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SENATE BILLS

S. 45—To amend section 3 of the Act of June 7, 1924 (43 Stat. 653; 16 U. S. C. 566). Made special order (H. Res. 489), 3583-3586.—Debated in House, 3592-3594, 3595-3598.—Amended and passed House, 3598.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 3656.—Examined and signed, 3727, 3767.—Presented to the President, 3987.—Approved [Public, No. 296], 4088.

S. 156—Relating to the status of retired judges. From Committee on the Judiciary.—Made special order (H. Res. 487), 3870, 3871.—Debated in House, 3871-3873.—Amended and passed House, 3873.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 3885.—Examined and signed, 4088, 4167.—Presented to the President, 4295.—Approved [Public, No. 299], 4369.

S. 176—For the relief of Austin L. Tierney. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1199), 2132.—Amended and passed House, 2320.—Senate disagrees to amendment of the House and asks for conference, 2410.—Conferees appointed, 2410.—Senate reconsiders its action in appointing conferees, 3627.—Requests return of the bill, 3627.—Senate reconsiders vote by which it disagreed to House amendments and asks for conference, 4006.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 4006.—Examined and signed, 4088, 4167.—Presented to the President, 4295.—Approved [Private, No. 278], 4369.

S. 184—To provide for the presentation of silver medals to certain members of the Peary Polar Expedition of 1908-1909. Amended and passed House, 334.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 373.—Examined and signed, 509, 589.—Presented to the President, 591.—Approved [Private, No. 166], 907.

S. 198—To amend further section 2 of the Civil Service Retirement Act, approved May 29, 1930, as amended. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 812), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4966.—Referred to House Committee on Civil Service, 5071.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2024), 8950.—Amended and passed House, 9174.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 9307.—Examined and signed, 9446, 9488.—Presented to the President, 9553.—Approved [Public, No. 501], 9779.

S. 199—For the relief of Robert Norheim. Reported back (H. Rept. 1053), 1131.—Passed House, 1686.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Vetoed (S. Doc. No. 157), 2183.

S. 209—Authorizing the conveyance of certain property to the State of North Dakota. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1177), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8435.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 8533.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2019), 8867.—Passed House, 9174.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 502], 9779.

S. 218—To authorize relief of disbursing officers of the Army on account of loss or deficiency of Government funds, vouchers, records, or papers in their charge. Reported back (H. Rept. 1932), 8416.—Amended and passed House, 8767.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 8822.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Public, No. 476], 9383.

S. 250—To promote sustained-yield forest management in order thereby (a) to stabilize communities, forest industries, employment, and taxable forest wealth; (b) to assure a continuous and ample supply of forest products; and (c) to secure the benefits of forests in regulation of water supply and stream flow, prevention of soil erosion, amelioration of climate, and preservation of wildlife. Amended and passed House, 2833.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 2893.—Examined and signed, 3114.—Presented to the President, 3162.—Approved [Public, No. 273], 3308.

S. 254—For the relief of Edward Gillam. Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 1645), 4528.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 4696.—Examined and signed, 4836, 4838.—Presented to the President, 4959.—Approved [Private, No. 279], 5073.

S. 255—For the relief of Josephine M. Melchior. Reported back (H. Rept. 1054), 1131.—Passed House, 1686.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 204], 1962.

S. 267—Relating to marriage and divorce among members of the Klamath and Modoc Tribes and Yahoolkin Band of Snake Indians. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 823), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4967.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1748), 6679.—Amended and passed House, 8761.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 8822.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Public, No. 477], 9383.

S. 275—Relating to the administrative jurisdiction of certain public lands in the State of Oregon. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1998), 8648.—Debated in House, 9168.

S. 338—For the relief of the Indians of the Fort Berthold Reservation in North Dakota. Reported back (S. Rept. 818), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4966.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2001), 8648.

S. 375—For the relief of the Phoenix-Tempe Stone Co. Reported back (H. Rept. 1055), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1686.—Senate agrees to House amendments, 1819.—Examined and signed, 1900.—Presented to the President, 2012.—Vetoed (S. Doc. 156), 2184.

S. 391—For the relief of Jack Lecel Haas. Reported back (H. Rept. 1200), 2132.—Passed House, 2320.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 222], 2642.

S. 393—For the relief of William Kovatis. Reported back (H. Rept. 1201), 2132.—Passed House, 2320.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 240], 2871.

S. 397—For the relief of Lt. (jr. gr.) Svend J. Skou. Reported back (H. Rept. 1202), 2132.—Passed House, 2321.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 223], 2642.

S. 429—Authorizing the President of the United States to award posthumously in the name of Congress a Medal of Honor to William Mitchell. Passed Senate, 1645.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 1870.

S. 454—Dividing the State of Florida into two judicial districts, defining the territory embraced in each, and fixing the time of holding terms of court therein. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 722), 1963.

S. 461—To amend further the Civil Service Retirement Act, approved May 29, 1930, as amended. Reported back (S. Rept. 804), 3629.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 1475 passed in lieu), 4965.

S. 469—To implement article 28 of the convention signed at Geneva on July 27, 1929, relating to the use of the emblem and name of the Red Cross. Amended and passed Senate, 387-399.—Motion entered to reconsider vote, 401.—Debated in Senate, 3633-3656.—Motion to reconsider rejected, 3656.—Referred to House Committee on Foreign Affairs, 3705.—Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 2054), 9209.

S. 470—To implement article 28 of the convention signed at Geneva on July 27, 1929, relating to the use of the coat of arms of the Swiss Confederation for commercial or other purposes. Amended and passed Senate, 401, 402.—Referred to House Committee on Foreign Affairs, 489.

S. 521—Requiring that persons holding certain positions under the United States be citizens of the United States. Committee on Civil Service discharged, and referred to the Committee on Immigration, 7484.

S. 522—Providing for separation from the classified civil service of persons absent from their official duties for certain periods.

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S. 522—Continued
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 805), 3629.—Recommitted to Committee on Civil Service, 3773.

S. 555—For the relief of Almos W. Glasgow. Reported back (H. Rept. 1197), 2125.—Amended and passed House, 2320.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 3163.—Examined and signed, 3287, 3288.—Presented to the President, 3380.—Pocket vetoed, 3408.

S. 556—For the relief of Pedro Jose Arrecochea. Passed Senate, 1645.—Referred to House Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1935), 8468.—Passed House, 8824.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 462], 9383.

S. 578—Granting jurisdiction to the Court of Claims to reopen, review, and readjudicate the case of John W. Parish, trustee (John H. Bexten, substituted), against the United States No. 34450. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1104), 7886.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 8053.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 8197.

S. 616—For the relief of Mrs. Mary Vullo. Amended and passed Senate, 1645.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (S. Rept. 2004), 8713.—Passed House, 8828.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 463], 9383.

S. 617—For the relief of Homer C. Chapman. Reported back (H. Rept. 1235), 2293.—Recommitted to Committee on Military Affairs, 2321.—Passed House, 2338.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 246], 2871.

S. 629—To authorize the conveyance of certain public lands in the State of Minnesota to such State for use for park, recreational, or wild-life-refuge purposes. Conference report (No. 2090) submitted in House, 9794.

S. 637—To authorize the appropriation of funds to assist the States and Territories in more adequately financing their systems of public education during emergency, and in reducing the inequalities of educational opportunities through public elementary and secondary schools. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 323), 8043.

S. 653—For the relief of Johnny Newton Strickland. Passed House, 332.—Examined and signed, 509, 589.—Presented to the President, 591.—Approved [Private, No. 167], 907.

S. 662—To authorize pensions for certain physically or mentally helpless children, and for other purposes. Reported back (S. Rept. 654), 903.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Referred to House Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1900.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1273), 2869.—Passed House, 3119.—Examined and signed, 3247, 3287.—Presented to the President, 3380.—Approved [Public, No. 280], 3408.

S. 683—To provide for the recognition of the services of the civilian officials and employees, citizens of the United States, engaged in and about the construction of the Panama Canal. Debated in Senate, 4436-4491.—Passed Senate, 4491.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 1117), 4824.—Examined and signed, 5008, 5073.—Presented to the President, 5074.—Approved [Public, No. 319], 5118.

S. 698—To amend part II of Veterans Regulation No. 1 (a). Reported without amendment (S. Rept. 655), 903.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Referred to House Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1363), 3671.—Passed House, 3864.—Examined and signed, 3985, 4028.—Presented to the President, 4069.—Approved [Public, No. 300], 4369.

S. 725—To provide for the punishment of persons conspiring to violate the laws relating to counterfeiting, and certain other laws. Reported back (S. Rept. 1039), 6929.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 7772.—Committee discharged, 7953.—Passed House, 7953.—Examined and signed, 8083-8145.—Approved [Public, No. 438], 8154.

S. 754—For the relief of Iver M. Gesteland. Reported back (S. Rept. 746), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2581.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1545), 5140.—Passed House, 5397.—Examined and signed, 5568, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 293], 5934.

S. 771—To provide for payment of pensions and compensation to certain persons who are receiving retired pay. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1240), 2352.—Debated, 3866.—Amended and passed House, 4498.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 4602.—Examined and signed, 4686, 4775.—Presented to the President, 4844.—Approved [Public, No. 314], 5073.

S. 776—To confer jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment on the claim of Louis H. Pink, Superintendent of Insurance of the State of New York, or his statutory successor, as statutory liquidator of New York Indemnity Co., against the United States. Ordered restored to House Private Calendar, 1694.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1156), 1871.—Passed House, 2318.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 226], 2703.

S. 784—To amend that part of the act of June 24, 1910 (36 Stat. 619), relating to disposition of profits from sales of ships' stores. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1743), 6679.—Amended and passed House, 6646.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6618.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6831.—Approved [Public, No. 396], 6683.

S. 817—For the relief of George A. Rogers. Reported back (H. Rept. 1056), 1131.—Passed House, 1686.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 205], 1962.

S. 845—To define the exterior boundaries of the Warm Springs Indian Reservation in Oregon, and for other purposes. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 826), 3770.

S. 866—To fix the compensation of registers of the district land offices in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended. Amended and passed Senate, 1644.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1264), 2797.—Passed House, 3498.—Examined and signed, 3587, 3607.—Presented to the President, 3629.—Approved [Public, No. 294], 3767.

S. 872—To authorize the President to appoint Frank T. Hines a brigadier general in the Army of the United States. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1027), 856.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 1684.—Senate disagrees to House amendments and asks for conference, 1909.—Conferees appointed, 1909.—House agrees to conference, 1971.—Conferees appointed, 1971.—Conference report (No. 1192) submitted in House, 2039.—House agrees to conference report, 2061.—Conference report submitted in Senate, 2301.—Agreed to, 2302.—Examined and signed, 2398, 2399.—Presented to the President, 2485.—Approved [Public, No. 250], 2485.

S. 873—To provide for the disposition of tribal funds of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe of Indians. Reported back (S. Rept. 808), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Vote reconsidered, 5125.—Senate requests return, 5125.

S. 887—Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Western District of Virginia to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of John Weakley and Rella Moyer. Reported back (S. Rept. 908), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6468.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1776), 7301.—Passed House, 8267.—Examined and signed, 8350-8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 409], 8714.

S. 891—For the relief of Rebecca Collins and W. W. Collins. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 663), 1133.—Amended and passed Senate, 1658.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1485), 4836.—Passed House, 5394.—Examined and signed, 5588, 5598.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 294], 5934.

S. 919—To expedite the payment for land acquired during the war period. Made special order (H. Res. 565), 9343-9350.—Debated in House, 9350-9363.—Rejected, 9363.

S. 921—For the relief of Mrs. Neola Cecile Tucker. Reported back (H. Rept. 1057), 1131.—Passed House, 1687.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 206], 1962.

S. 930—To assure conservation of and to permit the fullest utilization of the fisheries of Alaska, and for other purposes. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 733), 2400.

S. 933—For the relief of Lee S. Bradshaw. Reported back (S. Rept. 1082), 1442.—Passed House, 1689.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 207], 1962.

S. 919—For the relief of Mrs. Anna Runnebaum. Reported back (H. Rept. 1058), 1131.—Passed House, 1687.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Vetoed (S. Doc. 155), 2184.

S. 962—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Holehan. Reported back (H. Rept. 1293), 3156.—Passed House, 3530.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 268], 3767.

S. 963—Relating to the imposition of certain penalties and the payment of detention expenses incident to the bringing of certain aliens into the United States. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1099), 7777.—Passed Senate, 8053.—Referred to House Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8197.—Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1920), 8350.—Amended and passed House, 8762.—Senate agrees to House amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5; and disagrees to House amendment No. 6, 8988.—House recedes from its amendment No. 6, 9063.—Examined and signed, 9209, 9210.—Presented to the President, 9212.—Approved [Public, No. 503], 9779.

S. 1000—To reserve certain public-domain lands in the State of Arizona for addition to the Havasupai Indian Reservation, and for other purposes. Passed House (in lieu H. R. 3865), 1977.—Examined and signed, 2124.—Presented to the President, 2294.—Approved [Public, No. 246], 2294.

S. 1002—To compensate Roy W. Olsen for the loss of an eye on account of negligence of employees September 25, 1938, at Cranston, R. I. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1142), 8043.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 8082.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1960), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 488], 9625.

S. 1006—To authorize the condemnation of materials which are intended for use in process or renovated butter and which are unfit for human consumption, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 708), 1795.—Amended and passed Senate, 2577.—Referred to House Committee on Ways and Means, 2640.

S. 1028—To amend the Fire and Casualty Act of the District of Columbia.

Amended and passed Senate, 1650.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1285), 3114.—Passed House, 3363.—Examined and signed, 3486.—Presented to the President, 3610.—Approved [Public, No. 291], 3767.

S. 1029—To provide for regulation of certain insurance rates in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

Amended and passed Senate, 1650.—Motion to reconsider vote, 1722.—Amended and passed Senate, 2304.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 3027.—Committee discharged, 4792.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 3974), 4794.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 4985.—Examined and signed, 5071, 5073.—Presented to the President, 5120.—Approved [Public, No. 327], 5266.

S. 1062—To authorize certain employees of the General Land Office to administer or take oaths, affirmations, affidavits, or depositions in the performance of their official duties.

Reported back (S. Rept. 1082), 7608.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 7772.

S. 1077—For the relief of William A. Haag. Reported back (H. Rept. 1089), 1131.—Passed House, 1687.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 208], 1962.

S. 1081—To add certain lands to the Upper Mississippi River Wild Life and Fish Refuge.

S. 1081—Continued
Reported back (S. Rept. 809), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Passed House (in lieu H. R. 2650), 5325.—Examined and signed, 5588, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Public, No. 335], 5934.

S. 1090—For the relief of John Henry Miller, Jr. Passed House, 332.—Examined and signed, 509, 589.—Presented to the President, 591.—Vetoed (S. Doc. 149), 917.

S. 1093—For the relief of Fermin Salas. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 891), 4687.—Amended and passed Senate, 4934.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1548), 5141.—Passed House, 5397.—Examined and signed, 5588, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 295], 5934.

S. 1100—To provide for the promotion of officers on the retired list of the Army after specified years of service on active duty. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 923), 5119.—Amended and passed Senate, 8058.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 8197.

S. 1101—To provide for the payment of the claim of John C. Shaw, administrator de bonis non of the estate of Sydney C. McLouth, deceased, arising out of a contract between said deceased and the United States Shipping Board Emergency Fleet Corporation, for the construction of seagoing tugs.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1801), 7384.—Passed House, 8269.—Examined and signed, 8350, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Vetoed, 8952.

S. 1102—For the relief of Helene Murphy. Amended and passed Senate, 1648.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1577), 5141.—Passed House, 5401.—Examined and signed, 5588, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 292], 5746.

S. 1103—Providing for the designation of each Monday during the present war as Memory Monday.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 776), 3166.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 3166.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 3287.

S. 1112—For the relief of Taylor W. Tonge. Passed Senate, 1645.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1530), 5117.—Passed House, 5396.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 296], 5934.

S. 1140—To provide for the appointment of an additional Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 2801), 1701.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 1829.—Examined and signed, 1900.—Presented to the President, 2012.—Approved [Public, No. 241], 2179.

S. 1146—To amend section 31 of the Securities Exchange Act of 1934.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1150), 1792.—Passed House, 1979.—Senate concurs in House amendments, 2296, 2399.—Examined and signed, 2397, 2399.—Presented to the President, 2485.—Approved [Public, No. 258], 2703.

S. 1157—To amend section 61 of the National Defense Act of June 3, 1916, as amended, for the purpose of providing such training of State and Territorial military forces as is deemed necessary to

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enable them to execute their internal security responsibilities within their respective States and Territories.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1262), 2703.—Passed House, 6201.—Examined and signed, 6347, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6460.—Approved [Public, No. 356], 6682.

S. 1159—Creating the City of Clinton Bridge Commission and authorizing said commission and its successors to acquire by purchase or condemnation and to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge or bridges across the Mississippi River at or near Clinton, Iowa, and at or near Fulton, Ill.

Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1308), 8791.—Amended and passed Senate, 6484.—Referred to House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 9304.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2064), 9382.—Passed House, 9456.—Examined and signed, 9507, 9557.—Presented to the President, 9558.—Approved [Public, No. 526], 9779.

S. 1164—For the relief of Lucille Sleet. Reported back (S. Rept. 1083), 1442.—Passed House, 1639.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 209], 1962.

S. 1173—To suspend, as respects vessels of the Navy or in the naval service, certain provisions of the act approved March 3, 1925, authorizing suits against the United States in admiralty for damage caused by and salvage services rendered to public vessels of the United States, and to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to settle and pay claims for damages caused by vessels of the Navy or in the naval service, or for towage and salvage services to such vessels, and for other purposes.

From Committee on Naval Affairs.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 850), 3987.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4977.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 5116.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1631), 6240.—Amended and passed House, 6576, 6577.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6603.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 417], 6683.

S. 1218—To repeal the act of June 18, 1934 (48 Stat. L. 984), and the act of July 15, 1935, supplementary thereto (49 Stat. L. 378), and for other purposes.

Reported back (S. Rept. 1031), 6459.

S. 1226—For the relief of Charles T. Allen. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1008), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate, 6484.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6579.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1777), 7301.—Passed House, 8267.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 410], 8714.

S. 1227—To amend section 1 of the act providing punishment for killing or assaulting of Federal officers.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 630), 248.—Amended and passed Senate, 1655.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 1870.

S. 1232—To provide equitable compensation for useful suggestions or inventions by personnel of the Department of the Interior.

Amended and passed Senate, 1662.—Referred to House Committee on Patents, 1870.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1617), 5685.—Amended and passed House, 6198.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6257.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Approved [Public, No. 357], 6683.

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S. 1240—To authorize payment to certain enrolled members of the Seminole Tribe of Indians under act of July 2, 1942 (Public, No. 645, 77th Cong.).
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 824), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4967.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.

S. 1243—Authorizing the construction and operation of demonstration plants to produce synthetic liquid fuels from coal and other substances, in order to aid the prosecution of the war, to conserve and increase the oil resources of the Nation, and for other purposes.
Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 3209), 1771.—Senate disagrees to House amendments and asks for conference, 2192.—Conferees appointed, 2192.—House insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 2252.—Conferees appointed, 2252.—Conference report (No. 1302) submitted in Senate, 3187.—Senate agrees to conference report, 3188.—Conference report submitted in House, 3207.—House agrees to conference report, 3210.—Examined and signed, 3287, 3288.—Presented to the President, 3380.—Approved [Public, No. 290], 3408.

S. 1247—For the relief of the Bishopville Milling Co.
Reported back (S. Rept. 784), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3306.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 3371.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1531), 5117.—Passed House, 5396.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 297], 5934.

S. 1250—To repeal section 2 of the act approved May 17, 1926, which provides for the forfeiture of pay of persons in the military and naval service of the United States who are absent from duty on account of the direct effects of venereal disease due to misconduct.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1263), 2703.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 7624.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 7714.—Examined and signed, 7879, 7881.—Presented to the President, 7874.—Approved [Public, No. 439], 8154.

S. 1255—To revive and reenact the act entitled "An act creating the Arkansas-Mississippi Bridge Commission; defining the authority, power, and duties of said commission; and authorizing said Commission and its successors and assigns to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near Friar Point, Miss., and Helena, Ark., and for other purposes," approved May 17, 1939.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1002), 436.—Passed House, 1311.—Examined and signed, 1442, 1445.—Presented to the President, 1513.—Approved [Public, No. 227], 1721.

S. 1272—To amend section 313 of the Federal Corrupt Practices Act, 1925, as amended, for the purpose of making the provisions of such section prohibiting political contributions apply equally to labor organizations and management organizations.
Passed Senate, 1643.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 1870.

S. 1274—For the relief of Vodie Jackson.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1146), 8043.—Amended and passed Senate, 8082.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1961), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 464], 9383.

S. 1278—For the relief of Yellow Cab Transit Co., and Equitable Fire & Marine Insurance Co.

S. 1278—Continued
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1802), 7384.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8270.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 8311.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 430], 9097.

S. 1281—For the relief of Rebecca A. Knight and Martha A. Christian.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 736), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2582.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1547), 5140.—Passed House, 5397.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 302], 6141.

S. 1285—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 993), 296.—Made special order (H. Res. 412), 1005-1014.—Debated, 675, 1014-1034, 1082-1125, 1168-1228.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 1230.—Debated, 1291-1299.—Senate agrees to amendments of the House Nos. 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 10, 13, and 14; disagrees to the amendments of the House Nos. 9, 11, and 12; and agrees to the amendment of the House No. 3, with an amendment, 1383-1404.—House insists on its amendments Nos. 9, 11, and 12; disagrees to Senate amendment to House amendment No. 3 and asks for conference, 1484.—Conferees appointed, 1485.—Senate insists on its disagreement to the amendments of the House, Nos. 9, 11, and 12; insists on its amendment to House amendment No. 3, and agrees to a conference, 1517-1522.—Conferees appointed, 1522.—Conference report (H. Rept. 1247) submitted in Senate, 2404.—Agreed to, 2494-2516, 2562, 2564-2569, 2569-2573.—Conference report submitted in House, 2460.—Agreed to, 2610-2639.—Examined and signed, 2701, 2703.—Presented to the President, 2800.—Approved [Public, No. 277], 3357.

S. 1288—For the relief of Luther Thomas Edens.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1260), 1131.—Passed House, 1687.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 210], 1962.

S. 1305—For the relief of Anne Rebecca Lewis and Mary Lewis.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 747), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2581.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1548), 5140.—Passed House, 5398.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 298], 5934.

S. 1323—For the relief of Mrs. Margaret M. Ross.
Passed Senate, 1643.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.

S. 1324—For the relief of the Wisconsin Electric Power Co.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1061), 1131.—Passed House, 1687.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 174], 1962.

S. 1325—For the relief of Joseph Moret.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1062), 1131.—Passed House, 1687.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 211], 1962.

S. 1326—For the relief of the estate of Charles A. Straka.
Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 1644.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1532), 5117.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 5393.

S. 1334—For the relief of J. C. and Vassie Lee Davidson.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 639), 778.—Amended and passed Senate (in lieu of H. R. 3193), 1656.

S. 1335—To amend the fourth and fifth provisos of section 2 of the act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain", approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437, 438; 30 U. S. C., secs. 201, 202).
Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 1644.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1540), 5117.—Passed House, 5327.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Public, No. 336], 5934.

S. 1340—To provide for the grading of restaurants in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.
Amended and passed Senate, 1646.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 1870.

S. 1348—To amend the second paragraph of section 10 of the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1420), 4087.

S. 1349—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to convey to the city of New York certain lands within the Brooklyn Navy Yard in the city of New York.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1207), 2131.—Passed House, 2748.—Examined and signed, 2871, 2966.—Presented to the President, 3029.—Approved [Public, No. 264], 3158.

S. 1355—For the relief of Robert C. Harris.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 699), 1795.—Amended and passed Senate, 2575.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1470), 4836.—Passed House, 5393.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 299], 5934.

S. 1358—For the relief of Nels J. Pedersen.
Reported back (S. Rept. 646), 778.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Vote reconsidered; indefinitely postponed (H. R. 3298 passed in lieu), 1759.

S. 1365—For the relief of J. C. Drewry.
Reported back (S. Rept. 912), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6468.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1778), 7301.—Passed House, 8267.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 411], 8714.

S. 1371—To amend an act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes", approved May 22, 1920.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 975), 5939.

S. 1373—To authorize the Secretary of War to convey to the people of Puerto Rico for school purposes a certain building and lot known as the Mayaguez Barracks Military Reservation now under the jurisdiction of the War Department.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1915), 8306.—Passed House, 8460.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8535.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Public, No. 464], 9097.

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S. 1374—To provide for promotion of certain American prisoners of war.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1041), 6929.—Amended and passed Senate, 7616-7618.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 7654.

S. 1386—Making it a misdemeanor to stow away on aircraft and providing punishment therefor.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1153), 1792.—Passed House, 1980.—Examined and signed, 2124.—Presented to the President, 2294.—Approved [Public, No. 247], 2294.

S. 1387—To extend the time within which the States of Montana, North Dakota, and Wyoming may negotiate and enter into a compact or agreement for division of the waters of the Yellowstone River.
Reported back (S. Rept. 674), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Passed House (in lieu H. R. 3522), 2264.—Examined and signed, 2397, 2399.—Presented to the President, 2485.—Approved [Public, No. 257], 2703.

S. 1391—For the relief of W. R. Jordan and Mabel Jordan.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1084), 1442.—Passed House, 1689.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 175], 1962.

S. 1392—For the relief of Dewey H. Davis.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1043, 7072).—Amended and passed Senate, 7718.

S. 1399—For the relief of Frank Knowles.
Passed Senate, 1644.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1294), 3156.—Passed House, 3530.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 269], 3767.

S. 1407—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide a civil government for Puerto Rico and for other purposes," approved March 2, 1917, as amended, and known as the Organic Act of Puerto Rico.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 659), 1037.—Debated, 1663-1670.—Amended and passed Senate, 1670.—Referred to House Committee on Insular Affairs, 1870.

S. 1409—For the relief of Howard L. Pemberton.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 648), 778.—Amended and passed Senate, 1655.—Vote reconsidered; indefinitely postponed (H. R. 3351 passed in lieu), 1759.

S. 1410—To amend section 4 of the act approved June 13, 1940.
Reported with amendment, 2811.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 2811.—Passed Senate, 2811.—Examined and signed, 2871, 2966.—Presented to the President, 3029.—Approved [Public, No. 268], 3308.

S. 1416—For the relief of Mrs. Judith H. Sedler.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 771), 3029.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 3302.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 3371.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1471), 4836.—Passed House, 5392.—Examined and signed, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 304], 6141.

S. 1417—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to donate and convey on behalf of the United States, to Jack Henry Post, No. 1, of the American Legion, Anchorage, Alaska, the wood-frame building known as the Telephone and Telegraph Building, located on lots 7 and 8 in block 17, Anchorage town site.

S. 1417—Continued
Reported back (H. Rept. 1116), 1576.—Passed House, 1694.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 176], 1962.

S. 1419—To authorize collectors of internal revenue to receive certain checks and money orders in payment of taxes and for revenue stamps.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 817), 3770.—Debated in Senate, 6374.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6482.—Referred to House Committee on Ways and Means, 6679.

S. 1421—Making certain regulations with reference to fertilizers, feeds, nursery stock, or seeds that may be distributed by agencies of the United States.
Amended and passed Senate, 1648.

S. 1427—To authorize the appointment of Gregory Boyington a first lieutenant in the Marine Corps.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1203), 2132.—Passed House, 2321.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 224], 2642.

S. 1428—To amend the provision of the act authorizing payment of 6 months' death gratuity to widow, child, or dependent relative of officers, enlisted men, or nurses of the Navy or Marine Corps, and for other purposes.
Passed Senate, 1650.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 1900.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1208), 2131.—Passed House, 2748.—Examined and signed, 2871, 2966.—Presented to the President, 3029.—Approved [Public, No. 269], 3308.

S. 1432—To extend the Civilian Pilot Training Act of 1939.
Reported back with amendment (S. Rept. 782), 3240.—Amended and passed Senate, 3304.—Referred to House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3371.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1622), 5745.—Debated in House, 6195, 6211, 6212, 6213.—Rules suspended, passed House, 6215.—House insists upon its amendment and asks for conference, 6221.—Conferees appointed, 6221.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and agrees to conference, 6248.—Conferees appointed, 6248.—Conference report (No. 1740) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6498.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 6650.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 391], 6681.

S. 1433—For the relief of Clarence A. Giddens.
Amended and passed Senate, 1645.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1295), 3156.—Passed House, 3351.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 270], 3767.

S. 1434—To provide for voluntary apprenticeship in the District of Columbia.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1197), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9057.—Debated in House, 9167.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 9208.

S. 1447—To remit claims of the United States on account of overpayments to part-time charwomen in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and for other purposes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 988), 217.—Amended and passed House, 1312.—Senate agrees to House amendment, 1407.—Examined and signed, 1513, 1575.—Presented to the President, 1634.—Approved [Public, No. 230], 1721.

S. 1451—To amend the act entitled "An act for the confirmation of the title to the Saline Lands in Jackson County, State of Illinois, to D. H. Brush, and others," approved March 2, 1861.
Reported back (S. Rept. 866), 4169.—Passed Senate, 4981.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1640), 5933.—Passed House, 8259.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 412], 8714.

S. 1453—For the relief of the City National Bank Building Co.
Reported back (S. Rept. 902), 4844.—Passed Senate, 4984.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1726), 6680.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8263.—Passed House, 8281.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Vetoed, 8952.

S. 1461—For the relief of Frederick G. Goebel.
Reported back (S. Rept. 793), 3380.—Passed Senate, 4964.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1662), 6084.—Passed House, 8261.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 431], 9057.

S. 1462—For the relief of Solomon and Marie Theriault.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1144), 8043.—Amended and passed Senate, 8082.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1962), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 465], 9383.

S. 1464—For the relief of the estate of Charles Noah Shipp, deceased.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 936), 5271.—Amended and passed Senate, 6471.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7654.

S. 1465—For the relief of Dr. A. R. Adams.
Reported back (S. Rept. 896), 4687.—Passed Senate, 4983.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1663), 6084.—Passed House, 8262.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 413], 8714.

S. 1471—For the relief of Mrs. Eugene W. Randall.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 897), 4687.—Amended and passed Senate, 4983.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1761), 7043.—Amended and passed House, 8265.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 8718.—Examined and signed, 8868, 8950.—Presented to the President, 8869.—Approved [Private, No. 484], 9489.

S. 1473—To amend the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 905), 4959.—Amended and passed Senate, 6488.—Referred to House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 6679.

S. 1477—For the relief of Carl M. Frasure.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1338), 3430.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 3534.—Ordered restored to calendar, 7369.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1898), 7880.—Passed House, 8281.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 414], 8714.

S. 1479—Providing for the suspension of certain requirements relating to work on tunnel sites.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 778), 3162.—Amended and passed Senate,

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S. 1479—Continued
 3302.—Referred to House Committee on Mines and Mining, 3371.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1585), 5190.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 3579), 5331.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 5963.—Examined and signed, 6099, 6142.—Presented to the President, 6347.—Approved [Public, No. —], 6682.

S. 1481—To amend further the Civil Service Retirement Act, approved May 29, 1930, as amended.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 813), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4966.—Referred to House Committee on Civil Service, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2025), 8950.—Recommitted to Committee on Civil Service, 9174.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2035), 9624.—Amended and passed House, 9669.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 9681.—Examined and signed, 9771, 9804.—Presented to the President, 9779.—Approved [Public, No. 566], 9780.

S. 1483—For the relief of Marino Bello.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 894), 4687.—Amended and passed Senate, 4983.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1664), 6084.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8262.

S. 1484—For the relief of Walter Eugene Hayes.
 Passed Senate, 1645.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1296), 3157.—Passed House, 3531.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 271], 3767.

S. 1488—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to convey to Jose C. Romero all right, title, and interest of the United States in a certain described tract of land within the Carson National Forest, N. Mex.
 Passed House, 334.—Examined and signed, 509, 589.—Presented to the President, 591.—Approved [Private, No. 168], 907.

S. 1494—For the relief of the William J. Burns International Detective Agency.
 Passed House, 1690.—Examined and signed, 1792, 1794.—Presented to the President, 1907.—Approved [Private, No. 177], 1962.

S. 1501—For the relief of the Rau Motor Sales Co.
 Reported back (S. Rept. 831), 3771.—Passed Senate, 4969.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1762), 7043.—Passed House, 8265.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 415], 8714.

S. 1503—For the relief of John H. Gradwell.
 Reported back (S. Rept. 969), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1779), 7301.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8267.

S. 1504—To extend the time for completing the construction of a railroad bridge across the Missouri River at or near Randolph, Mo.
 Reported back (H. Rept. 1003), 436.—Passed House, 1311.—Examined and signed, 1442, 1445.—Presented to the President, 1513.—Approved [Public, No. 228], 1721.

S. 1508—To provide effective date of awards of death pension or compensation in cases of persons missing or missing in action to authorize payment of such benefits from the date of death of such person as reported or found by the Secretary of War or the Secretary of the Navy, and for other purposes.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 806), 3629.—Amended and passed Senate, 4180—4181.—Passed House, 7346, 7347.—

S. 1508—Continued
 Examined and signed, 7480, 7481.—Presented to the President, 7515.—Approved [Public, No. 419], 7655.

S. 1509—To provide for the education and training of members of the armed forces and the merchant marine after their discharge or conclusion of service, and for other purposes.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 687), 1446.—Minority report (No. 687, pt. 2), 1725.

S. 1517—For the relief of Staff Sgt. Marion Johnson, United States Marine Corps, and Sgt. George B. Kress, United States Marine Corps Reserve.
 Passed Senate, 1651.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1318), 3372.—Passed House, 3531.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 272], 3767.

S. 1528—For the relief of Col. Anderson F. Pitts.
 Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 3679), 1636.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 1758.—Examined and signed, 1900, 1902.—Presented to the President, 1982.—Approved [Private, No. 212], 1982.

S. 1539—To authorize the carrying of Civil War battle streamers with regimental colors.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 684), 1275.—Amended and passed Senate, 1660.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 1870.

S. 1542—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in building B. O. Q. O-3 at the United States naval construction training center, Davisville, R. I., on March 27, 1943.
 Passed Senate, 1651.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1319), 3372.—Passed House, 3532.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 273], 3767.

S. 1543—To provide for mustering-out payments to members of the armed forces, and for other purposes.
 Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 986), 146, 151.—Made special order (H. Res. 393), 337-343.—Debated, 343-360, 409-427.—Amended and passed House, 427.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and requests conference, 458.—Conferees appointed, 458, 474.—House insists on its amendment and agrees to conference, 474.—Conference report submitted in House (No. 1013), 747.—Agreed to, 747-750.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 728, 729.—Examined and signed, 965, 1034.—Presented to the President, 1134.—Approved [Public, No. 225], 1377.

S. 1546—To amend an act relating to the incorporation of Providence Hospital, Washington, D. C., approved April 8, 1864.
 Passed Senate, 1647.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 1870.

S. 1549—For the relief of Vern M. Stanchfield.
 Reported back (S. Rept. 668), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1658.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1174), 2010.—Passed House, 2318.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 227], 2703.

S. 1553—For the relief of J. M. Miller, James W. Williams, and Gilbert Theriot.
 Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 748), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate,

S. 1553—Continued
 2582.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1549), 5140.—Passed House, 5398.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Private, No. 300], 5934.

S. 1554—To amend the act entitled "An act to change the name of Conduit Road in the District of Columbia," approved March 4, 1942.
 Passed Senate, 1647.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 1870.—Passed House, 2137.—Examined and signed, 2292, 2301.—Presented to the President, 2401.—Approved [Public, No. 252], 2485.

S. 1557—For the relief of Joel A. Hart.
 Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1067), 7261.—Amended and passed Senate, 7720.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1983), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 466], 9383.

S. 1559—Authorizing the appointment of an additional judge for the third judicial circuit.
 Reported back (S. Rept. 889), 4569.

S. 1563—For the relief of W. E. Dowdell and June Dowdell.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 669), 1133.—Amended and passed Senate, 1658.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1175), 2010.—Passed House, 2318.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Private, No. 225], 2642.

S. 1571—To provide that the transmountain tunnel constructed in connection with the Colorado-Big Thompson project shall be known as the Alva B. Adams tunnel.
 Reported back (S. Rept. 958), 5590.—Passed Senate, 6473.—Referred to House Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2037), 9020.—Passed House, 9176.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9331.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 517], 9779.

S. 1572—For the relief of Frank Robertson.
 Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 796), 3809.—Amended and passed Senate, 4965.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1763), 7043.—Passed House, 8265.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 416], 8714.

S. 1579—To amend the act entitled "An act relative to restrictions applicable to Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes in Oklahoma," approved January 27, 1933.
 Passed Senate, 1648.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 1870.

S. 1580—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to dispose of certain lands heretofore acquired for the nonreservation Indian boarding school known as Sherman Institute, California.
 Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 819), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4967.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2002), 8648.—Passed House, 9179.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9331.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 496], 9625.

S. 1581—To authorize the Secretary of War to acquire lands and provide facilities to replace Indian fishing grounds submerged or destroyed as a result of the construction of the Bonneville Dam.
 Reported back (S. Rept. 1189), 8356.—Passed Senate, 8438.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 8534.

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S. 1588—For the relief of Charlie Holcomb. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 690), 1795.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 2575.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1472), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5392.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and asks for conference, 5751.—Conferees appointed, 5751.—House recedes from its amendment, 6332.—Examined and signed, 6439, 6585.—Approved [Private, No. 311], 6683.

S. 1589—For the relief of C. Guy Evans, Garland Mineral Springs, Index, Wash. Passed Senate, 1651.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1176), 2010.—Amended and passed House, 2318.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 2569.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2701.—Presented to the President, 2707.—Approved [Private, No. 241], 2871.

S. 1590—For the relief of the State of Tennessee. Reported back (S. Rept. 735), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2584.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 2540.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1938), 8467.—Passed House, 8764.—Examined and signed, 8868, 8950.—Presented to the President, 8869.—Approved [Public, No. 478], 9383.

S. 1593—For the relief of the heirs and assigns of Widow Cesaire De Blanc. Reported back (S. Rept. 867), 4169.—Passed Senate, 4981.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1641), 5933.—Passed House, 6508.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Private, No. 347], 6683.

S. 1597—To amend section 1, act of June 29, 1940 (54 Stat. 703), for the acquisition of Indian lands for the Grand Coulee Dam and Reservoir, and for other purposes. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 827), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4968.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2003), 8648.—Passed House, 9180.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 497], 9625.

S. 1602—Authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Winnie Left Her Behind, a patent in fee to certain land. Reported back (S. Rept. 881), 4242.—Passed Senate, 4983.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2082), 9557.—Passed House, 9607.—Examined and signed, 9649, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9676.—Pocket vetoed, 9780.

S. 1605—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. John Borrego and Mr. and Mrs. Joe Silva. Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 830), 3771.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4968.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1727), 6680.—Passed House, 8263.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 417], 8714.

S. 1607—To provide for the disposition of Federal war housing. Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds discharged, 3522.—Indefinitely postponed, 3522.

S. 1612—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes. Mr. Green and Mr. Lucas; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 28.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 632), 496.—Elapsed, 600-616, 617-628, 708, 729-740, 781-793, 793-804, 903-917, 919-929, 931, 968-978, 981-1002, 1041-1069, 1076, 1144-1166, 1241-1269, 1279-1292, 1403-1406.—Amended and passed Senate, 1406.—Referred to House Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 1511.

S. 1613—For the relief of Walter G. McCormick. Mr. Lodge; Committee on Claims, 29.

S. 1614—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes. Mr. Lodge and Mr. Austin; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 29.

S. 1615—To prohibit the purchase of real property by the United States for temporary purposes, and to provide for taxation of certain property owned by the United States. Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Finance, 29, 30.

S. 1616—To amend title I, Public Law No. 2, Seventy-third Congress, March 20, 1933, and the Veterans Regulations to provide additional benefits for veterans of World War II. Mr. Wiley; Committee on Finance, 29, 30.

S. 1617—To provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans. Mr. Clark of Missouri, Mr. George, Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts, Mr. Connally, Mr. Lucas, Mrs. Caraway, Mr. Vandenberg, Mr. Brewster, M. Brooks, Mr. Wiley, and Mr. Gurney; Committee on Finance, 29, 30.

S. 1618—To amend the acts of August 26, 1935 (49 Stat. 866), May 11, 1938 (52 Stat. 347), June 15, 1938 (52 Stat. 699), and June 25, 1938 (52 Stat. 1205), which authorize the appropriation of receipts from certain national forests for the purchase of lands within the boundaries of such forests, to provide that any such receipts not appropriated, or appropriated but not expended or obligated, shall be disposed of in the same manner as other national-forest receipts, and for other purposes. Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 29.—Reported back (S. Rept. 720), 1963.—Passed Senate, 2578.—Referred to House Committee on Agriculture, 2700.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1416), 4039.—Passed House, 4499.—Examined and signed, 4684, 4686.—Presented to the President, 4844.—Approved [Public, No. 310], 5073.

S. 1619—To provide for payment of overtime compensation to assistant postmasters at first- and second-class post offices. Mr. Langer; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 29.

S. 1620—To amend section 20 of the act of May 28, 1896 (29 Stat. 184; 28 U. S. C. 527), so as to provide that nothing therein contained shall preclude a referee in bankruptcy or a national park commissioner from appointment also as a United States commissioner. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1621—To amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to the discharge of indigent convicts for non-payment of fines. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1622—To amend section 35 of the act of July 1, 1898, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," as amended (11 U. S. C. 63), so as to remove the legal incompatibility between the office of United States commissioner and referee in bankruptcy. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1623—To establish uniform qualifications of jurors in the Federal courts, and for other purposes. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1624—To provide for a jury commission for each district court of the United States, to regulate its compensation, to prescribe its duties, and for other purposes. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1625—Relating to the payment of fees, expenses, and costs of jurors. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1626—To amend section 21 of the act of May 28, 1896 (29 Stat. 184; 28 U. S. C. sec. 597), prescribing fees of United States commissioners. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1627—To prescribe and furnish to United States commissioners standard forms and dockets and to furnish United States Code and seal. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1628—Concerning the method of payment of the compensation of United States commissioners. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1629—To amend section 48 of the Criminal Code relating to receiving of stolen public property. Mr. Van Nuys; Committee on the Judiciary, 29.

S. 1630—Providing for the transfer to the custody and control of the Secretary of the Navy of certain land comprising a ranger station site in connection with the administration of Kaniksu National Forest in the State of Idaho. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 29.

