 2 (a) (2) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1946 is amended to read as follows: "Each member, except the Chairman, shall receive compensation at the rate of $18,000 per annum; and the Chairman shall receive compensation at the rate of $20,000 per annum."

Sec. 2. Section 2 (a) (4) (A) of the Atomic Energy Act of 1946 is amended to read as follows:

"(A) a General Manager, who shall discharge such of the administrative and executive functions of the Commission as the Commission may direct. The General Manager shall be appointed by the Commission, shall serve at the pleasure of the Commission, shall be removable by the Commission, and shall receive compensation at a rate fixed in the Commission's discretion but not to exceed $20,000 per annum."

Approved September 23, 1950.

[CHAPTER 1001]

AN ACT

To implement Reorganization Plan Numbered 20 of 1950 by amending title 1 of the United States Code, as regards publication of the United States Statutes at Large, to provide for the publication of treaties and other international agreements between the United States and other countries in a separate compilation, to be known as United States Treaties and Other International Agreements, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 112 of title 1, United States Code, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"§ 112. The Administrator of General Services shall cause to be compiled, edited, indexed, and published, the United States Statutes at Large; Contents; Admissibility in Evidence

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