

CHAP. 187.—An Act To levy and collect an income tax on railroads in Alaska, and for other purposes.

July 18, 1914.
[H. R. 9770.]

[Public, No. 144.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in addition to the normal income tax of one per centum on net income there shall be levied and collected one per centum on the gross annual income of all railroad corporations doing business in Alaska, on business done in Alaska, which shall be computed and collected in the manner provided in the Act of Congress, approved October third, nineteen hundred and thirteen, entitled "An Act to reduce tariff duties and to provide revenue for the Government, and for other purposes," the proceeds of which tax when collected shall be paid to the treasurer of Alaska and be applicable to general Territorial purposes. So much of the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March third, eighteen hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An Act to define and punish crimes in the District of Alaska and to provide a code of criminal procedure for said district," or Acts amendatory thereof as impose a license tax of \$100 per mile per annum on railroads operated in Alaska is hereby repealed, and all penalties for nonpayment thereof are hereby remitted.

Alaska railroads.
Additional income tax on.

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License tax abolished.

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Penalties remitted.

Approved, July 18, 1914.

CHAP. 191.—An Act Making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, and for other purposes.

July 21, 1914.
[H. R. 10523.]

[Public, No. 145.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the half of the following sums named, respectively, is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and the other half out of the revenues of the District of Columbia, in full for the purposes following, being for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, namely:

District of Columbia appropriations.
Half from District revenues.

GENERAL EXPENSES.

General expenses.

EXECUTIVE OFFICE: Two commissioners, at \$5,000 each; engineer commissioner, so much as may be necessary (to make salary of \$5,000); secretary, \$2,400; assistant secretaries to commissioners—one \$1,500, one \$1,200; clerks—one \$1,600, one \$1,500, one \$1,400, two at \$1,200 each, one (who shall be a stenographer and typewriter) \$1,200, one \$840, two at \$720 each; messengers—two at \$600 each; stenographer and typewriter, \$840; two drivers, at \$600 each.

Executive office.
Salaries, Commissioners, etc.

Veterinary division: Veterinary surgeon for all horses in the department of the District government, \$1,200;

Veterinary surgeons, etc.

Medicines, surgical and hospital supplies, \$1,000;

Purchasing division: Purchasing officer, \$3,000; deputy purchasing officer, \$1,600; computer, \$1,440; clerks—one \$1,500, one \$1,300, six at \$1,200 each, three at \$900 each, six at \$720 each; inspector of fuel, \$1,500; assistant inspector of fuel, \$1,100; storekeeper, \$1,000; messenger, \$600; driver, \$600; inspectors, two at \$900 each; two laborers, at \$600 each; two property-yard keepers, at \$1,000 each; inspector of materials, \$1,200; temporary laborer, \$150;

Purchasing division.

Building inspection division: Inspector of buildings, \$3,000; assistant inspectors of buildings—principal \$1,800, twelve at \$1,200 each; fire-escape inspector, \$1,400; temporary employment of additional assistant inspectors for such time as their services may be necessary, \$1,500; civil engineers or computers—one \$1,800, one \$1,500; clerks—chief, \$1,500, one \$1,050, one \$1,000, one (who shall

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