S. 1631—For the relief of Thomas E. Donohue and Nellie Gilbride. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 29.

S. 1632—For the relief of Capt. S. E. McCarty (Supply Corps), United States Navy. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 29.—Reported back (S. Rept. 675), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1320), 3372.—Passed House, 3532.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 274], 3767.

S. 1633—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the training of nurses for the armed forces, governmental and civilian hospitals, health agencies, and war industries, through grants to institutions providing such training, and for other purposes," approved June 15, 1943, so as to provide for the full participation of institutions of the United States in the program for the training of nurses, and for other purposes. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 29.—Reference changed to Committee on Education and Labor, 154.—Reported back (S. Rept. 633), 496.—Passed Senate, 709.—Referred to

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House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 855.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1151), 1792.—Passed House, 1979.—Examined and signed, 2124.—Presented to the President, 2294.—Approved [Public, No. 248], 2294.

S. 1630—To provide for the management and operation of naval plantations outside the continental United States.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 29.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 723), 2053.—Amended and passed Senate, 2580.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 2700.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1586), 5190.—Amended and passed House, 6194.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6248.—Examined and signed, 6489, 6585.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 377], 6683.

S. 1635—To eliminate a pay discrimination against the teacher of music at the United States Military Academy.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 29.—Reported back (S. Rept. 686), 1275.—Passed Senate, 1660.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 1870.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 3943), 2749.—Examined and signed, 2871, 2966.—Presented to the President, 3029.—Passed Senate [Public, No. 270], 3308.

S. 1636—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue, to Amy Scott Rosberg, a patent in fee to certain land.

Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 29.

S. 1637—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Henry Keiser a patent in fee to certain land.

Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indians Affairs, 29.

S. 1638—Granting a pension to Frances Hays Murphy.

Mr. Barkley; Committee on Finance, 29.

S. 1639—Authorizing and adopting a project for the improvement of Miami Harbor, Fla.

Mr. Pepper; Committee on Commerce, 29.

S. 1640—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to accept gifts and bequests for the United States Naval Academy, and for other purposes.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 83.—Reported back (S. Rept. 662), 1238.—Passed Senate, 1660.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1209), 2132.—Amended and passed House, 2748.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 3058.—Examined and signed, 3156, 3158.—Presented to the President, 3241.—Approved [Public, No. 274], 3373.

S. 1641—To amend the Code of the District of Columbia providing for the sale of fish of the shad or herring species, and for other purposes.

Mr. Andrews and Mr. McCarran; Committee on the District of Columbia, 83.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 635), 705.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 3997 passed in lieu), 1829.

S. 1642—To amend the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, to provide that the absorption of exchange and collection charges shall not be deemed the payment of interest on deposits.

Mr. Maybank; Committee on Banking and Currency, 83.

S. 1643—Granting an increase in pension to Rosa Bell Eckenberger.

Mr. Holman; Committee on Pensions, 154.

S. 1644—For the relief of Annie L. Nesbitt and others.

Mr. La Follette; Committee on Interceanic Canals, 154.

S. 1645—Relating to the administration of the Glacier National Park Fish Hatchery, at Creston, Mont., and for other purposes.

Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Commerce, 154.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1094), 7776.—Passed Senate, 8052.—Referred to House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1948), 8534.—Passed House, 8764.—Examined and signed, 8868, 8950.—Presented to the President, 8869.—Approved [Public, No. 479], 9383.

S. 1646—To provide for continuing the pay of members of the armed forces for 12 months following the date of discharge from the service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Langer; Committee on Military Affairs, 154.

S. 1647—To amend the Act approved March 2, 1895, as amended.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 220.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 676), 1133.—Amended and passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 1900.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. No. 1210), 2132.—Amended and passed House, 2748.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 3058.—Examined and signed, 3156, 3158.—Presented to the President, 3241.—Approved [Public, No. 275], 3373.

S. 1648—For the relief of Carroll Jesseman.

Mr. Bridges; Committee on Finance, 220.

S. 1649—For the relief of Pete Paluck.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Claims, 220.

S. 1650—To provide for determination of claims for benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration with respect to persons discharged from the armed forces because of disability, prior to the granting of such discharge, and for other purposes.

Mr. McCarran; Committee on Finance, 249.

S. 1651—For the relief of Mrs. Henderson Dale Fagg.

Mr. Bushfield, Committee on Claims, 249.

S. 1652—To provide for the advancement on the retired list of certain retired officers of the United States Army.

Mr. Downey; Committee on Military Affairs, 249.

S. 1653—To provide titles for heads of staff departments of the United States Marine Corps, and for other purposes.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 249.—Reported back (S. Rept. 677), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1211), 2132.—Passed House, 2749.—Examined and signed, 2871, 2966.—Presented to the President, 3029.—Approved [Public, No. 265], 3158.

S. 1654—To suspend the effectiveness during the existing national emergency of the tariff duty on coconuts.

Mr. Andrews; Committee on Finance, 249.

S. 1655—To amend section 901 of the Second War Powers Act, 1942, approved March 27, 1942, to permit any letter mail containing registration certificates or ballots sent by any member of the military or naval forces to be transmitted by air mail, free of postage.

Mr. George; Committee on Military Affairs, 249.

S. 1656—To provide that members of the armed forces shall not be discharged for disability until their rights to veterans' benefits shall have been adjudicated.

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Mr. Kilgore, Mr. Truman, Mr. Brewster, and Mr. La Follette; Committee on Military Affairs, 249.

S. 1657—To amend an act entitled "An act to empower the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to convey land" (approved April 28, 1922).

Mr. McCarran; Committee on the District of Columbia, 300.—Reported back (S. Rept. 636), 705.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Vote reconsidered; indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4059 passed in lieu), 1829.

S. 1658—To extend for 1 year the date of termination of Public Law 22, dated April 1, 1943, entitled "To provide for a temporary increase in compensation for certain employees of the District of Columbia Government and the White House Police Force."

Mr. McCarran; Committee on the District of Columbia, 300.—Reported back (S. Rept. 637), 705.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 1900.—Passed House, 2137.—Examined and signed, 2292, 2301.—Presented to the President, 2401.—Approved [Public, No. 253], 2485.

S. 1659—Providing for the establishment of an Emergency Economic Commission.

Mr. Downey; Committee on Banking and Currency, 300.

S. 1660—Granting the consent of Congress to the Minnesota Department of Highways and the county of Crow Wing in Minnesota to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Mississippi River at Mill Street in Brainerd, Minn.

Mr. Ball; Committee on Commerce, 372.—Reported back (S. Rept. 707), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Referred to House Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1572), 5140.—Passed House, 5330.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5745.—Approved [Public, No. 337], 5934.

S. 1661—Granting an increase of pension to Jess Musgrave.

Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Pensions, 372.

S. 1662—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, to defer registrants engaged in timber or pulpwood logging operations.

Mr. Brewster; Committee on Military Affairs, 593.

S. 1663—To amend the Civil Service Retirement Act of May 29, 1930, with respect to the credit to be allowed for military or naval service performed after September 16, 1940, and prior to the end of 6 months after the termination of hostilities in the present war.

Mr. McCarran; Committee on Civil Service, 593.

S. 1664—To reestablish the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, to re-create the offices of the members of said Board, and to transfer functions of the Federal Home Loan Bank Administration from the National Housing Agency to said Board, and for other purposes.

Mr. Reed; Committee on Banking and Currency, 705.

S. 1665—To relieve certain employees of the Veterans' Administration from financial liability for certain overpayments and allow such credit therefor as is necessary in the accounts of Guy F. Allen, chief disbursing officer.

Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 705.—Reported back (S. Rept. 700), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2640.—Reported

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S. 1665—Continued
back (H. Rept. 1825), 7413.—Passed House, 8273.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 418], 8714.

S. 1666—For the relief of Leonard Larson. Mr. Gurney; Committee on Claims, 705.

S. 1667—To amend section 42 of title 7 of the Canal Zone Code. Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals, 705.

S. 1668—Authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ship repair facilities, and for other purposes. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 705.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 678), 1134.—Amended and passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1187), 2010.—Passed House, 2313.—Examined and signed, 2457, 2485.—Presented to the President, 2561.—Approved [Public, No. 256], 2642.

S. 1669—To clarify the law relative to allowances for mileage of graduates of the United States Military Academy and transportation of their dependents on assignment to their first duty station and to the mileage allowance of persons entering the United States Military Academy as cadets. Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 705.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 685), 1276.—Amended and passed Senate, 1660.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 1870.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1513), 5008.—Debated in House, 5324.—Amended and passed House, 6192.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6373.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 360], 6683.

S. 1670—To promote the welfare of the people by establishing a publicly supported adult education program stemming from the State universities and land-grant colleges, by setting up a college and university adult education extension program separate from but supplemental to the cooperative agricultural extension service authorized by previous acts, thus making broadly available to community groups and individuals the full educational resources and research findings of these public institutions of higher learning. Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Education and Labor, 705.

S. 1671—To amend section 13 (c) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938 so as to exempt employment in connection with handling, packing, or storing agricultural commodities from the child-labor provisions of such act. Mr. Bilbo; Committee on Education and Labor, 778.

S. 1672—For the relief of Mrs. St. Claire Livingston Dodd. Mr. Andrews; Committee on Military Affairs, 778.

S. 1673—To provide for a national cemetery in Jefferson County, Ala. Mr. Hill; Committee on Military Affairs, 858.

S. 1674—To amend the act entitled "An act for the relief of Johannes or John, Julia, Michael, William, and Anna Kostiuk," approved August 7, 1939. Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Immigration, 903.

S. 1675—To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain lands in Harding, Colfax, and Mora Counties, N. Mex. Mr. Chavez; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 903.

S. 1676—For the relief of Sgt. Maj. Richard Shaker, United States Marine Corps. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 903.—Reported back (S. Rept. 679), 1134.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1321), 3372.—Passed House, 3332.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 275], 3767.

S. 1677—For the relief of Lieut. (jg) Newt A. Smith, United States Naval Reserve, for the value of personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire occurring on August 11, 1943, in quarters occupied by him in the armory of Aviation Free Gunnery Unit, Dam Neck, Va. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 903.—Reported back (S. Rept. 680), 1134.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1322), 3372.—Passed House, 3332.—Examined and signed, 3632, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 276], 3767.

S. 1678—To extend to assistant postmasters and supervisory employees of the field service of the postal service overtime payments for services performed daily in excess of 8 hours. Mr. Mead; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 903.

S. 1679—For the relief of A. C. Slade. Mr. Nye; Committee on Claims, 967.

S. 1680—To provide for disposition of surplus war materials. Mr. Nye; Committee on Military Affairs, 967.

S. 1681—To provide for reimbursement of certain Marine Corps personnel attached to Marine Utility Squadron 152 for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in officers' quarters on February 9, 1943. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 967.—Reported back (S. Rept. 681), 1134.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 1870.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1323), 3372.—Passed House, 3332.—Examined and signed 3633, 3670.—Presented to the President, 3673.—Approved [Private, No. 277], 3767.

S. 1682—To provide for the payment of compensation to certain claimants for the taking by the United States of Private fishery rights in Pearl Harbor, island of Oahu, T. H. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 967.—Reported back (S. Rept. 689), 1724.—Passed Senate, 2575.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 2700.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1578), 5141.—Passed House, 5401.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 57466.—Approved [Private, No. 305], 6141.

S. 1683—To codify the laws relating to the Public Health Service, and for other purposes. Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Education and Labor, 967.

S. 1684—Authorizing the Reconstruction Finance Corporation to sell certain securities to the commissioners of the Straight Bayou drainage district. Mr. Bilbo; Committee on Banking and Currency, 967.

S. 1685—To provide disability benefits for certain Army officers. Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 1037.

S. 1686—Granting a pension to Celon Elizabeth Sargent. Mr. Wiley; Committee on Pensions, 1037.

S. 1687—For the relief of Samuel C. Sparks. Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1134.

S. 1688—To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to compromise, adjust, or cancel certain indebtedness, and for other purposes. Mr. Bushfield, Mr. Nye, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. La Follette, Mr. Gurney, and Mr. Wherry; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 1134.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1071), 7515.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 8058.—Referred to House Committee on Agriculture, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2006), 8713.—Amended and passed House, 9172.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 9255.—Examined and signed, 9316, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 518], 9779.

S. 1689—For the relief of W. E. Dowdell and June Dowdell. Mr. Connally; Committee on Claims, 1134.

S. 1690—To further amend the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942. Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 1134.

S. 1691—To amend section 406 of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended. Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 1134.

S. 1692—To provide for the reincorporation of The National Women's Relief Corps, Auxiliary to the Grand Army of the Republic. Mr. Willis; Committee on the Judiciary, 1238.

S. 1693—To provide for further appointment to the office of General of the Armies of the United States, and for other purposes. Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 1238.

S. 1694—To reestablish the grade of Admiral of the Navy, and for other purposes. Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1238.

S. 1695—To increase the rates of compensation of certain postal employees, and for other purposes. Mr. McCarran; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 1238.

S. 1696—To facilitate the liquidation of Home Owners' Loan Corporation through the transfer and cash sale of its assets to individuals and to local banks, mutual savings banks, savings and loan associations, cooperative banks, trust companies, insurance companies, and other mortgage institutions. Mr. Byrd; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1238.

S. 1697—To provide for distribution of the Congressional Record to libraries at Military and Naval Establishments. Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Printing, 1276.

S. 1698—To carry out obligations of the United States under article 27 of the Geneva Convention relating to compensation for certain injuries to interned workers, and for other purposes. Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 1276.

S. 1699—To amend the District of Columbia Alley Dwelling Act, as amended. Mr. McCarran; Committee on the District of Columbia, 1276.

S. 1700—To amend the District of Columbia Barber Act. Mr. McCarran; Committee on the District of Columbia, 1276.

S. 1701—For the relief of Mercy Duke Boehl. Mr. McCarran; Committee on Immigration, 1276.

S. 1702—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, with respect to the deferment of registrants engaged in any occupation or endeavor essential to the war effort.

Mr. Brewster; Committee on Military Affairs, 1276.

S. 1703—For the relief of the city of Harriman, Tenn.

Mr. McKellar; Committee on Claims, 1381.

S. 1704—Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Norfolk Portsmouth Bridge, Inc., against the United States of America and Wood Towing Corp.

Mr. Byrd; Committee on Claims, 1381.

S. 1705—To provide night differential for certain employees.

Mr. Mead; Committee on Civil Service, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 816), 3770.—Indefinitely postponed, 4966.

S. 1706—For the relief of Elmira Area Soaring Corp. for use and benefit of its creditors.

Mr. Hill; Committee on Claims, 1381.

S. 1707—To amend the Mustering-Out Payment Act of 1944 to provide furloughs with pay for the purpose of easing the period of transition from military to civilian life.

Mr. Bridges; Committee on Military Affairs, 1381.

S. 1708—To amend section 12 of the Pay Re-adjustment Act of June 16, 1942, relating to travel allowances.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1450.—Reported back (S. Rept. 756), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3300.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 3371.

S. 1709—For the relief of Mrs. Clark Gourley, administratrix of the estate of Clark Gourley.

Mr. Pepper; Committee on Claims, 1450.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 914), 4959.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6469.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1780), 7301.—Passed House, 8267.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 419], 8714.

S. 1710—To authorize the sale and conveyance of certain property of the estate of Jackson Barnett, deceased Creek Indian.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 1450.—Reported back (S. Rept. 820), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4968.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1749), 6679.—Passed House, 8761.—Examined and signed, 8868, 8950.—Presented to the President, 8869.—Approved [Private, No. 481], 9383.

S. 1711—To amend the act entitled "An act to authorize Army officers designated by the Secretary of War to take final action on reports of survey and vouchers pertaining to the loss, damage, spoilage, unserviceability, unsuitability, or destruction of Government property", approved October 30, 1941 (55 Stat. 758).

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 1450.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 729), 2400.

S. 1712—To amend the Canal Zone Code.

Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals, 1514.

S. 1713—To amend the Canal Zone Code.

Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals, 1514.

S. 1714—To reimburse certain Coast and Geodetic Survey and Marine Corps personnel for personal property lost or

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damaged as the result of a fire at the Marine Barracks, Quantico, Va., on December 16, 1943.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1514.—Reported back (S. Rept. 757), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3301.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 3371.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1570), 5140.—Passed House, 8457.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8535.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 433], 9097.

S. 1715—For the relief of James A. Kelly.

Mr. White; Committee on Claims, 1514.

S. 1716—To amend the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended.

Mr. Langer; Committee on Finance, 1514.

S. 1717—For the relief of Luella F. Stewart.

Mr. Langer; Committee on Claims, 1579.—

Reported back (S. Rept. 1006), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1781), 7301.—Passed House, 8268.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 420], 8714.

S. 1718—To provide for the settlement of claims arising from terminated war contracts, and for other purposes.

Mr. Murray and Mr. George; Committee on Military Affairs, 1579.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 836), 3809.—Debated in Senate, 3851, 3892, 3900-3918, 3989-3993, 3995-3996.—Amended and passed Senate, 3997.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 4087.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1590), 5190.—Made special order (H. Res. 589), 6001-6008.—Debated in House, 6051-6083, 6100-6140.—Motion to recommit rejected, 6189.—Passed House, 6190.—House insists upon its amendment and asks for conference, 6190.—Conferees appointed, 6190.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and agrees to conference, 6248.—Conferees appointed, 6248.—Conference report (No. 1708) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6377.—Conference report submitted in House, 6511.—Agreed to, 6520.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Approved [Public, No. 395], 6683.

S. 1719—For the relief of Joseph Scarpella and Dorothy Scarpella.

Mr. Walsh of New Jersey; Committee on Claims, 1579.

S. 1720—To vest title to the U. S. S. Wolverine (ex-Michigan) in the Foundation for the Original U. S. S. Michigan, Inc.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1634.—Reported back (S. Rept. 758), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3301.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 3371.

S. 1721—To provide for the maintenance, expansion, and operation of school lunch and milk programs, and for other purposes.

Mr. Wagner; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 1634.

S. 1722—To amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.

Mr. Nye; Committee on the Judiciary, 1634.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 725), 2189.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4166 passed in lieu), 2199.

S. 1723—To provide temporarily for the operation by municipalities and other governmental units of airports abandoned or placed in a standby condition by the Army or Navy Air Forces.

Mr. Ellender; Committee on Military Affairs, 1635.

S. 1724—Proposing that no reduction be made in service-connected permanent and total disability compensation and/or insurance ratings, and for other purposes.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Finance, 1725.

S. 1725—Authorizing the Civil Aeronautics Administration to loan certain surplus aircraft to private glider clubs and similar organizations.

Mr. Hayden; Committee on Commerce, 1907.

S. 1726—To authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to furnish seeing-eye dogs for blind veterans.

Mr. Davis; Committee on Finance, 1907.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 853), 4041.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4519 passed in lieu), 4482.

S. 1727—To authorize the Smithsonian Institution to acquire and dispose of certain surplus property.

Mr. Gillette; Committee on the Library, 1907.

S. 1728—Granting a pension to Emma S. Boutwell.

Mr. Green; Committee on Pensions, 1907.

S. 1729—To amend the Budget and Accounting Act, 1921, to provide for the more efficient management of personal property owned or controlled by the United States, to govern the use and disposal of surplus war property, real, personal, and mixed, and for other purposes.

Mr. Holman; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 1907.

S. 1730—To create an Office of Demobilization, establish general policies for the operation of that Office, provide for the settlement of claims arising from terminated war contracts, provide for the disposal of surplus Government property, and for other purposes.

Mr. George and Mr. Murray; Committee on Military Affairs, 1948.

S. 1731—For the relief of Helen Halverson.

Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 1948.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 829), 3771.—Amended and passed Senate, 4968.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1665), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8262.—Senate concurred in House amendment, 8438.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8535.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 432], 9097.

S. 1732—For the relief of Arthur M. Sellers.

Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 1948.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1058), 7720.—Amended and passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1964), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 467], 9383.

S. 1733—To provide additional allowances for certain dependents of certain disabled veterans.

Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Finance, 1948.

S. 1734—Authorizing acquisition by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise of certain forest lands within the Mount Hood National Forest in Oregon.

Mr. Holman and Mr. McNary; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 1963.

S. 1735—To amend the act approved August 18, 1942, entitled "An act to facilitate the disposition of prizes captured by the United States during the present war, and for other purposes."

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on the Judiciary, 1963.

S. 1736.—To provide for the payment for accumulative or accrued annual leave to certain employees of the United States, its Territories or possessions, or the District of Columbia, who voluntarily enlist or otherwise enter the military or naval forces of the United States.
Mr. Chandler; Committee on Civil Service, 2053.

S. 1737.—To provide for certain payments to States and their political subdivisions as compensation for loss of revenues occasioned by the acquisition of real property by the United States for military purposes.
Mr. Hawkes; Committee on Finance, 2053.

S. 1738.—To further amend the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act of 1942, as amended, so as to provide for the relief of certain widows, children, and other dependents of servicemen who die as a result of injury or disease incurred in or aggravated by military or naval service, and for other purposes.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Finance, 2053.—Committee on Finance discharged and referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 3030.

S. 1739.—To amend the Act of May 24, 1928, as amended, so as to increase the rate of extra pay for night work in the postal service, and to extend the provisions of such act to custodial employees.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 205.

S. 1740.—Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the District of Massachusetts to hear, determine and render judgment upon the claims of Marjorie E. Drake, Edith Mae Drake, Minnie L. Bickford, and Irene M. Paolini.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 2053.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1153), 8222.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 8433.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1978), 8648.—Passed House, 8826.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 485], 9489.

S. 1741.—To provide for the reimbursement of certain Navy and civilian personnel for personal property lost as the result of a fire in hangar V-3 at the naval air station, Norfolk, Va., on November 12, 1942.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2054.—Reported back S. Rept. 759), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3301.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 3371.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1571), 5140.—Passed House, 8457.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8535.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 434], 9097.

S. 1742.—To amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended.
Mr. McCuller; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2190.

S. 1743.—To provide for the adequate production of seed of legumes and grasses required in the war food production program.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2190.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 792), 3289.—Debated in Senate, 3617, 3618.—Amended and passed Senate, 3618.—Referred to House Committee on Agriculture, 3670.

S. 1744.—To provide for the more efficient utilization of the agricultural resources of the Nation during peace and war; to regulate the production and distribution of margarine, a product of certain agricultural commodities, in interstate commerce, to remove certain obstruction to the distribution of such product in interstate commerce; and for other purposes.
Mr. Smith; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2190.

S. 1745.—To empower the Secretary of Agriculture to requisition certain material, equipment, and supplies not needed for the prosecution of the war and for the national defense and to use such material, equipment, and supplies in soil and water conservation work and to distribute such material, equipment, and supplies by grant or loan to public bodies, and for other purposes.
Mr. Hatch; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2190.

S. 1746.—Authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Peter A. Condolario a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Bushfield; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2190.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1090), 7714.—Passed Senate, 8049.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 8197.—Committee discharged and referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 8566.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2079), 9557.—Passed House, 9606.—Examined and signed, 9649, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9676.—Pocket vetoed, 9780.

S. 1747.—To further define the number and duties of criers and bailiffs in United States courts and regulate their compensation.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 2190.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1173), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8434.—Reconsidered and restored to calendar, 8435.

S. 1748.—To amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the President of the United States to requisition property required for the defense of the United States," approved October 16, 1941, as amended, to continue it in effect.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 2190.—Reported back (S. Rept. 731), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2583.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 2700.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1613), 5502.—Passed House, 6508.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 378], 6683.

S. 1749.—To amend section 3 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the President to requisition certain articles and materials for the use of the United States, and for other purposes," approved October 10, 1940, as amended, to continue it in effect.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 2190.—Reported back (S. Rept. 732), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2583.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 2700.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1614), 5502.—Debated in House, 6448.—Passed House, 6509.—Examined and signed, 6622.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 379], 6683.

S. 1750.—To amend the Civil Service Retirement Act of May 29, 1930, as amended, so as to provide for voluntary retirement of postal employees after 30 years' service.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Civil Service, 2190.

S. 1751.—For the relief of the estate of Capt. Guy B. McArthur, deceased.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Claims, 2190.

S. 1752.—To amend title II of the Social Security Act, as amended, so as to remove the restriction which provides that the total benefits payable for a month with respect to an individual's wages shall not exceed twice the primary benefit of such individual.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Finance, 2190.

S. 1753.—Providing for an Assistant Secretary of State for Air.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Foreign Relations, 2190.

S. 1754.—For the relief of William W. McGregor, Perry Shilton, Louie Hess, Jack Wade, and Owen Busch.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Claims, 2190.

S. 1755.—To provide for adjustments in connection with the Crow irrigation project, Crow Indian Reservation, Mont.
Mr. Wheeler and Mr. Murray; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2297.

S. 1756.—For the relief of William Luther Thaxton, Jr., and William Luther Thaxton, Sr.
Mr. O'Daniel; Committee on Claims, 2297.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1182), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8425.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1979), 8648.—Passed House, 8827.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 468], 9383.

S. 1757.—To amend an act entitled "An act to fix the salaries of officers and members of the Metropolitan Police force and the Fire Department of the District of Columbia."
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2297.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 764), 2800.—Amended and passed Senate, 3301.—Debated in House, 3661, 3662.—Passed House, 3662.—Examined and signed, 3727, 3767.—Presented to the President, 3987.—Approved [Public, No. 297], 4088.

S. 1758.—To amend section 451 of the Tariff Act of 1930, and for other purposes.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on Finance, 2297.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 858), 4041.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4107.—Referred to House Committee on Ways and Means, 4241.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1446), 4568.—Amended and passed House, 4632.—Senate disagrees to House amendments and requests conference, 4696.—Conferees appointed, 4696.—House insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 4824.—Conferees appointed, 4824.—Conference report (No. 1510) submitted in House, 4955.—Agreed to, 5011-5012.—Conference report submitted in Senate, 5079.—Agreed to, 5079.—Examined and signed, 5116, 5118.—Presented to the President, 5120.—Approved [Public, No. 328], 5266.

S. 1759.—To amend the Expediting Act.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 2297.

S. 1760.—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado and Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Finance, 2297.

S. 1761.—To expatriate or exclude certain persons for evading military and naval service.
Mr. Russell; Committee on Immigration, 2297.

S. 1762.—To give honorably discharged veterans, their widows, and the wives of disabled veterans, who themselves are not qualified, preference in employment where Federal funds are disbursed.
Mr. Scrugham; Committee on Civil Service, 2401.

S. 1763.—For the relief of the Square D Co.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 2401.—Reported back (S. Rept. 892), 4687.—Passed Senate, 4984.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1666), 6084.—Passed

S. 1763—Continued
 House, 8262.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 421], 4714.

S. 1764—To amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942 (Public Law 421, 77th Cong.), as amended by the act of October 2, 1942 (Public Law 729, 77th Cong.).
 Mr. Wagner; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2401.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 922), 5119.—Debated in Senate, 5124, 5125, 5281, 5287-5292, 5293-5306, 5365-5384, 5435-5445, 5445-5456, 5504-5514, 5514-5528, 5596-5606, 5606-5643.—Amended and passed Senate, 5643.—Title amended, 5645.—Amended and passed House, 5921.—House insists upon its amendment and asks for conference, 5921.—Conferees appointed, 5921.—Senate disagrees to amendment of the House and agrees to a conference, 5950.—Conferees appointed, 5950.—Conference report (No. 1698) submitted in Senate, 6277.—Conference report submitted in House, 6420.—Senate agrees to conference report, 6366.—House agrees to conference report, 6428, 6432, 6433, 6437.—Examined and signed, 6489, 6585.—Presented to the President, 6641.—Approved [Public, No. 383], 6683.

S. 1765—To provide for the presentation of medals to parents of persons who lose their lives while serving in the military or naval forces.
 Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Military Affairs, 2401.

S. 1766—For the relief of C. C. Thornton.
 Mr. Eastland; Committee on Claims, 2490.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1062), 7220.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1894), 7680.—Passed House, 8281.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 422], 8714.

S. 1767—To provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.
 Mr. Clark of Missouri, Mr. George, Mr. Vandenberg, Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts, Mr. Barkley, Mr. Connally, Mr. O'Mahoney, Mr. Bailey, Mr. McKellar, Mr. Guffey, Mr. Bankhead, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Thomas of Utah, Mr. Johnson of California, Mr. Johnson of Colorado, Mr. Radcliffe, Mr. Lucas, Mr. La Follette, Mr. Davis, Mr. Tydings, Mr. Thomas of Idaho, Mr. Butler, Mr. Capper, Mrs. Caraway, Mr. McFarland, Mr. Maybank, Mr. McCarran, Mr. McClellan, Mr. Hill, Mr. Scrugham, Mr. Hayden, Mr. Bilbo, Mr. Truman, Mr. Brewster, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Hatch, Mr. Chavez, Mr. Stewart, Mr. Clark of Idaho, Mr. Wiley, Mr. Gurney, Mr. Langer, Mr. Overton, Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, Mr. Eastland, Mr. Millikin, Mr. Wherry, Mr. Willis, Mr. Moore, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Gillette, Mr. Wallgren, Mr. Bone, Mr. Nye, Mr. Bridges, Mr. Revercomb, Mr. Murray, Mr. Reynolds, Mr. Smith, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Buck, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Tobe, Mr. Walsh of New Jersey, Mr. Green, Mr. Chandler, Mr. Pepper, Mr. Holman, Mr. Bushfield, Mr. Hawkes, Mr. Russell, Mr. Downey, Mr. Mead, Mr. Aiken, Mr. Weeks, Mr. Murdock, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Andrews, and Mr. Cordon; Committee on Finance, 2491.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 755), 2707.—Debated in Senate, 3075-3081.—Passed Senate, 3081.—Referred to House Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 3156.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1418), 4087.—Made special order (H. Res. 540), 4320-4332.—Debated in House, 4332-4362, 4434-4461, 4502-4523, 4529-4554, 4607-4628, 4635-4677.—Amended and passed House, 4678.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and requests conference, 4698.—Conferees appointed, 4698.—House agrees to conference, 4769.—Conferees appointed, 4769.—Conference report (No. 1624) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 5752-5760.—Conference report submitted in House, 5788.—Agreed to, 5841-5853.—Examined and signed, 5895, 5934.—Presented to the President, 5939.—Approved [Public, No. 346], 6588.

S. 1768—To provide for the payment of national service life insurance benefits in the case of Lester D. Blumberg (XC-3,034,306).
 Mr. Maloney; Committee on Finance, 2490.

S. 1769—To authorize the carrying of obligations of the United States, owned by banks, trust companies, and insurance companies, at their par value.
 Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2490, 2491.

S. 1770—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes.
 Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2490.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 779), 3162.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4381 passed in lieu), 3246.

S. 1771—Authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ordnance manufacturing and production facilities, and for other purposes.
 Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2490.—Reported back (S. Rept. 760), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3300.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 3371.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4421), 4760.—Examined and Signed, 4836, 4838.—Presented to the President, 4959.—Approved [Public, No. 311], 5073.

S. 1772—To authorize Lewis Hobart Kenney, Charles Garner, Charles Clement Goodman, and Henry Charles Robinson to accept decorations and orders tendered them by the Government of the United States of Brazil.
 Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2490.—Reported back (S. Rept. 761), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3300.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 3371.

S. 1773—To amend the part of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, and for other purposes," approved June 4, 1920, as amended, relating to the conservation, care, custody, protection, and operation of the naval petroleum and oil-shale reserves.
 Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2490.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 948), 5271.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4771 passed in lieu), 5780.

S. 1774—Authorizing the Shoshonee-Goship Bands of Shoshone Indians to sue in the Court of Claims.
 Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2490.

S. 1775—To provide for restoring real property acquired by the United States for military purposes to the former owners thereof.
 Mr. Holman; Committee on Military Affairs, 2561.

S. 1776—For the relief of L. C. Gregory.
 Mr. Stewart; Committee on Claims, 2561.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 970), 5939.—Amended and passed Senate, 6473.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1782), 7301.—Passed

S. 1776—Continued
 House, 8268.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 423], 8714.

S. 1777—To establish a Small Business Finance Insurance Administration in the Department of Commerce, to aid in financing small business enterprises by insuring loans to and purchases of stock in such enterprises, and for other purposes.
 Mr. Taft; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2561.

S. 1778—To amend the Social Security Act, as amended, for the purpose of enabling former members of the armed forces who are not covered under the old-age and survivors insurance provisions of such act to secure coverage thereunder.
 Mr. Langer; Committee on Finance, 2561.

S. 1779—To provide for a new base period, and for considering increases in the cost of farm labor, in determining parity prices for agricultural commodities.
 Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2652.

S. 1780—To exempt certain officers and employees of the National War Labor Board from certain provisions of the Criminal Code.
 Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 2652.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1032), 6459.—Amended and passed Senate, 7718.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 7772.

S. 1781—To provide for full military rank for members of the Army Nurse Corps, dietitians, and physical-therapy aides, and for other purposes.
 Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 2652.

S. 1782—To amend sections 4, 7, and 17 of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187) for the purpose of extending the time in which amendatory contracts may be made, and for other related purposes.
 Mr. Clark of Idaho; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 2652.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 859), 4089.—Amended and passed Senate, 4977.—Referred to House Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5071.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4932), 9299.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and requests conference, 9321.—Conferees appointed, 9321.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 9454.—Conferees appointed, 9454.—Conference report (No. 2074), submitted in House, 9535.

S. 1783—To confer authority on the Secretary of the Interior with regard to certain reclamation repayment contracts.
 Mr. Hayden; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 2652.

S. 1784—For the relief of Leola Evans.
 Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 2652.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1059), 7220.—Amended and passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.

S. 1785—For the relief of Alex Wylie.
 Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 2652.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1060), 7220.—Amended and passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8305.

S. 1786—To provide that members of the Florida State militia company, known as the Jasper Blues, shall be credited with service in the United States Army during the war with Spain.
 Mr. Pepper; Committee on Military Affairs, 2652.

S. 1787—To provide additional pay for members of the armed forces engaged in combat service.
Mr. Tobey; Committee on Military Affairs, 2652.

S. 1788—To provide for the future status of certain functions and personnel transferred to the United States Coast Guard, and for other purposes.
Mr. Bailey; Committee on Commerce, 2707.

S. 1789—For the relief of the city of Memphis, Tenn., and Memphis Park Commission.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Claims, 2707.

S. 1790—To create an independent Civil Aeronautics Authority and an independent Air Safety Board, to promote the development and safety and to provide for the regulation of civil aeronautics, and to assure to the United States world leadership in aviation.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Commerce, 2707.

S. 1791—To provide a night differential for employees of the Government of the United States and of the government of the District of Columbia.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Civil Service, 2707.

S. 1792—To extend for two additional years the reduced rates of interest on Federal land bank and Land Bank Commissioner loans.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2707.

S. 1793—To permit the naturalization of foreign seamen who serve on American-owned vessels for a period of at least 3 years while the United States is at war.
Mr. Radcliffe; Committee on Immigration, 2707.

S. 1794—To provide that, in disposing of lands which have been acquired by the United States for national defense or war purposes, a preference shall be given to the former owners of such lands or their successors in interest.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Military Affairs, 2707.

S. 1795—To amend that portion of the act approved June 30, 1906 (34 Stat. 697, 750), authorizing the settlement of accounts of deceased officers and enlisted men of the Army.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 2707.—Reported back (S. Rept. 839), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4974.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 5071.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1919), 8306.—Amended and passed House, 8460.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 8615.—Examined and signed, 8685, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 465], 9097.

S. 1796—For the relief of Ellen R. Riley and Harriet C. Riley.
Mr. Tydings; Committee on Claims, 2707.

S. 1797—Relating to the granting of commissions to members of the armed forces who have had training under the Civil Aeronautics Administration war-training-service program.
Mr. Clark of Idaho; Committee on Military Affairs, 2707.

S. 1798—To require that appointees to positions in the Federal Government shall be qualified voters.
Mr. Guffey and Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on the Judiciary, 2707.

S. 1799—Continued
tive branch in determining the eligibility of such employees for civil-service status under such act.
Mr. Taft; Committee on Civil Service, 2800.

S. 1800—To authorize and direct the sale of Moore Airfield.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2800.

S. 1801—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to convey to The Virginian Railway Co., a corporation, for railroad-yard-enlarge purposes, a parcel of land of the Camp Allen Reservation at Norfolk, Va.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2800.—Reported without amendment (S. Rept. 760), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3306.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 3371.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1989), 8648.—Passed House, 9174.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 498], 9625.

S. 1802—To amend section 16 of the act entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to fix and regulate the salaries of teachers, school officers, and other employees of the Board of Education of the District of Columbia,' approved June 20, 1906, as amended, and for other purposes," approved June 4, 1924.
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2874.

S. 1803—To provide for the sale of surplus Army general-purpose automobiles to rural mail carriers.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Military Affairs, 2874.

S. 1804—To extend to the custodial-service employees of the Post Office Department certain benefits applicable to postal employees.
Mr. Mead; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 2874.

S. 1805—To amend the Social Security Act, as amended, to provide for recalculating the benefits payable to individuals who receive wages after they have become entitled to old-age insurance benefits.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Finance, 2874.

S. 1806—For the relief of Norbert J. Sero.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Claims, 3029.

S. 1807—Authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to the city of Duluth, Minn.
Mr. Ball; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 3029.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1086), 7608.—Amended and passed Senate, 7722.—Referred to House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1897), 7880.—Passed House, 7946.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Presented to the President, 8154.—Approved [Public, No. 440], 8154.

S. 1808—To authorize temporary appointment as officers in the Army of the United States of members of the Army Nurse Corps, female persons having the necessary qualifications for appointment in such corps, female dietetic and physical-therapy personnel of the Medical Department of the Army (exclusive of students and apprentices), and female persons having the necessary qualifications for appointment in such department as female dietetic or physical-therapy personnel, and for other purposes.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 3029.—Reported back (S. Rept. 840), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4975.—Passed House amended (in lieu of H. R. 4445), 5323.—Senate agrees to House amendment, with an amendment, 5646-5647.—Senate disagrees to the

S. 1809—Continued
amendment of the House to the title of the bill, 5647.—House recedes from its disagreement to the amendment to the title of the bill, 5898.—Examined and signed, 6099, 6141.—Presented to the President, 6347.—Approved [Public, No. 350], 6682.

S. 1810—To remove the limitation on the right to command of officers of the Dental Corps of the Army which limits such officers to command in that corps.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 3030.—Reported back (S. Rept. 847), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4976.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 5071.

S. 1811—To provide for the appointment of female pilots and aviation cadets in the Air Forces of the Army.
Mr. Hill and Mr. Burton; Committee on Military Affairs, 3030.

S. 1812—Authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors; authorizing investigations and measures for flood and sediment reduction on watersheds, through run-off and water-flow retardation and soil-erosion prevention; providing for supervision by the Chief of Engineers of dams across navigable waters; and for other purposes.
Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Commerce, 3030.

S. 1813—To amend title II of the Social Security Act, as amended, by giving insurance credits under the Federal old-age and survivors insurance provisions of that act for military service, by providing for adjustment of benefits received under such title in certain cases, and for other purposes.
Mr. Wagner, Mr. George, and Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Finance, 3030.

S. 1814—To provide for the sale of certain Government-owned merchant vessels, and for other purposes.
Mr. Bailey; Committee on Commerce, 3162.

S. 1815—To provide for distribution of surplus war materials through domestic lend-lease to States and their political subdivisions and instrumentalities thereof.
Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Military Affairs, 3162.

S. 1816—Granting a pension to Teresa F. Boyle.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Pensions, 3162.

S. 1817—Authorizing the appointment of an additional judge for the district of Delaware.
Mr. Tunnell; Committee on the Judiciary, 3162.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1309), 8791.—Amended and passed Senate, 9439.

S. 1818—Providing for an annual audit by the General Accounting Office of the financial transactions of certain governmental agencies and corporations, and for other purposes.
Mr. Aiken; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 3162.

S. 1819—To repeal the acts of August 15, 1935, and January 29, 1940, relating to the establishment of the Patrick Henry National Monument and the acquisition of the estate of Patrick Henry, in Charlotte County, Va.
Mr. Byrd; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 3162.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1175), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8435.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2060), 9382.—Passed House, 9456.—Ex-

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S. 1819—Continued
amined and signed, 9578, 9624.—Presented to the President, 9628.—Approved [Public, No. 527], 9779.

S. 1820—To provide for Federal assistance in the maintenance, expansion, and operation of school-lunch and school-milk programs, and for other purposes.
Mr. Russell; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3162.

S. 1821—Relating to the granting of commissions to members of the armed forces who have had training under the Civil Aeronautics Administration war-training-service program.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Military Affairs, 3241.

S. 1822—Granting a pension to Fred Burns.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Pensions, 3241.

S. 1823—To establish an Office of War Mobilization and Adjustment.
Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Military Affairs, 3241.

S. 1824—To assist the States to establish and maintain school-lunch programs.
Mr. Smith and Mr. Ellender; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3289.

S. 1825—To extend the provisions of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, to the Virgin Islands.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 3289.—Reported back (S. Rept. 916), 5074.—Passed Senate, 6469.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4810 passed in lieu), 6601.

S. 1826—To amend section 6 of the act of July 2, 1940 (54 Stat. 714), relating to the exportation of certain commodities, and to continue said act in effect.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 3289.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 865), 4169.—Amended and passed Senate, 4981.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 5071.—Committee discharged, 6567.—Passed House, 6567.—Examined and signed, 6622, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 397], 6683.

S. 1827—For the relief of Oliver N. Knight.
Mr. Bailey; Committee on Claims, 3380.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 971), 5839.—Amended and passed Senate, 6473.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1826), 7413.—Amended and passed House, 8274.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 8615.—Vote reconsidered and conference asked for, 8615.—Conferees appointed, 8616.—House agrees to conference, 8990.—Conferees appointed, 8990.—Conference report (No. 2078) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9507.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 9548.—Examined and signed, 9578, 9624.—Presented to the President, 9628.—Approved [Private, No. 569], 9780.

S. 1828—To amend Public Law 712, Seventy-seventh Congress, as amended by the act of April 1, 1944, entitled "An act to facilitate voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces, members of the merchant marine, and others, absent from the place of their residence, and to amend the act of September 16, 1942, and for other purposes."
Mr. Green and Mr. Lucas; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 3380.

S. 1829—To authorize the payment of certain sums of jobbers in connection with their logging of timber for the Menominee Indians on the Menominee Reservation during the logging season 1934-35.
Mr. La Follette; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3380.

S. 1830—For the relief of David Stiebel.
Mr. Tydings; Committee on Claims, 3411.

S. 1831—To amend the Civil Service Retirement Act approved May 29, 1930, as amended, so as to exempt annuity payments under such act from taxation.
Mr. Wiley; Committee on Finance, 3412.

