

of March 1, 1917, and said \$1,000,000 be carried to the surplus fund and covered into the Treasury: *Provided further*, That any unexpended balance of the sum hereby appropriated remaining after the present flood emergency has passed may be expended by the Mississippi River Commission under the authority and subject to the provisions of the said Flood Control Act.

Approved, April 21, 1922.

Post, p. 760.
Use of unexpended
balances.

CHAP. 140.—An Act Authorizing extensions of time for the payment of purchase money due under certain homestead entries and Government-land purchases within the former Cheyenne River and Standing Rock Indian Reservations, North Dakota and South Dakota.

April 25, 1922.
[H. R. 9710.]
[Public, No. 198.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any homestead entryman or purchaser of Government lands within the former Cheyenne River and Standing Rock Indian Reservations in North Dakota and South Dakota who is unable to make payment of purchase money due under his entry or contract of purchase as required by existing law or regulations, on application duly verified showing that he is unable to make payment as required, shall be granted an extension to the 1923 anniversary of the date of his entry or contract of purchase upon payment of interest in advance at the rate of 5 per centum per annum on the amounts due from the maturity thereof to the said anniversary; and if at the expiration of the extended period the entryman or purchaser is still unable to make the payment he may, upon the same terms and conditions, in the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior, be granted such further extensions of time, not exceeding a period of three years, as the facts warrant.

Cheyenne River and
Standing Rock Indian
Reservations, N. Dak.
and S. Dak.
Extension of time
allowed for payment:
on lands in former.
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Further extensions if
unable to make pay-
ments.

Approved, April 25, 1922.

CHAP. 141.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the commissioning in the Marine Corps of midshipmen under certain conditions.

April 25, 1922.
[H. J. Res. 274.]
[Pub. Res., No. 51.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any midshipman of the United States Naval Academy who has heretofore failed to graduate therefrom and who shall have served honorably in the Marine Corps for a period of one year, and who has passed satisfactorily the examination for appointment as a commissioned officer of the Marine Corps, may be commissioned prior to the graduation of the class at the Naval Academy of which he was a member.

Midshipmen.
Who failed to gradu-
ate at Naval Academy
but served in Marine
Corps may be commis-
sioned therein prior to
graduation of their
class.

Approved, April 25, 1922.

CHAP. 142.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the erection on public grounds in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, of a statue of Edmund Burke.

April 25, 1922.
[S. J. Res. 165.]
[Pub. Res., No. 52.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to select a suitable site and to grant permission to the Sulgrave Institution for the erection, as a gift to the people of the United States, on public grounds of the United States in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, other than those of the Capitol, the Library of Congress, Potomac Park, and the White House, of a monument

District of Columbia.
Statue of Edmund
Burke may be erected
on public grounds in.
Locations excepted.