

tion, which shall be returned to the superintendent on or before the first day of March in each year, signed and sworn to by the president or vice president and secretary or assistant secretary, or, if a foreign company, by its manager or proper representative within the United States, showing its true financial condition as of the next preceding thirty-first day of December, which shall include a statement of its assets and liabilities classified according to regulations made by the Superintendent of Insurance on that day, the amount and character of business transacted, losses sustained, and money received and expended during the year, and such other information as the said superintendent may deem necessary. Such annual statements shall be printed in at least one daily newspaper published in the District of Columbia, in the month of March in each year; and any such company or association failing to comply with the provisions aforesaid shall have its license to do business in the District revoked."

Approved, August 18, 1911.

CHAP. 27.—An Act To provide for the purchase of a site and the erection of a new public building at Bangor, Maine; also for the sale of the site and ruins of the former post-office building.

August 19, 1911.
[S. 2055.]

[Public. No. 26.]

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 be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to acquire, by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, a suitable site, and to contract, within the limit of cost hereinafter fixed, for the erection and completion thereon of a suitable and commodious building, including fireproof vaults, heating, hoisting, and ventilating apparatus, and approaches, complete, for the use and accommodation of the post office and other Government offices at Bangor, Maine, at a cost for said site and building of not exceeding four hundred thousand dollars.

Bangor, Me.
Public building authorized.

Limit of cost.

An open space of such width, including streets and alleys, as the Secretary of the Treasury may determine shall be maintained about said building for the protection thereof from fire in adjacent buildings.

Open space.

For the purposes aforesaid the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided,* That the balance of the appropriation heretofore made by the sundry civil Act of June twenty-fifth, nineteen hundred and ten, for the retaining wall and approaches at the former post-office building in said city, is hereby reappropriated and made immediately available, in addition to the appropriation hereinbefore made, toward the purposes of this Act.

Appropriation.

Proviso.
Use of balance for former building.
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And the Secretary of the Treasury is further authorized and directed to sell, in such manner and upon such terms as he may deem for the best interests of the United States, the site and remains of the former post-office building in said city recently destroyed by fire; to convey the last-mentioned land to such purchaser or purchasers by the usual quit-claim deed, and to deposit the proceeds derived from such sale in the Treasury of the United States as a miscellaneous receipt.

Sale of former site, etc.

Approved, August 19, 1911.

CHAP. 28.—An Act Granting leave of absence to certain homesteaders.

August 19, 1911.
[S. 2052.]

[Public. No. 27.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all persons who have heretofore made homestead entries in the Lemmon, Timber Lake, Rapid City, Chamberlain, Belle Fourche, Gregory, and Pierre land

Public lands.
Homestead settlers in certain districts granted leaves of absence.

districts in the State of South Dakota; in the Denver, Pueblo, Sterling, Hugo, Lamar, and Glenwood Springs land districts, in the State of Colorado; in the Valentine, O'Neill, North Platte, Broken Bow, and Alliance land districts, in the State of Nebraska; in the Lawton, Woodward, and Guthrie land districts, in the State of Oklahoma; in the Dickinson, Minot, Williston, Devils Lake, and Bismarck land districts, in the State of North Dakota; in the Cheyenne, Evanston, Sundance, Buffalo, Lander, and Douglas land districts, in the State of Wyoming; in the Clayton, Fort Sumner, Las Cruces, Tucumcari, Roswell, and Santa Fe land districts, in the Territory of New Mexico; in the Phoenix land district, in the Territory of Arizona: in the former Spokane Indian Reservation, in the State of Washington; and in the Burns, Vale, La Grand, and The Dalles land districts, in the State of Oregon, are hereby relieved from the necessity of residence and cultivation upon their lands from the date of approval of this Act to April fifteenth, nineteen hundred and twelve: *Provided*, That the time of actual absence during the period named shall not be deducted from the full time of residence required by law.

Approved, August 19, 1911.

Proviso.
Not deducted from
full period.

August 19, 1911.
[H. R. 4682.]
[Public, No. 28.]

CHAP. 29.—An Act Authorizing the construction of a bridge, and approaches thereto, across the Tug Fork of the Big Sandy River at or near Glenhayes Station, in Wayne County, West Virginia.

Tug Fork, Big Sandy
River.
Glenhayes Company
may bridge, at Glen-
hayes, W. Va.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Glenhayes Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the State of West Virginia, its successors and assigns, be, and are hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge, and approaches thereto, across the Tug Fork of the Big Sandy River, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, at or near Glenhayes, in Wayne County, West Virginia, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

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Amendment.

SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, August 19, 1911.

August 19, 1911.
[H. R. 5146.]
[Public, No. 29.]

CHAP. 30.—An Act To construct a bridge across Rock River at or near Colona Ferry, in the State of Illinois.

Rock River,
Henry and Rock
Island Counties may
bridge, at Colona
Ferry, Ill.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the counties of Henry and Rock Island, in the State of Illinois, be, and they are hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Rock River, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, at or near Colona Ferry, in the State of Illinois, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

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Amendment.

SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, August 19, 1911.