[CHAPTER 760.]

AN ACT

To authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the three hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Sir Walter Raleigh's colony on Roanoke Island, North Carolina, known in history as the Lost Colony, and the birth of Virginia Dare, the first child of English parentage to be born on the American continent.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in commemoration of the three hundred and fiftieth anniversary of Sir Walter Raleigh's colony on Roanoke Island, North Carolina, known in history as the Lost Colony, and the birth of Virginia Dare, the first child of English parentage to be born on the American continent, there shall be coined at a mint of the United States to be designated by the Director of the Mint not less than twenty-five thousand silver 50-cent pieces of standard size, weight, and composition and of a specially prepared design to be fixed by the Director of the Mint, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, but the United States shall not be subject to the expense of making the necessary dies and other preparations for this coinage.

Sec. 2. The coins herein authorized shall bear the date 1937, irrespective of the year in which they are minted or issued, shall be legal tender in any payment to the amount of their face value, and shall be issued only upon the request of the Roanoke Colony Memorial Association of Manteo, North Carolina, upon payment by it of the par value of such coins, but not less than twenty-five thousand such coins shall be issued to it at any one time, and no such coins shall be issued after July 1, 1937. Such coins may be disposed of at par or at a premium by the Roanoke Colony Memorial Association of Manteo, North Carolina, and the net proceeds shall be used by it in defraying the expenses incidental and appropriate to the commemoration of such event.

Sec. 3. All laws now in force relating to the subsidiary silver coins of the United States and the coining or striking of the same, regulating and guarding the process of coinage, providing for the purchase of material, and for the transportation, distribution, and redemption of coins, for the prevention of debasement or counterfeiting, for the security of the coins, or for any other purposes, whether such laws are penal or otherwise, shall, so far as applicable, apply to the coinage herein authorized.

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 761.]

AN ACT

To amend the Act of Congress approved May 27, 1935 (Public Numbered 73, Seventy-fourth Congress), authorizing the Secretary of Commerce to convey to the city of Grand Haven, Michigan, certain portions of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Michigan.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act of Congress approved May 27, 1935 (Public Numbered 73, Seventy-fourth Congress), is hereby amended to read as follows:

"That the Secretary of Commerce is hereby authorized to convey to the city of Grand Haven, State of Michigan, for use for street and park purposes, all of the Grand Haven Lighthouse Reservation, Michigan, which is not required to be retained for lighthouse purposes. The Secretary of Commerce shall describe by metes and
bounds in the deed of conveyance the exact portions of the reservation transferred. The deed of conveyance shall also contain a provision that should the city of Grand Haven, State of Michigan, cease to use the property for the purpose for which it is conveyed, title thereto shall revert to the United States.

"Sec. 2. The United States reserves the rights-of-way over, underground, or across the area to be transferred for any use whatsoever in conducting the Lighthouse Service or other activities of the Government, and, further reserves the right to be furnished by the city of Grand Haven, any and all services, conveniences, and utilities at established rates, such as transportation, gas or electric lighting facilities, water connections and sewer connections, and such other utilities as may be installed in the vicinity of, and accessible to the reservation."

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 762.]

AN ACT

To amend the Federal Farm Loan Act and the Farm Credit Act of 1935, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That effective July 1, 1935, the first sentence of paragraph "Twelfth" of section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended and as further amended by section 3 (a) of the Farm Credit Act of 1935, is further amended by striking out the following: "occurring within a period of one year commencing July 1, 1935, and shall not exceed 4 per centum per annum for all interest payable on installment dates occurring within a period of two years commencing July 1, 1936", and inserting in lieu thereof the following: "occurring within a period of two years commencing July 1, 1935".

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 763.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To enable the Secretary of Agriculture to apply such methods of control of grasshoppers as in his judgment may be necessary.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the application of such methods of control of grasshoppers as, in the judgment of the Secretary of Agriculture, may be necessary, in cooperation with such authorities of the States concerned, organizations, or individuals as he may deem essential to accomplish such purposes, including the employment of persons and means in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, printing and binding, rent outside of the District of Columbia, and for other expenses there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $250,000, to remain available until June 30, 1937: Provided, That this appropriation shall be used for expenditures of general administration and supervision, purchase and transportation of poisoned bait, or materials for its manufacture, and such other expenses as in the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture may be deemed necessary and that the cooperating States shall be responsible for the local distribution and utilization of such bait on privately owned lands including full labor costs: Provided further, That, in the discretion of the Secretary of Agriculture, no part of this appropriation shall be expended for grasshopper control in any State until such State has provided the necessary organization for the cooperation herein