S. 1832—To amend the act of March 4, 1915, as amended by the act of May 29, 1934, with respect to the limitation on tours of duty in the Army of the United States in foreign service.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Military Affairs, 3412.

S. 1833—Fixing the discharge status of members and former members of the Army Air Forces Enlisted Reserve Corps who have participated in the Civil Aeronautics Administration war-training-service program.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Military Affairs, 3412.

S. 1834—To amend sections 4 and 5 of the act entitled "An act providing for sundry matters affecting the Military Establishment," approved June 5, 1942 (56 Stat. 814), with respect to the movement, at Government expense, of dependents and household effects of certain military personnel.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 3412.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 837), 3809.—Amended and passed Senate, 4974.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 5116.

S. 1835—For the relief of Mary G. Brown and others.
Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3412.

S. 1836—To amend the Transportation act of 1940 so as to extend for 4 years the life of the Board of Investigation and Research, established by section 301 of such act.
Mr. Stewart; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 3412.

S. 1837—For the relief of Lt. (jg) Hugh A. Shiels, United States Naval Reserve.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.—Reported back (S. Rept. 841), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4974.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4605), 5396.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5746.—Approved [Private, No. 301], 5934.

S. 1838—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of fires in quarters occupied by naval construction battalions.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.—Reported back (S. Rept. 842), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4974.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4607), 8456.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 435], 9097.

S. 1839—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in quarters at naval advance base depot, Port Hueneme, Calif., on February 6, 1944.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.—Reported back (S. Rept. 843), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4975.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4607), 8456.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 436], 9097.

S. 1840—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in the bachelor officers' quarters, naval operat-

S. 1840—Continued
ing base, Argentia, Newfoundland, on January 12, 1943.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.—Reported back (S. Rept. 844), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4975.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4606), 8456.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 437], 9097.

S. 1841—To provide for the reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire which occurred on the naval station, Tutuila, American Samoa, on October 20, 1943.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.—Reported without amendment (S. Rept. 845), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4975.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4591), 8455.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 457], 9097.

S. 1842—To reimburse certain Marine Corps personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at the marine barracks, naval supply depot, Bayonne, N. J., on April 25, 1943.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.—Reported back (S. Rept. 846), 3809.—Passed Senate, 4975.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4590), 8456.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 458], 9097.

S. 1843—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to grant to the city of Newport News, Commonwealth of Virginia, a right-of-way over certain lands of the United States at the naval mine depot, Yorktown, Va., for water pipe-line purposes.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3412.

S. 1844—Authorizing the President of the United States to extend the time for awarding decorations to persons for service in the armed forces in any war.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 3432.

S. 1845—To exempt the Salvation Army from all taxation in the District of Columbia.
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 3481.

S. 1846—Granting a pension to Amelia Esser.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Pensions, 3481.

S. 1847—To provide for the payment of attorneys' fees from Osage tribal funds.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3481.—Reported back (S. Rept. 821), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4967.—Referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1750), 6680.—Passed House, 8108.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8154.—Approved [Public, No. 459], 8154.

S. 1848—For the relief of Claude R. Whitlock, and for other purposes.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3481.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 825), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4967.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4621), 5393.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 5752.—Examined and signed, 5935, 6011.—Presented to the President, 6144.—Approved [Private, No. 307], 6682.

S. 1849—For the relief of Muskingum Water-shed Conservancy District.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 3481.—Reported back (S. Rept. 893), 4687.—Passed Senate, 4984.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4589), 5393.—Senate concurs in House amend-

S. 1849—Continued
ment, 5529—Examined and signed, 5744, 5746.—Presented to the President, 5939.—Approved [Private, No. 303], 6141.

S. 1850—For the relief of Glassell-Taylor Co., Robinson & Young.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 3481.

S. 1851—To establish, for the investigation and control of tuberculosis, a division in the Public Health Service, and for other purposes.
Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Education and Labor, 3481.

S. 1852—For the relief of John W. Giesecke.
Mr. Truman; Committee on Claims, 3610.

S. 1853—For the relief of Dr. Frank K. Boland, Sr.
Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 3610.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1081), 7608.—Amended and passed Senate, 7721.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7722.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1965), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 649], 9383.

S. 1854—For the relief of Walter S. Faulkner.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Claims, 3610.

S. 1855—For the relief of Lewis Harkins.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Claims, 3610.

S. 1856—To increase the maximum amount of national service life insurance which may be carried by any person in the armed forces by an amount equal to \$5,000 for each child of such person.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Finance, 3610.

S. 1857—Granting an increase of pension to Esther Ann Hill Morgan.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Pensions, 3610.

S. 1858—To give honorably discharged, disabled, or retired marine employees of the Panama Canal civil-service preference, to extend to them the facilities of the Public Health Service, and for other purposes.
Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals, 3610.

S. 1859—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Watie Hart a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3629.

S. 1860—Amending the act of June 25, 1938 (52 Stat. 1207), authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to pay salary and expenses of the chairman, secretary, and interpreter of the Klamath General Council, members of the Klamath business committee and other committees appointed by said Klamath General Council, and official delegates of the Klamath Tribe, as amended, and for other purposes.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3629.

S. 1861—To provide more efficient dental care for the personnel of the United States Navy.
Mr. Andrews; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2629.

S. 1862—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Mark Wolfe a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3629.

S. 1863—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Christine Red Stone a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3629.

S. 1864—To amend section 5 (k) of the Selective Training and Service Act, 1940, as amended.
Mr. Brewster and Mr. Bailey; Committee on Military Affairs, 3629.

S. 1865—For the relief of Mrs. Mary Emily Hamilton and Mrs. Kay Graziano.
Mr. Eastland; Committee on Claims, 3629.

S. 1866—To provide monetary benefits for certain enlisted men of the Regular Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard discharged for service-connected disabilities.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Finance, 3673.

S. 1867—Relating to the management and administration of national forest grazing lands.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 3771.

S. 1868—Relative to the disposition of public lands of the United States situated in the State of Oklahoma between the Cimarron base line and the north boundary of the State of Texas.
Mr. Hatch; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 3771.

S. 1869—For the relief of Mrs. Mamie Dutch Vaughn.
Mr. George; Committee on Claims, 3771.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1061), 7220.—Amended and passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7722.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1966), 8590.—Passed House, 8825.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 470], 9383.

S. 1870—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, with respect to the order of induction by age groups of certain men who have children, and for other purposes.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Military Affairs, 3771.

S. 1871—For the relief of the Cherokee Indians of Oklahoma, and for other purposes.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3771.

S. 1872—For the relief of Jack K. Wells, Jr.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Claims, 3811.

S. 1873—For the relief of Edward T. Walker.
Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Claims, 3811.

S. 1874—To provide for emergency flood-control work made necessary by recent floods, and for other purposes.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Commerce, 3811.

S. 1875—To amend the Defense Highway Act of 1941.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3811.

S. 1876—To provide for the construction, maintenance, and operation of flood-control and navigation improvements, including dams, reservoirs, and allied structures, in the basins of the rivers in the State of South Carolina and the basin of the Pee Dee and for the disposition of surplus electric energy generated by the Federal flood-control and navigation improvements in the basins of such rivers.
Mr. Maybank; Committee on Commerce, 3811.

S. 1877—To transfer Georgetown County, S. C., from the Florence division to the Charleston division of the eastern judicial district of South Carolina.
Mr. Maybank; Committee on the Judiciary, 3811.—Reported back (S. Rept. 921), 5074.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1941), 8468.—Passed House, 8764.—Examined and signed, 8868, 8950.—Presented to the President, 8869.—Approved [Public, No. 460], 9383.

S. 1878—To grant additional compensation to certain veterans pursuing vocational training under part VII of Veterans Regulation No. 1 (a), as amended.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Finance, 3811.

S. 1879—To amend certain articles of the Articles for the Government of the Navy.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3811.

S. 1880—Authorizing the acquisition and conversion or construction of certain landing craft and district craft for the United States Navy, and for other purposes.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3811.—Reported back (S. Rept. 851), 3987.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4710 passed in lieu), 4977.

S. 1881—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of fire at the naval advance base depot, Port Hueneme, Calif., on January 12, 1944.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3811.—Reported back (S. Rept. 852), 3987.—Passed Senate, 4977.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1672), 6141.—Passed House, 8457.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 459], 9097.

S. 1882—To increase the compensation of employees in the postal service.
Mr. Mead; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3811.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1312), 8791.—Debated in Senate, 9439, 9597.

S. 1883—To amend section 201 of the Federal Power Act.
Mr. Brooks and Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 3811.

S. 1884—For the relief of John C. Graham.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Claims, 3811.

S. 1885—For the relief of Oscar Griggs.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Claims, 3824.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1358), 8954.—Amended and passed Senate, 9443.

S. 1886—To provide for the reimbursement of the town of Watertown, Mass., for the loss of taxes on certain property in such town acquired by the United States for use for military purposes.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 3824.

S. 1887—To provide for emergency flood-control work made necessary by recent floods, and for other purposes.
Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Commerce, 2834.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 882), 4470.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4793 passed in lieu), 4851.

S. 1888—To authorize suits for benefits claimed to be payable under laws administered by the Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Finance, 3884.

S. 1889—To provide for use and delivery for irrigation purposes of waters stored at Fort Peck Dam, Mont.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 3824.

S. 1890—To provide for the general welfare by establishing a system of Federal benefits and by enabling the several States to make more adequate provision for the control and the eradication of noxious weeds, to conserve and protect the agricultural resources of the several States of the United States, to empower the Secretary of Agriculture to make certain rules and regulations and prescribe con-

S. 1890—Continued
ditions, to raise revenue, and for other purposes.
Mr. Clark of Idaho; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3987.

S. 1891—For the relief of W. S. Burleson.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3987.

S. 1892—To authorize the carrying of obligations of the United States, owned by banks, trust companies, savings and loan associations, and insurance companies, at their par value, and for other purposes.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Banking and Currency, 3987.

S. 1893—To provide for the establishment of an Office of War Mobilization and Adjustment, and for other purposes.
Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Military Affairs, 3987.

S. 1894—To provide for the transportation to their homes of persons discharged from the naval service because of under age at time of enlistment.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3987.—Reported back (S. Rept. 853), 4470.—Passed Senate, 4983.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 5071.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1682), 6241.—Amended and passed House, 6572.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6603.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 398], 6681.

S. 1895—To provide for making certain surplus materials, equipment, and supplies available for soil- and water-conservation work through the distribution thereof, by grant or loan, to public bodies organized under State laws, and for other purposes.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 4089.

S. 1896—To authorize the use of funds of any tribe of Indians for insurance premiums.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4089.

S. 1897—For the relief of Mrs. Sophia Tannenbaum.
Mr. Truman; Committee on Claims, 4089.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1068), 7261.—Amended and passed Senate, 7720.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1967), 8590.—Passed House, 8826.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 471], 9383.

S. 1898—To amend section 99 of the Judicial Code, as amended, so as to change the term of the District Court for the District of North Dakota at Minot, N. Dak.
Mr. Langer; Committee on the Judiciary, 4170.—Reported back, 4959.—Passed Senate, 8438.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2033), 9020.—Passed House, 9175.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 499], 9625.

S. 1899—For the relief of Alfred Files.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 4170.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1154), 8222.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 8433.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1920), 8648.—Passed House, 8827.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 486], 9489.

S. 1900—For the relief of Bertha L. Tatrault.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 4170.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1155), 8222.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 8433.—

S. 1900—Continued
Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1981), 8649.—Passed House, 8827.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 487], 9489.

S. 1901—Authorizing the appointment of an officer of the Sanitary Corps as Assistant to the Surgeon General of the Army with the rank of brigadier general.
Mr. Radcliffe; Committee on Military Affairs, 4170.

S. 1902—To repeal the third proviso of section 2 of the act entitled "An act to promote the mining of coal, phosphate, oil, oil shale, gas, and sodium on the public domain," approved February 25, 1920 (41 Stat. 437, 438; 30 U. S. C. sec. 201).
Mr. Hatch; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 4171.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1176), 8312.

S. 1903—For the relief of Steve Barbre.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 4242.

S. 1904—For the relief of J. Fletcher Lankton and John N. Ziegler.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 4242.—Reported back (S. Rept. 913), 4959.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4707 passed in lieu), 6468.

S. 1905—For the relief of the estate of Walney A. Colvin, deceased.
Mr. Hayden; Committee on Claims, 4242.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1145), 8043.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 8082.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8197.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4855), 8220.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 424], 8714.

S. 1906—Granting an increase of pension to Nellie L. Fickett.
Mr. Hayden; Committee on Pensions, 4242.

S. 1907—Declaring a temporary policy with respect to immigration to the United States.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Immigration, 4242.

S. 1908—To amend section 304 of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act so as to permit the disposal to charitable institutions of certain articles of food condemned thereunder.
Mr. Clark of Idaho; Committee on Commerce, 4243.

S. 1909—To give preference to honorably discharged veterans, their widows, and the wives of disabled veterans who themselves are not qualified, in the selection of persons for appointment to governmental positions.
Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Civil Service, 4295.

S. 1910—To provide for the presentation of medals to members of the United States Antarctic Expedition of 1939-41.
Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Naval Affairs, 4295.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1225), 8418.—Title amended and passed Senate, 9429.

S. 1911—To amend the Railroad Retirement Act of 1937, the Railroad Retirement Act of 1935, and the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act; to repeal subchapter B of chapter 9 of the Internal Revenue Code; and for other purposes.
Mr. Wagner and Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 4295.

S. 1912—To insure the preservation of technical and economic records of domestic sources of ores of metals and minerals.
Mr. Murray and Mr. Hayden; Committee on Mines and Mining, 4370.

S. 1913—To promote the more effective participation of all small business concerns in the war effort; to facilitate their successful adjustment to civilian and peace-time operations; to stimulate and encourage small business enterprise; and to amend the Act of June 11, 1942 (Public Law 603, 77th Cong.), in furtherance of these purposes.
Mr. Murray and Mr. Wherry; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4370.

S. 1914—To amend the Internal Revenue Code, the Narcotic Drugs Import and Export Act, as amended, and the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, to classify a new synthetic drug, and for other purposes.
Mr. George; Committee on Finance, 4370.

S. 1915—To authorize the undertaking of the initial stage of the comprehensive plan for the conservation, control, and use of the water resources of the Missouri River Basin.
Mr. O'Mahoney; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 4370.—Reference changed to Committee on Commerce, 8157.

S. 1916—To amend the Mustering-Out Payment Act of 1944, so as to make its provisions eligible to those discharged or released from active service with a disability and to those who have subsequently been found to have a service-connected disability.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 4370.

S. 1917—To repeal the act entitled "An act to amend section 9 (b) of the Tennessee Valley Authority Act, as amended by section 14 of the act of August 31, 1935," approved November 21, 1941.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 4471.

S. 1918—To amend section 13b of the Federal Reserve Act, as amended.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4471.

S. 1919—To authorize suits for benefits claimed to be payable under laws administered by the Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Finance, 4471.

S. 1920—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Corrine Wright Standing Cloud a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Bushfield; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4569.

S. 1921—To provide disability retirement for certain enlisted members of the Regular Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard who had commissioned service in World War I or World War II.
Mr. Chandler; Committee on Military Affairs, 4569.

S. 1922—For the relief of W. A. Smoot, Inc.
Mr. Byrd; Committee on Claims, 4569.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1069), 7261.—Amended and passed Senate, 7720.—Reconsidered and restored to Calendar, 7720.

S. 1923—To provide for the elimination of alley dwellings and the clearance and redevelopment of slum and other blighted areas of the District of Columbia and the assembly, by purchase or condemnation, of real property in such areas and the sale or lease thereof for redevelopment; and to provide for the organization of, and procedure for such acquisition, elimination, clearance, redevelopment, and sale or lease, and for other purposes.
Mr. Tydings; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4569.

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S. 1924—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Irene Scott Bassett a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4569.

S. 1925—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Charles F. White a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4569.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1102), 7886.—Passed Senate, 8053.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 5197.—Committee discharged and referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 8566.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2080), 9557.—Passed House, 9606.—Examined and signed, 9650, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9676.—Approved [Private, No. 545], 9730.

S. 1926—To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Martha Long Neck Little Light a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4569.

S. 1927—To authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the seventy-eighth anniversary convention of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Des Moines, Iowa, September 10 to 14, inclusive, 1944.
Mr. Gillette and Mr. Wilson; Committee on Naval Affairs, 4569.

S. 1928—To amend the Trading With the Enemy Act, as amended.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 4569.

S. 1929—To amend section 7 of the act approved February 28, 1925, so as to change the method of computing the daily rate of compensation in the case of certain postal employees, and for other purposes.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 4569.

S. 1930—To provide for the replanning of blighted and other areas of the District of Columbia and the assembly, by purchase or condemnation, of real property in such areas and the sale or lease thereof for the redevelopment of such areas in accordance with said plans; and to provide for the organization of, procedure for, and the financing of such planning, acquisition, and sale or lease, and for other purposes.
Mr. Capper; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4687.

S. 1931—For the relief of Maj. L. J. H. Herwig, United States Army, retired.
Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Military Affairs, 4687.

S. 1932—To amend the act of May 29, 1884, as amended; the act of February 2, 1903; and the act of March 3, 1905, as amended; to include domestic animals within their provisions.
Mr. O'Mahoney; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 4688.

S. 1933—To extend, for two additional years, the provisions of the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended, and the taxes with respect to sugar.
Mr. O'Mahoney and Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Finance, 4687.—Reported back (S. Rept. 918), 5074.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4833 passed in lieu), 5784.

S. 1934—To provide for abandonment of the project authorized in the act of October 17, 1940, for a seaplane channel and basin in Boston Harbor, Mass.
Mr. Weeks and Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Commerce, 4688.—Reported back (S. Rept. 901), 4844.—Passed Senate, 4984.—Referred to House Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 5071.—Passed House, 7349.—Examined and signed, 7480, 7481.—Presented to the President, 7515.—Approved [Public No. 420], 7655.

S. 1935—For the relief of Sigurdur Jonsson and Thorolina Thordardottir.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Claims, 4888.—Reported back (S. Rept. 954), 5432.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2055), 9209.

S. 1936—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 by making it a criminal offense to possess unlawfully or to reproduce various certificates issued pursuant thereto.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 4688.—Reported back (S. Rept. 951), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 6679.

S. 1937—For the relief of Bert Hunsicker.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Claims, 4688.

S. 1938—For the relief of Orlando L. Hawkins.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Claims, 4688.

S. 1939—To amend the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940, as amended, with respect to the payment of dependents' allowances in certain cases.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Military Affairs, 4688.

S. 1940—To amend the First War Powers Act, 1941.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 4688.

S. 1941—To amend the District of Columbia Alley Dwelling Act, approved June 12, 1934, as amended.
Mr. Bilbo and Mr. Burton; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4777.—Reported back, 4852.—Passed Senate, 4852.—Referred to House Committee on the District of Columbia, 5008.—Passed House, 5095.—Examined and signed, 5357, 5364.—Presented to the President, 5503.—Approved [Public, No. 331], 5746.

S. 1942—For the relief of Dr. E. S. Axtell.
Mr. Brooks; Committee on Claims, 4844.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1044), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7722.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1968), 8590.—Passed House, 8826.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 472], 9383.

S. 1943—For the relief of the Trust Association of H. Kempner.
Mr. Connally; Committee on Claims, 4844.—Committee on Claims discharged, and referred to the Committee on Finance, 7221.

S. 1944—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide books for the adult blind."
Mr. Wagner; Committee on the Library, 4844.—Reported bac', 4985.—Passed Senate, 4985.—Passed House (in lieu H. R. 4729), 5328.—Examined and signed, 5589, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5746.—Approved [Public, No. 338], 5934.

S. 1945—Relating to the admission of attorneys at law to practice before departments and agencies of the Government.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on the Judiciary, 4844.

S. 1946—To provide vocational training and retraining programs for the occupational adjustment and readjustment of veterans returning from military service, workers demobilized from war production plants, and for other youth and for adults, that individuals and the Nation may attain economic stability and security, and to further extend the program of vocational education.

S. 1946—Continued
Mr. George, Mr. Thomas of Utah, Mr. Hill, Mr. Jackson, Mr. Aiken, Mr. La Follette, and Mr. Ellender; Committee on Education and Labor, 4844.

S. 1947—To amend the National Housing Act, as amended.
Mr. Radcliffe; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4844.—Reported back (S. Rept. 996), 6242.—Passed Senate, 6476.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4849), 6661.—Examined and signed, 6681.—Presented to the President, 6681, 6710.—Approved [Public, No. 392], 6681.

S. 1948—To provide for the settlement of war veterans, war workers, and others on the Central Valley project, for encouragement of the development of the project in family-size units, for cooperation by Federal, State, and private organizations to these ends, and for other purposes.
Mr. Hatch; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 4844.

S. 1949—To create an independent Civil Aeronautics Authority and an independent Air Safety Board, to promote the development and safety and to provide for the regulation of civil aeronautics, and to promote world leadership by the United States in aviation.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Commerce, 4960.

S. 1950—To create the All-American Flag Line, Inc., and to assure the United States world leadership in the field of air transportation.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Commerce, 4960.

S. 1951—Granting an increase of pension to Robert Blake.
Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Pensions, 4959.

S. 1952—Authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to issue to Minnie Ortley Kirk a patent in fee to certain land.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4959.

S. 1953—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to contract with the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District of New Mexico for the payment of operation and maintenance charges on certain Pueblo Indian lands.
Mr. Chavez; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4959.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1091), 7714.—Passed Senate, 8049.—Referred to House Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 8197.

S. 1954—To amend the act entitled "An act to authorize the use for war purposes of silver held or owned by the United States," approved July 12, 1943.
Mr. Green; Committee on Banking and Currency, 5074.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1230), 8482.—Amended and passed Senate, 8559.—Referred to House Committee on Ways and Means, 8713.—Passed House, 9062.—Examined and signed, 9209, 9210.—Presented to the President, 9212.—Approved [Public, No. 519], 9779.

S. 1955—To amend Public Law 101, Seventy-eighth Congress.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 5074.

S. 1956—To provide for a Department of Armed Forces, Secretary of the Armed Forces, Under Secretaries of Army, Navy, and Air, and for other purposes.
Mr. Hill; Committee on Military Affairs, 5074.

S. 1957—To amend the Communications Act of 1934, as amended, so as to prohibit interference with the broadcasting of non-commercial cultural or educational programs.

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S. 1957—Continued
 Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 5074.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1233), 8537.—Amended and passed Senate, 9432.

S. 1958—For the relief of fire district No. 1 of the town of Colchester, Vt.
 Mr. Austin; Committee on Claims, 5074.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1163), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8433.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1982), 8649.—Passed House, 8827.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 473], 9383.

S. 1959—For the relief of Mrs. Amy McKnight.
 Mr. Reed; Committee on Claims, 5120.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1064), 7220.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1895), 7880.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8281.

S. 1960—For the relief of Clifford E. Long and Laura C. Long.
 Mr. Downey; Committee on Claims, 5120.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1164), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8434.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1983), 8649.—Passed House, 8827.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 474], 9383.

S. 1961—Conferring upon the State of Montana authority to exchange for other lands certain lands selected by the State of Montana for the use of the University of Montana for biological station purposes pursuant to the act of March 3, 1905 (33 Stat. 1080).
 Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5120.

S. 1962—Extending the provisions of Public Law 47, Seventy-seventh Congress, as amended, to reemployment committee men of the Selective Service System.
 Mr. Reynolds; Committee on the Judiciary, 5120.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1174), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 8534.—Passed House, 9083.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2046), 9096.—Examined and signed, 9209, 9210.—Presented to the President, 9212.—Approved [Public, No. 520], 9779.

S. 1963—To control the disposition of certain plants and facilities producing synthetic rubber, fibers, and other plants and facilities utilizing the products of farm and forest.
 Mr. Gillette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 5120.

S. 1964—To reimburse certain aviation cadets and former aviation cadets for property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at Carroll College, Helena, Mont., on January 8, 1944.
 Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5120.—Reported back (S. Rept. 993), 6144.—Passed Senate, 6475.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1794), 7301.—Passed House, 8458.—Examined and signed, 8534, 8536.—Presented to the President, 8651.—Approved [Private, No. 438], 9097.

S. 1965—For the relief of the Anderson Equipment Co., Omaha, Nebr.
 Mr. Butler; Committee on Claims, 5142.

S. 1966—To amend the act of June 19, 1934 (Public Law 435, 73d Cong.).
 Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5142.

S. 1967—For the relief of Pauline Cimmino.
 Mr. Maloney; Committee on Claims, 5273.

S. 1968—For the relief of Elizabeth A. Becker.
 Mr. Wallgren; Committee on Claims, 5273.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1165), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8434.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1984), 8649.—Passed House, 8827.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 475], 9383.

S. 1969—For the relief of Sigfried Olsen, doing business as Sigfried Olsen Shipping Co.
 Mr. Johnson of California; Committee on Claims, 5273.

S. 1970—To amend the National Service Life Insurance Act, 1940, as amended.
 Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Finance, 5273.

S. 1971—To provide for the disposal of certain mail matter condemned by the Director of Censorship.
 Mr. McKellar; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 5273.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1227), 8482.—Amended and passed Senate, 9431.—Passed House, 9547.—Examined and signed, 9578, 9624.—Presented to the President, 9628.—Approved [Public, No. 542], 9780.

S. 1972—To authorize the continued operation of certain airport traffic-control towers by the Civil Aeronautics Administration.
 Mr. McCarran; Committee on Commerce, 5273.

S. 1973—To provide additional pay for enlisted men of the Army assigned to the Infantry who are awarded the expert infantryman badge or the combat infantryman badge.
 Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 5273.—Reported back (S. Rept. 954), 5326.—Passed Senate, 6373.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4970), 6569.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6601.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 393], 6683.

S. 1974—To amend section 1442, Revised Statutes, relating to furlough of officers by the Secretary of the Navy.
 Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5273.—Reported back (S. Rept. 994), 6144.—Passed Senate, 6475.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 6679.

S. 1975—Denying in certain cases in criminal prosecutions the inadmissibility in Federal courts of evidence given in State courts.
 Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the Judiciary, 5273.

S. 1976—To provide for returning to the use of standard time.
 Mr. Wherry; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 5273, 5278.

S. 1977—To provide for issuance of temporary certificates for air transportation.
 Mr. Gurney; Committee on Commerce, 5273.

S. 1978—To amend the act entitled "An act to expedite the provision of housing in connection with national defense, and for other purposes," approved October 14, 1940, as amended.
 Mr. Ellender; Committee on Education and Labor, 5361.—Reported back (S. Rept. 989), 6144.—Passed Senate, 6475.—Vote reconsidered, 6475.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4728 passed in lieu), 6475.

S. 1979—To regulate in the District of Columbia the transfer of shares of stock in corporations and to make uniform the law with reference thereto.

S. 1979—Continued
 Mr. Tydings; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5361.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1212), 8417.—Amended and passed Senate, 9058.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 5159), 9166.—Examined and signed, 9306.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Returned to the Senate, 9681.—Examined and signed, 9771, 9804.—Presented to the President, 9779.—Approved [Public, No. 567], 9780.

S. 1980—To amend the Transportation of Explosives Act.
 Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 5361.

S. 1981—For the relief of the Oregon Caves Resort.
 Mr. Cordon; Committee on Claims, 5432.

S. 1982—To reopen the revested Oregon & California Railroad and reconveyed Coos Bay Wagon Road grant lands to exploration, location, entry, and disposition under the general mining laws.
 Mr. Cordon; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5432.

S. 1983—For the relief of Mrs. Anna Runnebaum.
 Mr. Wherry and Mr. Capper; Committee on Claims, 5432.—Reported back (S. Rept. 982), 6013.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1783), 7301.—Passed House, 8268.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 425], 8714.

S. 1984—For the relief of Mrs. John A. Schaeftzer.
 Mr. Downey; Committee on Civil Service, 5432.

S. 1985—To amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the temporary appointment or advancement of certain personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps, and for other purposes," approved July 24, 1941, as amended, and for other purposes.
 Mr. Byrd; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5432.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1216), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9427.

S. 1986—To provide for the issuance of permits for the use of live decoys in the taking of ducks.
 Mr. Clark of Missouri and Mr. Lucas; Special Committee on the Conservation of Wildlife Resources, 5432.

S. 1987—For the relief of Gordon Lewis Coppage.
 Mr. Brooks; Committee on Claims, 5432.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1045), 7072.—Amended and passed Senate, 7718.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1969), 8590.—Passed House, 8826.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 476], 9383.

S. 1988—To amend section 18 of the Pay Adjustment Act of 1942 to provide additional pay for personnel who are required to participate in regular and frequent glider flights.
 Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 5503.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 962), 5751.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6473.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4466 passed in lieu), 6601.

S. 1989—To provide for water-pollution-control activities in the United States Public Health Service, and for other purposes.
 Mr. Barkley; Committee on Commerce, 5503.

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S. 1990—To create United States Civil Service Board of Appeals.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Civil Service, 5590.

S. 1991—To amend section 5 of the Railroad Retirement Act, approved August 29, 1935, relative to death benefits.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 5590.

S. 1992—To remove restrictions on transfers of small craft to other American republics in furtherance of the war effort.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5590.

S. 1993—For the relief of the estates of Joseph B. Gowen and Ruth V. Gowen.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Claims, 5751—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1183), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8436.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1985), 8649.—Passed House, 8828.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 477], 9383.

S. 1994—To amend the National Service Life Insurance Act, as amended.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Finance, 5751.

S. 1995—For the relief of Fred A. Dimler and Gwendolyn E. Dimler, his wife.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 5939.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1007), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6484.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 6379.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1784), 7301.—Passed House, 8268.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 426], 8714.

S. 1996—To provide for a study of multiple taxation of air commerce, and for other purposes.
Mr. Wallgren; Committee on Commerce, 5939.

S. 1997—For the relief of Jack Stowers, B & O Store, and Cotton County Poultry & Egg Co.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Claims, 5939.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1143), 8043.—Passed Senate, 8082.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1970), 8590.—Passed House, 8826.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 489], 9625.

S. 1998—To authorize and direct the sale of Moore Air Field.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5939.

S. 1999—To amend section 2 of the act of June 14, 1918, so as to eliminate the necessity of joining the United States as a party in the proceedings to partition lands of full-blood members of the Five Civilized Tribes.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 5940.

S. 2000—To restore to active duty and to the active list certain retired officers of the Regular Army, and for other purposes.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Military Affairs, 5940.

S. 2001—To amend the act approved March 7, 1942 (56 Stat. 143), as amended (56 Stat. 1092; 50 App. U. S. C., Supp. III, 1001-1017, inclusive), so as to more specifically provide for pay allotments, and administration pertaining to war casualties, and for other purposes.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5940.

S. 2002—For the relief of John T. Cooper.
Mr. Hill; Committee on Claims, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1359), 8954.—Passed Senate, 9443.

S. 2003—For the relief of Thomas C. Locke.
Mr. Hill; Committee on Claims, 5940.

S. 2004—To amend the act entitled "An act to mobilize the productive facilities of small business in the interests of successful prosecution of the war, and for other purposes," approved June 11, 1942.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on Banking and Currency, 5940.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 999), 6242.—Amended and passed Senate, 6478.—Referred to House Committee on Banking and Currency, 6679.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1939), 8467.—Made special order (H. Res. 661), 8689-8694.—Debated in House, 8694-8708.—Passed House, 8708.—Examined and signed, 8742, 8789.—Presented to the President, 8791.—Approved [Public, No. 549], 9097.

S. 2005—For the relief of Della O'Hara.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Claims, 6013.

S. 2006—For the relief of J. A. Davis.
Mr. McFarland and Mr. Hayden; Committee on Claims, 6013.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1184), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8435.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1986), 8649.—Passed House, 8828.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 478], 9383.

S. 2007—For the relief of Lum Jacobs.
Mr. O'Daniel; Committee on Claims, 6013.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1063), 7220.—Amended and passed Senate, 7720, 7776.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7879.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1911), 8215.—Passed House, 8281.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8415.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 427], 8714.

S. 2008—For the relief of Herman Philyaw.
Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 6144.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1065), 7220.—Amended and passed Senate, 7719.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1971), 8590.—Passed House, 8826.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 479], 9383.

S. 2009—To amend the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944.
Mr. Murray; Committee on Finance, 6144.

S. 2010—To amend the Internal Revenue Code to allow the deduction of certain circulation expenditures, and expenditures in defense of or perfecting property rights or title.
Mr. Wherry; Committee on Finance, 6144.

S. 2011—To provide that temporary appointments as commissioned or warrant officers in the Army of the United States of enlisted men or warrant officers of the Army of the United States on active duty shall be deemed to have been accepted upon the dates such appointments are made, and for other purposes.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 6144.

S. 2012—Authorizing the retirement of Porter Blake Womer as a lieutenant commander, United States Navy.
Mr. Burton; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6145.

S. 2013—To authorize certain transactions by disbursing officers of the United States, and for other purposes.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6145.

S. 2014—To create the National Capital Metropolitan Water Administration, and for other purposes.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on the District of Columbia, 6145.

S. 2015—To liberalize certain provisions of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940, as amended.
Mr. George; Committee on Finance, 6146.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1105), 7886.—Passed Senate, 7984.—Passed House, 8138.—Examined and signed, 8153, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8154.—Approved [Public, No. 452], 8154.

S. 2016—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Mary P. Hanson.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6145.

S. 2017—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Rose Bear Cloud.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6145.

S. 2018—Authorizing the issuance of patents in fee to the heirs of Lucky Horse Singer and Ambrose Singer.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6145.

S. 2019—To establish the grade of Fleet Admiral of the United States Navy, and for other purposes.
Mr. Gerry; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6145.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1024), 6374.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6374.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 6585.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1744), 6379.—Debated in House, 6647, 8078-9082.—Amended and passed House, 9082.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 9144.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 482], 9489.

S. 2020—For the relief of Capt. Francis Scott Bradford.
Mr. Danaher; Committee on Claims, 6242.

S. 2021—To create a board to be known as the National Symphony Orchestra Trust Fund Board, to define the duties of said board, and for other purposes.
Mr. Hatch; Committee on the Judiciary, 6242.

S. 2022—To safeguard the activities of the Office of Censorship.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on the Judiciary, 6242.

S. 2023—To permit Federal employees to serve as election officials.
Mr. Tydings; Committee on the Judiciary, 6243.

S. 2024—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to J. W. Mulligan.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6243.

S. 2025—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Bull Shows and Horse.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6243.

S. 2026—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Richard Pickett.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6243.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1103), 7886.—Passed Senate, 8053.—Referred to House Committee on Public Lands, 8197.—Committee discharged and referred to House Committee on Indian Affairs, 8566.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2081), 9557.—Passed House, 9607.—Examined and signed, 9650, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9676.—Approved [Private, No. 546], 9780.

S. 2027—Authorizing conveyance of the Seger Indian School to Colony Union Graded School District No. 1, Colony, Okla.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6243.

S. 2028—To amend the Naval Reserve Act of 1938, as amended, so as to permit foreign service of members of the Women's Reserve under certain conditions.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6243.—Reported with

S. 2028—Continued
amendments (S. Rept. 1089), 7722.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 7722-7724.—Debated in House, 7862, 7870.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 5067), 7944.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Presented to the President, 8154.—Approved [Public, No. 441], 8154.

S. 2029—to provide for the planning of rural electrification projects, and for other purposes.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 6347.

S. 2030—to improve the administration of justice by prescribing fair administrative procedure.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on the Judiciary, 6347.

S. 2031—for the relief of Lt. (T) P. J. Voorhees.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 6347.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1139), 7973.—Amended and passed Senate, 8055.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4452), 8269.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8416.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 428], 8714.

S. 2032—for the relief of John R. Wall.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 6460.

S. 2033—to provide for the barring of certain claims by the United States in connection with Government checks and warrants.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6460.

S. 2034—to reestablish the Rural Electrification Administration as an independent agency to the Government.
Mr. Smith; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 6593.

S. 2035—to provide for the formulation of a national fertilizer policy and program; as a step in said program, to provide for adequate reserves for a phosphate plant heretofore authorized for construction at or near Mobile, Ala.; to specify certain policies for the public operation of said plant and to provide a basis for its operation by private enterprise; and for other purposes.
Mr. Hill; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 6593.

S. 2036—Amending sections 7 (a) and 12 (b) of the Civil Service Retirement Act of May 29, 1930, as amended.
Mr. Mead; Committee on Civil Service, 6593.

S. 2037—for the relief of Margery Anderson Bridges.
Mr. Russell; Committee on Immigration, 6593.

S. 2038—to amend the Trading With the Enemy Act, as amended, and for other purposes.
Mr. Glass; Committee on the Judiciary, 6593.

S. 2039—to permit the United States Government to use certain copyright material in furtherance of the national defense; to permit the Librarian of Congress to make and furnish copies thereof for such purpose and to make and furnish any person a copy of copyrighted material for the purpose of private research; and for other purposes.
Mr. Lucas; Committee on the Library, 6593.

S. 2040—to amend the Mustering-Out Payment Act of 1944 so as to provide mustering-out payments to certain persons discharged or relieved from active service in the armed forces to accept employment.
Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Military Affairs, 6593.

S. 2041—to provide adequate markets and fair prices for agricultural commodities produced in the United States; to eliminate the necessity for mandatory reductions in crop production; to provide a method for the exchange of surplus agricultural commodities for products of foreign countries on a basis mutually advantageous to agricultural and manufacturing interests in the United States, and to such foreign countries; to promote foreign trade in the interest of friendly and peaceful relations among nations; and for other purposes.
Mr. Capper and Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 6593.

S. 2042—for the relief of the legal guardian of Nancy Frassrand, a minor.
Mr. Stewart; Committee on Claims, 6593.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1147), 7043.—Amended and passed Senate, 8082.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8197.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1972), 8590.—Passed House, 8626.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 430], 9383.

S. 2043—for the relief of the widow of Joseph C. Akin.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Claims, 6593.

S. 2044—Granting an increase of pension to Harvey L. Frame.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Pensions, 6593.

S. 2045—to provide for the disposal of surplus Government property and plants.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Military Affairs, 6593.

S. 2046—to provide for technical research and studies in housing, and for other purposes.
Mr. Kilgore and Mr. Wagner; Committee on Education and Labor, 6595.

S. 2047—to amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act for the continuance of construction work on the San Carlos Federal irrigation project in Arizona, and for other purposes," approved June 7, 1924, as amended.
Mr. McFarland; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 6593.

S. 2048—to prohibit discrimination in employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, or ancestry.
Mr. Chavez, Mr. Downey, Mr. Wagner, Mr. Murray, Mr. Capper, and Mr. Langer; Committee on Education and Labor, 6593.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1109), 7973.

S. 2049—to validate titles to certain lands conveyed by Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6704.

S. 2050—to amend the act of August 2, 1939, entitled "An act to prevent pernicious political activities," as amended by the act of April 1, 1944, entitled "An act to facilitate voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces, members of the merchant marine, and others, absent from the place of their residence, and to amend the act of September 16, 1942, and for other purposes."
Mr. Green and Mr. Lucas; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 6704.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1037), 6935.—Passed Senate, 6939.—Passed House, 6983.—Examined and signed, 7134, 7167.—Presented to the President, 7167.—Approved [Public, No. 418], 7167.

S. 2051—to amend the Social Security Act, as amended.
Mr. George; Committee on Finance, 6706.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1035), 6723.—Debated in Senate, 6764,

S. 2051—Continued
6209, 6833, 6848, 6873.—Passed Senate, 6917.—Referred to House Committee on Ways and Means, 6928.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1798), 7245.—Made special order [H. Res. 627], 7350-7356.—Debated in House, 7356-7377, 7388-7412, 7424-7473, 7822-7840.—Motion to recommit rejected, 7473.—Amended and passed House, 7473.—House insists upon its amendments and asks for a conference, 7473.—Conferees appointed, 7473.—Senate disagrees to House amendments and agrees to conference, 7484.—Conferees appointed, 7484.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 7897-7903.—Conference report submitted in House, 8013.—Agreed to, 8017.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Approved [Public, No. 458], 8154.

S. 2052—for the relief of Ada B. Foss.
Mr. Brewster; Committee on Claims, 6704.

S. 2053—Relating to the pay of officers of the retired list of the Navy serving on active duty in the rank of rear admiral.
Mr. Brewster; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6704.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1101), 7886.—Passed Senate, 8053.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 8197.

S. 2054—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Frederick Alden.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6704.

S. 2055—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Ruth Morning.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 6704.

S. 2056—to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to lease certain lands situated in San Diego County, State of California.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6704.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1226), 8418.—Amended and passed Senate, 9428.

S. 2057—for the relief of the estate of Beatrice Withers, deceased, and Mary M. Withers.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Claims, 6723.

S. 2058—to liberalize certain provisions of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940, as amended.
Mr. George; Committee on Finance, 6723.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1106), 7826.—Passed Senate, 7934.—Passed House, 8137.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8154.—Approved [Public, No. 453], 8154.

S. 2059—Authorizing the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to grant an easement in certain lands of the Veterans' Administration, Dallas, Tex., to Dallas County, Tex., for highway purposes.
Mr. George; Committee on Finance, 6723.

S. 2060—to authorize the establishment of maximum and minimum rates of pay for classes of positions within the several grades under the Classification Act of 1923, as amended.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Civil Service, 6723.

S. 2061—to provide a national program for war mobilization and postwar adjustment.
Mr. Murray and Mr. Kilgore; placed on the calendar, 6738.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1036), 6744.—Minority views (S. Rept. 1036, pt. 2) submitted, 6757.—Debated in Senate, 6769-6801.

S. 2062—for the relief of Judge N. Singleton.
Mr. Tydings; Committee on Claims, 6757.

S. 2063—to provide for the settlement of claims for damages for personal injury or death or for damage to or loss or destruction of property caused by service personnel or civilian employees or other-

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wise incident to noncombat activities of the Naval Establishment.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6757.

S. 2064—For the relief of Richard H. Beall.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Claims, 6757.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1179), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8436.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1987), 8649.—Passed House, 8828.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 481], 9383.

S. 2065—To establish a Surplus War Property Administration; to provide for the proper disposal of surplus war property; and for other purposes.
Mr. Stewart, Mr. Murray, and Mr. Taft; Committee on Military Affairs, 6832.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1057), 7168.—Debated in Senate, 7225, 7262, 7266, 7287, 7288, 7305.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 5125 passed in lieu), 7330.

S. 2066—To amend the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and the Federal Alcohol Administration Act, as amended.
Mr. McCarran; Committee on Finance, 6832.

