

lien in favor of the United States for construction or other charges as provided in the Act of June 17, 1902, and Acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto, known as the reclamation law: *Provided*, That such lands are otherwise eligible for loans under the Federal Farm Loan Act: *And provided further*, That the amount and date of maturity of such lien shall be given due consideration in fixing the value of such lands for loan purposes.

Approved, May 15, 1922.

Proviso.
If otherwise eligible.
Amount and maturity of lien.

CHAP. 194.—An Act To amend the Code of Law for 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 Code of Law for the District of Columbia be amended by adding a new section to read as follows:

SEC. 204a. That whenever the United States attorney for the District of Columbia shall certify in writing to the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of said District, or, in his absence, to the senior associate justice of said court, that the exigencies of the public service require it, said chief justice or senior associate justice may, in his discretion, order an additional grand jury summoned, which additional grand jury shall be drawn at such time as he may designate in the manner now provided by law for the drawing of grand jurors in the District of Columbia, and unless sooner discharged by order of said chief justice or, in his absence, senior associate justice, said additional grand jury shall serve during and until the end of the term in and for which it shall have been drawn.

Approved, May 19, 1922.

May 19, 1922.
[S. 3505.]
[Public, No. 220.]

District of Columbia
Code Amendment.
Vol. 41, p. 560, amended.

Grand jury.
Additional, to be drawn when exigency for, certified to District Supreme Court.

CHAP. 196.—An Act Making an appropriation to enable the Department of Justice to investigate and prosecute war frauds.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the investigation and prosecution of alleged frauds, either civil or criminal, or other crimes or offenses against the United States, growing out of or arising in connection with the preparation for or prosecution of the late war, to be available for the employment of counsel and other assistants, rent, and all other purposes in connection therewith, whether in the District of Columbia or elsewhere, there is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$500,000, to be expended in the discretion of the Attorney General, and to remain available until June 30, 1923: *Provided*, That this appropriation shall not be available for rent of buildings in the District of Columbia if suitable space is provided by the Public Buildings Commission: *Provided further*, That not more than one person shall be employed hereunder at a rate of compensation exceeding \$10,000 per annum.

Approved, May 22, 1922.

CHAP. 197.—An Act To extend for the period of two years the provisions of Title II of the Food Control and the District of Columbia Rents Act, approved October 22, 1919, as amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it is hereby declared that the emergency described in Title II of the Food Control and the District of Columbia Rents Act still exists and continues in the Dis-

May 22, 1922.
[H. R. 11645.]
[Public, No. 221.]

War frauds.
Appropriation for prosecution, etc., of, by Department of Justice.
Post, p. 1081.

Proviso.
Rent restriction.

Pay restriction.

May 22, 1922.
[S. 2919.]
[Public, No. 222.]

District of Columbia
Rents Act.
Emergency declared for extending.
Vol. 41, p. 298.