Sec. 29. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly declared and reserved, but no such amendment or repeal shall operate to impair the obligation of any contract made by said Corporation under any power conferred by this Act.

Sec. 30. The sections of this Act are hereby declared to be separable, and in the event any one or more sections of this Act be held to be unconstitutional, the same shall not affect the validity of other sections of this Act.

Approved, May 18, 1933.

[CHAPTER 33.]

AN ACT

Providing for the suspension of annual assessment work on mining claims held by location in the United States and Alaska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of section 2324 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, which requires on each mining claim located, and until a patent has been issued therefor, not less than $100 worth of labor to be performed or improvements aggregating such amount to be made each year, be, and the same is hereby, suspended as to all mining claims in the United States, including Alaska, during the year beginning at 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1932, and ending at 12 o'clock meridian July 1, 1933: Provided, That the provisions of this Act shall not apply in the case of any claimant not entitled to exemption from the payment of a Federal income tax for the taxable year 1932: Provided further, That every claimant of any such mining claim, in order to obtain the benefits of this Act, shall file, or cause to be filed, in the office where the location notice or certificate is recorded, on or before 12 o'clock meridian, July 1, 1933, a notice of his desire to hold said mining claim under this Act, which notice shall state that the claimant, or claimants, were entitled to exemption from the payment of a Federal income tax for the taxable year 1932.

Approved, May 18, 1933.

[CHAPTER 34.]

AN ACT

To amend section 207 of the Bank Conservation Act with respect to bank reorganizations.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 207 of the Bank Conservation Act is amended by striking out "national banking association " wherever it appears therein and inserting in lieu thereof the word "bank."

Approved, May 20, 1933.

[CHAPTER 35.]

AN ACT

To amend sections 5200 and 5202 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, to remove the limitations on national banks in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 5200 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, is amended by adding at the end thereof the following new paragraph: