

FREEDMEN'S HOSPITAL

For officers and employees and compensation for all other professional and other services that may be required and expressly approved by the Secretary of the Interior, \$142,000; for subsistence, fuel and light, clothing, to include white duck suits and white canvas shoes for the use of internes, and rubber surgical gloves, bedding, forage, medicine, medical and surgical supplies, surgical instruments, electric lights, repairs, replacement of X-ray apparatus, furniture, motor-propelled ambulance, including not exceeding \$200 for the purchase of books, periodicals, and newspapers for which payments may be made in advance, and not to exceed \$1,000 for the instruction of pupil nurses, and other absolutely necessary expenses, \$80,500; for an addition to, and remodeling of, the nurses' home, including necessary equipment, \$150,000; for remodeling and enlarging power plant, including necessary equipment, \$52,000; for remodeling and enlarging dining room and kitchen, including necessary equipment, \$32,000; for enlarging employees' quarters, \$8,000; for installation of new elevators, \$10,000; in all, \$252,000, including cost of advertising for proposals, preparation of plans, and supervision of work; to be immediately available. In all, for Freedmen's Hospital, \$474,500, of which amount one-half shall be chargeable to the District of Columbia and paid in like manner as other appropriations of the District of Columbia are paid.

Freedmen's Hospital.

Salaries, etc.

Contingent expenses.

Additional buildings, etc.
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One-half charged to the District.

Field work appropriations available for work animals, vehicles, etc.

SEC. 2. Appropriations herein made for field work under the General Land Office, the Bureau of Indian Affairs, the Bureau of Reclamation, the Geological Survey, and the National Park Service shall be available for the hire, with or without personal services, of work animals and animal-drawn and motor-propelled vehicles and equipment.

Approved, March 7, 1928.

CHAP. 138.—An Act To approve Act 25 of the Session Laws of 1927 of the Territory of Hawaii, entitled "An Act to authorize and provide for the manufacture, maintenance, distribution, and supply of electric current for light and power within Waimea and Kekaha, in the District of Waimea, on the island and in the county of Kauai, Territory of Hawaii."

March 7, 1928.
[H. R. 84.]
[Public, No. 101.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Act Numbered 25 of the Session Laws of 1927 of the Territory of Hawaii, entitled "An Act to authorize and provide for the manufacture, maintenance, distribution, and supply of electric current for light and power within Waimea and Kekaha, in the District of Waimea, on the island and in the county of Kauai, Territory of Hawaii," passed by the Legislature of the Territory of Hawaii and approved by the Governor of the Territory of Hawaii on March 26, 1927, is hereby approved: *Provided,* That the authority in section 15 of said Act for the amending or repeal of said Act shall not be held to authorize such action by the Legislature of Hawaii except upon approval by Congress in accordance with the Organic Act.

Hawaii.
Grant of electric franchise on Kauai Island, approved.

Proviso.
Amendment subject to approval by Congress.

Approved, March 7, 1928.

CHAP. 139.—An Act To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Delaware River at or near Burlington, New Jersey.

March 7, 1928.
[H. R. 7948.]
[Public, No. 102.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time for commencing and completing the construction of the bridge authorized

Delaware River.