[CHAPTER 146.]

AN ACT

To provide a preliminary examination of Spokane River and its Tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods.

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 and directed to cause a preliminary examination to be made of the Spokane River and its tributaries in the State of Idaho, with a view to the control of their floods, in accordance with the provisions of section 3 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River, and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes", approved March 1, 1917, the cost thereof to be paid from appropriations heretofore or hereafter made for examinations, surveys, and contingencies of rivers and harbors.

Approved, March 18, 1936.

[CHAPTER 147.]

AN ACT

To amend the Act of February 16, 1929, entitled "An Act to amend the Act entitled 'An Act to adjust the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the Public Health Service', approved June 10, 1922, as amended."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 5 of the Act of February 16, 1929, entitled "An Act to adjust the pay and allowances of the commissioned and enlisted personnel of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, and the Public Health Service", approved June 10, 1922, as amended, be amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 5. That the Director of the Coast and Geodetic Survey shall be appointed and hold office as now authorized by law; his appointment shall not create a vacancy, and while holding said office he shall have the rank, pay, and allowances of a Chief of Bureau of the Navy Department."

Approved, March 18, 1936.

[CHAPTER 148.]

AN ACT

Limiting the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code and section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States with respect to certain counsel.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That nothing in sections 109 and 113 of an Act entitled "An Act to codify, revise, and amend the penal laws of the United States", approved March 4, 1909, as amended (U. S. C., title 18, secs. 198 and 203), or in section 190 of the Revised Statutes of the United States (U. S. C., title 5, sec. 99), or in any other Act of Congress forbidding officers or employees or former officers or employees of the United States from acting as counsel, attorney, or agent for another before any court, department, or branch of the Government or from receiving or agreeing to receive compensation therefor, shall be deemed to apply to Clarence C. Calhoun, in the event he shall be employed, retained, or