

Government, from hotel and hospital supplies, and services; from rentals, wharfage, and like service; from labor, materials, and supplies and other services furnished to vessels other than those passing through the canal, and to others unable to obtain the same elsewhere; from the sale of scrap and other by-products of manufacturing and shop operations; from the sale of obsolete and unserviceable materials, supplies, and equipment purchased or acquired for the operation, maintenance, protection, sanitation, and government of the canal and Canal Zone; and any net profits accruing from such business to the Panama Canal shall annually be covered into the Treasury of the United States.

Net profits to be covered into the Treasury.

In addition there is appropriated for the operation, maintenance, and extension of waterworks, sewers, and pavements in the cities of Panama and Colon, during the fiscal year 1924, the necessary portions of such sums as shall be paid as water rentals or directly by the Government of Panama for such expenses.

Operating water-works, etc., for Panama and Colon.

Approved, March 2, 1923.

CHAP. 179.—An Act Relating to the sinking fund for bonds and notes of the United States.

March 2, 1923.
[H. R. 13327.]
[Public, No. 466.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That subdivision (a) of section 6 of the Victory Liberty Loan Act is amended by inserting before the period at the end of the first sentence a comma and the following words: "and of bonds and notes thereafter issued, under any of such Acts or under any of such Acts as amended, for refunding purposes."

Sinking fund.
Provisions extended to all issues of Liberty bonds, etc.
Vol. 40, p. 1311, amended.

Approved, March 2, 1923.

CHAP. 180.—An Act To authorize the county of Hennepin, in the State of Minnesota, to construct a bridge and approaches thereto across the Minnesota River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation.

March 2, 1923.
[S. 4589.]
[Public, No. 467.]

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 the county of Hennepin, in the State of Minnesota, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Minnesota River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation between the Fort Snelling military reservation and Dakota County, in the State of Minnesota, in accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906.

Minnesota River, Hennepin County, Minn., may bridge, at Fort Snelling.

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

Construction.
Vol. 34, p. 84.

Amendment.

Approved, March 2, 1923.

CHAP. 181.—An Act To grant certain lands to the city of Canon City, Colorado, for a public park.

March 2, 1923.
[H. R. 7053.]
[Public, No. 468.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That upon the payment of \$1.25 per acre, the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to convey to the city of Canon City, in the State of Colorado, the south half of the southwest quarter, the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section five; the

Public lands.
Granted Canon City, Colo., for public park.
Description.

southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section six; the north half of the northeast quarter of section seven; the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter, and the north half of section eight, township seventeen south, range seventy west, sixth principal meridian; to have and to hold said lands for use as a public park: *Provided*, That the grant hereby made is, and the patent issued thereunder shall be, subject to all legal rights heretofore acquired by any person or persons in or to the above-described premises or any part thereof, and now existing under and by virtue of the laws of the United States: *Provided further*, That there shall be reserved to the United States all coal, oil, or other mineral deposits that may be found in the lands so granted and all necessary use of the lands for extracting the same: *And provided further*, That the lands hereby authorized to be conveyed, as hereinbefore set forth, and all portions thereof shall be held and used by or for the said grantee for the purpose herein specified, and if the lands shall cease to be so used for a period of three years at any one time, they shall revert to the United States, and this condition shall be expressed in the patent to be issued under the terms of this Act.

Approved, March 2, 1923.

March 2, 1923.
[H. R. 7967.]

[Public, No. 469.]

CHAP. 182.—An Act Granting certain lands to Escambia County, Florida, for a public park.

Public lands.
Granted Escambia
County, Fla., for public
park.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the public lands within the areas hereinafter described be, and the same are hereby, granted and conveyed to Escambia County, Florida, in trust, for the purposes of a public park, reserving, however, to the United States all oil, coal, and other mineral deposits within said lands and the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the same, to wit: The north half northeast quarter section thirty-four, township three south, range thirty-two west; south half southwest quarter section twenty-six, township three south, range thirty-two west; lot three, section twenty-six, township three south, range thirty-two west; lot one, section twenty-seven, township three south, range thirty-two west, comprising two hundred and fifty-three and nine-tenths acres, all Tallahassee meridian, within Escambia County, State of Florida, upon the payment of \$1.25 per acre; but nothing herein contained shall in any wise affect any claim of title heretofore acquired or asserted to any of the lands herein described.

Description.

Prior rights not affected.

Report of use to be submitted, etc.

SEC. 2. That the grant herein is made upon the express condition that within thirty days of the receipt of any request therefor from the Secretary of the Interior the county clerk shall submit to the said Secretary of the Interior a report as to the use made of the land herein granted the county during the preceding period named in such request, showing compliance with the terms and conditions stated in this Act; and that in the event of his failure to so report, or in the event of a showing in such report or otherwise to the Secretary of the Interior that the terms of the grant have not been complied with, the grant shall be held to be forfeited, and the Attorney General of the United States shall institute suit in the proper court for the recovery of said lands.

Forfeiture on failure, etc.

Approved, March 2, 1923.