a proceeding in rem to condemn the land that may be necessary for connecting Sixteenth street with Rock Creek Park by a parkway of not more than an average of four hundred feet in width extending along or in the valley of Piney Branch, District of Columbia.

Sec. 2. That the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated, one half out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and the other half out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to provide the necessary funds for the costs and expenses of the condemnation proceedings taken pursuant hereto to be reimbursed to the revenues of the District of Columbia and the United States in equal parts from assessments for benefits when the same are collected, and a sufficient sum to pay the amounts of all judgments and awards is hereby appropriated, one half out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and the other half out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, February 27, 1907.

CHAP. 2076.—An Act Authorizing the extension of T street (formerly W street) northwest.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That under and in accordance with the provisions of sections four hundred and ninety-one a to four hundred and ninety-one n, both inclusive, of subchapter one of chapter fifteen of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia, within sixty days after the passage of this Act, the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to institute proceedings to condemn the land that may be necessary for the extension of T street from Thirty-fifth street to Wisconsin avenue, formerly High or Thirty-second street west, with a width of sixty feet, and from Wisconsin avenue to the east side of proposed Rock Creek drive with a width of ninety feet.

Sec. 2. That assessments shall be made by the jury as benefits as contemplated in section four hundred and ninety-one g of the subchapter of the Code hereinafore referred to: Provided, That the total amount found to be due and awarded as damages, plus the cost and expenses of the proceedings, shall be assessed by the said jury as benefits.

Sec. 3. That the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated, out of the revenues of the District of Columbia, to provide the necessary funds for the costs and expenses of the condemnation proceedings taken pursuant hereto, to be repaid to the District of Columbia from the assessment for benefits when the same are collected, and a sufficient sum to pay the amounts of all judgments and awards is hereby appropriated out of the revenues of the District of Columbia.

Approved, February 27, 1907.

CHAP. 2077.—An Act To amend section thirteen of an Act of March first, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled "An Act to create the California Débris Commission and regulate hydraulic mining in the State of California."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section thirteen of an Act of March first, eighteen hundred and ninety-three, entitled "An Act to create the California Débris Commission and regulate mining in the State of California," is hereby amended so as to read as follows: