

ties; except that proposals for carrying the mail tendered by firms, companies, or corporations shall be considered: *Provided*, That such firms, companies, or corporations are actually engaged in business within the counties in which individuals are herein restricted as to residence: *And provided further*, That the term "county", as used herein, shall include parish or other similar primary subdivision of a State.

Approved, May 31, 1940.

*Provisos.*  
Companies, etc.

"County"; parish,  
etc., included.

[CHAPTER 227]

AN ACT

Authorizing the continuance of the Prison Industries Reorganization Administration, established by Executive Order Numbered 7194 of September 26, 1935, to June 30, 1941.

May 31, 1940  
[S. 2303]

[Public, No. 539]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the duties and functions of the Prison Industries Reorganization Administration, established by Executive Order Numbered 7194 of September 26, 1935, are hereby continued until June 30, 1941.

Prison Industries  
Reorganization Ad-  
ministration.  
Continuance until  
June 30, 1941.

SEC. 2. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated for the administrative expenses of the Administration an amount of \$50,000 for the fiscal year 1941.

Appropriation au-  
thorized.

Approved, May 31, 1940.

[CHAPTER 228]

AN ACT

To amend section 5 of the Act entitled "An Act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1190; 34 U. S. C. 893), so as to authorize the payment of a per diem in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of aviation charts.

May 31, 1940  
[S. 3013]

[Public, No. 540]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the first paragraph of section 5 of the Act entitled "An Act authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes", approved March 3, 1925 (43 Stat. 1190; 34 U. S. C. 893), is hereby amended to read as follows:

Aerial surveys by  
Army, Navy, and  
Marine Corps per-  
sonnel.  
10 U. S. C. § 306.

"SEC. 5. To cover actual additional expenses to which flyers are subjected when making aerial surveys, hereafter a per diem of \$7 in lieu of other travel allowances shall be paid to officers, warrant officers, and enlisted men of the Army, Navy, and Marine Corps for the actual time consumed while traveling by air, under competent orders, in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of Hydrographic Office aviation charts, and aerial surveys of rivers and harbors or other governmental projects, and a per diem of \$6 for the actual time consumed in making such aerial surveys, or flight checking of Hydrographic Office aviation charts. The per diem authorized in connection with naval aerial surveys and flight checking of Hydrographic Office aviation charts shall be paid from the appropriation 'Pay, subsistence, and transportation of naval personnel'. The per diem authorized in connection with aerial surveys of rivers and harbors or other governmental projects shall be paid from appropriations available for the particular improvement or project for which the survey is being made: *Provided*, That not more than one of the per diem allowances authorized in this section shall be paid for any one day: *And provided further*, That Naval and

Per diem for actual  
additional expenses.

Per diem for actual  
time consumed.

Payment.

*Provisos.*  
Allowance limited.

Restriction.

Marine Corps personnel shall not be entitled to the allowances authorized by this section when naval tender facilities or the equivalent thereof are available while traveling by air or in the area where the naval survey or flight checking duties are performed."

Approved, May 31, 1940.

## [CHAPTER 229]

## AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to accept real estate granted to the United States by the city of Miami, Florida, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to accept on behalf of the United States the real estate granted to the United States by the city of Miami, Florida, in manner provided by and in accordance with provisions of resolution numbered 15635 adopted by the Commission of the City of Miami, Florida, on September 20, 1939, as amended by resolution numbered 16087 adopted by the Commission of the City of Miami, Florida, on April 5, 1940.

Approved, June 3, 1940.

## [CHAPTER 230]

## AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to acquire land at Key West, Florida.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to acquire, by purchase or condemnation, sixty-two acres of land, more or less, in the city of Key West, Florida, fronting on Palm Avenue on the south and the Gulf of Mexico on the north, having a frontage on Palm Avenue of approximately one thousand seven hundred and ninety and eighty-three hundredths feet and being approximately one thousand five hundred and twenty-five and fifty-five hundredths feet deep, for the development and expansion of the Naval Air Station, Key West, Florida.

SEC. 2. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sum not to exceed \$125,000 to effectuate the purposes of this Act.

Approved, June 3, 1940.

## [CHAPTER 231]

## JOINT RESOLUTION

Providing for the taking effect of Reorganization Plan Numbered V.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the provisions of Reorganization Plan Numbered V, submitted to the Congress on May 22, 1940, shall take effect on the tenth day after the date of enactment of this joint resolution, notwithstanding the provisions of the Reorganization Act of 1939.

SEC. 2. Nothing in such plan or this joint resolution shall be construed as having the effect of continuing any agency or function beyond the time when it would have terminated without regard to such plan or this joint resolution or of continuing any function beyond the time when the agency in which it was vested would have terminated without regard to such plan or this joint resolution.

June 3, 1940  
[H. R. 7543]  
[Public, No. 541]

Miami, Fla.  
Acceptance of certain real estate in, authorized.

June 3, 1940  
[H. R. 9140]  
[Public, No. 542]

Naval Air Station, Key West, Fla.  
Acquisition of certain land for.

Appropriation authorized.  
Post, p. 880.

June 4, 1940  
[H. J. Res. 551]  
[Pub. Res., No. 75]

Reorganization Plan Numbered V, effective date.  
Post, p. 1238.

53 Stat. 562.  
5 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 133d.

Continuation of agency or function.