

issuance of a substitute check or warrant upon such an affidavit as he may prescribe, to be made before any postmaster by the payee or owner of an original check.

Payment of substitutes.

48 Stat. 1235.  
31 U. S. C. § 725 (t).

“(e) Substitutes, marked as hereinabove provided, drawn on the Treasurer of the United States, shall, after the lapse of the period fixed by section 21 of the Permanent Appropriation Repeal Act, 1934 (48 Stat. 1235; U. S. C., 1934 edition, title 31, sec. 725 (t)), for the payment of the original checks, be payable only as the original checks would be payable thereunder.

“Original check” defined.

“(f) The term ‘original check’ wherever used in this section means any check, warrant, or other order for the payment of money, payable upon demand and not bearing interest, drawn by a duly authorized officer or agent of the United States on its behalf against an account or funds of the United States, whether upon a bank or upon the Treasurer or other paying officer of the United States, but does not include money, coins, or currency of the United States nor instruments issued by any corporation or other entity owned or controlled by the United States, whether in whole or in part, against such corporation’s or entity’s own funds; as used in subsection (d) of this section it means such an instrument drawn by a duly authorized officer or employee of the Post Office Department.”

Short title.

SEC. 10. This Act may be cited as the “Government Losses in Shipment Act”.

Effective date.

SEC. 11. This Act shall become effective on July 1, 1937.

Approved, July 8, 1937.

[CHAPTER 445]

AN ACT

To permit the temporary entry into the United States under certain conditions of alien participants and officials of the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts Silver Jubilee Camp to be held in the United States in 1937.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That alien Girl Guides and Girl Scouts participants, officials, and executives who are accredited members of delegations to the Silver Jubilee Camp to be held in the United States in 1937, all of whom are nonimmigrants, if otherwise admissible into the United States under the immigration laws, shall be exempted from payment of the tax of \$8 prescribed by section 2 of the Immigration Act of 1917 and exempted from the fees prescribed by law to be collected in connection with executing an application for a visa and visaing the passport or other travel document of an alien for the purpose of entering the United States as a nonimmigrant, and such aliens shall not be required to present official passports issued by the governments to which they owe allegiance: *Provided*, That aliens shall be in possession of official Girl Guide or Girl Scout identity cards issued by their own governments or issued by the World Association of Girl Guides and Girl Scouts indicating their Girl Guide or Girl Scout status and nationality, and duly visaed without charge by American consular officers abroad: *And provided further*, That such aliens shall comply with regulations not inconsistent with the foregoing provisions which shall be prescribed by the Secretary of Labor and Secretary of State: *Provided, however*, That nothing herein shall relieve an alien from being required to obtain a gratis nonimmigration visa if coming to the United States as a nonimmigrant, or an immigration visa if coming to the United States as an immigrant.

July 8, 1937

[H. R. 7206]

[Public, No. 193]

Girl Guides and Girl Scouts Silver Jubilee Camp, 1937.  
Temporary entry of alien participants, etc.

Exemption from tax, etc.

39 Stat. 875.  
8 U. S. C. § 132.  
Visa, etc., fees waived.

Passports.

*Provisos.*  
Identification required.

Compliance with prescribed regulations.

Obtaining of visas by aliens.

SEC. 2. That such aliens shall be permitted free entry of their personal effects and their equipments to be used in connection with the Silver Jubilee Camp, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Approved, July 8, 1937.

Free entry of personal effects.

[CHAPTER 468]

AN ACT

Validating and confirming certain mineral patents issued for lands situated in township 5 south, range 15 east, Montana principal meridian, in the State of Montana.

July 8, 1937  
[H. R. 7021]

[Public, No. 194]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That those certain mineral patents heretofore issued by the President of the United States, under the mineral laws of the United States, upon the quartz-lode, placer-mining, and mill-site claims described as follows: The Minneapolis Placer Numbered 1, survey numbered 64, except that part thereof within and conflicting with the southwest<sup>1</sup> quarter, section 15, township 5 south, range 15 east, Montana principal meridian; the Millsite, survey numbered 63-F; the Stillwater Placer Numbered 1, survey numbered 71, except as to that portion thereof within and conflicting with the west half southwest quarter, section 28, and the northeast quarter northeast quarter, section 32, township 5 south, range 15 east, Montana principal meridian; Rough Rock, survey numbered 63-B; Stillwater, survey numbered 63-E; Something, survey numbered 72-B; Mountain View, survey numbered 63-A; Red Bird, survey numbered 63-C; Big Thing, survey numbered 63-D; Rough Rock Numbered 2, survey numbered 72-A; Brooklyn, survey numbered 69-A; Avalanche, survey numbered 69-B; Bald Eagle, survey numbered 69-D; Cataract, survey numbered 69-C; New Wabelisky, survey numbered 68-B; Summit, survey numbered 68-A; Perseverance, Emerald, Blue Jay, Copper Bottom, and Ridge Lode mining and mill-site claims, designated by the Surveyor General as lots numbered 70-A, 70-B, 70-C, 70-D, 70-E, and 70-F, respectively, in the Stillwater mining district, township 5 south, range 15 east, Montana principal meridian, in the counties of Stillwater and Sweet Grass, State of Montana, which lands were, at the time the said patents were issued, described, as or assumed to be situate in township 7 south, range 16 east, Montana principal meridian, then unsurveyed, but were in fact situate in township 5 south, range 15 east, Montana principal meridian, be, and the said mineral patents and the titles conveyed thereby are, hereby validated and confirmed.

Montana.  
Certain mineral patents heretofore issued, validated and confirmed.  
Description.

Approved, July 8, 1937.

[CHAPTER 469]

AN ACT

To provide for the acquisition of certain lands for, and the addition thereof to, the Yosemite National Park, in the State of California, and for other purposes.

July 9, 1937  
[H. R. 5394]

[Public, No. 195]

*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 hereby authorized to acquire, by purchase when purchaseable at prices deemed by him reasonable—otherwise by condemnation under the provisions of the Act of August 1, 1888, on behalf of the United States under any fund or moneys available

Yosemite National Park, Calif.  
Lands added.  
Condemnation proceedings.  
25 Stat. 357.  
40 U. S. C. § 257.  
Post, p. 764.

<sup>1</sup> So in original.