

Treatment of missing returns.

based upon the returns at hand, but when the board has information that an election was held at any precinct from which no return has been received and which return, if received, the board has reason to believe will affect the result of the election, it shall be the duty of the board to await the arrival of such return until 4 o'clock post-meridian on the 10th day of December in the year during which the election is held, but no longer, and any return received after that time shall not be counted by the board.

Elections, provisions governing.

Upon the completion of the said canvass as herein provided, the said board shall declare the person who has received the greatest number of votes for the office for which he is a candidate elected to such office for the term for which he is elected, and shall issue and deliver to him in writing, under their hands and seals, a certificate of his election. It shall be the duty of the Governor to preserve all election returns carefully and inviolate, and, after the certificates of result have been canvassed, to replace the returns into the packages from which they were taken and carefully seal the same and preserve all such returns inviolate for at least two years thereafter, unless sooner called upon by the House of Representatives of Congress or some court or tribunal of competent jurisdiction to produce the same for inspection. It shall also be the duty of the Governor to notify each successful candidate of his election, and to do so by the speediest means of communication.

Notice to be given.

Effect of existing laws.

SEC. 4. Except as herein otherwise provided, all of the provisions of the Acts of May 7, 1906, and of August 24, 1912, hereinabove referred to, shall continue in full force and effect until altered, amended, or repealed by Congress. And any and all laws enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska pertaining to elections in said Territory shall remain in full force and effect until altered, amended, or repealed by the said Legislature or by Congress. That the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska shall have the power from time to time as the need therefor may arise, to change the date of general elections in the said Territory, including the date of election of a Delegate from the Territory of Alaska to the House of Representatives and of the members of the territorial legislature; and that the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska shall also have the power by law to change from time to time the personnel of the canvassing board, the dates of its meetings, and may prescribe its duties.

Alterations, etc.

Authority of territorial legislature.

Approved, March 26, 1934.

[CHAPTER 87.]

AN ACT

March 26, 1934.

[H. R. 7808.]

[Public, No. 129.]

To authorize annual appropriations to meet losses sustained by officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies in their relation to the American dollar, and for other purposes.

Foreign service officers and employees.

Annual appropriations authorized to meet losses, due to foreign currency appreciation.

Post, pp. 834, 1060.

To cover deficiencies in Treasurer's accounts.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there are authorized to be appropriated annually such sums as may be necessary to enable the President, in his discretion and under such regulations as he may prescribe and notwithstanding the provisions of any other Act and upon recommendation of the Director of the Budget, to meet losses sustained on and after July 15, 1933, by officers, enlisted men, and employees of the United States while in service in foreign countries due to the appreciation of foreign currencies in their relation to the American dollar, and to cover any deficiency in the accounts of the Treasurer of the United States, including interest, arising out of the arrangement approved by the President on July 27, 1933, for the conversion into foreign currencies of checks

and drafts of officers, enlisted men, and employees for salaries and expenses: *Provided*, That such action as the President may take shall be binding upon all executive officers of the Government: *Provided further*, That no payments authorized by this Act shall be made to any officers, enlisted men, or employees for periods during which their checks or drafts were converted into foreign currencies under the arrangement hereinbefore referred to: *Provided further*, That allowances and expenditures pursuant to this Act shall not be subject to income taxes: *And provided further*, That the Director of the Budget shall report all expenditures made for this purpose to Congress annually with the Budget estimates.

*Provisos.*  
Action of President binding.  
Restriction.

Allowances herein not subject to income tax.  
Report of expenditures to Congress.

Approved, March 26, 1934.

[CHAPTER 88.]

AN ACT

To repeal Federal liquor prohibition laws to the extent they are in force in the Territory of Hawaii.

March 26, 1934.  
[S. 2728.]  
[Public, No. 130.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Act entitled "An Act to prohibit the sale, manufacture, and importation of intoxicating liquors in the Territory of Hawaii during the period of the war, except as hereinafter provided", approved May 23, 1918 (U.S.C., title 48, sec. 520), is repealed.

Hawaii.  
Federal liquor laws in force in, repealed.  
Vol. 40, p. 560.  
U.S.C., p. 1601.

SEC. 2. Title II of the National Prohibition Act, as amended and supplemented, and the Act entitled "An Act to provide revenue by the taxation of certain nonintoxicating liquor, and for other purposes", approved March 22, 1933, except such provisions of such title and of such Act of March 22, 1933, as shall be retained in force and effect in the States, are repealed to the extent such title and such Act of March 22, 1933, are in force and effect in the Territory of Hawaii.

Other provisions repealed.  
Vol. 41, p. 307.  
*Ante*, p. 16.

SEC. 3. Section 13 of the Revised Statutes (U.S.C., title 1, sec. 29) shall not apply with respect to any penalty, forfeiture, or liability incurred under any provision repealed by this Act.

Liabilities.  
R.S., sec. 13, p. 2.  
U.S.C., p. 2.

Approved, March 26, 1934.

[CHAPTER 89.]

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, and for other purposes.

March 26, 1934.  
[H. R. 8134.]  
[Public, No. 131.]

*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 Department of Agriculture and for the Farm Credit Administration for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1935, namely:

Department of Agriculture, etc., appropriations, fiscal year 1935.

TITLE I—DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

SALARIES

For the Secretary of Agriculture, Under Secretary of Agriculture, \$10,000, and there is hereby established in the Department of Agriculture the position of Under Secretary of Agriculture, to be appointed by the President, by and with the advice and consent of the

Department of Agriculture.

Secretary's office.

Secretary, Under Secretary, Assistant, and other personal services.