

[CHAPTER 261]

AN ACT

To extend the provisions of the Reclassification Act of February 28, 1925, to include custodial employees in the Postal Service.

October 18, 1943
[H. R. 2250]
[Public Law 161]

Postal Service, cus-
todial employees.
43 Stat. 1053.
39 U. S. C. § 53 *et*
seq.; Supp. II, §§ 197,
607, 607a, 621.

42 Stat. 1488.
5 U. S. C. § 661;
Supp. II, § 661 *et seq.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act of February 28, 1925, Postal Salary Classification Act, is hereby amended to include officers and employees of the custodial service of the Post Office Department: *Provided*, That the salary ranges of the designated grades shall be as allocated by the Post Office Department under the provisions of the Classification Act of 1923, as amended: *And provided further*, That such action shall not result in the reduction of the grade or salary of any employee by reason hereof.

Approved October 18, 1943.

[CHAPTER 264]

AN ACT

To authorize a per capita payment of \$10 to the members of the Santa Clara Pueblo of New Mexico from funds on deposit to their credit in the Treasury of the United States.

October 19, 1943
[H. R. 128]
[Public Law 162]

Santa Clara Pueblo,
N. Mex.
Per capita payment
authorized.

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 be, and he is hereby, authorized to withdraw from the Treasury so much as may be necessary of the funds to the credit of the Santa Clara Pueblo in the State of New Mexico which have accrued under the Act of March 4, 1929 (45 Stat. 1586), and to make therefrom a payment of not to exceed \$10 to each member of the pueblo, under such rules and regulations as said Secretary may prescribe.

Approved October 19, 1943.

[CHAPTER 265]

AN ACT

To revive and reenact the Act entitled "An Act granting the consent of Congress to the State of Minnesota to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at or near the village of Brooklyn Center, Minnesota", approved April 20, 1942.

October 19, 1943
[H. R. 2649]
[Public Law 163]

Mississippi River.
Bridge across, at
Brooklyn Center,
Minn.
56 Stat. 217.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act approved April 20, 1942, granting the consent of Congress to the State of Minnesota to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge and approaches thereto across the Mississippi River, at or near the village of Brooklyn Center, Minnesota, be, and is hereby, revived and reenacted: *Provided*, That this Act shall be null and void unless the actual construction of the bridge herein referred to be commenced within two years and completed within four years from the date of approval hereof.

SEC. 2. The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved October 19, 1943.

[CHAPTER 266]

AN ACT

To provide for the addition of certain land in the State of Arizona to the Montezuma Castle National Monument.

October 19, 1943
[S. 378]
[Public Law 164]

Montezuma Castle
National Monument.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) the Secretary of the Interior, on behalf of the United States, is authorized to

acquire, in his discretion, certain lands located in the State of Arizona known as the Montezuma Well property, containing approximately one hundred and eighty acres and situated within section 36, township 15 north, range 5 east, and section 31, township 15 north, range 6 east, Gila and Salt River meridian. Such lands, when acquired, shall become a detached unit of Montezuma Castle National Monument.

Addition of lands.

(b) Effective on the date of the acquisition of such property, the south half of the northwest quarter of section 31, township 15 north, range 6 east, Gila and Salt River meridian, containing eighty acres of land owned by the United States, shall also become a part of such national monument.

SEC. 2. All laws, rules, and regulations applicable to such national monument shall be applicable with respect to the lands described in the first section of this Act upon the addition of such lands to such national monument. The title to real property acquired pursuant to this Act shall be satisfactory to the Secretary of the Interior.

Administration.

SEC. 3. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated such sums as may be necessary but not to exceed \$25,000 to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Appropriation authorized.

Approved October 19, 1943.

[CHAPTER 269]

AN ACT

To amend section 11 of the Naval Aviation Cadet Act of 1942.

October 21, 1943

[S. 1113]

[Public Law 165]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 11 of the Naval Aviation Cadet Act of 1942 (56 Stat. 738; 34 U. S. C. 850j), be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows: "When first commissioned pursuant to this Act officers shall be paid a uniform allowance of \$150 if commissioned as ensigns in the Naval Reserve, and of \$250 if commissioned as second lieutenants in the Marine Corps Reserve: *Provided,* That any officer who has heretofore received the cash uniform gratuity of \$150 provided in section 302 of the Naval Reserve Act of 1938 (52 Stat. 1180) shall not be entitled to this uniform allowance."

Naval Aviation Cadet Act of 1942, amendment.

34 U. S. C., Supp. II, § 850j.

Uniform allowance.

34 U. S. C. § 855a.

SEC. 2. This Act shall become effective as of August 4, 1942.

Approved October 21, 1943.

[CHAPTER 270]

AN ACT

Authorizing the conveyance to the State of Virginia, for highway purposes only, of a portion of the Naval Mine Depot Reservation at Yorktown, Virginia.

October 21, 1943

[S. 1170]

[Public Law 166]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to convey to the State of Virginia, for highway purposes only, upon such terms and conditions as he may prescribe, all right, title, and interest of the United States of America in and to a strip or parcel of land of the Naval Mine Depot Reservation at Yorktown, York County, Virginia, containing eight and three one-hundredths acres, more or less, metes and bounds description of which is on file in the Navy Department.

State of Virginia. Conveyance of land.

Approved October 21, 1943.