

CHAP. 140.—An Act To extend the time for constructing a bridge across the White River at or near the town of Des Arc, Arkansas.

November 23, 1921.

[S. 2724.]

[Public, No. 102.]

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 bridge authorized by the Act of Congress approved February 19, 1920, to be built across the White River at or near the town of Des Arc, Arkansas, by Gordon N. Peay, junior, his heirs and assigns, are hereby extended one year and three years, respectively, from the date of approval hereof.

White River.
Time extended for
bridging, by Gordon
N. Peay, jr., at Des
Arc, Ark.
Vol. 41, p. 436, amend-
ed.

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

Amendment.

Approved, November 23, 1921.

CHAP. 141.—An Act To authorize the construction of a bridge across the White River, in Prairie County, Arkansas.

November 23, 1921.

[S. 2724.]

[Public, No. 103.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent of Congress is hereby granted to Harry E. Bovay, his successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the White River, at a point where the Bankhead Highway now crosses the said river, said point being now designated as just south of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company's bridge, near the city of De Valls Bluff, county of Prairie, and State of Arkansas. Said bridge shall be constructed at or near such point as is most suitable to the interests of navigation and in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved March 23, 1906, entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters."

White River.
Harry E. Bovay
may bridge, near De
Valls Bluff, Ark.

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

Construction.
Vol. 34, p. 84.

Amendment.

Approved, November 23, 1921.

CHAP. 142.—An Act To amend section 955 of the Revised Statutes by extending the jurisdiction of courts in cases of revivor.

November 23, 1921.

[H. R. 6053.]

[Public, No. 104.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 955 of the Revised Statutes of the United States is hereby amended to read as follows:

United States courts.
R. S., sec. 955, p. 181,
amended.

"**SEC. 955.** When either of the parties, whether plaintiff or petitioner or defendant, in any suit in any court of the United States, dies before final judgment, the executor or administrator of such deceased party may, in case the cause of action survives by law, prosecute or defend any such suit to final judgment. The defendant shall answer accordingly, and the court shall hear and determine the cause and render judgment for or against the executor or administrator, as the case may require. And if such executor or administrator, having been duly served with a scire facias from the office of the clerk of the court where the suit is depending twenty days beforehand, neglects or refuses to become party to the suit, the court may render judgment against the estate of the deceased party in the same manner as if the executor or administrator had voluntarily made himself a party. The executor or administrator who becomes a party as aforesaid shall, upon motion to the court, be entitled to a continuance of the suit until the next term of said court.

Post, p. 352.
Death of parties in a
suit.
Revivor by executor
or administrator.

Defendant to an-
swer.

Judgment on refusal,
etc., of executor or ad-
ministrator to become
party to suit.

Continuance.

"The provisions of this section shall apply to suits in equity and in admiralty as well as to suits at law, and the jurisdiction of all courts of the United States shall extend to and over executors and

Extended to equity
and admiralty suits.
Jurisdiction of
courts.

administrators of any party, who dies before final judgment or decree, appointed under the laws of any State or Territory of the United States in which the action is pending, and such court shall have jurisdiction within two years from the date of the death of the party to the suit to issue its scire facias to executors and administrators appointed in any State or Territory of the United States which may be served in any judicial district by the marshal thereof: *Provided, however,* That no executor or administrator shall be made a party unless such service is made before final settlement and distribution of the estate of said deceased party to the suit."

Proviso.
Service to be made
before final settlement
of estate.

Prior application,
etc.

SEC. 2. That the provisions of section 955 of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended by this Act shall apply to suits in which any party has deceased prior to the passage of this amendatory Act as well as to suits in which any party may die hereafter.

Approved, November 23, 1921.

November 23, 1921.
[H. R. 7394.]
[Public, No. 105.]

CHAP. 143.—An Act To extend the time for the construction of a bridge across the Tombigbee River at or near Ironwood Bluff, in the county of Itawamba, Mississippi.

Tombigbee River.
Time extended for
bridging, by Itawam-
ba County, Miss., at
Iron Wood Bluff.
Vol. 41, p. 391, amend-
ed.

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 and approaches thereto authorized by the Act of Congress approved January 15, 1920, to be constructed by the board of supervisors of Itawamba County, Mississippi, across the Tombigbee River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation at or near Ironwood Bluff, in the county of Itawamba, in the State of Mississippi, are hereby extended one and three years, respectively, from the date of approval hereof.

Amendment.

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

Approved, November 23, 1921.

November 23, 1921.
[H. R. 7428.]
[Public, No. 106.]

CHAP. 144.—An Act To amend section 1 of an Act entitled "An Act to incorporate Gonzaga College, in the city of Washington and District of Columbia."

District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 1 of the Act entitled "An Act to incorporate Gonzaga College, in the city of Washington and District of Columbia," approved May 4, 1858, is amended to read as follows:

Gonzaga College.
Incorporation of.
Vol. 11, p. 235, amend-
ed.

Purposes extended.

"That Burcard Villiger, Charles H. Stonestreet, Daniel Lynch, Edward X. Hand, and Charles Jenkins, and their successors, be, and they are hereby, made a body politic and corporate forever, by the name of the president and directors of Gonzaga College, for purposes of charity, religion, and education; and by that name may sue, and be sued, prosecute and defend; may have and use a common seal and the same alter and renew at pleasure; may adopt rules, regulations, and by-laws not repugnant to the Constitution and laws of the United States, for properly conducting the affairs of said corporation; may take, receive, purchase, and hold estate, real, personal, and mixed necessary for occupation and use by said Gonzaga College in carrying on in a comfortable and convenient manner its educational, religious, and charitable work, and may manage and dispose of the same at pleasure, and apply the same, or the proceeds of the sales thereof, to the uses and purposes of the said corporation, according to the rules and regulations which now are, or may hereafter be, established."

No restriction on
property holdings.

Approved, November 23, 1921.