CHAP. 219.—An Act To enable the directors of Providence Hospital to increase the accommodations of that institution.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of obtaining the amount of money necessary to construct additional buildings for hospital purposes on square seven hundred and sixty-four in the City of Washington, District of Columbia, the directors of the Providence Hospital are hereby authorized to raise by mortgage or other incumbrance on the real estate in said square a sum not to exceed two hundred thousand dollars, which said incumbrance shall be a first lien on said real estate; and the said corporation is hereby authorized to hold real estate in the said square without limitation as to value: Provided, That all proceedings under this Act shall be approved by the Attorney-General of the United States.

Approved, February 6, 1901.

CHAP. 342.—An Act For the payment of travel allowances, on discharge from the Volunteer Army, to certain officers and enlisted men who reentered the military service of the United States in the Philippine Islands.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any officer of Volunteers, and any enlisted man of either Regulars or Volunteers, who was discharged in the Philippine Islands and there reentered the service, through commission or enlistment, in the Thirty-sixth or Thirty-seventh Regiments United States Volunteer Infantry, or in the Eleventh Regiment United States Volunteer Cavalry, shall, when discharged, except by way of punishment for an offense, receive for travel allowances, from the place of his discharge to the place in the United States of his last preceding appointment or enlistment, four cents per mile: Provided, That for sea travel, on discharge, from or between our island possessions actual expenses only shall be paid to officers, and transportation and subsistence only shall be furnished enlisted men: Provided further, That officers and enlisted men discharged in the United States under the provisions of this Act shall not be entitled to transportation or travel allowance back to the Philippine Islands.

Approved, February 8, 1901.

CHAP. 343.—An Act To supplement and amend the Act entitled “An Act to incorporate the North River Bridge Company and to authorize the construction of a bridge and approaches at New York City across the Hudson River, to regulate commerce in and over such bridge between the States of New York and New Jersey, and to establish such bridge a military and post road,” approved July eleventh, eighteen hundred and ninety.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section two of the Act entitled “An Act to incorporate the North River Bridge Company and to authorize the construction of a bridge and approaches at New York City across the Hudson River, to regulate commerce in and over such bridge between the States of New York and New Jersey, and to establish such bridge a military and post road,” be, and the same is hereby, so supplemented and amended as to extend the time for the completion of the construction of the bridge by the said Act authorized until the first day of January, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, February 8, 1901.