plaintiff, except on proof that the defendant was duly notified of
the infringement and continued, after such notice, to make, use, or
vend the article so patented."
Approved, February 7, 1927.

CHAP. 68.—An Act Granting the consent of Congress to the Paragould-
Hopkins Bridge road improvement district of Greene County, Arkansas, to con-
struct a bridge across the Saint Francis River.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of
the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the con-
sent of Congress is hereby granted to the Paragould-Hopkins Bridge
road improvement district of Greene County, Arkansas, a public
agency, to construct, maintain, and operate a free bridge and
approaches thereto across the Saint Francis River at a point suitable
to the interests of navigation and at or near that point on said
river where the Hopkins Bridge now spans same, at the Arkansas-
Missouri State line and connecting the States of Arkansas and
Missouri at said point, in accordance with the provisions of the
Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over

Sec. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby
expressly reserved.

Approved, February 7, 1927.

CHAP. 74.—An Act To amend the Agricultural Credits Act of 1923.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Agricul-
tural Credits Act of 1923 be, and the same is hereby, amended on
page 10, in section 203 (a), at the end of paragraph (C) in
subdivision (1) by adding the words "or on agricultural crops being
grown for market," so that said paragraph (C) will read as follows:
(C) Are secured at the time of discount, purchase, or acceptance by
warehouse receipts or other like documents conveying or securing
title to nonperishable and readily marketable agricultural products,
or by chattel mortgages, or other like instruments conferring a first
and paramount lien upon livestock which is being fattened for
market, or on agricultural crops being grown for market.

Approved, February 8, 1927.

CHAP. 75.—An Act Declaring pistols, revolvers, and other firearms capa-
bile of being concealed on the person nonmailable and providing penalty.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That pistols,
revolvers, and other firearms capable of being concealed on the
person are hereby declared to be nonmailable and shall not be
deposited in or carried by the mails or delivered by any postmaster,
letter carrier, or other person in the Postal Service: Provided, That
such articles may be conveyed in the mails, under such regulations as
the Postmaster General shall prescribe, for use in connection with
their official duty, to officers of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps,
or officers' Reserve Corps; to officers of the National Guard or
Militia of the several States. Territories, and Districts; to officers
of the United States or of the several States, Territories, and Dis-
Trade shipments to manufacturers allowed under regulations.

Punishment for violations.

Effective in 90 days.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted that this Act shall take effect ninety days after its approval by the President of the United States.

Approved, February 8, 1927.

CHAP. 76.—An Act To amend the Act providing additional aid for the American Printing House for the Blind.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act entitled “An Act providing additional aid for the American Printing House for the Blind,” approved August 4, 1919, is hereby amended to read as follows:

“That for the purpose of enabling the American Printing House for the Blind more adequately to provide books and apparatus for the education of the blind, there is hereby authorized to be appropriated annually to it, in addition to the permanent appropriation of $10,000 made in the Act entitled ‘An Act to promote the education of the blind,’ approved March 3, 1879, as amended, the sum of $65,000, which sum shall be expended in accordance with the requirements of said Act to promote the education of the blind.”

Approved, February 8, 1927.

CHAP. 77.—An Act Granting the consent of Congress to the village of Decatur, in the State of Nebraska, to construct a bridge across the Missouri River between the States of Nebraska and Iowa.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent of Congress is hereby granted to the municipality of the village of Decatur, in the county of Burt, and State of Nebraska, a municipal corporation organized under the laws of the State of Nebraska, to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge and approaches thereto across the Missouri River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation between a point at or near Decatur, Burt County, Nebraska, and a point opposite in the State of Iowa, in accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled “An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters,” approved March 23, 1906, and subject to the conditions and limitations contained in this Act.

Sec. 2. There is hereby conferred upon the said village of Decatur, its successors, and assigns, all such rights and powers to enter the lands and to acquire, condemn, occupy, possess, and use real estate