

(c) By inserting in section 2 before the words "steam boilers" the words "engines and" and by omitting after the words "steam boilers" in such section the words "and engines."

(d) By inserting in section 3 after the word "steam", the words, "or other operating."

(e) By inserting in section 4 after the words "steam", the words "or other operating."

(f) By inserting after the word "steam" in both places where it occurs in section 5, the words "or other operating."

(g) By striking out in section 6 the words "steam boiler or engine" and inserting in lieu thereof the words "any engine or steam boiler," and by striking out the word "knowingly" in such section.

(h) By inserting after the word "such" where it occurs for the second time in section 6, the following: "or any person operating without a license or in violation of the provisions of this Act,"

(i) Insert between the words "steam" and "engineer" the words "or other operating."

(j) Change the word "fifty" in section 6 to "forty."

(k) Omit the following words in section 6, "and in default of payment of such fine shall be confined for a period of one month in the workhouse of the District of Columbia."

(l) After the words "where the water returns to the boiler" in section 6, insert the words "by gravity" and omit the words "and which are worked automatically."

(m) By striking out the period at the end of section 7 and adding the words "having reciprocity with the District of Columbia."

Approved, March 4, 1925.

Fine diminished.

Confinement omitted.

Warm water heaters.

Reciprocity of State laws.

**CHAP. 546.**—An Act Granting the consent of Congress to the village of Spooner, Minnesota, to construct a bridge across the Rainy River.

March 4, 1925.

[H. R. 11702.]

[Public No. 621.]

*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 village of Spooner, in the county of Lake of the Woods, State of Minnesota, and its successors and assigns, to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Rainy River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, between the village of Spooner, in the county of Lake of the Woods, State of Minnesota, and Rainy River, Ontario, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March 23, 1906, such construction to be made only with the consent and approval of the Dominion of Canada.

Rainy River. Spooner, Minn., may bridge, to Rainy River, Ontario.

Construction. Vol. 34, p. 84.

Consent of Canada required.

Amendment.

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

Approved, March 4, 1925.

**CHAP. 547.**—An Act For the relief of sufferers from the fire at New Bern, North Carolina, in December, 1922.

March 4, 1925.

[H. R. 13029.]

[Public No. 622.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the action of the War Department in directing the issue and the issuance of quartermaster stores out of the reserve stores for the field service of the Army, of a value not exceeding \$10,546.56, and in directing the expenditure of \$11.74 from "Signal Service of the Army, 1923,"

New Bern, N. C., fire. Issue of Army stores for relief of sufferers from, in 1922, approved.

and of \$17.28 from "Army transportation, 1923," for the relief of sufferers from the fire at New Bern, North Carolina, in December, 1922, is approved; and credit for all such supplies so issued and funds so disbursed shall be allowed in the settlement of the accounts of the officers of the Army.

Approved, March 4, 1925.

Credit to officers paying.

March 4, 1925.

[H. R. 12030.]

[Public, No. 623.]

**CHAP. 548.**—An Act For the relief of sufferers from cyclone in northwestern Mississippi in March, 1923.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the action of the War Department in directing the issue and the issuance of quartermaster stores out of the reserve stores for the field service of the Army of a value not exceeding \$4,582.33 for the relief of sufferers from cyclone in northwestern Mississippi in March, 1923, is approved; and credit for all such supplies so issued shall be allowed in the settlement of the accounts of the officers of the Army.

Approved, March 4, 1925.

Mississippi cyclone, 1923.

Issue of Army stores for relief of sufferers from, approved.

Credits allowed officers for.

March 4, 1925.

[H. R. 12101.]

[Public, No. 624.]

**CHAP. 549.**—An Act Making appropriations for the Legislative Branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Legislative Branch of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1926, namely:

Legislative appropriations.

Senate.

## SENATE

Senators.

### SALARIES AND MILEAGE OF SENATORS

For compensation of Senators, \$720,000.

For mileage of Senators, \$51,000.

For compensation of officers, clerks, messengers, and others:

Compensation.  
Post, p. 1301.  
Mileage.  
Officers, clerks, and messengers.

Vice President's office.

### OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT

Secretary, clerks, and messenger.

Salaries: Secretary to the Vice President, \$4,200; assistant clerk, \$2,080; clerk, \$1,940; messenger, \$1,310; in all, \$9,530.

Chaplain.

### CHAPLAIN

For Chaplain, \$1,520.

### OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Salaries: Secretary of the Senate, including compensation as disbursing officer of salaries of Senators and of contingent fund of the Senate, \$6,500; assistant secretary, Henry M. Rose, \$5,500; chief clerk, who shall perform the duties of reading clerk, \$4,500; financial clerk, \$4,500; principal clerk, \$3,420; assistant financial clerk, \$3,600; minute and Journal clerk, \$3,600; legislative clerk, \$3,150; librarian, \$3,000; enrolling clerk, \$3,150; printing clerk, \$3,000; executive clerk, \$2,890; file clerk, chief bookkeeper, and assistant Journal clerk, at \$2,880 each; first assistant librarian, and keeper of stationery, \$2,780 each; assistant librarian, \$2,150; skilled laborer, \$1,520; clerks—three at \$2,880 each, two at \$2,590 each, one \$2,460,

Secretary of the Senate, assistant, clerks, etc.