

in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters", approved March 23, 1906, and subject to the conditions and limitations contained in this Act.

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

Approved, June 29, 1938.

34 Stat. 84.  
33 U. S. C. § 491.

Amendment.

[CHAPTER 801]

AN ACT

To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Indiana.

June 29, 1938  
[H. R. 10670]  
[Public, No. 767]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Wabash River, at or near Merom, Sullivan County, Indiana, authorized to be built by Sullivan County, Indiana, or any board or commission of said county which is or may be created or established for the purpose, by an Act of Congress approved February 10, 1932, heretofore extended by Acts of Congress approved April 30, 1934, June 28, 1935, May 1, 1936, and July 5, 1937, are hereby extended one and three years, respectively, from July 5, 1938.

Wabash River.  
Time extended for  
bridging, at Merom,  
Ind.

47 Stat. 44; 48 Stat.  
654; 49 Stat. 429, 1254;  
50 Stat. 476.

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

Amendment.

Approved, June 29, 1938.

[CHAPTER 802]

AN ACT

Authorizing the village of Baudette, State of Minnesota, its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Rainy River at Baudette, Minnesota.

June 29, 1938  
[H. R. 10777]  
[Public, No. 768]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That in order to facilitate international commerce, improve the postal service, and provide for other purposes the village of Baudette, Minnesota, its successors and assigns, be, and it is hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Rainy River, so far as the United States has jurisdiction over the waters of such river, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation at Baudette, Minnesota, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled, "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters", approved March 23, 1906, subject to the conditions and limitations contained in this Act, and subject to the approval of the proper authorities in Canada.

Rainy River.  
Baudette, Minn.,  
may bridge.

34 Stat. 84.  
33 U. S. C. § 491.

There is hereby conferred upon the village of Baudette, Minnesota, its successors and assigns, all such rights and powers to enter upon lands and to acquire, condemn, occupy, possess, and use real estate and other property in the State of Minnesota, needed for the location, construction, operation, and maintenance of such bridge and its approaches as are possessed by railroad corporations for railroad purposes or by bridge corporations for bridge purposes in the State of Minnesota upon making just compensation therefor to be ascertained and paid according to the laws of such State, and the proceedings therefor shall be the same as in the condemnation or expropriation of property for public purpose in such State.

Acquisition of real  
estate, etc.

- Tolls.** That the said village of Baudette, Minnesota, its successors and assigns, are hereby authorized to fix and charge tolls for transit over such bridge in accordance with any laws of Canada applicable thereto, and the rates of toll so fixed shall be the legal rates until changed by the Secretary of War under the authority contained in the Act of March 23, 1906.
- Rights conferred.** The right to sell, assign, transfer, and mortgage all the rights, powers, and privileges conferred by this Act is hereby granted to the village of Baudette, Minnesota, its successors and assigns; and any corporation to which or any person to whom such rights, powers, and privileges may be sold, assigned, or transferred, or who shall acquire the same by mortgage foreclosure or otherwise, is hereby authorized and empowered to exercise the same as fully as though conferred herein directly upon such corporation or person.
- Amendment.** The right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.
- Approved, June 29, 1938.

## [CHAPTER 803]

## AN ACT

To authorize the county of Kauai to issue bonds of such county in the year 1938 under the authority of Act 186 of the Session Laws of Hawaii, 1937, in excess of 1 per centum of the assessed value of the property in said county as shown by the last assessment for taxation.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the county of Kauai, Hawaii, be, and it is hereby, authorized to issue bonds of such county in the year 1938 under the authority for issuance of such bonds contained in Act 186 of the Session Laws of Hawaii, 1937, regardless of whether or not the issuance of such bonds results in the incurring of indebtedness by said county in that year in excess of 1 per centum of the assessed value of the property in the county as shown by the last assessment for taxation, regardless of any provision of the Organic Act or any other Act of this Congress limiting the amount of indebtedness which said county can incur in any one year.

Approved, June 29, 1938.

## [CHAPTER 804]

## AN ACT

To authorize the conveyance to the Arthur Alexander Post Numbered 68, the American Legion, of Belzoni, Mississippi, of the improvements and site containing eighteen acres of land, more or less, at Lock and Dam Numbered 1 on the Sunflower River, Mississippi.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of War is authorized and directed to convey by quit-claim deed to the Arthur Alexander Post Numbered 68, The American Legion, of Belzoni, Mississippi, for the sum of \$2,050, a tract of land, together with the improvements thereon, including one dwelling, three cottages, a shop, a boiler house, an oil house, a garage, a coal house, a telephone line, and a water tank, situated on the west bank of the Big Sunflower River, at Lock and Dam No. 1, in Washington County, Mississippi, being a part of Lot 6 of Section 2, Township 15 North, Range 5 West, and more specifically described as follows:

Beginning at a point on the West bank of the Big Sunflower River, which point is West two thousand nine hundred and thirty-one and four tenths (2,931.4) feet, and South four thou-

**Kauai County, Hawaii.**  
Issuance of bonds authorized.

31 Stat. 141.  
48 U. S. C. §§ 491-678; Supp. III, §§ 562a-j.

**Arthur Alexander Post Numbered 68, The American Legion, Belzoni, Miss.**  
Conveyance of certain land, etc., to.  
Purchase price.

**Description.**

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[Public, No. 769]

June 29, 1938  
[H. R. 10873]  
[Public, No. 770]