S. 2067—To authorize an exchange of lands between the city of Eastport, Maine, and the United States, and the conveyance of a roadway easement to the city of Eastport, Maine.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6832.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1217), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9427.

S. 2068—To amend an act entitled "An act to extend the time for examination of monthly accounts covering expenditures by disbursing officers of the United States Marine Corps," approved December 26, 1941, so as to extend the time for examination of monthly accounts of disbursing officers and special disbursing agents of the Navy and Coast Guard.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6832.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1218), 8418.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 5248 passed in lieu), 9428.

S. 2069—For the relief of Irma S. Sheridan, postmaster at Rockville, Oreg.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 6871.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1066), 7261.—Passed Senate, 7720.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 7772.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1905), 8042.—Passed House, 8281.—Examined and signed, 8351, 8416.—Presented to the President, 8418.—Approved [Private, No. 429], 8714.

S. 2070—For the relief of G. F. Allen, chief disbursing officer, Treasury Department, and for other purposes.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 6871.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1259), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.

S. 2071—To eliminate as uncollectible certain credits of the United States.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 6871.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1260), 8537.—Amended and passed Senate, 9432.—Passed House, 9605.—Examined and signed, 8650, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9676.—Approved [Public, No. 568], 9780.

S. 2072—To provide for the reimbursement of certain civilian personnel for personal property lost as a result of the Japanese occupation of Honk Kong and Manila.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 6871.

S. 2073—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to convey to Oahu Railway and Land Co. an easement for railway purposes in certain lands situated at Hala, Ewa, Oahu, T. H.

S. 2073—Continued
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6871.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1219), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9428.

S. 2074—To provide for the establishment of a modern, adequate, and efficient hospital center in the District of Columbia.
Mr. Tydings and Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 6871.

S. 2075—To provide a method for compensating certain individuals for damages sustained as the result of the explosions at Port Chicago, Calif.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6871.

S. 2076—To provide for the retirement of certain veterans who served in both World War I and World War II.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6871.

S. 2077—For the relief of W. C. Wornhoff and Josephine Wornhoff.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Claims, 6871.

S. 2078—To establish a central inventory of federally owned real property, to provide for the orderly disposition of certain surplus real property owned by the United States, and to provide for the disposition of such property for the benefit of veterans so far as practicable.
Mr. O'Mahoney; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 6929.

S. 2079—For the relief of Frank Fullingim.
Mr. Thomas of Okahoma; Committee on Claims, 6930.

S. 2080—To authorize the city of Ketchikan, Alaska, to issue bonds in a sum not to exceed \$150,000 for the purpose of constructing and acquiring additions and betterments to and extensions of the electric light and power system of said city, and to provide for the payment thereof, and for other purposes.
Mr. Tydings; Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 6930.

S. 2081—To amend the Judicial Code so as to provide for the assignment of judges of the circuit courts of appeals and justices of the United States Court of Appeals for the District of Columbia, in lieu of justices of the Supreme Court disqualified in any case.
Mr. Andrews; Committee on the Judiciary, 6930.

S. 2082—Further amending section 5 (g) of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act, relating to the War Damage Corporation.
Mr. Taft; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6930.—The Committee on Banking and Currency discharged, and referred to the Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 7221.

S. 2083—For the purpose of conserving the coal resources of the Nation, and for other purposes.
Mr. Stewart; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 7072.

S. 2084—For the purpose of conserving the coal resources of the Nation, and for other purposes.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 7072.

S. 2085—To supplement the national transportation policy and to aid in achieving such policy.
Mr. Hill; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 7072.

S. 2086—To amend the Federal Farm Loan Act, as amended, so as to prohibit Federal land banks from refusing to make mortgage loans in States, the laws of which prevent the rendering of deficiency judgments.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Banking and Currency, 7073.

S. 2087—For the relief of the Denver Live Stock Exchange.
Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Claims, 7072.

S. 2088—For the relief of Galen E. Walter.
Mr. Murray; Committee on Claims, 7072.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1261), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9434.

S. 2089—To establish a Missouri Valley Authority to provide for unified water control and resource development on the Missouri River and surrounding region in the interest of the control and prevention of floods, the promotion of navigation and reclamation of the public lands, the strengthening of the national defense, and for other purposes.
Mr. Murray; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 7081.

S. 2090—To authorize mining, milling, or smelting loans, and for other purposes.
Mr. Murray, Mr. Hayden, and Mr. Scrugham; Committee on Banking and Currency, 7072.

S. 2091—For the relief of the Aetna Insurance Company.
Mr. Cordon; Committee on Claims, 7168.

S. 2092—For the relief of Ida Erickson.
Mr. Cordon; Committee on Claims, 7168.

S. 2093—For the relief of Zella Rickard.
Mr. Cordon; Committee on Claims, 7168.

S. 2094—To provide for reimbursement of certain military personnel for loss of personal property as a result of a fire which destroyed the laundry at Winter General Hospital, at Topeka, Kans., on March 31, 1944.
Mr. Cordon; Committee on Claims, 7168.

S. 2095—To authorize the conveyance of the United States Fish Hatchery property at Butte Falls, Oreg., to the State of Oregon.
Mr. Cordon; Committee on Commerce, 7168.

S. 2096—To amend part II of the Interstate Commerce Act, as amended, so as to provide a limitation on the time within which actions may be brought by carriers by motor vehicle for the recovery of their charges.
Mr. Cordon; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 7168.

S. 2097—For the relief of Pierce William Van Doren and Elmer J. Coates.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Claims, 7168.

S. 2098—For the relief of Lt. James H. Clark and Eleanor Clark.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Claims, 7168.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1180), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8436.—Reconsidered and indefinitely postponed (H. R. 4929 passed in lieu), 8484.

S. 2099—To place on the retired list certain former commissioned officers of the Army who served during World War I.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Military Affairs, 7168.

S. 2100—To provide for the improvement and development of navigation, irrigation, and control of floods on the Missouri River and its tributaries, for the promotion of the national defense, and for other purposes.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 7168.—Pursuant to Senate Resolution 332, the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry discharged, and referred to the Committee on Commerce, 8226.

S. 2101—For the relief of the Western Union Telegraph Co.
Mr. Hawkes; Committee on Claims, 7168.

S. 2102—Relating to transfer, inheritance, and estate taxes on the transfer of certain properties of tribal and individual Osage Indians of Oklahoma.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 7168.

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S. 2103—To validate State court judgments in Oklahoma and judgments of the United States district courts of the State of Oklahoma and conveyances in the State of Oklahoma where Indian lands of the Five Civilized Tribes of Indians are involved.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 7168.

S. 2104—To provide for increasing the loan rate in the case of loans upon cotton made by the Commodity Credit Corporation.

Mr. Bankhead; Committee on Banking and Currency, 7168.

S. 2105—To amend and supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act, approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to authorize appropriations for the postwar construction of highways and bridges, to eliminate hazards at railroad-grade crossings, to provide for the immediate preparation of plans, and for other purposes.

Mr. Hayden; placed on the calendar, 7167.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1056), 7167.—Debated in Senate, 7676-7684, 7685, 7716, 7783.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 7812.—Referred to House Committee on Roads, 7879.—Committee discharged, 8585.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. R. 4915), 8585.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and asks for conference, 8615.—Conferees appointed, 8615.—House insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference, 8694.—Conference report (No. 2052) submitted in House, 9272.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9255-9259.—Agreed to in House, 9272-9277.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9384.—Approved [Public, No. 521], 9779.

S. 2106—To provide for the sale of certain Government-owned merchant vessels, and for other purposes.

Mr. Radcliffe and Mr. Bailey; Committee on Commerce, 7261.

S. 2107—Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to partition certain lands in Cleveland County, Okla.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 7303.

S. 2108—To reduce the rate of interest on loans secured by United States Government life insurance to 3 percent per annum.

Mr. McKellar; Committee on Finance, 7332.

S. 2109—To provide for the education and training of members of the merchant marine and certain members of the Women's Army Auxiliary Corps, after their discharge or conclusion of service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Commerce, 7333.

S. 2110—For the relief of E. E. Armstrong.

Mr. Capper; Committee on Claims, 7333.

S. 2111—To provide for the extension of certain oil and gas leases.

Mr. O'Mahoney; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7333.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1085), 7608.—Passed Senate, 7722.—Passed House, 7755.—Examined and signed, 7879, 7881.—Presented to the President, 7974.—Approved [Public, No. 442], 8154.

S. 2112—Authorizing the Department of Highways of the State of Minnesota to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge across the Pigeon River.

Mr. Ball; Committee on Commerce, 7333.

S. 2113—For the relief of Mary G. Marggraf.

Mr. Lucas; Committee on Claims, 7415.

S. 2114—To provide for the payment to certain Government employees for accumulated or accrued annual leave due

S. 2114—Continued upon the separation from Government service.

Mr. Capper; Committee on Civil Service, 7415.

S. 2115—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to LeRoy Milliken.

Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Indian Affairs, 7415.

S. 2116—Authorizing the issuance of a patent in fee to Maurice M. Bedoka.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 7415.

S. 2117—To amend the Coast Guard Auxiliary and Reserve Act of 1941, as amended.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Commerce, 7415.

S. 2118—To amend the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942, as amended.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Military Affairs, 7415.

S. 2119—Granting a pension to Frank P. Tebbetts.

Mr. Cordon; Committee on Finance, 7415.

S. 2120—To incorporate the National Safety Council.

Mr. Ball; Committee on the Judiciary, 7415.

S. 2121—To permit any person entitled to retired pay from the United States for disability incurred in line of duty while serving as a commissioned officer in any of the services mentioned in the Pay Readjustment Act of 1922 (U. S. C., title 37), and who holds a civilian office or position, appointive or elective, under the United States Government, to draw the full retired pay provided for such disability, in addition to the compensation provided for the civilian office or position.

Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Finance, 7415.

S. 2122—To recall certain National Guard officers to active duty.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 7415.

S. 2123—For the relief of Antonio Ruiz.

Mr. Hayden; Committee on Claims, 7415.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1360), 8954.—Passed Senate, 9443.

S. 2124—For the relief of the estate of Walney A. Colvin, deceased.

Mr. Hayden; Committee on Claims, 7415.

S. 2125—To permit the sale in foreign markets of newly mined gold or silver produced within the United States, its Territories and possessions, including Alaska, and which may be surplus to the war effort.

Mr. Scrugham; Committee on Banking and Currency, 7484.

S. 2126—To authorize the Secretary of State to continue to completion the collecting, editing, and publishing of official papers of the Territories of the United States.

Mr. Burton; Committee on Printing, 7484.

S. 2127—To further amend the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Military Affairs, 7484.

S. 2128—For the relief of Gussie B. Bacon.

Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 7515.

S. 2129—For the relief of Florence Jackson.

Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 7515.

S. 2130—For the relief of the legal guardian of Jettie Smith, a minor.

Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 7515.

S. 2131—For the relief of Oscar Spencer.

Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 7515.

S. 2132—For the relief of Ensign Frederick Matthews McCord, United States Naval Reserve.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 7515.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1220), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9427.

S. 2133—To authorize the transfer of certain lands within the Colonial National Historical Park, Yorktown, Va., to the Secretary of the Navy.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 7515.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1221), 8418.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 5331 passed in lieu), 9429.

S. 2134—To amend the Musterling-Out Payment Act of 1944, to provide a method for accomplishing certain mustering-out payments on behalf of mentally disabled veterans, and for other purposes.

Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Military Affairs, 7608.

S. 2135—For the relief of Mrs. Susanna Gimm.

Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Pensions, 7608.

S. 2136—For the relief of the city of Beardstown, Ill.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on Claims, 7608.

S. 2137—To provide for naming the lake formed by waters of the Red River impounded by Denison Dam.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on the Library, 7608.—Reported back, 7685.—Passed Senate, 7685.—Passed House (in lieu of H. R. 5328), 7948.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Approved [Public, No. 454], 8154.

S. 2138—To make retroactive as of June 1942 the increase in the purchase prices paid by the Procurement Division of the Treasury Department on and after January 14, 1943, for class A used nonportable typewriters to be used by the armed forces, and to provide for payment of such increase in prices to all persons, firms, and corporations who sold such typewriters to the Procurement Division of the Treasury Department prior to January 14, 1943.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 7608.

S. 2139—To repeal the act of June 26, 1936 (49 Stat. L. 1967).

Mr. Moore; Committee on Indian Affairs, 7608.

S. 2140—To provide for disposition of electric power generated at Fort Peck Dam, Mont.

Mr. Langer; Committee on Commerce, 7608.

S. 2141—To provide for the acceptance and protection by the United States of property within the authorized boundaries of the Everglades National Park project, Florida, pending the establishment of the park, and for other purposes.

Mr. Andrews; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7608.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1192), 8356.—Passed Senate, 8437.—Reconsidered and returned to calendar, 8438.

S. 2142—For the relief of Lindon A. Long.

Mr. Hill; Committee on Claims, 7657.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1185), 8312.

S. 2143—To authorize the course of instruction at the United States Military Academy to be given to not exceeding 20 persons at a time from the American republics, other than the United States.

Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Military Affairs, 7657.

S. 2144—To provide more efficient dental care for the personnel of the United States Navy.

Mr. Andrews; Committee on Naval Affairs, 7657.

S. 2145—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, to extend the time within which application may be made for reemployment, and for other purposes.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 7712.

S. 2146—To provide for the acquisition of certain property in the District of Columbia for use by the Children's Museum of Washington, Inc.

Mr. Capper; Committee on the District of Columbia, 7777.

S. 2147—To authorize the appointment of additional clerks to assist Senators, Representatives, and Delegates in attending to matters relating to veterans.

Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Finance, 7777.

S. 2148—To provide that the education and training provided for by the Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944 shall be made available to veterans on an equal basis without regard to their age.

Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Finance, 7777.

S. 2149—To increase the rates of compensation of certain postal employees, and for other purposes.

Mr. McCarran; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 7777.

S. 2150—For the relief of Frances Eubanks Oates.

Mr. Hill; Committee on Claims, 7777.

S. 2151—For the relief of the village of Cold Spring, Minn.

Mr. Ball; Committee on Claims, 7887.

S. 2152—To amend section 3 (b) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, so as to permit exemption of security issues not exceeding \$300,000 from the provisions of such act.

Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Banking and Currency, 7887.

S. 2153—Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Middle District of North Carolina to hear, determine, and render judgment upon any claim arising out of the death of L. W. Freeman.

Mr. Bailey; Committee on Claims, 7887.

S. 2154—For the relief of Edgar B. Grier.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Claims, 7887.

S. 2155—To transfer jurisdiction over the Chattanooga National Cemetery, Chattanooga, Tenn., from the Department of the Interior to the War Department, and for other purposes.

Mr. Stewart; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7887.

S. 2156—For the relief of Albert J. Walch.

Mr. Wallgren; Committee on Claims, 7887.

S. 2157—For the relief of Elmer R. Kinsey.

Mr. Pepper; Committee on Claims, 7887.

S. 2158—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. James E. McGhee.

Mr. Pepper; Committee on Claims, 7887.

S. 2159—Creating an Office of Naval Research, Development, and Patents in the Navy Department.

Mr. Scrugham; Committee on Naval Affairs, 7974.

S. 2160—Authorizing the promotion of Rear Admiral Harold Gardiner Bowen.

Mr. Scrugham and Mr. Brewster; Committee on Naval Affairs, 7974.

S. 2161—To correct the military record of Charles C. Fenwick.

Mr. Maloney; Committee on Military Affairs, 7974.

S. 2162—To provide for the refund of all penalties paid with respect to the 1941 and 1942 crops of wheat.

Mr. Butler; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 7974.

S. 2163—To incorporate the Medical Women, Army-Navy Club.

Mr. O'Mahoney and Mr. Ferguson; Committee on the Judiciary, 7974.

S. 2164—Repealing subsection (c) of section 1001 of the Revenue Act of 1932, relating to the determination of the class of post offices.

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Mr. Hayden; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 7974.

S. 2165—Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain lands on the Gila reclamation project, Arizona, to the University of Arizona.

Mr. Hayden; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7974.

S. 2166—Granting a pension to George Gillibrand.

Mr. Lucas; Committee on Pensions, 8043.

S. 2167—For the relief of Lt. H. R. Timmel.

Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Claims, 8043.

S. 2168—For the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States, and for other purposes.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Claims, 8043.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1186), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8436.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1988), 8649.—Passed House, 8828.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Private, No. 482], 9383.

S. 2169—To provide for promotion of American prisoners of war.

Mr. Connally; Committee on Military Affairs, 8043.

S. 2170—For the relief of Henry M. Ruiz.

Mr. Hayden; Committee on Claims, 8043.

S. 2171—For the relief of Maria Manriquez Ruiz.

Mr. Hayden; Committee on Claims, 8044.

S. 2172—To further amend the provisions of the acts authorizing payment of 6 months' death gratuity to widow, child, or dependent relative of persons in the armed forces.

Mr. Gurney; Committee on Military Affairs, 8044.

S. 2173—To amend the Internal Revenue Code so as to provide for certain exclusions from gross income for income-tax purposes in the case of persons who served in the armed forces during the present war, and for other purposes.

Mr. Andrews; Committee on Finance, 8044.

S. 2174—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Walter M. Johnson.

Mr. Ball; Committee on Claims, 8156.

S. 2175—To provide that the automatic increase in taxes imposed in connection with old-age and survivors insurance shall not apply in 1945 and to provide for a special investigation with respect to such taxes.

Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Finance, 8156.

S. 2176—To amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, with respect to the control of rents for business accommodations.

Mr. Wagner; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8157.

S. 2177—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen E. Sanders.

Mr. Brewster; Committee on Claims, 8156.

S. 2178—To amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the President to appoint an Under Secretary of War during national emergencies, fixing the compensation of the Under Secretary of War, and authorizing the Secretary of War to prescribe duties," approved December 16, 1940, for the purpose of making such act permanently effective.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 8156.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1194), 8417.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 5494 passed in lieu), 9060.

S. 2179—To reimburse certain Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at the naval auxiliary

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air facility, Astoria, Oreg., on April 2, 1944.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8156.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1222), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9427.

S. 2180—To provide reimbursement for personal property lost, damaged, or destroyed as the result of an explosion at the naval mine depot, Yorktown, Va., on November 16, 1943.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8156.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1223), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9427.

S. 2181—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to grant to the city of Canton, Ohio, for highway purposes only, a strip of land situated within the United States Naval Ordnance Plant at Canton, Ohio.

Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8156.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1224), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9428.

S. 2182—To amend the Life Insurance Act of the District of Columbia.

Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8176.

S. 2183—Authorizing and directing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to construct two four-lane bridges to replace the existing Fourteenth Street or Highway Bridge across the Potomac River, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8176.

S. 2184—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to lease certain public lands in Alaska.

Mr. Hatch; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 8176.

S. 2185—To authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to transfer by quitclaim deed to the city of Los Angeles, Calif., for fire-station purposes, the title to certain land located at Veterans' Administration facility, Los Angeles, Calif.

Mr. George; Committee on Finance, 8176.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1298), 8650.—Passed Senate, 9435.

S. 2186—For the relief of Mrs. Glenn T. Boylston.

Mr. Maybank; Committee on Claims, 8176.

S. 2187—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. William Trebing.

Mr. Johnson of Colorado; Committee on Claims, 8222.

S. 2188—For the relief of June I. Gradijan.

Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 8222.

S. 2189—For the relief of G. F. Allen, chief disbursing officer for the Treasury Department, and for other purposes.

Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 8222.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1366), 8955.—Passed Senate, 9444.

S. 2190—To amend the Social Security Act, as amended, so as to provide for supplementing unemployment compensation payable under State laws during the period of reconversion from war to peace.

Mr. Austin; Committee on Finance, 8222.

S. 2191—To amend section 6 of the Act of March 20, 1933, to prohibit the requirement of the taking of the so-called pauper's oath by certain applicants for hospital treatment or domiciliary care.

Mr. Langer; Committee on Finance, 8222.

S. 2192—To provide for the continuation on the active list of the Regular Army for the duration of any of the wars in which the United States is now engaged, and for 6 months thereafter, of any officer on the active list of the Regular Army who has served as Chief of Staff during

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S. 2192—Continued
the wars in which the United States is now engaged.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 8222.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1195), 8417.—Indefinitely postponed (H. R. 5493 passed in lieu), 8501.

S. 2193—To provide for recognition of active duty members of the Civil Air Patrol as veterans of World War II.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Finance, 8222, 8224.

S. 2194—Authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ordnance manufacturing and production facilities, and for other purposes.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8222.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1215), 8434.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Referred to House Committee on Naval Affairs, 8534.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1990), 8648.—Passed House, 9082.—Examined and signed, 9209, 9210.—Presented to the President, 9212.—Approved [Public, No. 522], 9779.

S. 2195—To further amend section 22 of the Act approved March 4, 1925, entitled "An act providing for sundry matters affecting the naval service, and for other purposes," by removing the limitation on the total personnel of the Naval Reserve Officers Training Corps, and for other purposes.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8222.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1229), 8482.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 9430.

S. 2196—For the relief of Angelo Anthony Scavo.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8312.

S. 2197—Granting an increase of pension to Jennie Eaton Ainsworth.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Pensions, 8312.

S. 2198—For the relief of the New England Telephone and Telegraph Co.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Claims, 8356.

S. 2199—To provide reimbursement for personal property lost, damaged, or destroyed as the result of an explosion at the naval air station, Norfolk, Va., on September 17, 1943.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8356.

S. 2200—To provide additional compensation for certain civilian employees of the Governments of the United States and the District of Columbia.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Civil Service, 8483.

S. 2201—To provide for health programs for Government employees.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Civil Service, 8483.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1299), 8717.—Debated in Senate, 9437.

S. 2202—For the relief of Mrs. Mae E. Sutton.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Claims, 8483.

S. 2203—To enable the mothers and widows of deceased members of the armed forces now interred in cemeteries outside the continental limits of the United States or in Alaska to make a pilgrimage to such cemeteries.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Military Affairs, 8483.

S. 2204—Authorizing the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., or its successors, to convey to the States of Arizona and California, jointly or separately, for public highway purposes, an existing railroad bridge across the Colorado River, formerly known as the Red Rock Bridge, near Topock, Ariz.
Mr. McFarland; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 8538.

S. 2205—To authorize the dissolution of the Women's Christian Association of the District of Columbia and the transfer of its assets.
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8538.—Reported without amendment (S. Rept. 1307), 8791.—Passed Senate, 9060.—Passed House, 9164.—Examined and signed, 9316, 9381.—Presented to the President, 8384.—Approved [Public, No. 500], 9625.

S. 2206—To amend the act entitled "An act to aid the several States in making, or for having made, certain toll bridges on the system of Federal-aid highways free bridges, and for other purposes," approved August 14, 1937, as amended.
Mr. Shipstead; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 8592.

S. 2207—For the relief of Marlin-Rockwell Corp. with respect to the jurisdiction of The Tax Court of the United States to redetermine its excessive profits for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1942, subject to renegotiation under the Renegotiation Act.
Mr. Mead; Committee on Finance, 8652.

S. 2208—Providing for the transfer of certain property from the Home Owners' Loan Corporation to the United States for national-park purposes.
Mr. Brewster; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 8718.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1389), 9558.—Passed Senate, 9586.—Passed House, 9621.—Examined and signed, 9650, 9670.—Presented to the President, 9676.—Approved [Public, No. 543], 9779.

S. 2209—Establishing wage differential for leadingmen and quartermen at all naval establishments.
Mr. Mead; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8718.

S. 2210—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to modify the provisions of a contract for the purchase of a power plant for use in connection with the San Carlos irrigation project.
Mr. McFarland; Committee on Indian Affairs, 8791.

S. 2211—To amend Public Law 603, Seventy-seventh Congress (ch. 404, second sess.), entitled "An act to mobilize the productive facilities of small business in the interests of successful prosecution of the war, and for other purposes."
Mr. Hatch; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8791.

S. 2212—For the relief of Thomas F. Gray.
Mr. Mead; Committee on Claims, 8870.

S. 2213—To provide for rural telephones, and for other purposes.
Mr. Hill; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 9023.

S. 2214—For the relief of Randall A. Kavanaugh.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Claims, 9023.

S. 2215—To incorporate the American Veterans Committee.
Mr. Hatch and Mr. Ferguson; Committee on the Judiciary, 9100.

S. 2216—To provide for a special investigation with respect to Old Age and Survivors Insurance under the Social Security Act.
Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Finance, 9100.

S. 2217—To provide for establishing local veterans' service offices to facilitate the administration of laws granting rights, privileges, and benefits to veterans.
Mr. Jenner; Committee on Finance, 9112.

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S. J. Res. 8—Authorizing the erection of a statue of Leif Ericsson in the District of Columbia.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 995), 6144.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6475.—Referred to House Committee on the Library, 6679.

S. J. Res. 10—Authorizing the President to issue posthumously to the late Col. William Mitchell a commission as a major general, United States Army, and for other purposes.
Reported back, 2400.—Passed Senate, 2584.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 2640.

S. J. Res. 63—Requesting the President to proclaim February 11, 1944, as Edison Day, in commemoration of the birthday of Thomas Alva Edison.
Passed House (in lieu of H. J. Res. 80), 1308.—Examined and signed, 1442, 1445.—Presented to the President, 1513.—Approved [Public, No. 226], 1513.

S. J. Res. 77—To establish a Board of Visitors for the United States Merchant Marine Academy.
Reported back, 1944.—Amended and passed House, 3860.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 3993.—Examined and signed, 4088, 4167.—Presented to the President, 4295.—Approved [Public, No. 301], 4369.

S. J. Res. 78—To provide cash awards to personnel of the Maritime Commission and the War Shipping Administration for useful suggestions to improve administration of their activities.
Amended and passed Senate, 1649.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. J. Res. 161), 2263.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 2305.—Examined and signed, 2397, 2399.—Presented to the President, 2485.—Approved [Public, No. 254], 2559.

S. J. Res. 91—To aid in effectuating the purposes of the Railway Labor Act.

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Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1073), 1131.

S. J. Res. 92—Directing the Federal Power Commission to inquire into and report to the Congress on various matters with respect to natural gas.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1234), 8537.

S. J. Res. 93—Declaring the policy of the Congress with respect to the independence of the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1497), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 6207—6208.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6248.—Examined and signed, 6489, 6585.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 380], 6683.

S. J. Res. 94—Joint resolution to amend section 13 of Philippine Independence Act, as amended, establishing the Philippine Rehabilitation Commission, defining its

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powers and duties, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1507), 4918.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. J. Res. 591); title amended, 6208-6211.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 6248.—Examined and signed, 6489, 6585.—Presented to the President, 6681.—Approved [Public, No. 381], 6683.

S. J. Res. 106—Granting permission to Charles Rex Marchant, Lorne E. Sasseen, and Jack Veniss Bassett to accept certain medals tendered them by the Government of Canada in the name of His Britannic Majesty, King George VI.
Mr. Bone; Committee on Commerce, 220.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1380), 9307.—Passed Senate, 9447.

S. J. Res. 107—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to terms of office of President, and providing for nomination of candidates for President and Vice President, and for election of such candidates by popular vote.
Mr. Langer; Committee on the Judiciary, 220.—Printed in Record, 288.

S. J. Res. 108—Making an appropriation for contingent expenses of the Senate.
Mr. Glass; Committee on Appropriations, 300.—Reported without amendment, 327.—Considered, read the third time, and passed, 327.—Passed House, 407.—Examined and signed, 509, 589.—Presented to the President, 591.—Approved [Public, No. 223], 591.

S. J. Res. 109—Extending the period for the acquisition by the Railroad Retirement Board of data needed in carrying out the provisions of the Railroad Retirement Acts.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 496.

S. J. Res. 110—To liquidate and dissolve Petroleum Reserves Corporation, a Government corporation.
Mr. Moore and Mr. Brewster; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 496.

S. J. Res. 111—To authorize the equitable adjustment of the wages and salaries of employees of the United States.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Civil Service, 593.

S. J. Res. 112—Authorizing and directing the Fish and Wildlife Service of the Department of the Interior to conduct a survey of the marine and fresh-water fishery resources of the United States, its Territories, and possessions.
Mr. Bailey; Committee on Commerce, 705.—Reported back (S. Rept. 725), 2053.—Passed Senate, 2581.—Referred to House Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2640.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1362), 3605.—Passed House, 3862.—Examined and signed, 3985, 4038.—Presented to the President, 4089.—Approved [Public, No. 302], 4369.

S. J. Res. 113—Authorizing the Secretary of War to receive for instruction at the United States Military Academy at West Point, Alexander Firouz, a citizen of Iran.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 1134.

S. J. Res. 114—To assist in making additional manpower available during the war emergency and for 6 months thereafter, and for other purposes.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Appropriations, 1381.

S. J. Res. 115—Requesting the President to issue a proclamation designating Sunday, March 12, 1944, as Sun Yat Sen Day.
Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on the Judiciary, 1725.

S. J. Res. 116—Continuing the Commodity Credit Corporation as an agency of the United States until June 30, 1945.
Mr. Bankhead; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1908.—Reported back (S. Rept. 718), 1948.—Debated in Senate, 1966-1969.—Passed Senate 1969.—Made special order (H. Res. 448), 2029, 2030.—Debated in House, 2030-2039.—Passed House (in lieu of H. J. 239), 2039.—Examined and signed, 2065, 2179.—Presented to the President, 2179.—Approved [Public, No. 240], 2179.

S. J. Res. 117—Creating a Commission to explore means of securing an agreement between the United States and Japan for the exchange of certain persons interned by such countries.
Mr. Chavez; Committee on Foreign Relations, 2054.

S. J. Res. 118—To provide for a reduction in numbers of governmental agencies and personnel.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 2190.

S. J. Res. 119—Requesting the President to issue a proclamation designating the second Sunday in October as Old Folks Day.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on the Judiciary, 2190.

S. J. Res. 120—On international economic collaboration.
Mr. Thomas of Utah, Mr. Kilgore, and Mr. Truman; Committee on Foreign Relations, 2297, 2299.

S. J. Res. 121—To amend an act entitled "An act to protect the lives and health and morals of women and minor workers in the District of Columbia, and to establish a Minimum Wage Board, and define its powers and duties, and to provide for the fixing of minimum wages for such workers, and for other purposes," approved September 19, 1918, as amended.
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2874.

S. J. Res. 122—To limit the operation of sections 109 and 113 of the Criminal Code, and sections 361, 365, and 366 of the Revised Statutes, and certain other provisions of law.
Mr. Maloney, read twice, considered, read the third time, and passed, 3610.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 3670.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1390), 3706.—Debated in House, 3710-3712.—Passed House, 3712.—Examined and signed, 3806, 3879.—Presented to the President, 3987.—Approved [Public, No. 298], 4088.

S. J. Res. 123—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1944, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brigadier General Casimir Pulaski.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on the Judiciary, 3610.

S. J. Res. 124—Authorizing payments to producers of Irish potatoes and commercial truck crops for fresh consumption under the 1943 agricultural conservation program.
Mr. Overton; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3629.

S. J. Res. 125—Designating February 11 of each year as Thomas Alva Edison Day.
Mr. Hawkes; Committee on the Judiciary, 3811.

S. J. Res. 126—To reduce the tax on admissions to cabarets, roof gardens, and similar entertainments.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Finance, 3811.

S. J. Res. 127—Making certain employees of the Senate eligible for retirement.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on Rules, 3811.

S. J. Res. 128—Relating to the employment of counsel to the subcommittee of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry of the Senate investigating certain matters.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on the Judiciary, 3884.

S. J. Res. 129—To provide for the reappointment of Harvey N. Davis and Arthur H. Compton as members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.
Mr. Barkley; Committee on the Library, 3884.

S. J. Res. 130—Relating to the employment of counsel to the subcommittee of the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry of the Senate investigating certain matters.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on the Judiciary, 4041.

S. J. Res. 131—To provide for the proper observance of the one hundred and fifty-third anniversary of the adoption of the first 10 amendments to the Constitution, known as the Bill of Rights.
Mr. Wagner; Committee on the Judiciary, 4569.

S. J. Res. 132—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to removal of the requirement for payment of poll tax.
Mr. Wherry, Mr. Aiken, Mr. Austin, Mr. Ball, Mr. Brewster, Mr. Bridges, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Buck, Mr. Burton, Mr. Bushfield, Mr. Butler, Mr. Capper, Mr. Cordon, Mr. Davis, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Gurney, Mr. Hawkes, Mr. Johnson of California, Mr. Langer, Mr. Millikin, Mr. Moore, Mr. Nye, Mr. Reed, Mr. Revercomb, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Shipstead, Mr. Taft, Mr. Thomas of Idaho, Mr. Tobey, Mr. Vandenberg, Mr. Weeks, Mr. White, Mr. Wiley, Mr. Willis, and Mr. Wilson; Committee on the Judiciary, 4688.

S. J. Res. 133—To extend the time limit for immunity.
Mr. Ferguson; Committee on the Judiciary, 4960.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 935), 5271.—Debated in Senate, 5281-5287.—Passed Senate, 5287.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of H. J. Res. 283), 5415.—Senate disagrees to House amendment and asks for conference, 5385.—Conferees appointed, 5385.—House insists upon its amendment and asks for conference, 5425.—Conferees appointed, 5425.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 5473-5476.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 5456.—Examined and signed, 5501, 5503.—Presented to the President, 5503.—Approved [Public, No. 339], 5934.

S. J. Res. 134—To provide for the establishment, management, and perpetuation of the Kermit Roosevelt Fund.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Military Affairs, 5120.—Reported back (S. Rept. 963), 5751.—Passed Senate, 6373.—Referred to House Committee on Military Affairs, 6585.

S. J. Res. 135—To provide for the quartering, in certain public buildings in the District of Columbia, of troops participating in the inaugural ceremonies.
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5273.

S. J. Res. 136—To provide for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property in connection with the Presidential inaugural ceremonies of 1945.
Mr. Bilbo; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5273.

S. J. Res. 137—Authorizing the granting of permits to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies on the occasion of the inauguration of the President-elect in January 1945, and for other purposes.

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S. J. Res. 138—Giving to discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines a preferred right of homestead entry on the Tule Lake division of the Klamath reclamation project. Mr. Downey; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5940.

S. J. Res. 139—Designating period from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas of each year for Nation-wide Bible reading. Mr. Byrd and Mr. Capper; Committee on the Judiciary, 6460.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1231), 8482.—Passed Senate, preamble rejected, 9431.

S. J. Res. 140—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to terms of President of the United States. Mr. Capper; Committee on the Judiciary, 6460.

S. J. Res. 141—Memorializing the name of Horace Wells. Mr. Maloney; Committee on the Library, 6593.—Reported back, 7886.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Referred to House Committee on the Library, 8197.

S. J. Res. 142—Providing for a reduction of civilian personnel in the executive branch of the Government. Mr. Byrd; Committee on Civil Service, 6593, 6613.

S. J. Res. 143—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, relating to the election of President and Vice President. Mr. Guffey; Committee on the Judiciary, 6593, 6630.

S. J. Res. 144—Urging the institution of American-All—Immigrants-All program. Mr. Lucas; Committee on Education and Labor, 6704.

S. J. Res. 145—Authorizing the broadcasting of the proceedings of the Senate and the House of Representatives. Mr. Pepper; Committee on Rules, 6930, 6931.

S. J. Res. 146—On establishing an Air Policy Commission. Mr. Murray; Committee on Military Affairs, 7081.—Committee discharged; referred to Committee on Commerce, 7169.

S. J. Res. 147—To provide for the general welfare by investigation into the causes and cures of infantile paralysis and encephalitis. Mr. Langer; Committee on Education and Labor, 7415, 7421.

S. J. Res. 148—Authorizing the disposal of certain blood plasma reserves. Mr. Hill; Committee on Education and Labor, 7484.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1378), 9307.—Passed Senate, 9446.—Passed House, 9546.—Examined and signed, 9578, 9624.—Presented to the President, 9628.—Approved [Public, No. 528], 9779.

S. J. Res. 149—Requesting the President to proclaim February 1, as National Freedom Day. Mr. Guffey and Mr. Truman; Committee on the Judiciary, 7515.

S. J. Res. 150—Making an appropriation to pay the necessary expenses of the inaugural ceremonies of the President of the United States, January 20, 1945. Mr. Byrd; Committee on Appropriations, 7608.—Reported, considered and passed, 7657.—Passed House, 7728.—Examined and signed, 7879, 7881.—Presented to the President, 7974.—Approved [Public, No. 443], 8154.

S. J. Res. 151—Authorizing the erection on public grounds in Springerville, Ariz., of a memorial to Gustav Becker. Mr. Hayden; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 7608.

S. J. Res. 152—Establishing a commission to select a site and design for a memorial to the contributions of members of all religious faiths to American military and naval history. Mr. Lucas; Committee on the Library, 7657.

S. J. Res. 153—Requesting the President to proclaim February 1 as National Freedom Day. Mr. Davis, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Willis, and Mr. Capper; Committee on the Judiciary, 7777.

S. J. Res. 154—Providing for paying the expenses of returning certain nationals of the United States from the Philippine Islands to the continental United States. Mr. Pepper; Committee on Claims, 7887.

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S. J. Res. 156—To extend the statute of limitation in certain cases. Mr. Ferguson, from Committee on the Judiciary.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1157), 8222.—Passed Senate, 8431.—Referred to House Committee on the Judiciary, 8534.—Passed House, 8912-8914.—Examined and signed, 8970, 9020.—Presented to the President, 9022.—Approved [Public, No. 489], 9625.

S. J. Res. 157—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the election of the President and the Vice President. Mr. Bushfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 8356.

S. J. Res. 158—Recognizing the outstanding service rendered to the United Nations by Field Marshal Sir John Dill. Mr. Connally; Committee on Foreign Relations, 8356.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1263), 8538.—Indefinitely postponed (H. J. Res. 317 passed in lieu), 9435.

S. J. Res. 159—To provide for a study and investigation with respect to the establishment and operation of a national lottery. Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Finance, 8418.

S. J. Res. 160—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States imposing a limitation with respect to taxation. Mr. Reynolds; Committee on the Judiciary, 8413.

S. J. Res. 161—To authorize the presentation of a Medal of Honor to the Honorable Cordell Hull. Mr. Chandler; Committee on the Library, 8418.

S. J. Res. 162—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States limiting the tenure of office of the President of the United States to two terms. Mr. Willis; Committee on the Judiciary, 8538.

S. J. Res. 163—To recognize the services of persons engaged in administration of the Selective Service System. Mr. Davis; Committee on Military Affairs, 9023.

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S. Con. Res. 30—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate Report No. 627, current Congress, on the bill (H. R. 3687) entitled "Revenue Act of 1943." Mr. Hayden; Committee on Printing, 83.—Reported back (S. Rept. 627), considered, and agreed to, 154.—Referred to House Committee on Printing, 368.—Reported

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S. Con. Res. 33—Relative to postwar disposition of property acquired by the Government for war purposes. Mr. Davis; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 967.

S. Con. Res. 34—Authorizing the Committee on Interstate Commerce of the Senate to have printed for its use additional copies of a consolidated edition of the hearings held before said committee during the first session of the Seventy-eighth Congress on the bill (S. 942) to amend the Interstate Commerce Act of 1943 relative to the regulation of rate bureaus. Mr. Wheeler; Committee on Printing, 1515.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 1724.—Agreed to in House, 1834.

S. Con. Res. 35—To print, with additional copies, the so-called Baruch report on war and postwar adjustment policy. Mr. Hayden; considered and agreed to, 1907.—Amended and agreed to in House, 1992.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 2055.

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S. Con. Res. 36—For a study of tax laws with a view to their simplification.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Finance, 2054.

S. Con. Res. 37—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate Report No. 539, part 2, current session, submitted by the Special Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and Planning, relative to the cancellation of war contracts, disposition and sale of surplus property, and industrial demobilization and reconversion.
Mr. George; Committee on Printing, 2054.

S. Con. Res. 38—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the report of the select committee of the Senate authorized and directed to make a complete study and investigation of the war program.
Mr. Hayden; considered and agreed to, 2190.—Passed House, 2257.

S. Con. Res. 39—To provide for appropriate commemoration of the Centennial of the Telegraph on May 24, 1944.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee on the Library, 2653.—Reported back, 2800.—Referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2800.

S. Con. Res. 40—Authorizing the appointment of a joint committee to arrange for the inauguration of the President-elect of the United States on January 20, 1945.
Mr. Byrd; Committee on Rules, 3289.—Reported back, 5271.—Agreed to, 6472.—Passed House, 6660.

S. Con. Res. 41—Favoring the return of members of the armed forces who have served continuously on foreign soil for 2 years or longer to the United States for a 30-day furlough.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Military Affairs, 3412.

S. Con. Res. 42—Paying tribute and expressing sympathy, friendship, and support to the Polish people on the anniversary of the adoption of the Polish Constitution.
Mr. Walsh of Massachusetts; Committee on Foreign Relations, 3811.

S. Con. Res. 43—Relating to the invitation to the Congress of the United States to send a delegation to visit the British Parliament.
Mr. Connally; Committee on Foreign Relations, 4090.—Reported back (S. Rept. 868), 4242.—Passed Senate; preamble agreed to, 4982.—Referred to House Committee on Foreign Relations, 5071.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1741), 6680.

S. Con. Res. 44—To provide for returning to the use of standard time.
Mr. Wherry; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 5278.

S. Con. Res. 45—Expressing the congratulations of the Congress of the United States to the Icelandic Althing on the establishment of the Republic of Iceland.
Mr. Connally; Committee on Foreign Relations, 5590.—Indefinitely postponed (H. Con. Res. 91 passed in lieu), 5939.

S. Con. Res. 46—Providing for a conditional adjournment of the two Houses.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 6603.—Passed House, 6667.

S. Con. Res. 47—Authorizing the presiding officers of the two Houses to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions after adjournment.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 6603.—Passed House, 6667.

S. Con. Res. 48—Expressing the sense of the Congress concerning hourly minimum wage standards.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Education and Labor, 7303.

S. Con. Res. 49—Establishing a Joint Overseas Inter-American Highway Committee of Congress to investigate the practicability of an extension of the Overseas Highway from Key West, Fla.
Mr. Andrews; Committee on Foreign Relations, 7612.

S. Con. Res. 50—Favoring covenants in peace treaties giving equal opportunities and privileges to press and radio representa-

S. Con. Res. 50—Continued
tives in securing and transmitting news from signatory nations.
Mr. Taft; Committee on Foreign Relations, 7657.

S. Con. Res. 51—Authorizing a change in enrolling the bill (H. R. 4257) to expatriate or exclude certain persons for evading military and naval service.
Mr. Russell; considered and agreed to, 7778.—Passed House, 7863.

