Disposition of lists.

No examination before the court if preliminary hearing conducted.

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One of such lists shall thereafter be filed permanently on record in such court and the duplicate list shall be sent by the clerk of such court to the Commissioner of Naturalization.

“(c) The provisions of section 9 requiring the examination of the petitioner and witnesses under oath before the court and in the presence of the court shall not apply in any case where a designated examiner or officer has conducted the preliminary hearing authorized by this subdivision; except that the court may, in its discretion, and shall, upon demand of the petitioner, require the examination of the petitioner and the witnesses under oath before the court and in the presence of the court.”

Approved, June 8, 1926.

CHAP. 503.—An Act Relating to patents issued pursuant to decrees of the Court of Private Land Claims.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That hereafter all gold, silver, or quicksilver deposits, or mines or minerals of the same on lands embraced within any land claim confirmed or hereafter confirmed by decree of the Court of Private Land Claims, and which did not convey the mineral rights to the grantees by the terms of the grant, and to which such grantees have not become otherwise entitled in law or in equity, may be leased to grantees.

Terms, etc., to be prescribed.

Royalties on output to be paid.

Deposit of moneys received from royalties, etc.

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Authority of Secretary in execution of Act.

Approved, June 8, 1926.

CHAP. 512.—An Act To amend so much of section 55 of the Hawaiian Organic Act as amended by the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, approved July 9, 1921.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That so much of section 55 of the Hawaiian Organic Act as amended by the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, approved July 9, 1921, which reads: “and the total indebtedness of any such subdivision shall not at any time be extended beyond 3 per centum of such assessed value of