Act of February 8, 1899, to the contrary notwithstanding. Actions, suits, repARATION claims, or other proceedings of the character described in subdivision (h) which have been abated or dismissed solely because of the provisions of such Act of February 8, 1899, shall be reinstated upon reasonable notice to the adverse party, and upon proper motion therefor filed within one year from the time this subdivision takes effect.”

Approved, March 3, 1923.

CHAP. 234.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the erection on public grounds, of a memorial to the late Joseph J. Darlington.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to select a suitable site and to grant permission for the erection on public grounds of the United States in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, other than those of the Capitol, the Library of Congress, the White House, and the Mall, of a memorial to the late Joseph J. Darlington, a leader of the Washington bar, as a gift to the people of the city of Washington: Provided, That the site chosen and the design of the memorial shall be approved by the Joint Library Committee of Congress, with the advice of the Commission of Fine Arts; that it shall be erected under the supervision of the Chief of Engineers, and that the United States shall be put to no expense in or by the erection or maintenance of the said memorial.

Approved, March 3, 1923.

CHAP. 235.—Joint Resolution Proposing payment to certain employees of the United States.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all per diem employees of the several departments and independent establishments of the Government who were carried on the rolls as employees and excused from work on November 11, 1921, shall be allowed pay for that day.

Approved, March 3, 1923.

CHAP. 244.—An Act To amend section 3142 of the Revised Statutes, to permit an increase in the number of collection districts for the collection of internal revenue and in the number of collectors of internal revenue from sixty-four to sixty-five.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3142 of the Revised Statutes is amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

“On and after July 1, 1921, the whole number of collection districts for the collection of internal revenue and the whole number of collectors of internal revenue shall not exceed sixty-five.”

Approved, March 4, 1923.