S. Con. Res. 52—For freedom of the press.
Mr. Connally; Committee on Foreign Relations, 7778.

S. Con. Res. 53—Favoring international free press.
Mr. Connally; considered and agreed to, 8044.—Passed House, 8123.

S. Con. Res. 54—Providing for a recess of the two Houses of Congress.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 8045.—Passed House, 8109.

S. Con. Res. 55—Authorizing the presiding officers of the two Houses to sign enrolled bills and joint resolutions after the adjournment on September 21, 1944.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 8045.—Passed House, 8109.

S. Con. Res. 56—Authorizing the acceptance of a bust of Hon. Cordell Hull, former Secretary of State.
Mr. McKellar; Committee on the Library, 8453.—Considered and agreed to, 8650.—Passed House, 8754.

S. Con. Res. 57—Requesting the President to return to the Senate the bill S. 1979, the Uniform Stock Transfer Act, and providing for its reenrollment.
Mr. Bilbo; considered and agreed to, 9559.—Passed House, 9621.

S. Con. Res. 58—Providing for final adjournment of the Seventy-eighth Congress.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 9769.—Agreed to in House, 9803.

S. Con. Res. 59—Authorizing the signing of enrolled bills after the final adjournment of the two Houses.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 9769.—Agreed to in House, 9803.

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S. Res. 78—Providing for the appointment of James D. Reilly as a messenger.
From Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate.—Reported without amendment; considered and agreed to, 6590.

S. Res. 100—Favoring action looking to relief for starving peoples of Europe.
Debated, 598.—Passed Senate, 1652.

S. Res. 136—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the holding of hearings by the Committee on the Judiciary in respect to judicial nominations.
Agreed to, 1654.

S. Res. 195—Requesting an investigation concerning Government property and materials no longer needed for war purposes.
Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 2535.

S. Res. 198—To investigate war contracts, the termination of war contracts, and related problems.
Reported with amendment, considered, amended, and agreed to, 1415.

S. Res. 203—Favoring the appointment of a commission to formulate a plan to save the Jews of Europe from extinction by Nazi Germany.
Indefinitely postponed, 599.

S. Res. 224—Continuing with a limitation the authority to investigate the violation of the right of free speech and assembly and interference with the right of labor to organize and bargain collectively.
Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 1414.

S. Res. 225—For a study of problems relating to the readjustment in civil life of veterans of World War II.
Reported with amendments and referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 1907.—Reported with amendment, considered, and agreed to as amended, 3810.

S. Res. 227—Notifying the President that a quorum of each House is assembled and that the Congress is ready to receive any communication from him.
Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 4.

S. Res. 228—Notifying the House that a quorum of the Senate is assembled.
Mr. White; considered and agreed to, 4.

S. Res. 229—Fixing the hour of daily meeting of the Senate.
Mr. Hill; considered and agreed to, 4.

S. Res. 230—To investigate the administration of laws conferring benefits upon disabled veterans of the present war.
Mr. Davis; Committee on Finance, 33.

S. Res. 231—Favoring a temporary suspension of rationing of meat and perishable meat products.
Mr. Thomas of Idaho; Committee on Banking and Currency, 33.

S. Res. 232—To increase the limit of expenditures for the investigation relative to the production of industrial alcohol, synthetic alcohol, and synthetic rubber.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 34.—Reported back and referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 154.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 1413.

S. Res. 233—Authorizing the investigation of the production, transportation, and marketing of wool.
Mr. O'Mahoney; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 34.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 1413.

S. Res. 234—To pay a gratuity to Della M. Bender.
Mr. Gillette; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 34.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 1413.—Reconsidered and placed on Calendar, 1515.

S. Res. 235—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the national defense program.

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S. Res. 235—Continued
Mr. Truman; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 83.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 1415.

S. Res. 236—To print additional copies of Senate Document 96, Seventy-seventh Congress, relative to benefits for members or former members of the armed forces and their dependents.
Mr. Bone; Committee on Printing, 220.

S. Res. 237—Relative to the death of Representative William H. Wheat, of Illinois.
Mr. Brooks; Considered and agreed to, 289.

S. Res. 238—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the Rural Electrification Administration.
Mr. Smith; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 372.—Reported with amendment, considered, amended, and agreed to, 1413.

S. Res. 239—To investigate certain matters connected with the foreign relations of the United States.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Foreign Relations, 384.

S. Res. 240—Increasing the limit of expenditures for hearings before the Committee on Banking and Currency.
Mr. Wagner; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 439.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 1413.

S. Res. 241—Authorizing the Subcommittee on War Contract Termination of the Senate Committee on Military Affairs to have printed additional copies of the hearings held before said subcommittee during the first session.
Mr. Murray; Committee on Printing, 439.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 1795.

S. Res. 242—Providing for the revision and reprinting of Senate Document No. 96, Seventy-seventh Congress, entitled "A Service Manual for the Use of Veterans and Their Dependents."
Mr. Bone; Committee on Printing, 497.

S. Res. 243—Further continuing the authority for a general survey of the condition of Indians in the United States.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Indian Affairs, 594.—Reported back (S. Rept. 828), 3771.—Referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 3771.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 3810.

S. Res. 244—Continuing Senate Resolution 187, Seventy-fourth Congress, agreed to August 16, 1935, as amended by Senate Resolution 261, Seventy-seventh Congress, agreed to June 29, 1942, relative to the Silver Purchase Act of 1934.
Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma; Committee on Banking and Currency, 594.

S. Res. 245—Relative to the death of Senator Frederick Van Nuys, of Indiana.
Mr. Willis; considered and agreed to, 670.

S. Res. 246—To pay certain funeral expenses of the late Senator Frederick Van Nuys, of Indiana.
Mr. Willis; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 778.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 1276.

S. Res. 247—Favoring action by the United States looking to the restoration of Palestine as a homeland for the Jewish people.
Mr. Wagner and Mr. Taft; Committee on Foreign Relations, 963.

S. Res. 248—Requesting certain information concerning loans transferred by the Home Owners' Loan Corporation to private lending institutions.
Mr. Mead; ordered to lie over under the rule, 967.—Agreed to, 1408.

S. Res. 249—Authorizing the Special Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and Planning of the United States Senate to have printed for its use additional copies of the hearings held before a subcommittee of said committee during the first session of the Seventy-eighth Congress.
Mr. Hayden; Committee on Printing, 1037.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 1276.

S. Res. 250—For a study of Federal tax laws with a view to their simplification.
Mr. Wiley; Committee on Finance, 1140.

S. Res. 251—Authorizing the printing of the manuscript entitled "Manual Explanatory of the Privileges, Rights, and Benefits Provided for All Persons Who Are, or Have Been Members of the Armed Forces of the United States, and of Those Dependent Upon Them," as a Senate document; and for additional copies thereof.
Mr. Bone; Committee on Printing, 1276.—Reported, considered and agreed to, 1725.

S. Res. 252—To inquire into the legal authority for the issuance of Executive orders of the President and of departmental regulations.
Mr. McCarran; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 1276.—Reported back, 2490.—Debated, 2490.—Considered, amended, and agreed to, 3308.

S. Res. 253—Providing for an investigation with respect to petroleum resources in relation to the national welfare.
Mr. Brewster and Mr. Moore; Committee on Commerce, 1469.—Reported back and referred to Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 1795.—Reported back, amended, and agreed to; preamble agreed to, 2490.

S. Res. 254—Authorizing the payment of expenditures in connection with the investigation of the car shortage for the transportation of grain.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 1584.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 1634.

S. Res. 255—Relative to the death of Representative Leonard W. Schuetz, of Illinois.
Mr. Lucas; considered and agreed to, 1673.

S. Res. 256—To refer to the Court of Claims the bill (S. 961) for the relief of C. A. Ragland, Sr.
Mr. Bailey; Committee on Claims, 1908.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 2401.

S. Res. 257—Providing for an investigation with respect to the reasons for the decline in the consumption of cotton.
Mr. Maybank; ordered to lie on the table, 1908.—Referred to Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, 3289.

S. Res. 258—To pay a gratuity to Mrs. Frances Scarborough.
Mr. Tydings; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2054.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 2489.

S. Res. 259—Relative to the death of Senator Charles L. McNary, of Oregon.
Mr. Holman; considered and agreed to, 2079.

S. Res. 260—To investigate market conditions as affecting hog prices.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2190.

S. Res. 261—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate Report No. 539, part 2, current session, submitted by the Special Committee on Post-War Economic Policy and Planning, relative to the "Cancellation of war contracts, disposition and sale of surplus property, and industrial demobilization and reconversion."

S. Res. 261—Continued
Mr. George; Committee on Printing, 2191.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 2401.

S. Res. 262—Favoring action looking to the trial and punishment of persons guilty of atrocities upon prisoners of war and civilians.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Foreign Relations, 2215.

S. Res. 263—Providing for the appointment of a Special Committee to Investigate Presidential, Vice Presidential, and Senatorial Campaign Expenditures in 1944.
Mr. Green; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 2191.—Reported without amendment and referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 3295.—Reported without amendment; considered, and agreed to, 3296.

S. Res. 264—Relative to the death of Representative Thomas H. Cullen, of New York.
Mr. Wagner; considered and agreed to, 2222.

S. Res. 265—To pay the funeral expenses of the late Senator McNary, of Oregon.
Mr. Holman; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2300.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 2489.

S. Res. 266—Requesting a report on the jurisdiction of the United States over Wrangel Island.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee on Foreign Relations, 2311.

S. Res. 267—Increasing the limit of expenditures for hearings before the Committee on Appropriations.
Mr. McKellar; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2401.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 2489.

S. Res. 268—Authorizing the holding of hearings in the investigation of international wire and radio communications.
Mr. Wheeler; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2492.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 3241.

S. Res. 269—For eulogies on the late Senator Charles L. McNary, of Oregon.
Mr. Vandenberg; considered and unanimously agreed to, 2642.

S. Res. 270—Increasing the limit of expenditures for an investigation of the labor shortage in the Pacific Coast and Rocky Mountain States.
Mr. Downey; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2653.

S. Res. 271—Relative to the cost of production of cut diamonds.
Mr. Pepper; Committee on Finance, 2653.

S. Res. 272—Relative to the death of Representative James A. O'Leary, of New York.
Mr. Mead; considered and agreed to, 2674.

S. Res. 273—Authorizing the Senate Committee on Military Affairs to employ a special assistant.
Mr. Reynolds; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2716.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 3810.

S. Res. 274—Relative to printing additional copies of Monograph 31 of the Temporary National Economic Committee relative to patents and free enterprise.
Mr. Bone; Committee on Printing, 2874.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 3196.

S. Res. 275—Providing for an investigation of the New York Cotton Exchange.
Mr. Eastland; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3030.

S. Res. 276—To investigate matters relating to the manufacture and distribution of farm machinery.
Mr. Clark of Missouri and Mr. Gillette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3030.—Reported back and referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 3289.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 3810.

S. Res. 277—Authorizing the Senate Committee on Education and Labor to have printed for its use additional copies of part I, and each subsequent part, of the hearings held before a subcommittee of said committee, during the current Congress, pursuant to Senate Resolution 74 (78th Cong., 1st sess.), authorizing an investigation of the educational and physical fitness of the civilian population as related to national defense.
Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee on Printing, 3031.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 3306.

S. Res. 278—To investigate alleged activities of the Reconstruction Finance Corporation in connection with the management of the Kansas City Southern Railway Co.
Mr. Reed and Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 3289.

S. Res. 279—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the Rural Electrification Administration.
Mr. Smith; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 3289.

S. Res. 280—To investigate whether attempts have been made by any governmental agency to discourage use of flax fiber in the manufacture of bags and twine.
Mr. Langer, Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3432.

S. Res. 281—For an investigation to determine policies as to inventories of Government war materials and the sale of surplus materials.
Mr. Bridges, Committee on Military Affairs, 3481.

S. Res. 282—Providing for an investigation concerning the disclosure of information obtained through censorship.
Mr. Reed, Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 857), 4041.—Referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 4041.—Reported, considered and agreed to, 4294.

S. Res. 283—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the committee print of the Special Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and Planning of the Senate, relative to the role of the Federal Government in highway development, being an analysis of the needs and proposals for postwar action.
Mr. George, Committee on Printing, 3630.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 3673.

S. Res. 284—To pay a gratuity to Richard E. Hagan.
Mr. Brooks, Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 3630.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 3810.

S. Res. 285—Providing for an investigation of the adequacy of the telegraph service.
Mr. Downey, Committee on Interstate Commerce, 3674.

S. Res. 286—To investigate the question of the legality of the seizure of the plant of Montgomery Ward & Co.
Mr. Byrd, 3783.—Ordered to lie on the table, 3783.—Agreed to, 3918-3919.

S. Res. 287—Relative to the death of the Secretary of the Navy, Honorable Frank Knox.
Mr. Barkley, Considered and agreed to, 3790.

S. Res. 288—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of war contracts termination.
Mr. Murray, Committee on Military Affairs, 3811.—Reported back and referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 4169.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 4852.—Reconsidered, amended, and agreed to, 4960.

S. Res. 289—Authorizing the Committee on Civil Service to employ a temporary additional clerk.
Mr. Downey, Committee on Civil Service, 3811.

S. Res. 290—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of Senate Document No. 146, current session, entitled "Benefits to veterans and their dependents," being an analysis of rights of all veterans and their dependents to pension or compensation.
Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee on Printing, 3811.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 4170.

S. Res. 291—To investigate whether rayon and synthetic products can be used as a substitute for cotton and wool.
Mr. Bankhead; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3834.—Reported without amendment and referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 5271.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 949), 5751, 5780.—Amended and passed Senate, 6473.

S. Res. 292—Providing for an investigation concerning oil- and gas-producing Indian lands in the United States and Alaska.
Mr. Langer; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4171.

S. Res. 293—Continuing the Special Committee on Conservation of Wildlife and increasing the limit of expenditures by it.
Mr. Clark of Missouri; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 4570.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 4852.

S. Res. 294—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the use of public lands.
Mr. McCarran; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 4570.—Reported with amendment, considered, and agreed to as amended, 4852.

S. Res. 295—To investigate problems arising in connection with the construction and administration of the Central Valley reclamation project in California.
Mr. Downey; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 4689.

S. Res. 296—To investigate the immigration of aliens to and the deportation of aliens from the United States.
Mr. Holman; Committee on Immigration, 5075.

S. Res. 297—Favoring temporary admission to and detention in the United States of certain war refugees from Europe.
Mr. Gillette; Committee on Foreign Relations, 5076.

S. Res. 298—To investigate the activities of the Political Action Committee of the Congress of Industrial Organizations.
Mr. Butler; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 5120.

S. Res. 299—Authorizing the acceptance by the Senate of a portrait of the late Senator Charles L. McNary, of Oregon.
Mr. Holman; Committee on the Library, 5142.

S. Res. 300—Authorizing the Subcommittee on War Mobilization of the Committee on Military Affairs of the Senate to have printed for its use additional copies of its hearings.
Mr. Kilgore; Committee on Printing, 5142.

S. Res. 301—Authorizing an investigation of the cotton textile industry.
Mr. Ellender; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 5278.

S. Res. 302—Authorizing the expense for reporting a hearing before the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation to be paid from the contingent fund of the Senate.
Mr. Hayden; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 5278.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 5781.

S. Res. 303—Authorizing the temporary employment by the Sergeant at Arms of 10 additional privates for the police force.
Mr. Hayden; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 5278.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 5781.

S. Res. 304—Amending S. Res. 155, authorizing an investigation with respect to the supply and distribution of hydroelectric power.
Mr. McFarland; considered and agreed to, 5303.

S. Res. 305—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of economic and social conditions in Puerto Rico.
Mr. Chavez; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 5364.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 6460.

S. Res. 306—Increasing the limit of expenditures for hearings before the Committee on Commerce.
Mr. Bailey; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 5432.—Reported back, considered, and agreed to, 6459.

S. Res. 307—To inquire as to the extent of exhibition facilities at the Smithsonian Institution.
Mr. Wherry; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 5503.

S. Res. 308—To increase the limit of expenditures under S. Res. 298, Seventy-sixth Congress (providing for a study and survey of the problems of American small business enterprises), agreed to October 8, 1940, by \$25,000.
Mr. Murray; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 5826.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 6460.

S. Res. 309—To investigate conditions prevailing in the production, processing, distribution, and marketing of agricultural commodities.
Mr. Wherry, Mr. Reed, Mr. Gillette, Mr. Butler, Mr. Millikin, Mr. Ball, Mr. Moore, Mr. Johnson of Colorado, Mr. Bankhead, Mr. Thomas of Oklahoma, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Holman, Mr. Capper, Mr. Thomas of Idaho, Mr. Bushfield, Mr. Gurney, Mr. Willis, Mr. Wiley, Mr. Brooks, Mr. Stead, Mr. Wheeler, Mr. Aiken, and Mr. La Follette; Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 5943-5948.—Reported with amendments and referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 6243.

S. Res. 310—To investigate the administration of postal affairs.
Mr. Reed, Mr. Ferguson, Mr. Moore, Mr. Robertson, Mr. Weeks, and Mr. Buck; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 5942.

S. Res. 311—Increasing the compensation of the temporary clerk to the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys.

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S. Res. 311—Continued

Mr. Hatch; Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 6013.—Reported without amendment and referred to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent expenses of the Senate, 6347.—Reported with amendment, 6590.—Agreed to, 6590.

S. Res. 312—To print additional copies of certain hearings in the investigation of the operation of the national defense program.

Mr. Truman; considered and agreed to, 6144.

S. Res. 313—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of hydroelectric power development and irrigation projects.

Mr. McFarland and Mr. Hatch; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 6147.—Reported with an amendment; considered, amended, and agreed to, 7515.

S. Res. 314—To investigate certain activities of the Securities and Exchange Commission and the Post Office Department.

Mr. Pepper and Mr. Andrews; Committee on the Judiciary, 6147.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1033), 6459.

S. Res. 315—To increase the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the alcoholic beverage industry.

Mr. McCarran; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 6243.

S. Res. 316—To investigate the activities of the Securities and Exchange Commission and laws administered by it.

Mr. Vandenberg; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6460.

S. Res. 317—Favoring the award of the Dodecanese Islands to Greece.

Mr. Pepper; Committee on Foreign Relations, 6761.

S. Res. 318—Providing for the printing of additional copies of Senate Document No. 227, an additional report of the Joint Committee on Reduction of Nonessential Federal Expenditures, relating to Government corporations.

Mr. Byrd; Committee on Printing, 6803.—Reported, considered and agreed to, 7168.

S. Res. 319—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of the national defense program.

Mr. Mead; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 6833.—Reported, considered, amended and agreed to, 7253-7255.

S. Res. 320—Favoring the acquisition of certain islands by the United States as a means of maintaining peace after the war.

Mr. McKellar; Committee on Foreign Relations, 6931.

S. Res. 321—To investigate the alleged shortage of railroad cars for the transportation of grains in North Dakota and Texas, and means of relieving such shortage.

Mr. Langer; Committee on Interstate Commerce, 6932.

S. Res. 322—Increasing the limit of expenditures in the investigation of campaign expenditures of Presidential, Vice Presidential, and senatorial candidates.

Mr. Green; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 7170.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 7515.

S. Res. 323—Authorizing the printing of a revised edition of the Senate Rules and Manual for the Seventy-ninth Congress.

Mr. Byrd; Committee on Printing, 7221.—Reported, considered, and agreed to, 7484.

S. Res. 324—Authorizing an investigation concerning the disposition of surplus Government-owned property.

Mr. Ellender; Committee on Military Affairs, 7238.

S. Res. 325—Urging the establishment of temporary havens in Palestine for certain Hebrews in Hungary.

Mr. Thomas of Utah, Mr. Murray, Mr. Ferguson, and Mr. Taft; Committee on Foreign Relations, 7261.

S. Res. 326—Inviting State Department officials to discuss the European situation before the Senate with closed doors.

Mr. Wiley; Committee on Foreign Relations, 7521.

S. Res. 327—Providing for the continuance on the pay roll of clerical assistants of Senators appointed to serve until general elections.

Mr. Walsh of New Jersey; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 7887.

S. Res. 328—Authorizing the retention of Roy W. Brown in the position of captain of the Capitol Police.

Mr. George; Committee on Rules, 7887.

S. Res. 329—Authorizing the Special Committee to Study Problems of American Small Business to have printed for its use copies of certain hearings.

Murray; Committee on Printing, 7887.—considered and agreed to, 7974.

S. Res. 330—Authorizing the acceptance and hanging in the Senate wing of the Capitol of a portrait of the late Senator Daniel Webster.

Mr. Barkley; considered and agreed to, 8045.

S. Res. 331—Providing for a rereference of Senate bill 1915, relating to the Missouri River Basin.

Mr. Bailey; ordered to lie over under the rule, 8157.—Indefinitely postponed, 8176.

S. Res. 332—Providing for a rereference of Senate bill 2100, relating to the Missouri River Basin.

Mr. Bailey; ordered to lie over under the rule, 8176.—Considered and agreed to, 8226.

S. Res. 333—Providing for a rereference of Senate bill 2089, relating to the Missouri River Basin.

Mr. Bailey; ordered to lie over under the rule, 8176.—Ordered to lie on the table, 8226.

S. Res. 334—Relative to the death of Representative Hampton P. Fulmer, of South Carolina.

Mr. Maybank; considered and unanimously agreed to, 8190.

S. Res. 335—Relative to the death of Senator Ellison D. Smith, of South Carolina.

Mr. Maybank; considered and agreed to, 8199.

S. Res. 336—Authorizing an investigation of the facts relating to the Japanese attack on the Territory of Hawaii on December 7, 1941.

Mr. Ferguson; Committee on Military Affairs, 8224.

S. Res. 337—To pay certain funeral expenses of the late Senator Smith, of South Carolina.

Mr. Maybank; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8226.—Considered and agreed to, 8483.

S. Res. 338—Continuing the authority for the investigation of the production, transportation, and marketing of wool.

Mr. O'Mahoney; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8226.

S. Res. 339—Favoring the issuance of a special postage stamp in commemoration of Francis Scott Key.

Mr. Radcliffe; Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 8226.

S. Res. 340—Increasing the limit of expenditures for the investigation of international communications by wire and radio.

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Mr. McFarland, Mr. Wheeler, and Mr. White; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8356.

S. Res. 341—Calling on the United States Tariff Commission for information concerning certain products and the ratio of imports in relation thereto.

Mr. Brewster; Committee on Finance, 8538.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1367), 8955.—Agreed to, as amended, 9027.—Preamble agreed to, 9028.

S. Res. 342—Continuing the authority for the employment of an assistant clerk to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8792.

S. Res. 343—Continuing the authority for the employment of an additional clerk to the Committee on Education and Labor.

Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8792.

S. Res. 344—Authorizing the Committee on Education and Labor to hold hearings during the Seventy-ninth Congress.

Mr. Thomas of Utah; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8792.

S. Res. 345—To pay Howard B. Smith for stenographic services rendered to the Committee on Agriculture and Forestry.

Mr. Aiken; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8792.

S. Res. 346—Increasing the limit of expenditures for hearings before the Committee on Military Affairs.

Mr. Reynolds; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 8792.

S. Res. 347—To print the forty-seventh annual report of the National Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution as a Senate document.

Mr. Hayden; considered and agreed to, 8869.

S. Res. 348—Expressing the sense of the Senate relative to the formation of groups of nations for military purposes.

Mr. Ellender; Committee on Foreign Relations, 8976.

S. Res. 349—Extending the authority for a study and survey of the problems of American small business enterprises.

Mr. Murray; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 9023.

S. Res. 350—Authorizing the Committee on Public Lands and Surveys to hold hearings during the Seventy-ninth Congress.

Mr. Hatch; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 9023.

S. Res. 351—Continuing the authorization for the employment of an assistant clerk by the Committee on Patents during the Seventy-ninth Congress.

Mr. Pepper; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 9212.

S. Res. 352—Extending the authority of and time for a report on the legal authority for the issuance of Executive orders.

Mr. McCarran; Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 9212.

S. Res. 353—Authorizing the Special Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and Planning of the United States Senate to have printed for its use additional copies of part 3 of the hearings held before said committee during the second session of the Seventy-eighth Congress.

Mr. George; Committee on Printing, 9307.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 9422.

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S. Res. 354—Temporarily continuing the War Contracts Subcommittee of the Committee on Military Affairs.
Mr. Murray; Committee on Military Affairs, 9384.

S. Res. 355—Extending the time for a report on the investigation of certain campaign expenditures.
Mr. Green; Committee on Privileges and Elections, 9490.—Agreed to, 9637.

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Mr. Lucas; Considered and agreed to, 9630.

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H. R. 7—Making unlawful the requirement for the payment of a poll tax as a prerequisite to voting in a primary or other election of national officers.
Debated in Senate, 4172-4189, 4244-4264, 4300-4322, 4385-4405, 4405-4425, 4425-4429, 4473-4477.—Motion to conclude debate rejected, 4470.

H. R. 82—To provide for the registration and protection of trade-marks used in commerce, to carry out the provisions of certain international conventions, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1303), 8717.—Debated in Senate, 9437-9439.

H. R. 85—To amend the act of March 3, 1927, entitled "An act granting pensions to certain soldiers who served in the Indian wars from 1817 to 1898, and for other purposes."

Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 656), 903.—Amended and passed Senate, 1657.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 1971.—Examined and signed, 2045, 2047.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Public, No. 245], 3115.

H. R. 86—To grant pensions to certain unmarried dependent widows of Civil War veterans who were married to the veteran subsequent to June 26, 1905.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1288), 3156.—Passed House, 3500.—Referred to Senate Committee on Pensions, 3523.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1148), 8175.—Amended and passed Senate, 8433.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8632.—Examined and signed, 8685, 8713.—Presented to the President, 8789.—Approved [Public, No. 471], 9159.

H. R. 126—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to sell certain lands, and for other purposes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1751), 6680.—Passed House, 8762.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 8791.

H. R. 149—To increase agricultural purchasing power and to meet the need of combating malnutrition among the people of low income by defining and making certain a reasonable definition and standard for nonfat dry milk solids.
Debated in Senate, 1651, 1652, 1663, 1909-1918.—Passed Senate, 1919.—Examined and signed, 2045, 2047.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Public, No. 244], 3115.

H. R. 171.—For the relief of James Fleming.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1499), 4837.—Recommitted to Committee on Military Affairs, 5395.

H. R. 195—For the relief of Gladys A. Ennis as executrix of the estate of George Pearse Ennis, deceased, and Oscar H. Julius; and the Excelsior Automotive Service, Inc.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1728), 6630.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8263.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1235), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 492], 9805.

H. R. 202—For the relief of the alien Michael Soido.

H. R. 202—Continued
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1109), 1512.—Amended and passed House, 1693.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1725.

H. R. 205—Conferring jurisdiction upon the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of Florida to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of all persons who have claims for damages or losses allegedly resulting from the construction, further development, and improvement of the Intra-coastal Waterway, Miami to Jacksonville, Fla., and for other purposes.
Passed Senate, 1642.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Vetoed (H. Doc. No. 453), 2084.

H. R. 213—For the relief of Edward H. Smith.
Reported back (S. Rept. 640), 778.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 181], 2079.

H. R. 242—For the relief of Capt. Malcom K. Beyer.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1212), 2132.—Passed House, 2321.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.

H. R. 248—For the relief of Louis Councill.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 697), 1795.—Amended and passed Senate, 2575.—House disagrees to Senate amendment and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference, 3614.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1690), submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 327], 6712.

H. R. 262—For the relief of Mrs. J. C. Romberg.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1550), 5140.—Passed House, 5398.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1166), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 439], 9159.

H. R. 272—For the relief of Mrs. Vola Stroud Pokluda.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1128), 1719.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 2314.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 878), 4242.—Amended and passed Senate, 4983.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6332.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Private, No. 308], 6712.

H. R. 237—For the relief of the legal guardian of August Michela, a minor.

Amended and passed House; title amended, 333.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.

H. R. 299—For the relief of Hyman L. Schiffer.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1843), 7576.—Passed House, 8276.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.

H. R. 312—For the relief of Freda Utley.

Reported back (S. Rept. 1078), 7515.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and

H. R. 312—Continued
signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 372], 8162.

H. R. 324—To place postmasters at fourth-class post offices on an annual-salary basis, and fix their rate of pay; and provide allowances for rent, fuel, light, and equipment, and fix the rates thereof.
Amended and passed Senate, 1647.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 1971.—Conferees appointed, 1971.—Senate insists upon its amendments and asks for conference, 2201.—Conferees appointed, 2201.—Conference report (No. 1269) submitted in House, 2794.—Senate agrees to conference report, 2801.—House agrees to conference report, 2859.—Examined and signed, 2871, 2963.—Presented to the President, 3027.—Approved [Public, No. 271], 3355.

H. R. 329—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to incur obligations for the benefit of natives of Alaska in advance of the enactment of legislation making appropriations therefor.
Reported back (S. Rept. 822), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4937.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Public, No. 323], 5458.

H. R. 330—To amend section 16 of the act entitled "An act to prevent pernicious political activities," approved August 2, 1939, as amended.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1602), 5430.—Amended and passed House, 8455.—Referred to Senate Committee on Privileges and Elections, 8483.

H. R. 340—To authorize the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska to grant and convey certain lands to the city of Sitka, Alaska, for street purposes.
Reported back (S. Rept. 990), 6144.—Passed Senate, 6475.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Public, No. 361], 6712.

H. R. 399—For the relief of John Sims.
Reported back (S. Rept. 641), 778.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1901.—Approved [Private, No. 182], 2079.

H. R. 439—For the relief of Jack Scarton or John Skarton, formerly Simon Jan Skarzenski.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1110), 1512.—Amended and passed House, 1693.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1725.

H. R. 442—For the relief of John Damacus.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1111), 1512.—Amended and passed House, 1694.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1725.

H. R. 443—For the relief of Dave Hougaard.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 217), 217.—Amended and passed House, 334.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.

H. R. 449—For the relief of the Puget Sound Bridge & Dredging Co.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1861), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8277.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1236), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—

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H. R. 449—Continued
Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 547], 9806.

H. R. 480—For the relief of Francesco P. Mastrilli.
Amended and passed Senate, 1645.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 1972.—Examined and signed, 2045, 2047.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Private, No. 216], 3115.

H. R. 521—For the relief of Toby Lena Rosenberg, alias Maria Louisa Nasco, alias Alejandrina Nasco Echegaray.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1425), 4087.—Amended and passed House, 4527.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 4570.

H. R. 527—For the relief of Mary Hertz.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1339), 3430.—Amended and passed House, 3534.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1048), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 373], 8162.

H. R. 529.—For the relief of John W. Farrell.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1764), 7043.—Amended and passed House, 8266.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.

H. R. 544—For the relief of Rev. C. M. McKay.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 701), 1795.—Amended and passed Senate, 2576.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1691) submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 314], 6712.

H. R. 545—For the relief of G. F. Odom.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1862), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8278.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1237), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 493], 9805.

H. R. 547—For the relief of Kieran R. Cunningham.
Reported back (S. Rept. 664), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1658.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 183], 2079.

H. R. 550—For the relief of the estate of Renzie Graham.
Passed Senate, 1645.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Vetoed (H. Doc. 455), 2085.

H. R. 552—For the relief of Winfred Alexander.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1129), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2315.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.

H. R. 610—For the relief of Pacific Dry Dock & Repair Co., Inc.
Reported back (S. Rept. 670), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 184], 2079.

H. R. 634—To provide for the advancement of Rear Adm. Emory S. Land, Construction Corps, United States Navy, retired, to the rank of vice admiral.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1204), 2132.—Passed House, 2321.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 904), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6468.—Vote reconsidered, 6468.—Passed Senate, 6607.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 348], 6712.

H. R. 636—For the relief of C. J. Toole.
House concurs in Senate amendment, 926.—Examined and signed, 965, 1034.—Presented to the President, 1130.—Approved [Private, No. 169], 1827.

H. R. 702—To permit the prepayment of the purchase price of certain housing sold to individuals by the Resettlement Administration or by the Farm Security Administration, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 997), 6242.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6477.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6647.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Public, No. 401], 6712.

H. R. 735—To confer to certain persons who served in a civilian capacity under the jurisdiction of the Quartermaster General during the war with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, or the China Relief Expedition the benefits of hospitalization and the privileges of the soldiers' homes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1370), 3671.—Debated in House, 3864.—Passed House, 5317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 5363.

H. R. 763—For the relief of Lindsey Harcrow.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1863), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8278.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1238), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 494], 9805.

H. R. 768—To authorize the cancellation of deportation proceedings in the case of Frank Durante and wife, Maria Durante and five children, namely: Paul Durante, Alfred Durante, Anthony Durante, Henry Durante, and Fatsy Durante.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1015), 701.—Amended and passed House, 1683.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1725.

H. R. 837—To restore and add certain public lands to the Uintah and Ouray Reservation in Utah, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1188), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8437.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 8946.—Conferees appointed, 8946.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 8979.—Conferees appointed, 8979.—Conference report (No. 2053), submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9023.—Conference report submitted in House, 9120.

H. R. 850—For the relief of George M. Louie.
Passed Senate, 1645.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1901.—Approved [Private, No. 185], 2079.

H. R. 872—To declare that the United States holds certain lands in trust for the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1213), 2132.—Passed House, 5327.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 5364.

H. R. 905—To release all the right, title, and interest of the United States in certain land constituting a portion of the tract of land conditionally granted to the county of Los Angeles, State of California, under the act of March 24, 1933, as amended.

H. R. 905—Continued
Reported back (S. Rept. 934), 5142.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Public, No. 402], 6712.

H. R. 929—For the relief of Irving L. Jones.
Reported back (S. Rept. 705), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2575.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2796.—Approved [Private, No. 242], 3115.

H. R. 933—For the relief of Conrad H. Clark and Rocco Cellette.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1340), 3430.—Amended and passed House, 3534.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1126), 7973.—Passed Senate, title amended, 8055.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8990.—Examined and signed, 9021, 9096.—Presented to the President, 9209.—Approved [Private, No. 461], 9805.

H. R. 976—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Sebastian Eger.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1255), 8538.—Amended and passed Senate, 9434.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9548.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 548], 9807.

H. R. 1023—To establish a Chief of Chaplains of the United States Navy.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1026), 856.—Amended and passed House, 1554.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 1584.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1370), 9022.—Amended and passed Senate, 9446.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9547.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 530], 9806.

H. R. 1033—To suspend the effectiveness during the existing national emergency of the tariff duty on coconuts.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1949), 8534.—Amended and passed House, 8758.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 8791.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1354), 8954.—Passed Senate, 9137.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9382.—Approved [Public, No. 504], 9805.

H. R. 1040—For the relief of Frank Henderson and Frances Nell Henderson, his wife.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1551), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5398.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1113), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 387], 8162.

H. R. 1042—For the relief of Frank J. Recely and Mary T. Recely.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1114), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 388], 8162.

H. R. 1045—For the relief of Mrs. R. D. Robinson.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1324), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3532.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 972), 5939.—Amended and passed Senate, 6474.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6662.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 328], 6712.

H. R. 1046—For the relief of David B. Turpel.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1222), 2173.—Passed House, 2321.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 924), 5119.—

H. R. 1046—Continued
Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 315], 6712.

H. R. 1047—For the relief of the State of Oregon, Department of Forestry of the State of Oregon, and certain organized protection agencies in the State of Oregon for protection of unappropriated public-forest lands intermingled with Oregon and California lands from July 1, 1938, to June 30, 1939.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 653), 778.—Amended and passed Senate, 1656.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2021.—Examined and signed, 2047, 2077.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Public, No. 243], 3115.

H. R. 1061—For the relief of the Waldrop Heating & Plumbing Co.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1177), 2010.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 2318.

H. R. 1062—For the relief of the estate of John H. Cathcart.
Reported without amendment (S. Rept. 706), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2796.—Approved [Private, No. 228], 3115.

H. R. 1117—To provide for the recognition of the services of the civilian officials and employees, citizens of the United States, engaged in and about the construction of the Panama Canal.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1332), 3407.—Made special order (H. Res. 549), 4811.—Debated in House, 4813-4823.—Passed House, 4823.—Laid on the table (S. 683 passed in lieu), 4824.

H. R. 1201—To permit prosecutions after the lapse of a temporary statute for offenses committed prior to its expiration.
Reported back (S. Rept. 734), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2583.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2796.—Approved [Public, No. 261], 3116.

H. R. 1216—For the relief of Walter Ervin and Cora Ervin.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1033), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1684.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 766), 3029.—Passed Senate, 3301.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 261], 4322.

H. R. 1218—For the relief of F. L. Riddle.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1765), 7043.—Amended and passed House, 8266.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1285), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 495], 9805.

H. R. 1220—For the relief of Paul J. Campbell, the legal guardian of Paul M. Campbell, a minor.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 869), 4242.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4982.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6332.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Private, No. 309], 6712.

H. R. 1232—For the relief of Roscoe McKinley Meadows.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1238), 2352.—Passed House, 2833.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 2874.

H. R. 1268—For the relief of the estate of Ida Londinsky.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1376), 3706.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 3868.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.

H. R. 1269—For the relief of Frank E. Wilmot.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1086), 1442.—Amended and passed House, 1690.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.

H. R. 1273—For the relief of the heirs of Simon M. Myhre.
Reported back (S. Rept. 691), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2796.—Vetoed (H. Doc. 519), 3263.

H. R. 1284—Relating to the naturalization of persons not citizens who serve honorably in the military or naval forces of the United States during the present war.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1232), 8537.—Amended and passed Senate, 9434.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9548.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 531], 9806.

H. R. 1311—For the relief of Dan Croots.
Passed Senate, 1645.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1901.—Approved [Private, No. 186], 2079.

H. R. 1313—For the relief of Delores Lewis.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 703), 1795.—Amended and passed Senate, 2576.—House disagreed to Senate amendment and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1692) submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 316], 6712.

H. R. 1318—For the relief of Jack V. Dyer.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1486), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5395.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1158), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 440], 9159.

H. R. 1344—For the relief of Paul W. Busbey, Mrs. Paul W. Busbey, Paula Busbey, and Mrs. Louisa Busbey.
House concurs in Senate amendments, 936.—Examined and signed, 965, 1034.—Presented to the President, 1130.—Approved [Private, No. 170], 1627.

H. R. 1388—To authorize the acceptance of donations of land for the construction of a scenic parkway to provide an appropriate view of the Great Smoky Mountains National Park from the Tennessee side of the park, and for other purposes.
Debated, 411.—Passed Senate, 1643.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 232], 2079.

H. R. 1411—For the relief of Eddie T. Stewart.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1087), 1442.—Amended and passed House, 1411.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 743), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2582.—House disagrees with Senate amendments and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1693), submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 329], 3712.

H. R. 1412—For the relief of Mildred B. Hampton.
Reported with amendment (S. 712), 1907.—Amended and passed Senate, 2577.—House disagrees to Senate amendment and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendment and agreed to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1694) submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 330], 6712.

H. R. 1421—For the relief of Paul B. Lingle.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1088), 1442.—Passed House, 1690.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 767), 3029.—Passed Senate, 3301.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 262], 4322.

H. R. 1434—For the relief of Anna M. Kohler.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1080), 7515.—Amended and passed Senate, 7635.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 7756.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 374], 8162.

H. R. 1442—For the relief of Lafayette Gibson.
Reported back (S. Rept. 651), 778.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 187], 2079.

H. R. 1444—For the relief of Mrs. Elizabeth J. Patterson, Joy Patterson, and Roberta Patterson.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1454), 4685.—Passed House, 5390.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.

H. R. 1467—To record the lawful admission to the United States for permanent residence of Reverend Julius Paal.
Passed Senate, 1645.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 188], 2079.

H. R. 1469—For the relief of Robert Beckwith, Julius Luettner, and Emma M. Buettner.
Amended and passed House, 333.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.—Reported back (S. Rept. 710), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2577.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 257], 3355.

H. R. 1475—To amend further the Civil Service Retirement Act, approved May 29, 1930, as amended.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1396), 3727.—Passed House, 3866.—Ordered placed on Calendar, 3884.—Amended and passed Senate (in lieu of S. 461), 4961.—Veto reconsidered, 4976.—Amended and passed Senate, 4976.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6264.—Examined and signed, 6264, 6344.—Presented to the President, 6449.—Approved [Public, No. 351], 6712.

H. R. 1488—To provide a right-of-way for an oil pipe line over the Ogden Ordnance Depot Military Reservation.
Passed House, 1306.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 709), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2577.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Public, No. 260], 8116.

H. R. 1497—For the relief of Mrs. J. T. Taulbee.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1487), 4836.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 5894.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1129), 6459.—Passed Sen-

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H. R. 1497—Continued
ate, 6488.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 331], 6712.

H. R. 1506—To amend further the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1006), 436.—Amended and passed House, 1314.—Referred to Senate committee, 1381.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 917), 5074.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6470.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 7348.—Examined and signed, 7480, 7481.—Presented to the President, 7509.—Approved [Public, No. 421], 8103.

H. R. 1518—For the relief of Mrs. Bessie Pike and Mrs. Estelle Rosenfeld.
Reported back (S. Rept. 717), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2577.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 229], 3115.

H. R. 1519—Conferring jurisdiction on the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of the McCullough Coal Corp. against the United States.
Reported back (S. Rept. 879), 4242.—Amended and passed Senate, 8062.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8136.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Pocket veto, Oct. 3, 1944.

H. R. 1556—For the relief of Archie Barwick.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1766), 7043.—Amended and passed House, 8266.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1330), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 496], 9805.

H. R. 1565—Relating to the appointment of postmasters.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1283), 3028.—Passed House, 3498.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3525.—Reported back (S. Rept. 802), 3609.—Amended and passed Senate, 4108.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 4193.—Examined and signed, 4242, 4292.—Presented to the President, 4367.—Approved [Public, No. 306], 4788.

H. R. 1569—To amend the act entitled "An act to amend the act creating the circuit court of appeals in regard to fees and costs, and for other purposes," approved February 19, 1897 (29 Stat. 536; 28 U. S. C. 543).
Amended and passed House, 1310.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 1381.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1037), 7656.—Amended and passed Senate, 7722.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8018.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Presented to the President, 8161.—Approved [Public, No. 423], 8162.

H. R. 1594—For the relief of Peter A. Gawalis.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 643), 778.—Amended and passed Senate, 1655.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2021.—Examined and signed, 2047, 2077.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Private, No. 218], 3115.

H. R. 1623—To amend an act entitled "An act to provide fees to be charged by clerks of the district courts of the United States," approved February 11, 1925 (43 Stat. 857), as amended (28 U. S. C. secs. 548-555).
Amended and passed House, 1310.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1068), 7656.—Passed Senate, 7722.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 427], 8162.

