

Existing law amended to include New Mexico.
Vol. 44, p. 301, amended.

1926, is amended by striking out the words "State of Louisiana" wherever they appear in such Act and inserting in lieu thereof: "States of Louisiana and New Mexico."

Approved, July 16, 1932.

[CHAPTER 499.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

July 16, 1932.
[H. J. Res. 474.]
[Pub. Res., No. 40.]

Making available as of July 1, 1932, the appropriations contained in the regular annual appropriation Acts for the fiscal year 1933 for the Departments of Agriculture, Post Office, Treasury, and War, and ratifying obligations incurred in anticipation thereof.

Annual appropriations made available from July 1, 1932.
Ante, pp. 580, 609, 664.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the appropriations and authority with respect to appropriations contained, respectively, in the regular annual appropriation Acts for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1933, for the Department of Agriculture, the Treasury and Post Office Departments, and the military and nonmilitary activities of the War Department, shall be available from and including July 1, 1932, for the purposes respectively provided in such appropriations and authority for the service of such fiscal year. All obligations incurred during the period between June 30, 1932, and the respective dates of enactment of each of such Acts in anticipation of such appropriations and/or authority are hereby ratified and confirmed if in accordance with the terms thereof.

Post, p. 1781.

Incurred obligations ratified.

Approved, July 16, 1932.

[CHAPTER 500.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

July 16, 1932.
[H. J. Res. 475.]
[Pub. Res., No. 41.]

Making an appropriation for the payment of pages for the Senate and House of Representatives from July 16 to July 25, 1932.

Pages, Houses of Congress.
Pay extended to July 25, 1932.
Ante, 647.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, so much as may be necessary to provide for the payment of twenty-one pages for the Senate and forty-one pages for the House of Representatives at the rate provided by law from July 16 to July 25, 1932, both dates inclusive.

Approved, July 16, 1932.

[CHAPTER 507.]

AN ACT

July 19, 1932.
[S. 4522.]
[Public, No. 292.]

To authorize the conveyance to the State of Tennessee of certain land deeded to the United States for the Great Smoky Mountains National Park and not needed therefor.

Great Smoky Mountains National Park, Tenn.
Reconveyance of certain land in Happy Valley to State.

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, in his discretion, to convey to the State of Tennessee by the execution of appropriate deeds on behalf of the United States approximately two hundred and seventy-two and nine-tenths acres of land in Happy Valley and approximately two thousand seven hundred and ninety-five and two-tenths acres of land adjoining the north park boundary of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, said lands having been heretofore deeded to the United States by said State for park purposes and now being found unnecessary therefor: *Provided*, That the proceeds of the sale of said land by the State of Tennessee shall be applied to

Proviso.
Other lands in lieu.

the purchase of other desirable and unacquired land within the park boundaries in Tennessee, or, if deemed more advantageous, may be exchanged for such unacquired lands within the park area.

Approved, July 19, 1932.

[CHAPTER 508.]

AN ACT

To extend the provisions of the National Bank Act to the Virgin Islands of the United States, and for other purposes.

July 19, 1932.
[S. 4574.]
[Public, No. 293.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the National Bank Act, as amended, and all other Acts of Congress relating to national banks, shall, in so far as not locally inapplicable hereafter, apply to the Virgin Islands of the United States.

National Bank Act,
Vol. 13, p. 99; Vol. 18,
p. 123.
U. S. C., p. 268.
Provisions of, ex-
tended to Virgin Is-
lands.

Approved, July 19, 1932.

[CHAPTER 509.]

AN ACT

To protect the copyrights and patents of foreign exhibitors at A Century of Progress (Chicago World's Fair Centennial Celebration), to be held at Chicago, Illinois, in 1933.

July 19, 1932.
[S. 4612.]
[Public, No. 294.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Librarian of Congress and the Commissioner of Patents are hereby authorized and directed to establish branch offices under the direction of the Register of Copyrights and the Commissioner of Patents, respectively, in suitable quarters on the grounds of the exposition to be held at Chicago, Illinois, under the direction of A Century of Progress, an Illinois corporation, said quarters to be furnished free of charge by said corporation, said offices to be established at such time as may, upon sixty days' advance notice, in writing, to the Register of Copyrights and the Commissioner of Patents, respectively, be requested by said A Century of Progress but not earlier than January 1, 1933, and to be maintained until the close to the general public of said exposition; and the proprietor of any foreign copyright, or any certificate of trade-mark registration, or letters patent of invention, design, or utility model issued by any foreign government protecting any trade-mark, apparatus, device, machine, process, method, composition of matter, design, or manufactured article imported for exhibition and exhibited at said exposition may upon presentation of proof of such proprietorship, satisfactory to the Register of Copyrights or the Commissioner of Patents, as the case may be, obtain without charge and without prior examination as to novelty, a certificate from such branch office, which shall be prima facie evidence in the Federal courts of such proprietorship, the novelty of the subject matter covered by any such certificate to be determined by a Federal court in case an action or suit is brought based thereon; and said branch offices shall keep registers of all such certificates issued by them, which shall be open to public inspection.

Chicago World's Fair
Centennial Celebra-
tion.
Copyrights and pat-
ents of foreign exhibi-
tors.
Branch offices at
Exposition authorized.

Certificates of pro-
prietorship to be issued.

Registers to be kept.

Deposit, at close of
exposition.

At the close of said A Century of Progress Exposition the register of certificates of the copyright registrations aforesaid shall be deposited in the Copyright Office in the Library of Congress at Washington, District of Columbia, and the register of all other certificates of registration aforesaid shall be deposited in the United States Patent Office at Washington, District of Columbia, and there