[CHAPTER 838.]

AN ACT

To authorize the striking of an appropriate medal in commemoration of the three-hundredth anniversary of the original Norfolk (Virginia) land grant and the two-hundredth anniversary of the establishment of the city of Norfolk, Virginia, as a borough.

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-hundredth anniversary of the original Norfolk (Virginia) land grant and the two-hundredth anniversary of the establishment of the city of Norfolk, Virginia, as a borough, there shall be struck at a mint of the United States to be designated by the Director of the Mint twenty-five thousand commemorative medals of a special appropriate single design, size, weight, and composition to be fixed by the Director of the Mint with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Sec. 2. Such commemorative medals shall be delivered to the duly authorized officers of the Norfolk Advertising Board, Incorporated, affiliated with the Norfolk Association of Commerce, upon payment to the Director of the Mint of an amount to be fixed by the Director of the Mint not less than the estimated cost of manufacture, including labor, materials, dies, use of machinery, and overhead expenses; and security satisfactory to the Director of the Mint shall be furnished to indemnify the United States for the full payment of such cost.

Sec. 3. Whoever shall falsely make, forge, or counterfeit or cause or procure to be falsely made, forged, or counterfeited or shall aid in falsely making, forging, or counterfeiting any medal issued under the provisions of this Act, or whoever shall sell or bring into the United States or any place subject to the jurisdiction thereof from any foreign place, or have in his possession any such false, forged, or counterfeited medal, shall be fined not more than $1,000 or imprisoned not more than two years, or both.

Approved, June 26, 1936.

[CHAPTER 839.]

AN ACT

To provide a commissioned strength for the Corps of Engineers, United States Army, for the efficient performance of military and other statutory duties assigned to that corps.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 11, (Corps of Engineers), National Defense Act, as amended, is hereby further amended to provide one additional assistant to the Chief of Engineers with the rank of brigadier general, and one hundred and eighty-five additional officers in grades from colonel to second lieutenant, inclusive: Provided, That the legally authorized commissioned strength of the Regular Army is increased by one hundred and eighty-five, which said increase shall be allotted to the Corps of Engineers: Provided further, That the President is hereby authorized to call to active duty with the Regular Army such number of officers of the Organized Reserves and for such time as may be necessary to meet the demands made and to be made upon the Engineer Corps of the Regular Army notwithstanding the provisions of section 37a of the Act of June 3, 1916, as amended: Provided, That officers of the Corps of Engineers and the Reserve officers of the Corps of Engineers employed primarily on duty connected with nonmilitary public works prosecuted under the direction of the Chief
of Engineers, including river and harbor improvements, flood control, and other such works, shall, while so employed, be paid their pay and allowances, mileage and travel allowances from the appropriation for the work or works upon which they are employed: And provided further, That the number of officers so engaged and so paid shall be exclusive of the commissioned strength of the Regular Army as now or hereafter limited by the funds appropriated for "Pay of the Army" in the annual War Department Appropriation Act.

Approved, June 26, 1936.

[CHAPTER 840.]
AN ACT

To provide for the commemoration of the Battle of Eutaw Springs, in the State of South Carolina.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of commemorating the battle which occurred at Eutaw Springs, in the State of South Carolina, during the Revolutionary War, when title to such lands on the site of the Battle of Eutaw Springs as may be designated by the Secretary of the Interior in the exercise of his discretion as necessary or desirable for battlefield-site purposes, shall be vested in the United States, said area shall be set apart as a battlefield site for the benefit and inspiration of the people and shall be called the Eutaw Springs Battlefield Site.

Sec. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept donations of land, interests in land, and/or buildings, structures, and other property within the boundaries of the said battlefield site as determined and fixed hereunder, and donations of funds for the purchase and/or maintenance thereof, the title and evidence of title to lands acquired to be satisfactory to the Secretary of the Interior: Provided, That he may acquire on behalf of the United States out of any donated funds, either by purchase at prices deemed by him reasonable, or by condemnation under the provisions of the Act of August 1, 1888, such tracts of land on the said battlefield site as may be necessary for the completion thereof.

Sec. 3. The administration, protection, and development of the aforesaid battlefield site shall be exercised under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior by the National Park Service, subject to the provisions of the Act of August 25, 1916, entitled "An Act to establish a National Park Service, and for other purposes"; as amended.

Approved, June 26, 1936.

[CHAPTER 841.]
AN ACT

To provide for an investigation to determine whether the water rights of the United States have been violated in the Clear Lake Watershed, California, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is authorized and directed (1) to make a full and complete investigation with a view to determining whether any dams, waterworks, or other projects have been constructed in the Clear Lake Watershed, in the State of California, in violation of the water rights of the United States in such State, and (2) to report thereon to the Congress as soon as practicable.