H. R. 1628—For the relief of John Hirsch.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1063), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1687.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 797), 8609.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Private, No. 285], 5458.

H. R. 1635—For the relief of William E. Search, and to the legal guardian of Marion Search, Pauline Search, and Virginia Search.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1178), 2010.—Amended and passed House, 2319.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 874), 4242.—Passed Senate, 4982.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Private, No. 286], 5458.

H. R. 1637—For the relief of Fred Hunter.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 647), 778.—Amended and passed Senate, 1656.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2021.—Examined and signed, 2047, 2077.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Private, No. 219], 3115.

H. R. 1643—For the relief of Mary Lovis Elliott.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1016), 701.—Recommitted to Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1683.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1220), 2178.—Passed House, 2321.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1273), 9211.—Passed Senate, 9446.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 497], 9805.

H. R. 1645—For the relief of Edward Gillam.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1441), 4367.—Amended and passed House; proceedings vacated, 4528.—Laid on the table (S. 254 passed in lieu), 4528.

H. R. 1654—To authorize the acquisition, rehabilitation, and operation of the facilities for the public in the Olympic National Park, in the State of Washington, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1541), 5117.—Passed House, 5327.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5364.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1190), 8356.—Passed Senate, 8438.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 461], 9159.

H. R. 1665—For the relief of Joseph Paste, Anna Paste, Rose Paste, and to the legal guardian of Doris Paste, and to the legal guardian of Evelyn Paste.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1159), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 441], 9159.

H. R. 1668—For the relief of Lessie C. Selman.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. No. 1325), 2372.—Amended and passed House, 3532.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 943), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 349], 6712.

H. R. 1675—To amend section 9 of the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942 (Public Law 607) by providing for the computation of double-time credits awarded between 1908 and 1912 in determining retired pay.

H. R. 1675—Continued
Reported back (H. Rept. 1223), 2178.—Amended and passed House, 3497.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 3523.—Reported back (S. Rept. 925), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Pocket veto, 6713.

H. R. 1680—To amend the Nationality Act of 1940 to permit the Commissioner to furnish copies of any part of the records or information therefrom to agencies or officials of a State without charge.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1073), 7515.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 428], 8162.

H. R. 1682—For the relief of Edwin H. Taylor, Jr.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1179), 2010.—Amended and passed House, 2319.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 944), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 367], 6713.

H. R. 1708—For the relief of Perley M. Silver.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1427), 4168.—Passed House, 4527.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 4570.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1054), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 375], 8162.

H. R. 1715—For the relief of Mrs. Maria Virtudes Torres Steere.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1233), 2293.—Recommitted to Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2321.—Ordered restored to Private Calendar, 2796.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1270), 2798.—Recommitted to Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2333.

H. R. 1718—For the relief of Garnet Charles Williams.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1284), 3028.—Passed House, 3530.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 3611.

H. R. 1725—To authorize heads of departments and agencies to delegate to subordinates the authority to employ persons for duty in departments or the field service.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1397), 3727.

H. R. 1737—For the relief of the Saunders Memorial Hospital.
Reported back (S. Rept. 873), 4242.—Passed Senate, 6604.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Pocket veto, 6713.

H. R. 1744—To provide Government protection to widows and children of deceased World War I veterans, and for other purposes.
Made special order (H. Res. 539), 4733-4737.—Debated in House, 4737-4744.—Passed House, 4744.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 4777.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1297), 8650.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 8748.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8831.—Examined and signed, 8950, 8951.—Presented to the President, 9020.—Approved [Public, No. 483], 9805.

H. R. 1755—For the relief of Broadus D. Boland and W. E. Boland.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1130), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2315.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 945), 5271.—Amended and

H. R. 1755—Continued
passed Senate; title amended, 6472.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6662.—Examined and signed 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 332], 6712.

H. R. 1772—for the relief of Henry Stovall.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1803), 7384.—Passed House, 8270.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1239), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 498], 9805.

H. R. 1774—for the relief of Cyril Doerner.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1473), 4836.—Passed House, 5392.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1134), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 407], 8162.

H. R. 1835—for the relief of Frederick Lee Littlefield.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 660), 1133.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 1658.—House concurs in Senate amendments, 2021.—Examined and signed, 2047, 2077.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Private, No. 220], 3115.

H. R. 1847—for the relief of the legal guardian of Richard Zieliński, a minor.
Reported back (S. Rept. 713), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2377.—Examined and signed, 2342, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 230], 3115.

H. R. 1854—for the relief of Ethel Cohen.
Reported back (S. Rept. 652), 778.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 189], 2079.

H. R. 1872—for the relief of J. E. McCoy & Son.
Reported back (S. Rept. 644), 778.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 213], 2079.

H. R. 1874—for the relief of Robert P. Sick.
House concurs in Senate amendments, 2136.—Examined and signed, 2180.—Presented to the President, 2255.—Approved [Private, No. 221], 3115.

H. R. 1875—for the relief of Carl Swanson, Geraldine Cecilia Swanson, a minor, and Almer Swanson.
House concurs in Senate amendment, 936.—Examined and signed, 965, 1034.—Presented to the President, 1130.—Approved [Private, No. 171], 1627.

H. R. 1886—for the relief of Charles Fred Smith.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1455), 4685.—Passed House, 5390.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1115), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 389], 8162.

H. R. 1891—for the relief of W. G. Byars.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1089), 1442.—Recommitted to the Committee on Claims, 1690.

H. R. 1915—for the relief of Carl W. Bucey.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1116), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 390], 8162.

H. R. 1919—for the relief of Vannie Butler.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1377), 3706.—Passed House, amended, 3868.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1167), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 442], 9159.

H. R. 1934—for the relief of Mrs. Donald B. Johnston.
Reported back (S. Rept. 661), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1658.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 190], 2079.

H. R. 1948—to amend the act of July 15, 1940, pertaining to emergency officers' retirement benefits.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1445), 4525.

H. R. 1951—to amend the District of Columbia Motor Vehicle Parking Facility Act of 1942, approved February 16, 1942.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1198), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9208.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 490], 9805.

H. R. 1962—for the relief of Daniel D. O'Connell and Almon B. Stewart.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1236), 2352.—Amended and passed House, 2833.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2874.

H. R. 1963—for the relief of G. H. Garner.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1024), 962.—Passed House, 1684.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1009), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate, 6485.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and requests conference, 9343.—Conferees appointed, 9343.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 9321.—Conferees appointed, 9321.—Conference report (No. 2073) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9421.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9534.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 391], 8162.

H. R. 2013—Authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse Grand View Hospital; W. J. Plinkerton, medical doctor and surgeon; Ina Antilla, registered nurse; and Leone Greslak, nurse; for services rendered and medical attention for Edwin Beckman, deceased, a former Civilian Conservation Corps enrollee of Camp Gogebic, Marenisco, Mich.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1090), 1442.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 1690.

H. R. 2014—for the relief of the Winston-Salem Southbound Railway Co.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1488), 4827.—Amended and passed House, 5394.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1117), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 391], 8162.

H. R. 2016—for the relief of William H. Linhart.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1374), 9211.—Passed Senate, 9446.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 516], 9806.

H. R. 2037—to codify and enact into absolute law, title 9 of the United States Code, entitled "Arbitration."
Reported back (H. Rept. 1219), 2178.—Passed House, 2757.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2811.

H. R. 2038—to codify and enact into absolute law title 4 of the United States Code, entitled "Flag and seal, seat of government, and the States."
Reported back (H. Rept. 1217), 2178.—Passed House, 2753.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2811.

H. R. 2039—to codify and enact into absolute law title 6 of the United States Code, entitled "Official and Penal Bonds."
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1218), 2039.—Amended and passed House, 2755.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2811.

H. R. 2040—to codify and enact into absolute law, title 1 of the United States Code, entitled "General Provisions."
Reported back (H. Rept. 1216), 2178.—Passed House, 2752.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2811.

H. R. 2066—for the relief of A. L. Rinkenberger and John Floering.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1474), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5393.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1262), 8538.—Amended and passed Senate, 9434.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9549.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 517], 9806.

H. R. 2075—for the relief of Charles R. Hooper.
Reported back (S. Rept. 645), 778.—Passed Senate, 1656.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Vetoed (H. Doc. No. 454), 2085.

H. R. 2085—to provide for the disposition of tribal funds of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe of Indians.

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H. R. 2085—Continued
Reported back (H. Rept. 1214), 2132.—Passed House, 3864.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 3884.—Passed Senate, 5125.—Examined and signed, 5265, 5266.—Presented to the President, 5357.—Approved [Public, No. 330], 5787.

H. R. 2091—For the relief of Mrs. Gladys M. Greenleaf and the estate of Ralph Alton Greenleaf, deceased.
Reported back (S. Rept. 714), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2578.—Examined and signed, 2342, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 247], 3116.

H. R. 2097—Conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to consider and render judgment on the claim of W. J. Cox against the United States.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 915), 4959.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 6469.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8450.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 443], 9159.

H. R. 2105—Extending the time for repayment and authorizing increase of the revolving fund for the benefit of the Crow Indians.
Reported back (S. Rept. 810), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Public, No. 324], 5458.

H. R. 2116—To amend the laws of the District of Columbia relating to exemption of property from judicial process, the assignment of salary or wages, and the advance payment of salary or wages for the purpose of preventing attachment or garnishment.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1254), 2558.—Amended and passed House, 3663.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 3674.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1199), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9208.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 505], 9805.

H. R. 2126—For the relief of David Cowan, as natural guardian of Gilda Cowan, a minor.
Amended and passed House, title amended, 334.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.

H. R. 2131—For the relief of Henry Angell.
Amended and passed Senate, 1645.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 1972.—Examined and signed, 2045, 2047.—Presented to the President, 2124.—Approved [Private, No. 217], 3115.

H. R. 2134—For the relief of Paul Szeliga.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1079), 7515.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 376], 8162.

H. R. 2143—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to exchange certain lands within the Navajo Indian Reservation, Arizona.
Reported back (S. Rept. 811), 3770.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Public, No. 317], 5144.

H. R. 2147—For the relief of Perique Gomez and Mrs. Perique Gomez.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1091), 1443.—Passed House, 1690.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 1725.

H. R. 2148—For the relief of Elias Baumgarten.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1924), 8416.—Passed House, 8824.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8870.

H. R. 2150—For the relief of Diemer Adison Coulter and Frances Andrews Coulter.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1552), 5140.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 5398.—Ordered restored to Private Calendar, 6200.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1684), 6241.—Amended and passed House, 8263.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1316), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 551], 9806.

H. R. 2151—For the relief of Elizabeth Powers Long.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1553), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5398.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1012), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 317], 6712.

H. R. 2183—For the relief of Mathilde B. Meister.
Reported back (S. Rept. 704), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2575.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 250], 3116.

H. R. 2185—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior carrying out the purposes of the act of May 18, 1916 (39 Stat. 137), to purchase logs, lumber, and other forest products, Red Lake Indian Reservation, Minn., to validate titles to certain lands conveyed by Indians of Five Civilized Tribes, amend the act of January 27, 1933 (47 Stat. 777), relative to restrictions applicable to Indians of the Five Civilized Tribes, authorizing conveyance of the Segar Indian Schools, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1092), 7714.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 8049.—Reconsidered, 8050.—Amended and passed Senate, 8052.—House disagrees to Senate amendment and asks conference, 8863.—Conferees appointed, 8863.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 8874.—Conferees appointed, 8874.—Conference report (No. 2089) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9660.—Conference report submitted in House, 9791.

H. R. 2189—For the relief of Kenneth E. Shepard.
Reported back (S. Rept. 711), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2577.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 243], 3116.

H. R. 2199—To amend an act entitled "An act in relation to taxes and tax sales in the District of Columbia," approved February 28, 1898, as amended.
Passed Senate, 1648.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 233], 2079.

H. R. 2207—To amend the Nationality Act of 1940.
Conference report agreed to in House, 129.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 123.—Examined and signed, 166, 216.—Presented to the President, 290.—Approved [Public, No. 221], 629.

H. R. 2212—For the relief of Clarence Waverly Morgan.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1092), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1690.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 977), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 350], 6712.

H. R. 2213—For the relief of Mrs. Agnes Wolters.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1564), 7654.—Passed House, 7278.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1240), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 499], 9805.

H. R. 2224—To extend certain benefits of the Canal Zone Retirement Act of March 2, 1931, as amended, to certain employees covered by the Civil Service Retirement Act of May 29, 1930, as amended.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1398), 3727.—Passed House, 3866.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canals, 3884.

H. R. 2234—For the relief of Mrs. Christine Hansen.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1093), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1691.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 785), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3306.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 263], 4322.

H. R. 2236—For the relief of Roberta Ramsey.
Reported back (S. Rept. 1118), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 392], 8162.

H. R. 2237—For the relief of John T. Cooper.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1533), 5117.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 5396.

H. R. 2241—To abolish the Jackson Hole National Monument as created by Presidential Proclamation No. 2678, dated March 15, 1943.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1303), 3238.—Made special order [H. Res. 567], 9083-9089.—Debated in House, 9090-9095, 9183-9196.—Amended and passed House, 9196.—Title amended, 9206.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 9212.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1388), 9558.—Passed Senate, 9769.—Examined and signed, 9779, 9804.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Pocket vetoed, 9807.

H. R. 2273—For the relief of E. C. Fudge.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1094), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1691.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 768), 3029.—Passed Senate, 3301.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 264], 4322.

H. R. 2288—For the relief of Donald J. Munson.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1180), 2010.—Amended and passed House, 2319.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 977), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 350], 6712.

H. R. 2300—For the relief of Rose B. Luzar.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1865), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8278.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1339), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 500], 9805.

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H. R. 2303—For the relief of O. W. James. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1133), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2315.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 835), 3771.—Amended and passed Senate, 4969.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6332.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Private, No. 310], 6712.

H. R. 2315—For the relief of Ethel Phillips and Mary Hurley. Reported back (S. Rept. 1119), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 793], 8162.

H. R. 2332—For the relief of Christian Wenz. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1095), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1691.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 801), 3609.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Private, No. 282], 5458.

H. R. 2333—For the relief of Mrs. Samuel M. McLaughlin. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1456), 4685.—Amended and passed House, 5330.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1013), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6466.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 334], 6712.

H. R. 2334—To place John P. Shaffer on the emergency officers' retired list, and for other purposes. Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation discharged and referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, 2125.

H. R. 2337—For the relief of John Joseph Deleo. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1205), 2132.—Amended and passed House, 2321.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 762), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3300.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 266], 4322.

H. R. 2340—For the relief of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Co. Passed Senate, 1645.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 172], 2079.

H. R. 2345—For the relief of Mrs. May Holland. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1667), 6084.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8262.

H. R. 2350—To liberalize the service pension laws relating to veterans of the war with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, and the China Relief Expedition, and their dependents. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 657), 903.—Amended and passed Senate, 1657.—House agrees to Senate amendment, 1874.—Examined and signed, 2009, 2012.—Presented to the President, 2045.—Approved [Public, No. 242], 3115.

H. R. 2354—For the relief of the estate of Mrs. Phoebe Sherman, and for Mrs. Harriett W. Vanderhof and Allan Vanderhof. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1475), 4836.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 5392.—Ordered restored to Private Calendar, 5972.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1643), 6011.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8259.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1335), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 552], 9806.

H. R. 2373—For the relief of Pearl Salevitz Hurwitz and Ruth Levin. Reported back (H. Rept. 1785), 7301.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8268.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1241), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 501], 9805.

H. R. 2384—For the relief of Frank A. McMenamin. Reported back (S. Rept. 1120), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 394], 8162.

H. R. 2385—For the relief of Nadine Gorman. Reported back (S. Rept. 698), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 231], 3115.

H. R. 2387—For the relief of John Saifi. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1341), 3430.—Amended and passed House, 3534.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1049), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 377], 8162.

H. R. 2390—For the relief of Joseph Scarpella and Dorothy Scarpella. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1064), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1688.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1070), 7261.—Passed Senate, 7720.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 378], 8162.

H. R. 2405—For the relief of Clarence P. Hale, Jr. Reported back with amendment (H. Rept. 1181), 2010.—Amended and passed House, 2319.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 947), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 335], 6712.

H. R. 2408—For the relief of Clarence E. Thompson and Mrs. Virginia Thompson. Reported back (H. Rept. 1182), 2010.—Passed House, 2319.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 875), 4242.—Passed Senate, 4982.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Public, No. 283], 5458.

H. R. 2419—To change the name of "laborer" in the postal service to that of "mail handler." Reported back (S. Rept. 752), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2583.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Public, No. 259], 3115.

H. R. 2438—For the relief of Bernadine Salmons. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1035), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1684.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 798), 3609.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Private, No. 291], 5787.

H. R. 2440—For the relief of Mrs. Priscilla B. McCarthy. Reported back (S. Rept. 726), 2190.—Passed Senate, 2581.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 232], 3115.

H. R. 2448—To provide that nationals of the United States shall not lose their nationality by reason of voting under legal compulsion in a foreign state. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1428), 4241.—Amended and passed House, 8760.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8701.

H. R. 2453—For the relief of Margaret J. Pow. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1134), 1719.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 2315.

H. R. 2455—For the relief of Hassler-Ponder Toy Manufacturing Co., Inc. Amended and passed House, 333.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.

H. R. 2456—For the relief of Moses Tennenbaum. Reported back (H. Rept. 996), 368.—Passed House, 334.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 372.

H. R. 2459—For the relief of the legal guardian of Carl Oplinger, City Hospital of Akron, Ohio, and to Dr. Walter A. Hoyt. Reported back (S. Rept. 738), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2582.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 248], 3116.

H. R. 2465—To redefine the powers and duties of the Board of Public Welfare of the District of Columbia, to establish a Department of Public Welfare, and for other purposes. Reported back (H. Rept. 1627), 5823.

H. R. 2469—For the relief of Anna Charack. Reported back (S. Rept. 928), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6631, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Pocket veto, 6713.

H. R. 2470—For the relief of J. G. Sullivan. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1326), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3533.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.

H. R. 2472—For the relief of the estate of Gertrude Mullins. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1096), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1691.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 800), 3609.—Passed Senate, 4965.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6524.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 336], 6712.

H. R. 2473—For the relief of James Wilson. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1554), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1121), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 395], 8162.

H. R. 2497—For the relief of the Daniel Baker Co., of Manchester, Ky. Reported back (H. Rept. 1135), 1719.—Passed House, 2316.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.

H. R. 2507—For the relief of Reese Flight Instruction, Inc. Reported back (S. Rept. 876), 4242.—Passed Senate, 4982.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Private, No. 288], 5458.

H. R. 2509—For the relief of Marie Engert. Reported back (S. Rept. 1076), 7515.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 379], 8162.

H. R. 2511—For the relief of P. Audley Whaley. Reported back (H. Rept. 1457), 4685.—Amended and passed House, 5390.—Re-

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H. R. 2511—Continued
ferred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 979), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 318], 6712.

H. R. 2512—For the relief of Betty Robins.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1476), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5392.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1160), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 444], 9159.

H. R. 2522—To provide for the expeditious naturalization of former citizens of the United States who have lost United States citizenship through civilian employment with countries allied with the United States in the Second World War.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1310), 3287.

H. R. 2530—For the relief of John M. O'Connell.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1534), 5117.—Passed House, 5396.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1017), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 319], 6712.

H. R. 2539—To amend section 2901 of the Internal Revenue Code.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1407), 3804.—Made special order (H. Res. 550), 4752-4755.—Debated in House, 4755-4759.—Rejected, 4760.

H. R. 2542—For the relief of certain claimants who suffered losses and sustained damages as the result of the campaign carried out by the Federal Government for the eradication of the Mediterranean fruitfly in the State of Florida.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1387), 3706.

H. R. 2543—For the relief of Mrs. Nelle Jones.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1866), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8278.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1331), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 502], 9805.

H. R. 2549—To reduce time to plead and to regulate service of process in proceedings to cancel naturalization.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1942), 8468.

H. R. 2576—To confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to determine and render judgment for any losses suffered by Duffy Brothers, Inc.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1342), 3430.—Passed House, 3534.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 937), 5271.—Amended and passed Senate, 6472.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8452.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 445], 9159.

H. R. 2580—To grant the consent of Congress to a compact entered into by the States of South Dakota and Wyoming relating to the waters of the Belle Fourche River Basin, to make provisions concerning the exercise of Federal jurisdiction as to those waters, to promote the most efficient use of those waters, and for other purposes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 683), 1275.—Passed Senate, 1660.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 236], 2079.

H. R. 2601—For the relief of Mrs. Flossie Leeser.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1343), 3430.—Passed House, 3534.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1181), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8436.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 446], 9159.

H. R. 2605—For the relief of Charles W. Kirby.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1378), 3706.—Passed House, 3868.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 946), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 351], 6712.

H. R. 2616—To enable the Secretary of the Interior to complete payment of awards in connection with the war minerals relief statutes.
Reported back (S. Rept. 777), 3162.—Passed Senate, 3302.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 284], 4322.

H. R. 2618—To regulate the placing of children in family homes, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 754), 2651.—Amended and passed Senate, 3300.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3362.—Examined and signed, 3486, 3521.—Presented to the President, 3563.—Approved [Public, No. 292], 4322.

H. R. 2624—To confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of J. R. Dixon.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1327), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3533.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1127), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 396], 8162.

H. R. 2625—For the relief of Edward E. Held and Mary Jane Held.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1097), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1691.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 739), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2583.—House disagrees with Senate amendment and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1695), submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 337], 6712.

H. R. 2626—For the relief of certain Basque aliens.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1937), 8468.—Passed House, 8825.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8870.

H. R. 2639—For the relief of William M. Tucker and Nelda M. Tucker.
Reported back (S. Rept. 671), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1658.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 191], 2079.

H. R. 2644—To grant additional powers to the Commissioners of the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1046), 962.—Debated, 1681-1683.—Amended and passed House, 1852.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 1921.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1200), 8417.—Amended and passed Senate, 9056.—House concurs in Senate

H. R. 2644—Continued
amendment, 9162.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9382.—Approved [Public, No. 506], 9805.

H. R. 2648—For the relief of Ayid Evers.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1126), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2316.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 786), 3240.—Amended and passed Senate, 3306.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3363.—Examined and signed, 3486, 3521.—Presented to the President, 3563.—Approved [Private, No. 267], 4322.

H. R. 2650—To add certain lands to the Upper Mississippi River Wildlife and Fish Refuge.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1122), 1719.—Laid on the table (S. 1081 passed in lieu), 5325.

H. R. 2651—To authorize adjustments of irrigation charges in certain land exchanges within Indian irrigation projects.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1123), 1719.—Passed House, 5326.—Referred to Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5364.

H. R. 2654—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to adjust debts of individual Indians, associations of Indians, or Indian tribes, and for other purposes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1124), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 6193.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 6247.

H. R. 2655—To reserve certain land on the public domain in Utah for addition to the Kanosh Indian Reservation.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1125), 1719.—Passed House, 5326.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 5364.

H. R. 2660—For the relief of Chase, Parker & Co., Inc.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1036), 962.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 1684.

H. R. 2666—To declare that the United States holds certain lands in trust for Indian use, and for other purposes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1164), 1940.—Amended and passed House, 5326.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 5364.

H. R. 2674—For the relief of Adolphus M. Holman.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1379), 3706.—Amended and passed House, 3868.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.

H. R. 2688—For the relief of Clarence H. Miles, Mrs. Mollie Miles, and Hardy Miles, a minor.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1649), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8260.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1336), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 503], 9805.

H. R. 2689—For the relief of Pete Paluck.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1137), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2316.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 877), 4242.—Passed Senate, 4982.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5116.—Approved [Private, No. 281], 5144.

H. R. 2690—For the relief of Oswald L. Sawyer.
Reported without amendment (S. Rept. 649), 778.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 192], 2079.

H. R. 2691—For the relief of Tom S. Steed. Reported back (S. Rept. 662), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1658.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 193], 2079.

H. R. 2697—To provide for the disposal of materials or resources on the public lands of the United States which are under the exclusive jurisdiction of the Secretary of the Interior. Amended and passed Senate, 1647.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 7752.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7970.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 429], 8162.

H. R. 2707—For the relief of Henry White. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1072), 7515.—Amended and passed Senate, 7721.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 7844.—Examined and signed, 7973, 8042.—Presented to the President, 8145.—Approved [Private, No. 380], 8162.

H. R. 2711—For the relief of Mrs. Mildred Maag. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1065), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1688.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 834), 3771.—Passed Senate, 4969.—Senate concurs in House amendment, 5863.—Examined and signed, 6011, 6012.—Presented to the President, 6100.—Approved [Private, No. 1], 6711.

H. R. 2736—For the relief of E. Sullivan. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1138), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2316.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.

H. R. 2743—To confer jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Mrs. Marie Geiler. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1066), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1688.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 740), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2583.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2007.—Examined and signed, 3058, 3114.—Presented to the President, 3153.—Approved [Private, No. 254], 3355.

H. R. 2752—To authorize the acquisition of additional lands and flowage easements for the Pleasant Hill Reservoir, Ohio, and for other purposes. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1307), 3287.—Amended and passed House, 3498.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 3523.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1097), 7776.—Passed Senate, 8052.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 446], 8162.

H. R. 2757—For the relief of Margaret Hamilton. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1098), 1443.—Amended and passed House, title amended, 1692.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 799), 3609.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Private, No. 289], 5458.

H. R. 2769—For the relief of Mrs. Lillian W. Timmerman, mother of Ann Timmerman, a minor, deceased. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1139), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 910), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6469.—Examined and signed, 668, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 320], 6712.

H. R. 2772—For the relief of Edwin Foley. Reported back (S. Rept. 692), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797; Approved [Private, No. 233], 3115.

H. R. 2773—To further amend Act 174 of the Session Laws of Hawaii 1935, as amended by Act 23 of the Session Laws of Hawaii 1937, Act 58 of the Session Laws of Hawaii 1939, and Act 20 of the Special Session Laws of Hawaii 1941, to extend the time within which revenue bonds may be issued and delivered to June 30, 1945. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1078), 1576.—Amended and passed House, 1576.—Referred to Senate Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 2054.—Reported back (S. Rept. 773), 3162.—Passed Senate, 3302.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 281], 4322.

H. R. 2782—To grant Government employees who are members of certain military units leaves of absence for periods of active service. Reported back (H. Rept. 1339), 3706.—Passed House, 2866.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 3884.

H. R. 2787—For the relief of Phyllis Lee. Reported back (H. Rept. 1017), 701.—Passed House, 1683.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1725.

H. R. 2788—For the relief of Frank Baptiste. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1323), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3533.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 938), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 338], 6712.

H. R. 2789—To permit the naturalization of Peter Henry Buck. Reported back (H. Rept. 1018), 701.—Passed House, 1684.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1725.

H. R. 2792—For the relief of Arvo Kari, Lempi K. Holm, and Burt Johnston. Reported back (S. Rept. 1046), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 381], 8162.

H. R. 2795—To amend the Budget and Accounting Act, 1921, to provide for the more efficient utilization and disposition of Government property other than land or buildings and facilities or fixtures appurtenant thereto, and for other purposes. Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 658), 988.

H. R. 2801—To provide for the appointment of an additional Assistant Secretary of the Interior. Made special order (H. Res. 381), 1560-1568.—Debated, 1568-1574, 1694-1700.—Passed House, 1700.—Proceedings vacated; laid on table (S. 1140 passed in lieu), 1700.

H. R. 2804—For the relief of Ruth E. P. Phillips, as executrix of the estate of Amos Russell Phillips, deceased. Reported back (S. Rept. 672), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1658.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 194], 2079.

H. R. 2825—For the relief of Sigfried Olsen, doing business as Sigfried Olsen Shipping Co. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1579), 5141.—Amended and passed House, 5402.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1156), 8222.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended,

H. R. 2825—Continued 8433.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 8689.—Conferees appointed, 8689.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 8718.—Conferees appointed, 8718.—Conference report (No. 2072) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9421.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 9485.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the Presented, 9670.—Pocket vetoed, 9807.

H. R. 2827—For the relief of the estate of Ida M. Rutherford. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1650), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8260.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1286), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 553], 9806.

H. R. 2832—To amend the Nationality Act of 1940 so as to permit naturalization proceedings to be had at places other than in the office of the clerk or in open court in the case of sick or physically disabled individuals. Amended and passed House, 8458.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8483.

H. R. 2836—To grant increases in compensation to substitute employees in the postal service, and for other purposes. Amended and passed Senate, 1647.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 1971.—Conferees appointed, 1971.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 2201.—Conferees appointed, 2201.—Conference report (No. 1257) submitted in Senate, 2516.—Agreed to, 2516.—Conference report submitted in House, 2610.—Agreed to, 2677.—Examined and signed, 2868, 2871.—Presented to the President, 3027.—Approved [Public, No. 266], 3116.

H. R. 2845—For the relief of John J. Beaton. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1535), 5117.—Amended and passed House, 5396.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1125), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 397], 8162.

H. R. 2846—For the relief of Mrs. Mildred Ring. Reported back (H. Rept. 1183), 2010.—Passed House, 2319.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.

H. R. 2850—To authorize the rezoning of certain property in the District of Columbia as a residential area. Reported back (H. Rept. 1276), 2966.—Passed House, 3318.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 3380.

H. R. 2855—For the relief of Mrs. Julia Buby. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1140), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 880), 4242.—Amended and passed Senate, 4982.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6331.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Private, No. 321], 6712.

H. R. 2873—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Still. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1477), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5393.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1122), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 398], 8162.

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H. R. 2874—For the relief of Robert Will Starks.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1329), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3533.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1128), 7973.—Amended and passed Senate, 8055.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9343.—Examined and signed, 9333, 9438.—Presented to the President, 9557.—Approved [Private, No. 490], 9805.

H. R. 2875—For the relief of Adelard Demers.
Reported back (S. Rept. 693), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 234], 3115.

H. R. 2880—For the relief of H. G. Tooley.
Reported back (S. Rept. 702), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2575.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 235], 3115.

H. R. 2896—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Rhodes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1458), 4685.—Amended and passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1168), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8433.—Examined and signed, 8589.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 447], 9159.

H. R. 2903—For the relief of the Washington Asphalt Co.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1555), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1278), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 504], 9805.

H. R. 2912—To authorize the charging of tolls for the passage or transit of Government traffic over the Golden Gate Bridge.
Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 2056.—House agrees to conference report, 2083, 2084.—Examined and signed, 2124, 2180.—Presented to the President, 2255.—Approved [Public, No. 255], 3115.

H. R. 2916—For the relief of Mrs. Winnie O'Dell Singleton and Jimmie Dale Singleton, a minor.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1344), 3430.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 3535.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 973), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 352], 6712.

H. R. 2919—For the relief of Michael Eatman, Jr., and Mrs. Michael Eatman, Jr.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1556), 5140.—Passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1133), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 399], 8162.

H. R. 2924—To give effect to the Provisional Fur Seal Agreement of 1942 between the United States of America and Canada; to protect the fur seals of the Pribilof Islands; and for other purposes.
Passed Senate, 1654.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 237], 2079.

H. R. 2925—For the relief of Charles J. Goff.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1099), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1692.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 749), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 2583.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2907.—Examined and signed, 3058, 3114.—Presented to the President, 3156.—Approved [Private, No. 255], 3355.

H. R. 2928—To amend the act entitled "An act to fix the hours of duty of postal employees, and for other purposes", approved August 14, 1935, as amended.
Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 788), 3240.—Amended and passed Senate, 3305.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 3494.—Conferees appointed, 3494.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 3614.—Conferees appointed, 3614.—Conference report (No. 1414) submitted in Senate, 3987.—Conference report submitted in House, 4009.—Conference report debated in Senate and agreed to, 5082-5092.—House agrees to conference report, 5332.—Examined and signed, 5456, 5501.—Presented to the President, 5589.—Approved [Public, No. 334], 6711.

H. R. 2956—For the protection of the water supply of the city of Sitka, Alaska.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1012), 667.—Amended and passed House, 1313.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 719), 1963.—Passed Senate, 2578.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Public, No. 262], 3116.

H. R. 2965—For the relief of Ross Engineering Co.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1345), 3430.—Passed House, 3535.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1010), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 368], 6713.

H. R. 2969—To establish official checking accounts with the Treasurer of the United States for clerks of United States courts and United States marshals.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1648), 6011.—Amended and passed House, 6200.—Referred to Senate Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 6247.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1295), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 524], 9805.

H. R. 2973—To provide that no person shall publish or distribute any political statement relating to a candidate for election to any Federal office which does not contain the name of the person responsible for its publication or distribution.
Amended and passed House, 2747.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2811.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1300), 9628.—Passed Senate, 9770.—Examined and signed, 9779, 9805.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 544], 9806.

H. R. 2976—To grant military rank to certain members of the Navy Nurse Corps.
Passed Senate, 1871.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 238], 2079.

H. R. 2985—To provide for the garnishment, execution, or trustee process of wages and salaries of civil officers and employees of the United States.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1051), 1035.—Made special order [H. Res. 453], 2229-2235.—Debated, 2235-2250.—Passed House, 2250.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2301.

H. R. 2993—For the relief of John W. Booth II.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1037), 962.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 1684.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1051), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 383], 8162.

H. R. 3004—To amend the Expediting Act.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1317), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3499.—Referred to Senate Committee on

H. R. 2993—Continued
(S. Rept. 750), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2582.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Vetoed (H. Doc. 517), 3121.—Referred to House Committee on Claims, 3121.

H. R. 2994—To extend Reissued Letters Patent No. 19,023.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1433), 4293.—Passed House, 4527.—Referred to Senate Committee on Patents, 4570.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1277), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 554], 9806.

H. R. 2999—For the relief of Leo Gullo.
Reported back (S. Rept. 716), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2577.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 236], 3115.

H. R. 3000—For the relief of Clara E. Clark.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1130), 7973.—Amended and passed Senate, 8055.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8452.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 448], 9159.

H. R. 3001—For the relief of James T. Rogers.
Reported back (S. Rept. 665), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 214], 2079.

H. R. 3017—For the relief of Hubert McMahon and the legal guardian of Barbara McMahon.
Reported with amendment (F. Rept. 1867), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8278.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1279), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 505], 9805.

H. R. 3022—To provide authority to the Secretary of War to use funds now or hereafter appropriated for adjustment of contracts, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1268), 2797.

H. R. 3028—To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Mississippi River at or near Sauk Rapids, Minn.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1004), 436.—Passed House; title amended, 1312.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 794), 3411.—Passed Senate, 4965.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Public, No. 325], 5458.

H. R. 3033—For the relief of Tressie Spring and Mrs. Hazel Stutte.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1380), 3706.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 3369.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1050), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 382], 8162.

H. R. 3038—For the relief of Mrs. Grace Page.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1330), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3533.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1051), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 383], 8162.

H. R. 3054—To amend the Expediting Act.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1317), 3372.—Amended and passed House, 3499.—Referred to Senate Committee on

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H. R. 3054—Continued
the Judiciary, 3523.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 890), 4687.—Amended and passed Senate, 4984.—Examined and signed, 5141, 5190.—Presented to the President, 5357.—Approved [Public, No. 332], 5787.

H. R. 3062—For the relief of the board of trustees, Summerville Consolidated School District, Chattooga County, Ga.
Reported back (H. Rept. 990), 217.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 334.

H. R. 3074—For the relief of Dr. W. R. Williams.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1729), 6630.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8264.

H. R. 3075—For the relief of Mrs. Isabella Tucker.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1077), 1272.—Passed House, 1689.—Referred to Senate Committee on Insular Affairs, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 774), 3162.—Passed Senate, 3302.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 258], 4322.

H. R. 3076—For the relief of Mrs. Cecilia Martin, mother of Arthur J. Martin, Jr., a minor.
Passed Senate, 1645.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 173], 2079.

H. R. 3098—For the relief of Dr. H. H. Smith.
Reported back (S. Rept. 939), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 322], 6712.

H. R. 3101—For the relief of George E. O'Loughlin.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1459), 4685.—Passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1123), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 400], 8162.

H. R. 3102—For the relief of Mrs. Eva M. Delisle.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1141), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 895), 4687.—Amended and passed Senate, 4984.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6332.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Private, No. 312], 6712.

H. R. 3114—For the relief of Ruth Coe.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1184), 2010.—Passed House, 2320.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 832), 3771.—Passed Senate, 4969.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Private, No. 284], 5458.

H. R. 3125—For the relief of Paul H. White.
Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1038), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1685.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 929), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6683, 6717.—Presented to the President, 6737.—Approved [Private, No. 370], 8103.

H. R. 3126—For the relief of Mary Ellen Frakes, widow of Joseph A. Frakes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1142), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 871), 4242.—Amended and passed Senate, 4982.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6572.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6710.—Approved [Private, No. 339], 6712.

H. R. 3136—For the relief of Hamp Gossett Castle, Lois Juanita Gimble, Margaret Carrie Yarbrough, and Roy Martin Lyons.
Reported back (S. Rept. 872), 4242.—Passed Senate, 4982.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Private, No. 290], 5787.

H. R. 3137—For the relief of Ruth L. Clapp.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1067), 131.—Amended and passed House, 1688.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 930), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 5709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 340], 6712.

H. R. 3138—For the relief of Mrs. Bertha Macklin.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1786), 7801.—Amended and passed House, 8268.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1242), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 506], 9806.

H. R. 3139—For the relief of Henry Grossi.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1039), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1685.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 744), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2582.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 244], 3116.

H. R. 3150—To amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of the healing art to protect the public health in the District of Columbia," approved February 27, 1929.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1628), 5823.—Amended and passed House, 5862.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1201), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9208.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 484], 9805.

H. R. 3152—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Cicero B. Hunt.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1557), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1131), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 408], 8163.

H. R. 3153—For the relief of the estate of Jennie I. Weston, deceased.
Reported back (S. Rept. 650), 778.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 195], 2079.

H. R. 3157—For the relief of Lloyd L. Johnson and P. B. Hume.
Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 673), 1133.—Amended and passed Senate, 1658.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2907.—Examined and signed, 3058, 3114.—Presented to the President, 3156.—Approved [Private, No. 256], 3355.

H. R. 3164—To revive and reenact the act entitled "An act to extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the St. Lawrence River at or near Ogdensburg, N. Y., and for other purposes," approved June 14, 1933.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1005), 436.—Passed House; title amended, 1312.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 1381.

H. R. 3173—For the relief of the legal guardian of Lorraine Novak, a minor.
Reported back (S. Rept. 694), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 237], 3115.

H. R. 3176—To regulate the furnishing of artificial limbs or other appliances to retired officers and enlisted men of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, or Coast Guard and to certain civilian employees of the military and naval forces of the Regular Establishment.
Reported back (S. Rept. 807), 3629.—Passed Senate, 4480.—Examined and signed, 4602, 4630.—Presented to the President, 4775.—Approved [Public, No. 308], 5094.

H. R. 3187—To amend section 5, Public Law 140, Seventy-seventh Congress.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1709), 6456.—Amended and passed House, 6568.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 6595.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1038), 6929.

H. R. 3189—For the relief of Thomas Lewis.
Passed Senate, 1614.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 196], 2079.

H. R. 3190—For the relief of Ben Grunstein.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1143), 1719.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 2317.

H. R. 3191—For the relief of Lillian Hill.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1767), 7043.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8266.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1323), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9625.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 507], 9806.

H. R. 3192—For the relief of Mrs. Bertha Grantham.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1787), 7301.—Amended and passed House, 8268.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1243), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 508], 9806.

H. R. 3193—For the relief of J. C. Davidson and Vassie Lee Davidson.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1040), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1685.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1334), 1759.—Examined and signed, 1900, 1902.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 197], 2079.

H. R. 3195—For the relief of Willard Kerr, Jr.
Amended and passed House, 333.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.—Reported back (S. Rept. 695), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2576.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 238], 3115.

H. R. 3199—To authorize the appropriation, for expenditure by the Office of Foreign Relief and Rehabilitation Operations, of certain amounts received from services of conscientious objectors.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1581), 5140.—Debated in House, 5328, 5329, 6193.

H. R. 3209—Authorizing the construction and operation of demonstration plants to produce synthetic liquid fuels from coal and other substances, in order to aid the prosecution of the war, to conserve and increase the oil resources of the Nation, and for other purposes.
Debated, 1701, 1765.—Passed House, 1771.—Proceedings vacated, 1771.—Laid on table (S. 1243 passed in lieu).

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H. R. 3218—For the relief of Enid M. Albertson.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1768), 7043.—Amended and passed House, 8266.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1317), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 555], 9806.

H. R. 3236—To provide aid to dependent children in the District of Columbia. Reported back (S. Rept. 952), 5271.—Passed Senate, 5434.—Examined and signed, 5588.—Presented to the President, 5744.—Approved [Public, No. 340], 6711.

H. R. 3241—To implement the jurisdiction of service courts of friendly foreign forces within the United States, and for other purposes.

Passed House, 1308.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 1381.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 956), 5503.—Debated in Senate, 6490-6498.—Amended and passed Senate, 6498.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6651.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 384], 6712.

H. R. 3247—For the relief of Joseph Langhorne Walker.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1206), 2132.—Passed House, 2321.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 763), 2800.—Passed Senate, 3300.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 259], 4322.

H. R. 3250—To confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court of Maine. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1388), 3706.—Amended and passed House, 4428.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 4570.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1361), 8954.—Passed Senate, 9444.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 545], 9807.

H. R. 3257—To amend Subtitle—Insurance of Title II of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended, to authorize suspension of the statute of limitations in certain cases, and for other purposes.

Passed House, 1308.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 1381.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 789), 3240.—Amended and passed Senate, 3306.—House concurs in Senate amendments, 3583.—Examined and signed, 3605, 3607.—Presented to the President, 3670.—Approved [Public, No. 295], 4322.

H. R. 3259—To clarify the application of section 1 (b) of Public Law 17, Seventy-eighth Congress, to certain services performed by seamen as employees of the United States through the War Shipping Administration.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1215), 2132.—Amended and passed House, 2264.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 2301.—Reported back (S. Rept. 790), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3306.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 285], 4322.

H. R. 3261—To amend the act of April 29, 1943, to authorize the return to private ownership of Great Lakes vessels and vessels of 1,000 gross tons or less, and for other purposes.

Amended and passed Senate, 1649.—House disagrees with Senate amendments and asks for conference, 3110.—Conferees appointed, 3110.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 3166.—Conferees appointed, 3166.—Conference report (No. 1412), submitted in Senate and agreed

H. R. 3261—Continued to, 3786.—Conference report submitted in House, 3859.—House agrees to conference report, 4109.—Examined and signed, 4241, 4242.—Presented to the President, 4367.—Approved [Public, No. 305], 4788.

