

of the passage of said Act; and also further amended by adding at the end thereof the following, namely:

“But the said plans and profiles may from time to time, with the approval of the said Commissioners, be modified or changed by the said company, and thereafter the work shall be done in accordance with the said modified or changed plans and profiles.”

Modification, etc., of plans. Commissioners to approve.

SEC. 2. That so much of said Act as provides that Ninth street southwest shall be carried over said railroad is hereby amended by providing that said street shall be carried under said railroad by a suitable subway to be constructed under the terms of said Act.

Subway for Ninth street southwest. Vol. 31, p. 767, amended.

Approved, February 23, 1905.

CHAP. 740.—An Act Permitting the Washington Market Company to lay a conduit across Seventh street west.

February 23, 1905. [S. 7008.]

[Public, No. 94.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Washington Market Company is hereby authorized to lay a conduit and pipes from Center Market eastward across and under Seventh street west, for refrigerating purposes, under the following conditions, namely: The conduit and pipes therein shall be laid in a straight direction, at a right angle to the building lines of said Seventh street, to the west building line of square numbered four hundred and sixty-one of the city of Washington. They shall be located as directed by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia and be laid under their inspection; and the cost of such inspection, together with the cost of replacing the pavement, curbs, and sidewalks disturbed in connection with said work, shall be paid in advance by the Washington Market Company. The conduit and pipes shall be used for no other purpose than refrigeration for the use of persons engaged in said square numbered four hundred and sixty-one in the traffic in meat and other articles of market produce; and the said company shall not rent or sell the said conduit or pipes, or any part thereof, but may sell for a time, not to exceed twelve months at any one sale, the use of the fluid transmitted.

District of Columbia. Washington Market Company may lay conduit across Seventh street west. Conditions.

SEC. 2. That on violation of any of the above provisions or restrictions the said Commissioners shall require the permittee, after thirty days' notice, to abandon the use of said conduit and pipes and remove them from said Seventh street, and if said permittee shall neglect or refuse to remove said conduit and pipes and place the surface of Seventh street, including the sidewalks, in good condition within sixty days after the date of said notice, the said permittee shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and shall be liable to a fine of ten dollars for each and every day that the said conduit and pipes, or any of them, are allowed to remain in said Seventh street, or the said street shall remain out of repair, which fine shall be recovered in the police court of the said District, in the name of said District, as other fines and penalties are now recovered in said court.

Violation. Penalty for.

SEC. 3. That Congress reserves the right to amend, alter, or repeal this Act.

Amendment.

Approved, February 23, 1905.

CHAP. 741.—An Act To mark the grave of Major Pierre Charles L'Enfant.

February 23, 1905. [S. 7081.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, to enable

[Public, No. 95.]

District of Columbia. Appropriation for monument to Pierre Charles L'Enfant.

the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to purchase and erect over the grave of Major Pierre Charles L'Enfant, at its present location, a tombstone inscribed as said Commissioners shall direct: *Provided*, That the owners of the land whereon said grave is situated shall dedicate a plot of ground, acceptable to said Commissioners, to be reserved in perpetuity as such burial site, and shall also dedicate a permanent right of way for the use of the public over their said land from the adjacent public road to said burial site.

Approved, February 23, 1905.

Proviso.
Dedication of burial
site, etc.

February 23, 1905.

[H. R. 17746.]

[Public, No. 96.]

CHAP. 742.—An Act Authorizing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to furnish Potomac water without charge to charitable institutions, and so forth, in the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and are hereby, authorized to furnish Potomac water without charge to charitable institutions and such institutions as receive annual appropriations from Congress, to an amount to be fixed in each case by the said Commissioners, not to exceed a rate of one hundred gallons per day for each inmate of said institutions; and for all water used beyond such an amount, to be ascertained by water meters installed and maintained at the expense of the consumer, the institution shall be charged at the prevailing rate for the use of water in the District of Columbia, which shall be collected in the manner prescribed for the collection of water rents. The said Commissioners are further authorized to furnish Potomac water without charge to churches to an amount to be fixed in each case by the said Commissioners, and any amount used in excess of the amount allowed, to be ascertained in the manner aforesaid, shall be charged and collected as hereinbefore described. For the purposes of this Act a charitable institution is one whose objects are primarily eleemosynary; and nothing herein contained shall be so construed as to include educational institutions other than charity schools wholly supported by voluntary contributions or institutions supported wholly or in part by Congressional appropriations.

SEC. 2. That all Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed.

Approved, February 23, 1905.

District of Columbia.
Charitable institutions,
etc., furnished
Potomac water free.

Limit.

Churches.

Limit.

Restrictions.

Amendments.

February 23, 1905.

[H. R. 18126.]

[Public, No. 97.]

CHAP. 743.—An Act To close and open an alley in square numbered eight hundred and six in the city of Washington, District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia are hereby authorized and directed to vacate and close the existing alley between parts of lots one and eight in square eight hundred and six in the city of Washington, providing the owner of said parts of lots one and eight dedicate land for another alley of not less than equal area, to be approved by said Commissioners.

SEC. 2. That the land in the alley closed and vacated shall revert to the owner of the land abutting upon said alley.

Approved, February 23, 1905.

District of Columbia.
Closing of alley in
square 806.

Conditions.

Reversion.