shares of stock have been purchased or transferred by those accepting
the plan after the commencement or in contemplation of the
proceeding, and the circumstances of such purchase or transfer:
Provided, however, That if the judge is satisfied that by reason of
the number of securities outstanding and the extent of the public
dealing therein the preparation of such a statement would be imprac-
tical, he may direct that it be not filed. If the United States of
America is a creditor or stockholder, the interests or claims thereof
shall be deemed to be affected by the plan, and the Secretary of the
Treasury is hereby authorized to accept or reject a plan in respect of
the interests or claims of the United States. If, in any reorganiza-
tion proceeding under this section, the United States is a creditor
on claims for taxes or customs duties (whether or not the United
States has any other interest in, or claim against, the debtor, as
creditor or stockholder), no plan which does not provide for the
payment thereof shall be confirmed by the judge except upon the
acceptance of a lesser amount by the Secretary of the Treasury
certified to the court: Provided, That if the Secretary of the Treasury
shall fail to accept or reject a plan for more than ninety days after
receipt of written notice so to do from the court to which the plan
has been proposed, accompanied by a certified copy of the plan, his
consent shall be conclusively presumed.

Approved, August 29, 1935.

[CHAPTER 810.]

AN ACT

To withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territ-
ory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian homes lands now in use as an airplane landing
field.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That so much of section 203 of title 2 of the Act entitled “Hawaiian Homes Commis-
sion Act, 1920”, approved July 9, 1921 (42 Stat. 108), as designates
the land hereinafter described as “available lands” within the
meaning of that Act, is hereby repealed and the land restored to its
previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii.

On the Island of Molokai: Those portions of Hoolehua, apana 2,
and Palaau, apana 2, comprising the Molokai airplane landing field
as set aside for public purposes by Executive Order Numbered 307
of the Governor of the Territory of Hawaii, dated December 15,
1927, consisting of two hundred four and nine-tenths acres, more or
less, and particularly described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the southeast corner of the said land,
from which the azimuth (measured clockwise from true south) and
distance to United States Coast and Geodetic Survey Triangulation
Station Middle Hill (Kaulapuu) is two hundred and seventy-two
degrees twenty-three minutes thirty-nine seconds, twelve thousand
seven hundred twenty and nine-tenths feet, thence from said point
of beginning by metes and bounds; eighty-five degrees ten minutes
thirty seconds, three thousand four hundred and twenty-seven feet;
one hundred and eighty degrees fifty-six minutes thirty seconds,
four thousand nine hundred seven and three-tenths feet; three hundred
and forty-six degrees twenty minutes, three hundred forty-two and
three-tenths feet near west edge of Kakainapahao Gulch; three
degrees twenty-six minutes, four hundred twenty-seven and one-
tenth feet; eighty-three degrees twenty-four minutes, one thousand
four hundred sixty-eight and two-tenths feet; five degrees fifty-eight minutes, five hundred seventy-one and three-tenths feet to the point of beginning.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved, August 29, 1935.

[CHAPTER 811.]

AN ACT

To authorize the transfer of a certain military reservation to the Department of the Interior.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to transfer to the Department of the Interior the mansion site and such portions of the grounds of Belvoir, part of the estate of Lord Fairfax, located within the Belvoir Military Reservation, Virginia, as may be necessary for the restoration and operation of the historic home and grounds for the benefit and inspiration of the people: Provided, That upon cessation of such use the premises so transferred shall revert to the jurisdiction of the War Department: Provided, however, That nothing in this Act shall be construed as authorizing the transfer of any part of the said reservation which, in the judgment of the Secretary of War, is needed for the proper development, control, or use of the reservation for military purposes: Provided further, That upon cessation of such use the premises so transferred shall revert to the jurisdiction of the War Department: And provided further, That the transfer authorized by this Act shall not require discontinuance of the operation of the Fort Belvoir Fish Cultural Station, however, its removal and establishment elsewhere on the Belvoir Military Reservation, Virginia, as may be agreed upon by the Secretary of Commerce and the Secretary of War, is hereby authorized.

Approved, August 29, 1935.

[CHAPTER 812.]

AN ACT

To establish a retirement system for employees of carriers subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

DEFINITIONS

Section 1. For the purposes of this Act—
(a) The term "carrier" means any express company, sleeping-car company, or carrier by railroad, subject to the Interstate Commerce Act, and any company which may be directly or indirectly owned or controlled thereby or under common control therewith, and which operates any equipment or facilities or performs any service (other than trucking service) in connection with the transportation of passengers or property by railroad, or the receipt, delivery, elevation, transfer in transit, refrigeration or icing, storage, or handling of property transported by railroad, and any receiver, trustee, or other individual or body, judicial or otherwise, when in the possession of and operating the business of any such "carrier": Provided, however, That the term "carrier" shall not include any street, interurban, or suburban electric railway, unless such railway is operating as a part of a general steam-railroad system of transportation, but