H. R. 3270—To affirm the intent of the Congress that the regulation of the business of insurance remain within the control of the several States and that the acts of July 2, 1890, and October 15, 1914, as amended, be not applicable to that business.

Debated in House, 6450-6455, 6524-6557, 6559-6565.—Passed House, 6565.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 6503.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1112), 7973.—Minority views (Rept. 1112, pt. 2) submitted, 7974.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Reconsidered, 8054.

H. R. 3279—For the relief of Clarence G. Doelling and Doris J. (McNeil) Doelling. Reported back (H. Rept. 1804), 7384.—Passed House, 8270.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1287), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 509], 9806.

H. R. 3280—For the relief of William Dyer. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1489), 4837.—Amended and passed House, 5394.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1018), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 353], 6712.

H. R. 3281—For the relief of Nelson Hawkins. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1503), 4918.—Amended and passed House, title amended, 5395.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1019), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6681, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 354], 6712.

H. R. 3285—For the relief of Mrs. Rose Poisson.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1651), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8260.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1264), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 556], 9806.

H. R. 3296—For the relief of R. Guy Dorsey. Reported with Amendment (H. Rept. 1297), 3157.—Amended and passed House, 3531.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1052), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 384], 8162.

H. R. 3298—For the relief of Nels J. Pedersen.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1100), 1443.—Passed House, 1692.—Passed Senate (S. Rept. 1358), 1759.—Examined and signed, 1900, 1902.—Presented to the President, 1960.—Approved [Private, No. 198], 2079.

H. R. 3301—For the relief of the legal guardian of Edward Polak, a minor.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. No. 1189), 2046.—Amended and passed House, 2320.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 981), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 323], 6712.

H. R. 3302—For the relief of Eleanor Parkinson.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1769), 7043.—Recommitted to Committee on

H. R. 3302—Continued

Claims, 8266.—Amended and passed House, 8282.—Referred to Senate Committee on claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1351), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Pocket vetoed, 9807.

H. R. 3306—To authorize the conveyance of Harrison Park in the city of Vincennes to Vincennes University.

Reported back (S. Rept. 991), 6144.—Passed Senate, 6475.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 385], 6712.

H. R. 3313—To amend section 10 of the act of March 3, 1925, entitled "An act to provide for the regulation of motor-vehicle traffic in the District of Columbia, increase the number of judges of the police court, and for other purposes," as amended.

Reported back (S. Rept. 1202), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9208.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 485], 9805.

H. R. 3323—For the relief of Mrs. William M. Watson, and R. H. Price.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1805), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8270.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1265), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 510], 9806.

H. R. 3324—For the relief of the Postal Telegraph-Cable Co.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1101), 1443.—Passed House, 1692.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 931), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 341], 6712.

H. R. 3329—For the relief of Lt. Col. Charles H. Morhouse.

Reported back (S. Rept. 666), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 199], 2079.

H. R. 3332—For the relief of Spencer Meeks.

Reported back (S. Rept. 667), 1133.—Passed Senate, 1659.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 200], 2079.

H. R. 3345—To authorize the leasing of Indian lands for business, and other purposes.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1165), 1940.—Amended and passed House, 6193.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 6247.

H. R. 3356—To increase the service-connected disability rates of compensation or pension payable to veterans of World War I and World War II and veterans entitled to wartime rates based on service on or after September 16, 1940, for service-connected disabilities, and to increase the rates for widows and children under Public Law 484, Seventy-third Congress, as amended, and to include widows and children of World War II veterans for benefits under the latter act.

Reported back (S. Rept. 854), 4041.—Passed Senate, 4482.—Examined and signed, 4602, 4630.—Presented to the President, 4775.—Approved [Public, No. 312], 5094.

H. R. 3351—For the relief of Howard L. Pemberton.

Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1068), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1688.—Passed Senate (S. 1409), 1759.—Examined and signed, 1900, 1902.—Presented to the President, 1960.—Approved [Private, No. 2011], 2079.

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H. R. 3362—To fix the annual compensation of the secretary of the Territory of Alaska.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 983), 23.—Passed House, 1310.—Referred to Senate Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 775), 3162.—Passed Senate, 3302.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 282], 4322.

H. R. 3369—For the relief of Harry V. Hearn. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1844), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 8276.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1340), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 511], 9806.

H. R. 3371—For the relief of the dependents of Dr. Arthur B. Wyse, and others. Reported back (S. Rept. 696), 1795.—Passed Senate, 2527.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 251], 3116.

H. R. 3373—For the relief of Dewey H. Davis. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1868), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8279.—Passed Senate, 8484.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 449], 9159.

H. R. 3377—To increase the rate of pension for World War veterans from \$40 to \$50 per month, to \$60 per month in certain specified cases, and for other purposes.

Reported back (S. Rept. 855), 4041.—Passed Senate, 4482.—Examined and signed, 4602, 4630.—Presented to the President, 4775.—Approved [Public, No. 313], 5094.

H. R. 3384—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to accept property for the Moores Creek National Military Park, and for other purposes.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1520), 5072.—Passed House, 5327.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5363.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1083), 7608.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 430], 8162.

H. R. 3387—For the relief of Lt. Col. Jason McVay Austin.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1069), 1131.—Passed House, 1668.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 741), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2583.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 245], 3116.

H. R. 3388—For the relief of John P. Hayes, postmaster at Albany, N. Y.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1346), 3430.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 3535.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.

H. R. 3390—For the relief of Mavis Norrine Cothron and for the three minor children of Mavis Norrine Cothron and the late William Edward Cothron, namely, Norma Lee Cothron, Florence Janet Cothron, and Nina Faye Cothron.

Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1041), 962.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 1685.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 745), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2581.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 3363.—Conferees appointed, 3363.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1896) submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report sub-

H. R. 3390—Continued
mitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—Conference report agreed to in House, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 342], 6712.

H. R. 3400—For the relief of LaVerne Whipple. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1805), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8271.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1252), 8537.—Amended and passed Senate, 9432.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9549.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 557], 9806.

H. R. 3403—To withdraw and restore to their previous status under the control of the Territory of Hawaii certain Hawaiian home lands required for use for airplane landing fields, and to amend sections 202, 203, and 20, of title 2 of the Hawaiian Homes Commission Act, 1920, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1121), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 1979.—Referred to Senate Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 2054.—Reported back (S. Rept. 849), 3987.—Passed Senate, 4976.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Public, No. 320], 5144.

H. R. 3408—To amend chapter 7 of the Criminal Code.

Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 629), 154.—Amended and passed Senate, 2584.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3252.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 278], 4322.

H. R. 3414—For the relief of Edward C. Robbins.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1869), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8279.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1345), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 558], 9806.

H. R. 3428—To amend sections 6, 7, and 8 of the act entitled "An act to provide for the leasing of coal lands in the Territory of Alaska, and for other purposes," approved October 20, 1914 (38 Stat. 741, 743; 48 U. S. C. secs. 440, 441, 442).

Debated, 1662.—Passed Senate, 1663.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 231], 2079.

H. R. 3429—To amend section 1 of an act entitled "An act authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to employ engineers and economists for consultation purposes on important reclamation work," approved February 28, 1929 (45 Stat. 1406), as amended by the act of April 22, 1940 (54 Stat. 148).

Passed House, 1306.—Referred to Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 1381.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 860), 4089.—Amended and passed Senate, 8003.—Debated, 8104.—House disagrees to Senate amendment and asks for conference, 8109.—Conferees appointed, 8109.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 8096.—Conferees appointed, 8096.—Conference report (H. Rept. 2042) submitted in House, 9017, 9020.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9307.—House disagrees to conference report, 9452.—House insists on its disagreement to Senate amendment, 9622.—Senate recedes from its amendment,

H. R. 3429—Continued
9659.—Examined and signed, 9771, 9804.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 546], 9806.

H. R. 3431—For the relief of the Home Insurance Co. of New York. Reported back (H. Rept. 1558), 5140.—Passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.

H. R. 3434—For the relief of Joseph Mrak. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1234), 2293.—Recommitted to Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2321.

H. R. 3442—To amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to punish the willful injury or destruction of war material, or of war premises or utilities used in connection with war material, and for other purposes," approved April 20, 1918, as amended (40 Stat. 533; U. S. C., title 50, secs. 101, 102, and 103). Made special order [H. Res. 568], 8772-8777.—Debated in House, 8777-8783.—Amended and passed House, 8783.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 8791.

H. R. 3443—For the relief of Donna May McNulty.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1668), 6084.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8262.

H. R. 3444—For the relief of Ralph W. Cooley. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1381), 3706.—Amended and passed House, 3869.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1053), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7719.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 385], 8162.

H. R. 3445—For the relief of Archie Berberian, Kurken Berberian, and Mrs. Osgate Berberian.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1669), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8262.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1288), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 512], 9806.

H. R. 3446—For the relief of the Mauger Construction Co.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1102), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1692.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.

H. R. 3467—For the relief of Miss Anne Watt. Reported back (H. Rept. 1559), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1346), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 518], 9806.

H. R. 3476—To approve a contract negotiated with the Klamath Drainage District and to authorize its execution, and for other purposes.

Passed House, 1307.—Referred to Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 1381.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 861), 4089.—Amended and passed Senate, 4980.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 5787.—Examined and signed, 5932, 5935.—Presented to the President, 6083.—Approved [Public, No. 342], 6711.

H. R. 3477—To continue the Commodity Credit Corporation as an agency of the United States, to revise the basis of annual appraisal of its assets, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 631), 384.—Debated, 599, 1406, 1454-1466, 1471-

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H. R. 3477—Continued
1483, 1517, 1523–1531, 1531–1547, 1587–1598, 1598–1623.—Amended and passed Senate, 1624.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks conference, 1627.—Conferees appointed, 1627.—Senate agrees to conference, 1641.—Conferees appointed, 1641.—Conference report (No. 1155) submitted in Senate, 1753.—Conference report considered and agreed to, 1754.—Conference report submitted in House, 1764.—Debated, 1841–1850.—Conference report agreed to, 1851.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Vetoed, 1873.—Veto sustained, 1874.

H. R. 3481—For the relief of J. William Ingram.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1560), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5399.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1014), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 355], 6712.

H. R. 3484—For the relief of Mrs. Pearl W. Peterson.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1730), 6680.—Amended and passed House, 8264.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1318), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 513], 9806.

H. R. 3495—Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Northern District of California, northern division, to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Constantino Arguelles; Concha Arguelles, wife; and Carmen Arguelles, Richard Arguelles, Roberta Arguelles, and Maria Antonia Arguelles, minor children of said Constantino and Concha Arguelles.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1490), 4837.—Amended and passed House, 5395.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1161), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 450], 9159.

H. R. 3496—For the relief of Ernest A. Grottko.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1144), 1719.—Amended and passed House, 2317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1047), 7072.—Passed Senate, 7718.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Private, No. 386], 8162.

H. R. 3504—For the relief of Wade Bros., a partnership composed of M. J. G. W., and Ovid Wade.
Passed House, 333.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 372.—Reported back (S. Rept. 642), 778.—Passed Senate, 1655.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 202], 2079.

H. R. 3507—To provide for the disposition of tribal funds of the Ute Indians, or any of the tribes or bands of Utes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2000), 8648.—Amended and passed House, 9179.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 9212.

H. R. 3511—For the relief of the Lebanon Woolen Mills, Inc.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1561), 5140.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 5400.

H. R. 3522—Continued
into a compact or agreement for division of the waters of the Yellowstone River.
Reported back (H. Rept. 998), 368.—Laid on the table (S. 1387 passed in lieu), 2264.

H. R. 3524—To provide for the establishment of the Harpers Ferry National Monument.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1315), 3354.—Amended and passed House, 3499.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 3523.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1001), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6483.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 386], 6712.

H. R. 3527—Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to purchase improvements or pay damages for removal of improvements located on public lands of the United States in the Anderson Ranch Reservoir site, Boise reclamation project, Idaho.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1587), 5190.—Passed House, 5331.—Referred to Senate Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5363.

H. R. 3528—To provide effective date of awards of death pension or compensation in cases of persons missing or missing in action, to authorize payment of such benefits from the date of death of such person as reported or found by the Secretary of War or the Secretary of the Navy, and for other purposes.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1246), 2458.

H. R. 3535—For the relief of the legal guardian of Billie Stooksberry, a minor, and Lon L. Stooksberry.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1347), 3430.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 3535.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1132), 7973.—Amended and passed Senate, 8055.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8136.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 401], 8162.

H. R. 3537—For the relief of Bessie Eason.
Reported back (S. Rept. 898), 4687.—Passed Senate, 4983.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Vetoed (H. Doc. No. 646), 5460.

H. R. 3538—For the relief of the Reverend James T. Denigan.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1103), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1693.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 769), 3029.—Amended and passed Senate, 3301.—House disagrees with Senate amendment and asks for conference, 3530.—Conferees appointed, 3530.—Senate insists upon its amendment and agrees to conference, 3615.—Conferees appointed, 3615.—Conference report (No. 1697) submitted in House, 6331.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6376.—House agrees to conference report, 6523.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 356], 6709.

H. R. 3539—For the relief of Carlos Manuel Pérez Silva and Nilda Concepción Ramos Pérez.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1460), 4685.—Amended and passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1020), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6486.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 357], 6709.

H. R. 3547—For the relief of Carl F. R. Wilson.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1104), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1693.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 715), 1907.—Passed Senate, 2577.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 239], 3115.

H. R. 3548—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. Nelson and W. E. Nelson.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1536), 5117.—Amended and passed House, 5396.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5434.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1169), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8433.—Examined and signed, 8529, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 451], 9159.

H. R. 3549—For the relief of Mrs. Emily Reilly.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1562), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5400.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1124), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8054.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 402], 8162.

H. R. 3552—To release reversionary rights of the United States to certain property in Stockton, Calif.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1081), 1375.—Passed House, 1976.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 2054.

H. R. 3570—To provide for the partial construction of the Hungry Horse Dam on the South Fork of the Flathead River in the State of Montana, and for other purposes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1193), 2046.—Made special order (H. Res. 481), 2968.—Debated, 3600–3604.—Passed House, 3604.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration and Reclamation, 3633.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 862), 4089.—Amended and passed Senate, 4980.—Vote reconsidered, 4980.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4981.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 5014.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Public, No. 329], 5787.

H. R. 3579—Providing for the suspension of certain requirements relating to work on tunnel sites.
Reported back (H. Rept. 1584), 5190.—Laid on the table (S. 1479 passed in lieu), 5330.

H. R. 3584—For the relief of Elsie Hawke.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1734), 6680.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8264.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1244), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 519], 9805.

H. R. 3585—For the relief of Mrs. Luther S. Sykes.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1788), 7301.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8269.

H. R. 3586—For the relief of Mrs. John Andrew Godwin.
Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1491), 4837.—Amended and passed House, 5395.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1021), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6486.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 324], 6712.

H. R. 3590—For the relief of the city and county of San Francisco. Reported back (H. Rept. 1537), 5117.—Passed House, 5397.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1289), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 547], 9779.

H. R. 3592—To amend the Judicial Code in respect to the original jurisdiction of the district courts of the United States in certain cases, and for other purposes. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 991), 217.—Made special order (H. Res. 451), 3121-3125.—Debated in House, 3133-3140.—Amended and passed House, 3140.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 3162.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1040), 6929.—Debated in Senate, 8666.

H. R. 3595—For the relief of Robert Futterman. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1461), 4685.—Amended and passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1136), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 403], 8162.

H. R. 3596—Conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States to consider and render judgment on the claim of the Zephyr Aircraft Corp. against the United States. Reported back (H. Rept. 1145), 1719.—Passed House, 2317.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 909), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6468.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Pocket veto, 6712.

H. R. 3602—To amend the act making it a misdemeanor to stow away on vessels. Passed House, amended, 1309.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 791), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3306.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 236], 4322.

H. R. 3604—Authorizing the appointment of chaplains as general officers of the Army of the United States. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1405), 3766.—Amended and passed House, title amended, 4112.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 4171.—Reported back (S. Rept. 926), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 362], 6712.

H. R. 3605—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of fires in tents used as quarters by members of the Twelfth Naval Construction Battalion, Long Island, Alaska, on December 26, 1942, and May 26, 1943, respectively. Passed Senate, 1651.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 178], 2079.

H. R. 3606—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as a result of a fire at the Outlying Degaussing Branch of the Norfolk Navy Yard, Portsmouth, Va., on December 4, 1942. Passed Senate, 1651.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 179], 2079.

H. R. 3607—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as a result of a fire in tent L-76 at the Amphibious Training Base, Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va., on March 15, 1943. Passed Senate, 1651.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 180], 2079.

H. R. 3608—Relating to certain overtime compensation of civilian employees of the United States. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1795), 7301.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 7709.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1187), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8435.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 466], 9159.

H. R. 3609—To permit the United States to be made a party defendant in certain cases, and for other purposes. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1159), 1871.—Passed House, 1980.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 2054.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1391), 9628.

H. R. 3611—To authorize the appointment of court reporters in the district courts of the United States, to fix their duties, to provide for their compensation, and for other purposes. Conference report agreed to in House, 131.—Examined and signed, 166, 216.—Presented to the President, 290.—Approved [Public, No. 222], 629.

H. R. 3614—For the relief of the Queen City Brewing Co. Reported back (H. Rept. 1770), 7043.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8266.—Ordered restored to Calendar, 8713.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2011), 8714.—Passed House, 8829.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8870.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1362), 8954.—Passed Senate, 9444.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Pocket veto.

H. R. 3618—To authorize the War Food Administrator to sell and convey to Mrs. Andrew J. Frey, and her heirs, a certain tract of land, situated in the county of San Joaquin, State of California, and for other purposes. Reported back (H. Rept. 1001), 436.—Passed House, 1683.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 721), 1963.—Passed Senate, 2578.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 249], 3116.

H. R. 3619—To amend sections 675 and 676 of the Act entitled "An act to establish a Code of Law for the District of Columbia," approved March 3, 1901, regulating the disposal of dead human bodies in the District of Columbia. Reported back (H. Rept. 1188), 2010.—Passed House, 2137.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 2190.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1203), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9047, 9208.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 491], 9805.

H. R. 3621—To amend an act entitled "An act to provide for the regulation of motor vehicle traffic in the District of Columbia, increase the number of judges of the police court, and for other purposes." Reported back (S. Rept. 1204), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9208.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 486], 9805.

H. R. 3630—For the relief of Peter Paul Bacic, Charles C. Cox, H. Forest Haugh, and Luther M. Durst. H. R. 3630—Continued

damaged as a result of a fire in tent L-76 at the Amphibious Training Base, Camp Bradford, Norfolk, Va., on March 15, 1943. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1771), 7043.—Amended and passed House, 8266.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.

H. R. 3636—For the relief of Josephine Gidoni. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1478), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5393.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1022), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6486.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 358], 6712.

H. R. 3639—For the relief of Herman Weinert, Jr., doctor of medicine. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1880), 7710.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8280.—Ordered restored to calendar, 8713.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2012), 8714.—Amended and passed House, 8829.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8870.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1363), 8955.—Passed Senate, 9444.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 520], 9805.

H. R. 3644—For the relief of Louis T. Klauder. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1462), 4685.—Amended and passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.

H. R. 3645—For the relief of Mary Agnes Lichtenfeld Doppelman. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1827), 7413.—Amended and passed House, 8274.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1253), 8537.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 9432.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9549.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 559], 9779.

H. R. 3646—To amend section 42 of title 7 of the Canal Zone Code. Reported back (H. Rept. 1351), 3472.—Debated, 3860.—Rules suspended; passed House, 5337-5340.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canals, 5363.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 955), 5432.—Amended and passed Senate, 6372, 6373.—Senate insists upon its amendment and asks for conference, 6373.—Conferees appointed, 6373.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 6449.—Conferees appointed, 6449.—Conference report (No. 1746) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6641.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 6671.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 403], 6713.

H. R. 3649—For the relief of Mae Ekval. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1070), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1689.—Reported back (S. Rept. 966), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 343], 6712.

H. R. 3654—For the relief of Byron Ennis. Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1071), 1131.—Amended and passed House, 1689.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 932), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 359], 6712.

H. R. 3659—For the relief of Anne Loacker. Reported back (H. Rept. 1463), 4685.—Passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reference changed to Committee on Civil Service, 5590.

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H. R. 3661—For the relief of G. F. Allen, chief disbursing officer, Treasury Department, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 770), 3029.—Amended and passed Senate, 3301.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6332.—Examined and signed, 6370.—Presented to the President, 6449.—Approved [Public, No. 313], 6712.

H. R. 3668—For the relief of C. C. Evensen.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1185), 2010.—Passed House, 2320.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 787), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3306.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 265], 4322.

H. R. 3674—For the relief of William E. Widby.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1146), 1719.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 2318.—Ordered restored to Private Calendar, 3111.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1287), 3115.—Passed House, 3530.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 940), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Pocket veto, 6712.

H. R. 3678—For the relief of Floyd E. and Lena Mae Drummond.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1807), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8271.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1282), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 521], 9805.

H. R. 3679—For the relief of Col. Anderson F. Pitts.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1044), 962.—Amended and passed House (in lieu of S. 1528), 1686.

H. R. 3687—To provide revenue, and for other purposes.

Debated, 4, 33, 37-50, 85-122, 176-178, 188-197, 221-244, 245, 250-274, 275-279, 300-327, 373-383, 394-387, 456, 500-509, 509-543.—Amended and passed Senate, 543.—Senate insists on its amendments, requests conference, 543.—Conferees appointed, 543, 634.—House disagrees to Senate amendment, agrees to conference, 634.—Conference report submitted in House (H. Rept. 1079), 1314-1340.—Debated, 1340-1358.—House agrees to conference report, 1359.—Conference report submitted in Senate, 1299.—Debated, 1299-1301.—Agreed to, 1301.—Examined and signed, 1513, 1575.—Presented to the President, 1575.—Vetoed (H. Doc. 443), 1958.—Passed House over Presidential veto, 2013.—Passed Senate over Presidential veto, 2050.—[Public, No. 235].

H. R. 3688—To change the name of "watchman" in the postal service to that of "post-office guard."

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1354), 3563.—Amended and passed House, 3861.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3884.

H. R. 3690—To safeguard the admission of evidence in certain cases.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1509), 4956.—Made special order (H. Res. 662), 9363-9366.—Debated in House, 9197-9200, 9366-9376.—Amended and passed House, 9376.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 9384.

H. R. 3691—To permit the construction, maintenance, and use of certain pipe lines for steam-heating purposes in the District of Columbia.

Passed Senate, 123.—Examined and signed, 166, 216.—Presented to the President, 290.—Approved [Public, No. 220], 629.

H. R. 3693—To aid in the stabilization program and the war effort by paid newspaper advertising in connection with the sale of United States bonds, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1112), 1512.

H. R. 3695—For the relief of the estate of Thomas Shea, deceased.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1382), 3706.—Passed House, 3869.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 980), 5939.—Amended and passed Senate, 6474.—House concurs in Senate amendments, 7344.—Examined and signed, 7384.—Presented to the President, 7481.—Approved [Private, No. 371], 8103.

H. R. 3701—For the relief of Clinton R. Clawson.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1042), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1685.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 742), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2583.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2700.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Private, No. 252], 3116.

H. R. 3704—To amend the Coast Guard Auxiliary and Reserve Act of 1941, as amended.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1683), 6344.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 7217.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 7221.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1093), 7776.—Passed Senate, 8050.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 447], 8162.

H. R. 3709—For the relief of Harley E. Carter.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1772), 7048.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8267.—Amended and passed House, 8451.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8483.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1364), 8955.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 560], 9806.

H. R. 3720—To authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to appoint notaries public.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1047), 962.—Passed House, 1681.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1205), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 492], 9305.

H. R. 3722—To amend section 342 of the Nationality Act of 1940 in respect to fees for the issuance of certificates of arrival.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1019), 701.—Passed House, 1314.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1074), 7515.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 444], 8160.

H. R. 3724—For the relief of Mr. and Mrs. Howard C. Bantin.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1186), 2010.—Amended and passed House, 2320.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 967), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 325], 6712.

H. R. 3727—For the relief of the legal guardian of Violet DeGroot.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1652), 6084.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8260.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1283), 8592.—Passed Senate,

H. R. 3727—Continued
ate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 522], 9806.

H. R. 3732—To repeal the prohibition against the filling of a vacancy in the office of district judge in the district of New Jersey.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1300), 3156.—Passed House, 3498.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 3523.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1151), 8222.—Amended and passed Senate, 8432.—House disagrees to Senate amendment and asks for conference, 8709.—Conferees appointed, 8709.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 8718.—Conferees appointed, 8718.—Conferees discharged and House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment, 9485.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 532], 9806.

H. R. 3737—For the relief of M. H. Harris.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1147), 1719.—Passed House, 2320.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2402.—Reported back (S. Rept. 911), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6463.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 326], 6712.

H. R. 3739—For the relief of the Wesix Electric Heater Co.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1348), 3430.—Amended and passed House, 3536.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 941), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 369], 6713.

H. R. 3741—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes.

Amended and passed Senate, 50-53.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to conference, 124.—Conferees appointed, 124, 129.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and requests conference, 129.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 275.—Conference report submitted in House (Rept. No. 997), 337.—Agreed to, 406, 407.—Examined and signed, 509, 589.—Presented to the President, 666.—Approved [Public, No. 224], 932.

H. R. 3750—To provide for the appointment of an additional circuit judge for the third circuit, and to permit the filling of the first vacancy occurring in the office of district judge for the eastern district of Pennsylvania.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1518), 5071.—Passed House, 5325.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 5363.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1042), 7071.—Passed Senate, 8431.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 467], 9159.

H. R. 3753—For the relief of the legal guardian of Virginia McMillan, a minor, and Howard McMillan.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1383), 3706.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 3869.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1170), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8589, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 452], 9159.

H. R. 3760—Authorizing the President to present, in the name of Congress, a Distinguished Service Medal to Lt. Gen. Thomas Holcomb, United States Marine Corps.

Passed Senate, 1651.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Private, No. 203], 2079.

H. R. 3763—To relieve former postal employees who performed postal duties after induction into the military service. Reported back (H. Rept. 1148), 1719.—Passed House, 1980.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 2054.—Reported back (S. Rept. 751), 2400.—Passed Senate, 2582.—Examined and signed, 2642, 2701.—Presented to the President, 2797.—Approved [Public, No. 263], 3116.

H. R. 3781—For the relief of Hall Farris. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1105), 1443.—Amended and passed House, 1693.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1319), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 523], 9806.

H. R. 3782—For the relief of Mrs. Jeannette B. Stedman. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1731), 6680.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 8264.

H. R. 3791—For the relief of the estate of Charles Noah Shipp, deceased. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1653), 6081.—Amended and passed House, 8260.—Passed Senate, 9269.—Examined and signed, 9383, 9488.—Presented to the President, 9557.—Approved [Private, No. 491], 9805.

H. R. 3813—For the relief of J. Ralph Datesman. Reported back (H. Rept. 1538), 5117.—Passed House, 5397.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1125), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 404], 8162.

H. R. 3814—For the relief of M. Senders & Co. Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1732), 6680.—Amended and passed House, 8264.—Proceedings vacated and reconsidered, 8282.—Amended and passed House, 8282.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1341), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 524], 9806.

H. R. 3840—For the relief of Albert Barrett. Reported back (H. Rept. 1072), 1131.—Passed House, 1689.

H. R. 3841—For the relief of Dr. J. D. Whiteside and St. Luke's Hospital. Reported back (H. Rept. 1464), 4685.—Passed House, 5391.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.

H. R. 3844—For the relief of Henry O. Heuer. Reference changed to Committee on War Claims, 436.

H. R. 3846—To provide for the education and training of members of the armed forces and the merchant marine after their separation from service, and for other purposes. From Committee on Education, reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1417), 4039.

H. R. 3847—To exempt certain officers and employees of the Office of Price Administration from certain provisions of the Criminal Code and Revised Statutes. Passed House, 933, 934.—Referred to Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, 967.—Committee on Banking Currency discharged and referred to Committee on Judiciary, 2054.—Reported back (S. Rept. 753), 2651.—Passed Senate, 3300.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 287], 4322.

H. R. 3848—To amend section 9 of the Act of May 22, 1928, authorizing and directing a national survey of forest resources.

H. R. 3848—Continued Passed House, 3598.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 3633.—Reported back (S. Rept. 863), 4089.—Passed Senate, 4981.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Public, No. 321], 5144.

H. R. 3852—For the relief of the O. S. Stapley Co.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1733), 6680.—Amended and passed House, 8264.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1290), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9425.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 514], 9806.

H. R. 3859—For the relief of E. Bird Giles and Sherman Beck.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1349), 3430.—Amended and passed House, 3536.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 973), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 360], 6712.

H. R. 3865—To reserve certain public-domain lands in the State of Arizona for addition to the Havasupai Indian Reservation, and for other purposes.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1010), 590.—Laid on table (S. 1000 passed in lieu), 1977.

H. R. 3869—To amend section 1, act of June 29, 1940 (54 Stat. 703), for the acquisition of Indian lands for the Grand Coulee Dam and Reservoir, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1752), 6680.

H. R. 3870—To amend section 214 of the act of February 28, 1925.

Reported back (H. Rept. 992), 217.—Passed House, 1311.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 1381.—Reported back (S. Rept. 923), 6013.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 363], 6712.

H. R. 3880—For the relief of Mrs. Anna Zukas.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1735), 6680.—Amended and passed House, 8264.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1352), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 525], 9806.

H. R. 3881—For the relief of Mrs. Anna Chandler.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1870), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8279.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1266), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 526], 9806.

H. R. 3891—To provide night differential for certain employees.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1424), 4087.—Passed House, 4498.—Ordered to be placed on the calendar, 4570.—Amended and passed Senate, 4966.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6202.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Public, No. 394], 6712.

H. R. 3898—For the relief of Frank Gay.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1492), 4837.—Amended and passed House, 5395.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1137), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Ex-

amined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 405], 8162.

H. R. 3904—To provide for the detention, care, and treatment of persons suffering from diseases of the mind in certain Federal reservations.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 23.

H. R. 3905—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bradley of Pennsylvania; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 23.

H. R. 3906—To facilitate the formation of a Joint Airports and Highways Holding and Management Commission to act with respect to airports and highways built by the United States in Canada.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 23.

H. R. 3907—To amend the Interstate Commerce Act, to provide for the establishment of a uniform classification and a uniform scale of class rates for railroad freight, and for other purposes.

Mr. Harris of Arkansas; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 23.

H. R. 3908—To amend section 10 of the act of Congress approved July 24, 1941, entitled "An act authorizing the temporary appointment or advancement of certain personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps, and for other purposes," as amended, to provide for the retired pay of certain persons, and for other purposes.

Mr. Izac; Committee on Naval Affairs, 23.

H. R. 3909—To increase by 20 percent the rates of pension, compensation, or retired pay paid by the Veterans' Administration to veterans who served on foreign soil or in foreign waters in any war, campaign, or expedition.

Mr. Kearney; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 23.

H. R. 3910—To provide a plan of voting for men and women in the armed services of the United States.

Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 23.

H. R. 3911—To provide for discharge pay in a lump sum and for extended pay for not to exceed 12 months for veterans of World War II.

Mr. Ploeser; Committee on Military Affairs, 24.

H. R. 3912—To amend section 6 of the Defense Highway Act of 1941, as amended. Mr. Robinson of Utah; Committee on Roads, 24.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1045), 962.—Amended and passed House, 3211.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3242.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 783), 3246.—Amended and passed Senate, 3305.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3351.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 288], 4322.

H. R. 3913—To promote the administration of law in the Navy.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 24.

H. R. 3914—For the relief of certain persons occupying lands of the United States within the drainage of the Arroyo Seco, Angeles National Forest, Calif.

Mr. Voorhis of California; Committee on Agriculture, 24.

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H. R. 3915—To provide that F-1 loans under the regional agricultural credit corporation loan program shall be deemed to have been made upon the same terms and conditions as F-2 loans under such program.

Mr. Wickersham; Committee on Agriculture, 24.

H. R. 3916—To permit the construction and use of certain pipe lines for pneumatic tube transmission in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 24.—Reported back (H. Rept. 985), 138.—Passed House, 146.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 166.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 638), 705.—Amended and passed Senate, 1655.—House concurs in Senate amendments, 1765.—Examined and signed, 1814, 1870.—Presented to the President, 1900.—Approved [Public, No. 234], 2079.

H. R. 3917—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide more adequate and uniform administrative provisions in veterans' laws pertaining to compensation, pension, and retirement pay payable by the Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes," approved July 13, 1943, by adding new titles to provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 24.

H. R. 3918—To facilitate voting, in the general election in 1944, by qualified voters who are members of the armed forces of the United States or members of the merchant marine of the United States and who are absent from the place of their residence.

Mr. Andrews; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 24.

H. R. 3919—To insure employment of a reasonable percentage of veterans who have served in a recognized war, campaign, or expedition in the construction and manufacture of supplies contracted for in behalf of the United States.

Mr. Fenton; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 24.

H. R. 3920—To grant the State of Mexico additional lands for the crippled children's hospital and for vocational trade schools.

Mr. Fernandez; Committee on the Public Lands, 24.

H. R. 3921—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide more adequate and uniform administrative provisions in veterans' laws pertaining to compensation, pension, and retirement pay payable by the Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes," approved July 13, 1943, by adding new titles to provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.

Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 24.

H. R. 3922—To provide for emergency disability compensation for members of the land, naval, or air forces separated from service, pending settlement of their claims by the Veterans' Administration.

Mr. Sasser; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 24.

H. R. 3923—To regulate burial space in national cemeteries.

Mr. Short; Committee on Military Affairs, 24.

H. R. 3924—To provide for compensation to discharged disabled veterans of the present war.

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H. R. 3925—To provide for the payment of mustering-out pay to members of the armed forces, and for other purposes.

Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Ways and Means, 24.

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Mr. Angell; Committee on Claims, 24.

H. R. 3927—For the relief of William A. Hallett.

Mr. Bland; Committee on Claims, 24.

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Mr. Cannon of Florida; Committee on Claims, 24.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1871), 7654.—Passed House, 8279.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1320), 8369.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 527], 9806.

H. R. 3929—For the relief of Katherine Scherer.

Mr. Dewey; Committee on Claims, 24.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1384), 3706.—Passed House, 8869.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8884.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1011), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate, 6485.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8990.—Examined and signed, 9021, 9096.—Presented to the President, 9209.—Approved [Private, No. 483], 9805.

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Mr. Manasco; Committee on Claims, 24.

H. R. 3931—For the relief of the estate of Dr. A. D. Gibson.

Mr. Mansfield of Texas; Committee on Claims, 24.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1881), 7710.—Amended and passed House, 8281.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1245), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 528], 9806.

H. R. 3932—For the relief of Beryl Williams.

Mr. O'Toole; Committee on Claims, 24.

H. R. 3933—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting in time of war by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes.

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H. R. 3935—To authorize an appropriation to provide additional hospital and outpatient dispensary facilities for persons entitled to hospitalization in Veterans' Administration facilities, and for other purposes.

Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 77.

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H. R. 3937—To amend the Canal Zone Code.

Mr. Welch; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 77.

H. R. 3938—To amend section 1 (c) of Public Law No. 484, Seventy-third Congress, approved June 28, 1934, as amended by Public Law No. 198, Seventy-sixth Congress, approved July 19, 1939, and section 11 of Public Law No. 144, Seventy-eighth Congress, approved July 13, 1943.

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Mr. LaFollette, Committee on the Civil Service, 78.

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Mr. Scanlon, Committee on the Civil Service, 78.

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H. R. 3944—To provide further for the successful prosecution of the war through a system of civilian selective war service with the aid of the Selective Service System.

Mr. Wadsworth, Committee on Military Affairs, 78.

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H. R. 3977—For the relief of Harry Schultz. Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Claims, 217.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1298), 3157.—Passed House, 3531.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 942), 5271.—Passed Senate, 6472.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 344], 6712.

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H. R. 3996—For the relief of F. L. Gause and the legal guardian of Rosalind and Helen Gause, minors. Mr. Mansfield of Texas, Committee on Claims, 297.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1654), 6034.—Amended and passed House, 8261.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8312.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1254), 8537.—Amended and passed Senate, 9434.

H. R. 3997—To amend the Code of the District of Columbia providing for the sale of fish of the shad or herring species, and for other purposes. Mr. Hendricks, Committee on the District of Columbia, 368.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1048), 962.—Passed House, 1681.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1641), 1829.—Examined and signed, 2069, 2012.—Presented to the President, 2045.—Approved [Public, No. 239], 2080.

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H. R. 4002—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide for the training of nurses for the armed forces, governmental and civilian hospitals, health agencies, and war industries, through grants to institutions providing such training, and for other purposes," approved June 15, 1943, so as to provide for the full participation of institutions of the United States in the program for the training of nurses, and for other purposes. Mrs. Bolton, Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 368.

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H. R. 4017—To facilitate voting, in the general election in 1944, by qualified voters who are members of the armed forces of the United States or members of the merchant marine of the United States and who are absent from the place of their residence. Mr. Andrews; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 436.

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H. R. 4030—To amend the act approved March 2, 1895, as amended. Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 590.

H. R. 4031—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes.

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H. R. 4040—To provide for the simplification of the individual income tax.

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H. R. 4041—To amend the act relating to the construction and maintenance of a bridge across the Missouri River at or near Nebraska City, Nebr.

Mr. Buffett; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 668.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1573), 5140.—Passed House, 5330.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 5363.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1025), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6486.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 404], 6713.

H. R. 4042—To amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes.

Mr. Flannagan; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 668.

H. R. 4043—To provide for the sale of surplus war materials in small units after the present war, to grant veterans preferen-

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tial rights to purchase such materials, and for other purposes.

Mr. Gathings; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 668.

H. R. 4044—Conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims to hear, determine, and render judgment upon claims of Indians whose nations, tribes, or bands formerly were members of what was sometimes known as the Northern Indian Confederacy, and for other purposes.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Indian Affairs, 668.

H. R. 4045—To authorize the issuance of drill sergeant's medals.

Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Military Affairs, 668.

H. R. 4046—For the relief of Leo Gottlieb.

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H. R. 4048—For the relief of Daniel S. Bagley, Jr.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 668.

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Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on Claims, 668.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1656), 6084.—Passed House, 8261.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1332), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 515], 9806.

H. R. 4050—For the relief of Leo Edward Day and Phillip Tamborello.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 668.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1564), 5140.—Recommitted to Committee on Claims, 5400.

H. R. 4051—To provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.

Mr. Beall; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 668.

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Mr. Lane; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 668.

H. R. 4054—To extend the times for commencing and completing the construction of a bridge across the Calcasieu River at or near Lake Charles, La.

Mr. Larcade; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 668.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1403), 3766.—Passed House, 3887.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 3884.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 884), 4470.—Passed Senate, 4983.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Public, No. 326], 5458.

H. R. 4055—To provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.

Mr. Rogers of California; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 668.

H. R. 4056—To provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.

Mr. Stearns of New Hampshire; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 668.

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Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 701.

H. R. 4058—To provide a method of voting for members of the armed forces of the United States.

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H. R. 4059—To amend an act entitled "An act to empower the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to convey land" (approved April 28, 1922).

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 702.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1050), 1035.—Passed House, 1680.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1657), 1829.—Examined and signed, 2009, 2012.—Presented to the President, 2045.—Approved [Private, No. 215], 2060.

H. R. 4060—To remove certain restrictions relating to the appointment of retired commissioned officers to civilian positions, and for other purposes.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the Civil Service, 702.

H. R. 4061—Authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ship repair facilities, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 702.

H. R. 4062—To reduce the rate of interest on obligations of home owners to the Home Owners' Loan Corporation.

Mr. Barry; Committee on Banking and Currency, 702.

H. R. 4063—Authorizing the appointment of optometrists as commissioned officers in the Medical Corps of the Army and the Medical Corps of the Navy.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Military Affairs, 702.

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Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 702.

H. R. 4065—Further defining the number and duties of criers and bailiffs in United States courts and regulating their compensation.

Mr. Walter; Committee on the Judiciary, 702.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1465), 4685.—Debated in House, 6191.—Passed House, 8454.—Amended and passed Senate, 8449.—House concurs in Senate amendments, 8505.—Examined and signed, 8588, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 463], 9159.

H. R. 4066—To revise the rates of pension to veterans while pursuing vocational training under part VII of Veterans Regulation No. 1 (a), as amended.

Mr. Stearns of New Hampshire; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 702.

H. R. 4067—Authorizing and adopting a project for the improvement of Miami Harbor, Fla.

Mr. Cannon of Florida; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 702.

H. R. 4068—To amend an act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes," approved May 22, 1920.

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H. R. 4069—Granting an increase of pension to Nelle G. Eckman.

Mr. Gillette; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 702.

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Mr. Woodrum of Virginia; Committee on Appropriations (H. Rept. 1023), 742, 776.—Debated, 825-853, 880-888, 973-950.—Amended and passed House, 950.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 967.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 730), 2400.—Debated in Senate, 2654-2659, 2659-2662, 2662-2673, 2716, 2719-2739, 2812-2827, 2879-2889, 2890-2893, 2893-2899, 2900-2903, 3037-3055, 3055-3058, 3059-3068, 3069-3075.—Passed Senate, 3075.—Senate insists upon its amendments; and asks for conference, 3075.—Conferees appointed, 3075.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 4109.—Conferees appointed, 4109.—Conference report (No. 1544) submitted in House and agreed to, 5169.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 37 and 69; House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 68, with an amendment; and insists on its disagreements to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 14, 29, 30, 35, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 64, 65, 66, and 67, and asks a further conference, 5528.—Conferees appointed, 5528.—House insists upon its disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 2, 3, 4, 6, 8, 14, 29, 30, 35, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 64, 65, 66, and 67 and agrees to a further conference, 5648.—Conference report (No. 1642) submitted in House, 5969.—House agrees to conference report, 5970.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 35, 57, and 65, each with an amendment; and still further insists on its disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 64 and 66, 5970, 5971.—Senate agrees to conference report, 5964.—Senate agrees to the amendments of the House to Senate amendments Nos. 35, 37, and 65, and recedes from amendments 64 and 66, 5964.—Examined and signed, 6142, 6240.—Presented to the President, 6344.—Approved [Private, No. 358], 6712.

H. R. 4071—To reestablish the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, to re-create the offices of the members of said Board, and to transfer functions of the Federal Home Loan Bank Administration from the National Housing Agency to said Board, and for other purposes.
Mr. Lambertson; Committee on Banking and Currency, 776.

