

CHAP. 723.—An act making May thirtieth a holiday in the District of Columbia.

August 1, 1888.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the thirtieth day of May in each year, usually called "Decoration Day," shall be, and hereby is, made a holiday within the District of Columbia as fully in all respects as are the days mentioned as holidays in section nine hundred and ninety-three of the Revised Statutes of the District of Columbia.

Decoration Day.
To be a holiday. Dis-
trict of Columbia.

Rev. Stats. D. C., sec.
993, p. 116, amended.

Approved, August 1, 1888.

CHAP. 724.—An act to amend the act giving the approval and sanction of Congress to the route and termini of the Anacostia and Potomac River Railroad, in the District of Columbia.

August 1, 1888.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the act giving the approval and sanction of Congress to the route and termini of the Anacostia and Potomac River Railroad, approved February eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and amended March twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to authorize said company to lay tracks and run cars thereon from the intersection of its tracks on M street south with Seventh street east; along Seventh street to G street south; along G street to Fourth street east; along Fourth street to E street south; along E street to Canal street; along Canal street to B street south, along B street south to Third street west; along Third street to Missouri avenue; along Missouri avenue to Sixth street west; along Sixth street to B street; north along B street to a point near the Center Market to be named by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia: *Provided,* That the said company shall complete the above-mentioned tracks and run cars thereon within one year from the approval of this act, and from the intersection of its tracks on M street south with Second street west; along Second street to its tracks on Canal street: *Provided,* That said company shall complete the last-mentioned tracks and run cars thereon within two years from the approval of this act. The company is also authorized to extend its tracks and run cars thereon from its track at Seventh and G streets southeast herein mentioned, along G street to Seventeenth street east; along Seventeenth street to E street south; along E street to and beyond the entrance to the Congressional Cemetery at a point to be named by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, after the said streets shall have been improved.

Anacostia and Poto-
mac River Railroad,
District of Columbia.

Extension of, author-
ized.

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Location.

Proviso.
Completion.

Extension to Con-
gressional Cemetery.

SEC. 2. That the said company may be permitted to place or cause to be placed upon the Anacostia bridge an additional track, and the rails of both tracks shall be of such form as will offer the least obstruction to ordinary traffic, and subject to approval by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia. The said company shall also construct at least a single track, with necessary switches and turn-outs, along Harrison street, in Anacostia, to the entrance to the grounds of the German Orphan Asylum, and run cars thereon within six months after laying the track mentioned on said bridge.

Additional track on
Anacostia bridge.

SEC. 3. That the said company is also authorized to extend its track and run cars thereon from its present terminus on Nichols avenue, near Anacostia, by the way of Nichols avenue to the entrance to the grounds of the Government Hospital for the Insane, and along said avenue and the Livingstone road to the District line.

Extension to Insane
Asylum.

SEC. 4. That should any part of the track extension herein authorized coincide with portions of any other duly incorporated street railway in the District of Columbia, but one set of tracks shall be used

Use of other tracks.