H. R. 4072—To grant commissions in the Army of the United States to members of the local selective-service boards.
Mr. Weiss; Committee on Military Affairs, 776.

H. R. 4073—To provide that national service life insurance, whether heretofore or hereafter applied for, shall be effective as of the date of application therefor.
Mr. Winstead; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 776.

H. R. 4074—For the relief of the estate of William Sandlass.
Mr. Hart; Committee on Claims, 776.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1043), 962.—Amended and passed House, 1685.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 933), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6709.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 362], 6713.

H. R. 4075—Granting a pension to Verna Barnes.
Mr. Reece of Tennessee; Committee on Pensions, 776.

H. R. 4076—To provide monetary benefits for certain enlisted men of the Regular Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard discharged for service-connected disabilities.
Mr. Wadsworth; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 856.—Reference changed to Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1271.

H. R. 4077—To authorize the sale, exchange, or other disposition of certain securities held by the Secretary of the Treasury.
Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; Committee on Ways and Means, 856.

H. R. 4078—To provide for advancement in rank for certain World War veterans.
Mr. Fogarty; Committee on Military Affairs, 856.

H. R. 4079—To extend the Civilian Pilot Training Act of 1939.
Mr. Harless of Arizona; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 856.

H. R. 4080—For the relief of certain former employees of the United States Court for China.
Mr. Anderson of New Mexico; Committee on Claims, 856.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1670), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8262.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1267), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 532], 9806.

H. R. 4081—For the relief of Harold Smith.
Mr. Marcantonio; Committee on Military Affairs, 856.

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Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 856.

H. R. 4083—For the relief of the estate of John Crawford Marston.
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H. R. 4084—For the relief of Claybron Holcomb.
Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 856.

H. R. 4085—Granting a pension to William A. McCains, Jr.
Mr. Schiffer; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 856.

H. R. 4086—To create a nonpartisan commission to study the Federal revenue laws with a view to making recommendations for a simplified permanent and consistent tax policy.
Mr. Forand; Committee on Ways and Means, 899.

H. R. 4087—To dispense with the requirement of a return of income tax by individuals substantially all of whose tax is withheld at the source.
Mr. Forand; Committee on Ways and Means, 899.

H. R. 4088—Providing for veterans' rehabilitation, preventing unemployment, chaos, and confusion at the end of the war and promoting individual, productive enterprise by enabling the returned veterans to engage in such enterprises and employ themselves in place of asking for jobs that do not exist.
Mr. Lemke; Committee on Ways and Means, 899.

H. R. 4089—To provide for a national cemetery in Jefferson County, Ala.
Mr. Newsome; Committee on Military Affairs, 899.

H. R. 4090—Authorizing the President to bestow the decoration of the Purple Heart upon Thomas Anthony Deleo.
Mr. Goodwin; Committee on Military Affairs, 899.

H. R. 4091—Granting a pension to Frances Hays Murphy.
Mr. O'Neal; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 899.

H. R. 4092—To extend the Civilian Pilot Training Act of 1939.
Mr. Gathings; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 962.

H. R. 4093—To provide for the promotion of certain retired World War veterans to the rank of chief warrant officer on the retired list.
Mr. Kilday; Committee on Military Affairs, 962.

H. R. 4094—To authorize a preliminary examination and survey of Scajquada Creek and its tributaries, New York, for flood control, for run-off and water-flow retardation, and for soil-erosion prevention.
Mr. Mruk; Committee on Flood Control, 962.

H. R. 4095—Confirming the claim of the heirs of Monroe Johnson, deceased, to certain lands in the State of Mississippi, county of Adams.
Mr. McGhee; Committee on the Public Lands, 962.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1576), 5140.—Passed House, 5401.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 5435.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1002), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate, title amended, 6478.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6661.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 363], 6713.

H. R. 4096—To prohibit the use of Federal funds in the construction of synthetic-alcohol plants.
Mr. Anton J. Johnson; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 962.

H. R. 4097—To clarify the law relative to allowances for mileage of graduates of the United States Military Academy and transportation of their dependents on assignment to their first-duty station, and to the mileage allowance of persons entering the United States Military Academy as cadets.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 962.

H. R. 4098—To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain lands in Harding, Colfax, and Mora Counties, N. Mex.
Mr. Fernandez; Committee on Agriculture, 962.

H. R. 4099—To extend the period of the Philippine Insurrection so as to include active service with the United States military or naval forces engaged in hostilities in the Moro Province, including Mindanao, or in the islands of Samar and Leyte, between July 5, 1902, and December 31, 1913.
Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 962.—Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 1256), 2608.—Amended and passed House, 3119.—Referred to Senate Committee on Pensions, 3162.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1152), 8222.—Passed Senate, 8433.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Vetoed, 9089.

H. R. 4100—For the relief of Daniel S. Bagley, Sr.
Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 962.

H. R. 4101—For the relief of P. E. Brannen. Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 982.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1565), 5140.—Amended and passed House, 5400.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1350), 8869.—Amended and passed Senate, 9443.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9549.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 533], 9806.

H. R. 4102—To extend for one additional year the reduced rate of interest on Land Bank Commissioner loans. Mr. Murray of Wisconsin; Committee on Agriculture, 1035.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1401), 3766.—Made special order [H. Res. 558], 4937-4942.—Debated in House, 4943-4955.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 4955.—Motion to recommit rejected, 4955.—Referred to Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, 4960.—Reported back (S. Rept. 927), 5119.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 387], 6712.

H. R. 4103—To provide for loss of United States nationality under certain circumstances. Mr. Allen of Louisiana; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1035.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1075), 1233.—made special order, 1778-1787.—Debated, 1787-1789. 1981-1992.—Passed House, 1992.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 2054.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1029), 6459.—Passed Senate, 6617.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 405], 6713.

H. R. 4104—To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, for the purpose of further regulating interstate and foreign commerce in tobacco, and for other purposes. Mr. Gore; Committee on Agriculture, 1035.

H. R. 4105—For the relief of Ira Cannon. Mr. Bryson; Committee on Claims, 1035.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1808), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8271.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1292), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 8623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 562], 9806.

H. R. 4106—For the relief of Mrs. Elizabeth M. Andresen. Mr. Gale; Committee on Claims, 1035.

H. R. 4107—For the relief of the Stiers Bros. Construction Co. Mr. Ploeser; Committee on Claims, 1035.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1479), 4836.—Amended and passed House, 5393.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.

H. R. 4108—Relating to escapes of prisoners of war and interned enemy aliens. Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 1131.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1371), 3871.—Amended and passed House, 3863.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 3884.

H. R. 4109—To amend section 48 of the Criminal Code relating to receiving of stolen public property. Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 1131.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1372), 3871.—Amended and passed House, 3863.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 3884.

H. R. 4110—To provide a pension for Mrs. James Gardiner Conroy. Mr. Heffernan; Committee on Pensions, 1132.

H. R. 4111—For the relief of Louis Beckham. Mrs. Norton, Committee on Claims, 1132.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1657), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8261.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1256), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 534], 9806.

H. R. 4112—To reestablish the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, to recreate the offices of the members of said Board, and to transfer functions of the Federal Home Loan Bank Administration from the National Housing Agency to said Board, and for other purposes. Mr. Kilday, Committee on Banking and Currency, 1233.

H. R. 4113—To aid in the stabilization program and the war effort by paid newspaper advertising in connection with the sale of United States bonds, and for other purposes. Mr. Mills, Committee on Ways and Means, 1233.

H. R. 4114—To amend section 3 (b) of Public, 49, Seventy-eighth Congress, first session (War Overtime Pay Act of 1943). Mr. Ramspeck, Committee on the Civil Service, 1233.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1835), 7509.—Passed House, 7570.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 7609.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1100), 7777.—Passed Senate, 8053.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 448], 8162.

H. R. 4115—To give honorably discharged veterans, their widows, and the wives of disabled veterans, who themselves are not qualified, preference in employment where Federal funds are disbursed. Mr. Starnes of Alabama; Committee on the Civil Service, 1233.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1289), 3156.—Debated, 3501-3505.—Passed House, 3507.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 3523.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 907), 4959.—Amended and passed Senate, 5785.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6283.—Examined and signed, 6370, 6449.—Presented to the President, 6586.—Approved [Public, No. 359], 6712.

H. R. 4116—To amend title II of the Social Security Act to include certain employees of States, political subdivisions thereof, and instrumentalities of States or political subdivisions, and for other purposes. Mr. Harless of Arizona; Committee on Ways and Means, 1233.

H. R. 4117—To amend paragraph 4, section 560, article 5, title 50, United States Code, 1940 edition, entitled "Soldiers and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940." Mr. McLean, Committee on Military Affairs, 1233.

H. R. 4118—To amend the Customs Administrative Act of 1938. Mr. Jenkins, Committee on Ways and Means, 1233.

H. R. 4119—To provide for the construction of a Veterans' Administration hospital in Lawrence, Mass. Mr. Lane; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1233.

H. R. 4120—To provide for the construction of a Veterans' Administration regional office building in Boston, Mass. Mr. Lane; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1233.

H. R. 4121—To extend Letters Patent No. 1,617,287. Mr. Hart; Committee on Patents, 1233.

H. R. 4122—For the relief of Charles A. Brinkley, captain, United States Army, retired. Mr. Izac; Committee on Claims, 1233.

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H. R. 4124—For the relief of Austin Bruce Bowen. Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 1233.

H. R. 4125—For the relief of Kelly Hobbs. Mr. Winstead; Committee on Claims, 1233.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1809), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8271.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1257), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9434.—Examined and signed, 9623, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 535], 9806.

H. R. 4126—To grant overtime compensation to certain civilian employees of the War Department for work performed in 1941 and 1942. Mr. Cunningham; Committee on the Civil Service, 1233.

H. R. 4127—To amend section 21 of the act of May 28, 1896 (29 Stat. 184; 28 U. S. C. 597), prescribing fees of United States Commissioners. Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 1233.

H. R. 4128—To prescribe and furnish to United States Commissioners standard forms and dockets and to furnish United States Code and seal. Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 1233.

H. R. 4129—Concerning the method of payment of the compensation of United States commissioners. Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 1233.

H. R. 4130—To amend section 5296 of the Revised Statutes, as amended, relating to the discharge of indigent convicts for nonpayment of fines. Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 1233.

H. R. 4131—To amend section 20 of the act of May 28, 1896 (29 Stat. 184; 28 U. S. C. 527), so as to provide that nothing therein contained shall preclude a referee in bankruptcy or a national-park commissioner from appointment also as a United States commissioner. Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 1233.

H. R. 4132—To amend section 35 of the act of July 1, 1898 entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," as amended (11 U. S. C. 63), so as to remove the legal incompatibility between the office of United States commissioner and referee in bankruptcy. Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 1233.

H. R. 4133—Making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes. Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Appropriations (H. Rept. 1076), 1269, 1272.—Debated, 1364-1371, 1419-1441, 1485-1507, 1554-1558.—Amended and passed House, 1559.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 1584.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 727), 2400.—Amended and passed Senate, 2412.—Senate insists on its amendments and asks for conference, 2412.—Conferees appointed, 2412.—House disagrees with Senate amendments and asks for conference, 2459.—Conferees appointed, 2459.—Conference report (No. 1314) submitted in House, 3321.—House agrees to conference

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H. R. 4134—To reestablish the grade of Admiral of the Navy, and for other purposes.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1272.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1195), 2078.

H. R. 4135—To extend to April 15, 1944, the time for filing income-tax returns.
Mr. Newsome; Committee on Ways and Means, 1272.

H. R. 4136—To provide an emergency disability allowance for enlisted members of the land and naval forces discharged on account of disability, and for other purposes.
Mr. Dirksen; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1375.

H. R. 4137—To require certain persons to renounce all allegiance to Japan and the Japanese Emperor.
Mr. Gearhart; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1375.

H. R. 4138—To amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.
Mr. Lemke; Committee on the Judiciary, 1375.

H. R. 4139—To provide for further appointment to the office of General of the Armies of the United States, and for other purposes.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 1375.

H. R. 4140—To amend section 334 (c) of the Nationality Act of 1940, approved October 14, 1940 (54 Stat. 1156-1157; 8 U. S. C. 734).
Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1375.—Reported back (H. Rept. 123), 2256.—Passed House, 2757.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 2812.

H. R. 4141—To recognize service in the land and naval forces performed on or after September 8, 1939, but prior to December 7, 1941, as service performed during the present war.
Mr. Rowan; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1775.

H. R. 4142—To facilitate the receipt of hospital treatment and domiciliary care by former members of the armed forces at institutions nearest to their places of residence.
Mr. Holifield; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1375.

H. R. 4143—To provide for a United States air-mail postal card.
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H. R. 4144—For the relief of Brig. Gen. Louis J. Fortier.
Mr. Abernethy; Committee on Claims, 1375.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1737), 6680.—Passed House, 8265.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1326), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 536], 9806.

H. R. 4145—Granting an increase of pension to Wesley G. Walden.
Mr. Johnson of Indiana; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1375.

H. R. 4146—For the relief of Filip Nicola Lazarevich.
Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1375.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1936), 8468.—Passed House, 8824.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8870.

H. R. 4147—For the relief of the State compensation insurance fund, State of California.
Mr. Outland; Committee on Claims, 1375.

H. R. 4148—Granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Klink.
Mr. Snyder; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1375.

H. R. 4149—To facilitate the liquidation of Home Owners' Loan Corporation through the transfer and cash sale of its assets to individuals and to local banks, mutual savings banks, savings and loan associations, cooperative banks, trust companies, insurance companies, and other mortgage institutions.
Mr. Dirksen; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1443.

H. R. 4150—To eliminate the time limit within which an agency may recommend certain employees for classification under civil service.
Mr. Klein; Committee on the Civil Service, 1443.

H. R. 4151—To prohibit reimbursement or indemnification of another for damages or other loss resulting from slanderous or libelous utterances or publications uttered over the radio or sent through the United States mails.
Mr. Rankin; Committee on the Judiciary, 1443.

H. R. 4152—To authorize members of the armed forces to remain in such forces until civilian employment has been obtained.
Mr. Hagen; Committee on Military Affairs, 1443.

H. R. 4153—To assist in relieving economic distress in Puerto Rico by providing work for unemployed persons, and for other purposes.
Mr. Welch; Committee on Insular Affairs, 1443.

H. R. 4154—For the relief of Elmira Area Soaring Corp. for use and benefit of its creditors.
Mr. Boykin; Committee on Claims, 1443.

H. R. 4155—Conferring jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Virginia to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Norfolk Portsmouth Bridge, Inc., against the United States of America and Wood Towing Corp.
Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 1443.

H. R. 4156—For the relief of Myron Rubensztein.
Mr. Somers of New York; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1443.

H. R. 4157—To permit States not guilty of laches to file claims for damages under section 10 of the Defense Highway Act of 1941, as amended.
Mr. LaFollette; Committee on Roads, 1512.

H. R. 4158—To amend an act entitled "An act for the retirement of employees in the classified civil service, and for other purposes," approved May 22, 1920.
Mr. Lane; Committee on the Civil Service, 1512.

H. R. 4159—To amend section 33 of the act of September 7, 1916, as amended (39 Stat. 742).
Mr. Walter; Committee on the Judiciary, 1512.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1496), 4685.—Passed House, 5331.—Referred to Senate Committee on Education and

H. R. 4159—Continued.
Labor, 5363.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1310), 8791.—Passed Senate, 9439.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 533], 9806.

H. R. 4160—To amend section 2 (a); section 4 (a), (b), (c), (d); section 203 (a); section 204 (a); section 205 (c), (d), (e) of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended.
Mr. Bland; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1512.

H. R. 4161—To extend to assistant postmaster and supervisory employees of the field service of the postal service overtime payments for service performed daily in excess of 8 hours.
Mr. Madden; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 1512.

H. R. 4162—To provide for emergency disability compensation for members of the land, naval, or air forces separated from service, pending settlement of their claims by veterans' legislation.
Mr. Beckworth; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1576.

H. R. 4163—To amend section 2 of Public Law 17, Seventy-eighth Congress, relating to functions of the War Shipping Administration, and for other purposes.
Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 1576.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1232), 2293.—Recommitted to Committee on Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 3125.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1313), 3354.—Passed House, 3499.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 3523.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1140), 7973.—Amended and passed Senate, 8055.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8123.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 449], 8162.

H. R. 4164—To amend the District of Columbia Barber Act.
Mr. D'Alesandro; Committee on the District of Columbia, 1576.

H. R. 4165—To provide for the appointment of additional cadets at the United States Military Academy, and additional midshipmen at the United States Naval Academy, from among the sons of officers, soldiers, sailors, and marines who have been awarded the Congressional Medal of Honor.
Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on Military Affairs, 1576.

H. R. 4166—To amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.
Mr. Lemke; Committee on the Judiciary, 1576.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1127), 1719.—Made special order [H. Res. 449], 2087-2095.—Debated, 2095-2102.—Passed House, 2102.—Passed Senate (in lieu S. 1722), 2199.—Examined and signed, 2255, 2301.—Presented to the President, 2397.—Approved [Public, No. 251], 3115.

H. R. 4167—To provide for a 20-percent increase for the duration of the war in the amount of the Federal contributions to the States for old-age assistance and in the amount of Federal old-age and survivors insurance benefits under the Social Security Act.
Mr. Hagen; Committee on Ways and Means, 1576.

H. R. 4168—To provide for the payment to certain Government employees for accumulated or accrued annual leave due upon their separation from Government service.
Mr. Lane; Committee on the Civil Service, 1577.

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H. R. 4169—To provide for reimbursement of certain Marine Corps personnel attached to Marine Utility Squadron 152 for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in officers' quarters on February 9, 1943.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 1577.

H. R. 4170—To supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to provide for the establishment of an interregional system of highways, and to authorize appropriations for the postwar construction of greatly needed highway facilities in the locations where such facilities are most urgently required and where the conversion from war to peacetime activities will require the cushioning effects of public works construction.

Mr. Miller of Connecticut; Committee on Roads, 1577.

H. R. 4171—For the relief of Lt. (jg.) Newt A. Smith, United States Naval Reserve.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 1577.

H. R. 4172—To provide for the payment of compensation to certain claimants for the taking, by the United States, of private fishery rights in Pearl Harbor, Island of Oahu, T. H.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 1577.

H. R. 4173—For the relief of Sgt. Maj. Richard Shaker, United States Marine Corps.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 1577.

H. R. 4174—To relieve certain employees of the Veterans' Administration from financial liability for certain overpayments and allow such credit therefor as it is necessary in the accounts of Guy F. Allen, chief disbursing officer.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 1577.

H. R. 4175—To extend certain benefits of the Social Security Act to employees employed in connection with commercial processing and packaging of dried fruits and raisins.

Mr. Anderson of California; Committee on Ways and Means, 1630.

H. R. 4176—Authorizing acquisition by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise of certain forest lands within the Mount Hood National Forest in Oregon.

Mr. Angell; Committee on Agriculture, 133.

H. R. 4177—Authorizing appropriations to reimburse the States for certain portions of the amounts expended by the States for equipping, operating, and maintaining rest homes for veterans of the present war.

Mr. Lane; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1631.

H. R. 4178—To extend to April 15, 1944, the time for filing certain tax returns.

Mr. LeCompte; Committee on Ways and Means, 1631.

H. R. 4179—To repeal the provision of law authorizing the Secretary of War to carry out flood-control projects without the prior consent and cooperation of the States affected by such projects, and for other purposes.

Mr. Plumley; Committee on Flood Control, 1631.

H. R. 4180—To empower the Secretary of Agriculture to requisition certain material, equipment, and supplies not needed for the prosecution of the war and for the national defense and to use such material, equipment, and supplies in soil and water conservation work and to distribute such material, equipment, and supplies by grant or loan to public bodies, and for other purposes.

Mr. Foage; Committee on Agriculture, 1631.

H. R. 4181—To extend the period of operation of the Civilian Pilot Training Act of 1939, and for other purposes.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1631.

H. R. 4182—Authorizing appropriations to reimburse the States for certain portions of the amounts expended by the States for equipping, operating, and maintaining rest homes for veterans of the present war.

Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on World War Veteran's Legislation, 1631.

H. R. 4183—Making appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, for civil functions administered by the War Department, and for other purposes.

Mr. Snyder; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed, 1874.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1118), 1718.—Debated, 1771-1778.—Passed House, 1778.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 1795.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 723), 2400.—Debated, 2425-2428.—Amended and passed Senate, 2431.—Senate insists on its amendments and asks for conference, 2431.—Conferee appointed, 2431.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and asks for conference, 2461.—Conferees appointed, 2461.—Conference report (No. 1604) submitted in House and agreed to, 5993.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 2 and 6; and insists on its disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, and 9, 5996-6001.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to 6021.—Senate further insists on its amendments Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, and 9, and asks a further conference, 6021.—Conferees appointed, 6021.—House further insists upon its disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 1, 3, 5, 7, 8, and 9 and agrees to a further conference, 6187.—Conferees appointed, 6187.—Conference report (No. 1680) submitted in House, 6213.—Agreed to, 6322.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 7, 6323.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6352.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6679.—Approved [Public, No. 352], 6712.

H. R. 4184—To amend section 321, title III, part II, Transportation Act of 1940, with respect to the movement of Government traffic.

Mr. Boren; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1719.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1409), 3879.—Made special order (H. Res. 543) 4874-4879.—Debated in House, 4879-4912.—Passed House, 4912.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, 4960.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1208), 8482.

H. R. 4185—To facilitate the various Federal agricultural programs by providing for the consolidation of their local offices.

Mr. Boren; Committee on Agriculture, 1719.

H. R. 4186—To authorize the sale and conveyance of certain property of the estate of Jackson Barnett, deceased Creek Indian.

Mr. O'Connor; Committee on Indian Affairs, 1719.

H. R. 4187—For the relief of the Eastern and Western Cherokee Indians of Oklahoma, and for other purposes.

Mr. O'Connor; Committee on Indian Affairs, 1719.

H. R. 4188—To amend the Railroad Retirement Act to provide annuities for individuals who are totally and permanently disabled and have completed 15 years of service.

H. R. 4188—Continued.

Mr. Sikes; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1719.

H. R. 4189—To carry out obligations of the United States under article 27 of the Geneva Convention relating to compensation for certain injuries to interned workers, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 1719.

H. R. 4190—To provide for determination of claims for benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration with respect to persons discharged from the armed forces because of disability, prior to the granting of such discharge, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cochran; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1719.

H. R. 4191—To further amend the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act of 1942, as amended, so as to provide for the relief of certain widows, children, and other dependents of servicemen who die as a result of injury or disease incurred in or aggravated by military or naval service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cochran; Committee on Military Affairs, 1719.

H. R. 4192—Establishing a Naval Oil-Shale Development Board and authorizing the construction, maintenance, and operation of a plant to produce oil for naval use from the naval oil-shale reserves.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1719.

H. R. 4193—To amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes," approved June 28, 1938, as amended.

Mr. Gavin; Committee on Flood Control, 1719.

H. R. 4194—For the relief of Mrs. Florence V. Magee.

Mr. Barry; Committee on Claims, 1720.

H. R. 4195—For the relief of John W. Magee.

Mr. Barry; Committee on Claims, 1720.

H. R. 4196—For the relief of George Williams.

Mr. Dworshak; Committee on Claims, 1720.

H. R. 4197—For the relief of Mrs. Ada Mae Cushman.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Claims, 1720.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1566), 5140.—Passed House, 5100.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5425.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1023), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6486.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 354], 6713.

H. R. 4198—For the relief of the Allentown Airport Corporation.

Mr. Gerlach; Committee on Claims, 1720.

H. R. 4199—Granting a pension to Lillie Patrick.

Mr. May; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1720.

H. R. 4200—For the relief of William Weber.

Mr. Somers of New York; Committee on Claims, 1720.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1846), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 8276.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1268), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 563], 9806.

H. R. 4201—For the relief of Conrad Newman.

Mr. Vincent of Kentucky; Committee on Claims, 1720.

H. R. 4202—For the relief of Lawson Land.

Mr. Vursell; Committee on Claims, 1720.

H. R. 4203—For the relief of Herschel W. Carlsile.

Mr. Wene; Committee on Claims, 1720.

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H. R. 4204—Making appropriations for the Departments of State, Justice, and Commerce, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes.

Mr. Rabaut; from Committee on Appropriations, 1763.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1149), 1792.—Debated, 1854-1868, 1877-1899.—Passed House, 1899.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 1921.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 887), 4569.—Amended and passed Senate, 4574, 4575.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests a conference, 4575.—Conferees appointed, 4575.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 4825.—Conferees appointed, 4825.—Conference report (No. 1539) submitted in House, 5340, 5415.—House agrees to conference report, 5415.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 5, 8, and 20; recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 21, with an amendment; insists on disagreement to Senate amendments Nos. 10, 12, and 13, 5417-5420, 5420-5425.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 5445.—Senate agrees to the amendment of the House to Senate amendment No. 21; further insists upon its amendments Nos. 10, 12, and 13 to the bill and requests further conference, 5445.—Conferees appointed, 5445.—House further insists on its disagreement to the amendments of the Senate Nos. 10, 12, and 13 and agrees to a further conference, 5588.—Conferees appointed, 5588.—Conference report (No. 1623) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 5760-5764.—Conference report submitted in House, 5787.—Agreed to, 6049.—House still further insists on its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 10, 6049.—Senate further insists on its amendment No. 10 and asks a further conference, 6162.—Conferees appointed, 6162.—House further insists upon its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 10 and agrees to further conference, 6227.—Conferees appointed, 6227.—Conference report (No. 1887) submitted in House, 6325, 6387.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 10 with an amendment, 6387-6390.—Senate agrees to House amendment to Senate amendment No. 10, 6372.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6679.—Approved [Public, No. 365], 6712.

H. R. 4205—To grant additional compensation to certain veterans pursuing vocational training under part VII of Veterans Regulation No. 1 (a), as amended.

Mr. Lane; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1792.

H. R. 4206—To authorize the construction and operation of a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River in the county of Allegheny, Pa.

Mr. Weiss; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1792.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1574), 5140.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 5357.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 5364.—Reported back (S. Report 1095), 7776.—Passed Senate, 8050.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 452], 8162.

H. R. 4207—To authorize the construction and operation of a free highway bridge across the Monongahela River in the country of Allegheny, Pa.

Mr. Weiss; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1792.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1575), 5140.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 5357.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 5364.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1096), 7776.—Passed Senate,

H. R. 4207—Continued.
8052.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—President to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 452], 8162.

H. R. 4208—To create a new Cabinet post to be named Secretary for Veterans.

Mr. Fay; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 1792.

H. R. 4209—To further amend the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act of 1942, as amended, so as to provide for the relief of certain widows, children, and other dependents of servicemen who die as a result of injury or disease incurred in or aggravated by military or naval service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sullivan; Committee on Military Affairs, 1793.

H. R. 4210—To provide for determination of claims for benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration with respect to persons discharged from the armed forces because of disability, prior to the granting of such discharge, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sullivan; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1793.

H. R. 4211—For the relief of Ralph J. Herrick.

Mr. Mason; Committee on Claims, 1793.

H. R. 4212—For the relief of Robert Rowe and Mary Rowe.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 1793.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1873), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8279.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1342), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 564], 9806.

H. R. 4213—For the relief of Karl Lungstras.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 1793.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1874), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8280.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1343), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 565], 9806.

H. R. 4214—To authorize an appropriation for the purpose of establishing a national cemetery at Saint Cloud, Fla.

Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Military Affairs, 1871.

H. R. 4215—To extend to the custodial-service employees of the Post Office Department certain benefits applicable to postal employees.

Mr. Murray of Tennessee; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 1871.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1434), 4293.—Passed House, 4500.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 4570.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1000), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate, 6478.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6646.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 406], 6713.

H. R. 4216—To provide more efficient dental care for the personnel of the United States Navy.

Mr. Rivers; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1871.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1909), 8173.—Made special order (H. Res. 659), 8783.—Debated in House, 9287-9298.—Amended and passed House, 9298.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 9307.

H. R. 4217—For the relief of sundry claimants, and for other purposes.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1180), 1871.

H. R. 4218—To provide for the wearing of wound chevrons and war-service chevrons by members of the land and naval forces.

Mrs. Bolton; Committee on Military Affairs, 1871.

H. R. 4219—To provide for the appointment of female pilots and aviation cadets in the Air Forces of the Army.

Mr. Costello; Committee on Military Affairs, 1871.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1277), 2966.—Made special order (H. Res. 563), 6328-6331.—Debated, 6398-6417.—Enacting clause stricken, 6417.

H. R. 4220—To extend for the duration of the war, without the payment of any further premiums, policies of insurance issued by the War Damage Corporation.

Mr. D'Alesandro; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1871.

H. R. 4221—To suspend the running of the periods of limitation relating to assessment and refund of certain taxes of members of the armed forces of the United States.

Mr. Merritt; Committee on Ways and Means, 1871.

H. R. 4222—For the relief of Wallace Swenson.

Mr. H. Carl Andersen; Committee on Claims, 1871.

H. R. 4223—For the relief of Rear Admiral William L. Calhoun, United States Navy.

Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Claims, 1872.

H. R. 4224—For the relief of the Morgan Creamery Co.

Mr. Lemke; Committee on Claims, 1872.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1973), 8590.—Passed House, 8826.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8870.

H. R. 4225—To authorize the presentation to Lt. Col. William J. Wilkins of a distinguished service cross.

Mr. Magnuson; Committee on Military Affairs, 1872.

H. R. 4226—For the relief of the legal guardian of William L. Owen, a minor.

Mr. Priest; Committee on Claims, 1872.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1567), 5140.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 5401.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1162), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 454], 9159.

H. R. 4227—To provide for determination of claims for benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration with respect to persons discharged from the armed forces because of disability, prior to the granting of such discharge, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cochran; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1901.

H. R. 4228—To reestablish the Federal Home Loan Bank Board, to recreate the offices of the members of said Board and to transfer functions of the Federal Home Loan Bank Administration from the National Housing Agency to said Board, and for other purposes.

Mr. Jeffrey; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1901.

H. R. 4229—To authorize the naturalization of native-born Filipinos who are permanent residents of the United States and Filipinos who served in the military or naval forces of the United States during World War I.

Mr. Sheppard; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1901.

H. R. 4230—To continue the Commodity Credit Corporation as an agency of the United States until July 1, 1945, to revise

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the basis of annual appraisal of its assets, and for other purposes.

Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1901.

H. R. 4231—For the relief of Sarah Jane Williams.

Mr. Auchincloss; Committee on Claims, 1901.

H. R. 4232—Granting an increase of pension to Elizabeth Ann Hoke.

Mr. Kearney; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1901.

H. R. 4233—For the relief of Joe Pruett.

Mr. Priest; Committee on Claims, 1901.

H. R. 4234—For the relief of Maj. L. H. J. Herwig, United States Army, retired.

Mr. Sasscer; Committee on Military Affairs, 1901.

H. R. 4235—To amend chapter 16 of the Judicial Code, as amended.

Mr. Celler; Committee on the Judiciary, 1940.

H. R. 4236—To amend section 20 (11) of the Interstate Commerce Act, relating to the period of limitation, during the war and emergency period, for the institution of suits against carriers by railroad.

Mr. Lea; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1940.

H. R. 4237—To provide that Naval Reserve officers who are graduates of Naval Reserve officers' training schools shall be eligible for permanent commissions.

Mr. Poulson; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1940.

H. R. 4238—Providing for the naturalization of certain alien veterans of the World War.

Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 1940.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1237), 2352.—Amended and passed House, title amended, 3497.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 3523.

H. R. 4239—To provide for determination of claims for benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration with respect to persons discharged from the armed forces because of disability, prior to the granting of such discharge, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sullivan; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1940.

H. R. 4240—To extend the insurance benefits granted by section 602 (d) (2) of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940 to parents of certain deceased members of the armed forces even though such parents are not dependent.

Mr. Bennett of Michigan; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1940.

H. R. 4241—To vest title to the U. S. S. Wolverine (ex-Michigan) in the Foundation for the Original United States Ship Michigan, Inc.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1940.

H. R. 4242—To authorize an examination and survey with a view to the improvement and protection of the beaches along the coast of New Jersey from Sandy Hook to Cape May.

Mr. Auchincloss; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 1961.

H. R. 4243—To extend the time for filing certain applications for insurance payments under the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940.

Mr. Larcade; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 1961.

H. R. 4244—To reimburse certain Coast and Geodetic Survey and Marine Corps personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at the

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Marine Barracks, Quantico, Va., on December 16, 1943.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 1961.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1331), 3372.

H. R. 4245—For the relief of all temporary substitutes in the postal service.

Mr. Rowan; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 1961.

H. R. 4246—For the relief of John Burl Townsend.

Mr. Beckworth; Committee on Claims, 1961.

H. R. 4247—Granting an increase of pension to Jessie McManus.

Mr. Cole of New York; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 1961.

H. R. 4248—For the relief of the legal guardian of Louis Cliniglio.

Mr. Thomas of New Jersey; Committee on Claims, 1961.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1810), 7384.—Passed House, 8271.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.

H. R. 4249—For the relief of the estate of Eura Reid.

Mr. West; Committee on Claims, 1961.

H. R. 4250—Directing the Secretary of Commerce, through the Administrator of Civil Aeronautics, to make a survey of the need for a system of airports and landing areas throughout the United States.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 2010.

H. R. 4251—To give honorably discharged, disabled, or retired marine employees of the Panama Canal civil service preference, to extend to them the facilities of the Public Health Service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2010.

H. R. 4252—Creating a Congressional Bureau of Efficiency.

Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on Accounts, 2010.

H. R. 4253—To aid merchant seamen and to provide for payment of mustering-cut pay, and for other purposes.

Mr. Rolph; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2011.

H. R. 4254—To extend for 1 year the provisions of an act to promote the defense of the United States, approved March 11, 1941, as amended.

Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2011.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1316), 3354.—Made special order [H. Res. 498], 3507-3510.—Debated in House, 3510-3519, 3536-3558, 3567-3581.—Amended and passed House, 3582.—Referred to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 848), 3809.—Debated in Senate, 3997-4006, 4043, 4044, 4092-4105.—Passed Senate, 4106.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 4430.—Examined and signed, 4429, 4463.—Presented to the President, 4525.—Approved [Public, No. 304], 4788.

H. R. 4255—Empowering the Federal Trade Commission to require advertisers who have been making false claims for their products to inform the public of their misdeeds through publication of the Commission's orders.

Mr. Barry; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 2011.

H. R. 4256—To provide readjustment insurance for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2011.

H. R. 4257—To expatriate or exclude certain persons for evading military and naval service.

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Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2011.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1229), 2256.—Made special order [H. Res. 482], 3256-3261.—Debated in House, 3261-3263.—Passed House, 3263.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 3289.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1075), 7515.—Amended and passed Senate, 7628.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 7726.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 431], 8161.

H. R. 4258—To amend section 201 (d) of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended.

Mr. Monkiewicz; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2011.

H. R. 4259—To create a Surplus Agricultural Products Corporation and to authorize the disposition of excess Government food stocks and related products, and for other purposes.

Mr. Phillips; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2011.

H. R. 4260—Amending section 32 of the act entitled "An act to amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act, and for other purposes," approved August 24, 1935 (49 Stat. 774), as amended, in order to provide for the maintenance and operation of school-lunch programs, and for other purposes.

Mr. Pace; Committee on Agriculture, 2011.

H. R. 4261—For the relief of Michael C. Donatell.

Mr. H. Carl Andersen; Committee on Claims, 2011.

H. R. 4262—For the relief of Mrs. Clark Gourley.

Mr. Green; Committee on Claims, 2011.

H. R. 4263—For the relief of the parents of the late James W. Seeger.

Mr. Jeffery; Committee on Claims, 2011.

H. R. 4264—For the relief of Louise Zerweck.

Mr. Calvin D. Johnson; Committee on Claims, 2011.

H. R. 4265—For the relief of Laura Spinnichia.

Mr. O'Brien of New York; Committee on Claims, 2011.

H. R. 4266—For the relief of Ruth Muzio (Mrs. Joseph Muzio) and to the legal guardian of Louis Muzio.

Mr. Rolph; Committee on Claims, 2011.

H. R. 4267—For the relief of Mrs. Sophie Bigaj.

Miss Stanley; Committee on Military Affairs, 2011.

H. R. 4268—For the relief of Mihjalo Bakic or Mile Vujakilja.

Mr. Tibbott; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2011.

H. R. 4269—Relating to the granting of commissions to members of the armed forces who have had training under the Civil Aeronautics Administration war-training-service program.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on Military Affairs, 2046.

H. R. 4270—To provide for the construction of a Veterans' Administration hospital in northwest Louisiana, near Shreveport.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2046.

H. R. 4271—To amend the Nationality Act of 1940 to preserve the nationality of citizens residing abroad.

Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2016.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1230), 2256.—Passed House, 2757.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 2812.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1077), 7515.—Amended and passed Senate, 7629.—House concurs in Senate amendment,

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7725.—Examined and signed, 7807, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 432], 8162.

H. R. 4272—To provide additional compensation for certain civilian employees of the Governments of the United States and the District of Columbia.
Mr. Klein; Committee on the Civil Service, 2046.

H. R. 4273—Providing for the collection of internal-revenue taxes and the administration of the internal-revenue laws by an agency independent of the Department of the Treasury.
Mr. Knutson; Committee on Ways and Means, 2046.

H. R. 4274—Relating to the acquisition from the Osage Indian Tribe of certain mineral rights necessary to the construction of the Hulah Dam and Reservoir on the Caney River tributary of the Verdigris River, Oklahoma and Kansas.
Mr. Disney; Committee on Floor Control, 2046.

H. R. 4275—To create a Surplus Agricultural Products Commission and to authorize the disposition of excess Government food stocks and related products, and for other purposes.
Mr. Phillips; Committee on Agriculture, 2046.

H. R. 4276—For the relief of James Lemuel Muzzall and James M. Muzzall.
Mr. Murray of Tennessee; Committee on Claims, 2046.

H. R. 4277—To extend to May 15, 1944, the time for filing individual income-tax returns.
Mr. Landis; Committee on Ways and Means, 2078.

H. R. 4278—To provide for the control and eradication of certain animal and plant pests and diseases, to facilitate cooperation with the States in fire control, to provide for the more efficient protection and management of the national forests, to facilitate the carrying out of agricultural conservation and related agricultural programs, to facilitate the operation of the Farm Credit Administration and the Rural Electrification Administration, to aid in the orderly marketing of agricultural commodities, and for other purposes.
Mr. Pace; Committee on Agriculture, 2078.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1198), 2125.—Made special order (H. Res. 459), 2264-2268.—Debated, 2268-2288, 2321-2337.—Amended and passed House, 2337.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2402.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 803), 3609.—Debated in Senate, 3689, 3834-3851.—Passed Senate, 3851.—Senate insists on its amendments and requests a conference, 3851.—Conferees appointed, 3851.—House disagrees to Senate amendments; agrees to conference, 3920.—Conferees appointed, 3921.—Conference report (No. 1468) submitted in House, 4673.—Recommitted to committee of conference, 4788.—Conference report (No. 1522) submitted in House, 5059.—House disagrees to conference report; House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 1 and 3, each with an amendment, and insists on its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 2, 5159-5169.—Senate recedes from its amendments Nos. 1, 2, and 3, 7627.—House recedes from its amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 1 and 3, and agrees to action of the Senate in receding from their amendments Nos. 1 and 3, 7634.—Examined and signed, 7772, 7774.—Presented to the President, 7879.—Approved [Public, No. 425], 8160.

H. R. 4279—Amending section 2 of the act of Congress approved February 11, 1929 (Public, No. 719, 70th Cong.), entitled "An act authorizing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to settle claims and suits against the District of Columbia."
Mr. Jenkins; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2078.

H. R. 4280—To provide additional allowances for certain dependents of certain disabled veterans.
Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2078.

H. R. 4281—To authorize the disposition of excess Government food stocks and related products.
Mr. Wickersham; Committee on Agriculture, 2125.

H. R. 4282—To amend the act entitled "An act for the acquisition of buildings and grounds in foreign countries for use of the Government of the United States of America," approved May 7, 1926, as amended, to permit of the sale of buildings and grounds and the utilization of proceeds of such sale in the Government interest.
Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2125.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1421), 4087.—Debated in House, 5319, 8759.

H. R. 4283—To provide ballots for electors absent on war duty.
Mr. Case; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 2125.

H. R. 4284—To provide for promotion of American prisoners of war.
Mr. Busbey; Committee on Military Affairs, 2125.

H. R. 4285—To extend to enrollees in the United States Maritime Service and to cadet-midshipmen in the United States Merchant Marine Cadet Corps the privilege of free mailing and of exemption from the tax with respect to the transportation of persons.
Mr. Forand; Committee on Ways and Means, 2125.

H. R. 4286—To relinquish the title of the United States to certain lands in the county of Los Angeles, State of California.
Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on the Public Lands, 2125.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1885), 7773.—Passed House, 7948.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7975.—Reported back, 8002.—Passed Senate, 8002.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Presented to the President, 8161.—Approved [Public, No. 433], 8162.

H. R. 4287—Authorizing and directing the Secretary of the Interior to convey certain land to the city of Duluth, Minn.
Mr. Pittenger; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2125.

H. R. 4288—To authorize the disposition of excess Government food stocks and related products.
Mr. Landis; Committee on Agriculture, 2125.

H. R. 4289—To extend temporarily the time for filing applications for letters patent, and for other purposes.
Mr. Boykin; Committee on Patents, 2125.

H. R. 4290—To provide for the appointment and compensation of counsel for impoverished defendants in certain criminal cases in the United States district courts.
Mr. Magnuson; Committee on the Judiciary, 2125.

H. R. 4291—To amend section 3 of the act entitled "An act to authorize the President to requisition certain articles and materials for the use of the United States, and for other purposes," approved Octo-
ber 10, 1940, as amended, to continue it in effect.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 2125.

H. R. 4292—To amend section 12 (b) of the act of May 29, 1930, as amended.
Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on the Civil Service, 2125.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1200), 3156.—Amended and passed House, 3498.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 3523.—Reported back (S. Rept. 814), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4965.—House concurs in Senate amendment with amendment, 6203.—Senate concurs in House amendment of the Senate amendment No. 1, 6498.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6679.—Approved [Public, No. 368], 6712.

H. R. 4293—To exempt fishermen's associations from taxation under subchapter C of the Internal Revenue Code (26 U. S. C., sec. 101 (12)).
Mr. Bland; Committee on Ways and Means, 2125.

H. R. 4294—To exempt certain long-distance telephone calls made by members of the armed forces of the United States from the tax with respect to long-distance telephone calls.
Mr. Gerlach; Committee on Ways and Means, 2125.

H. R. 4295—For the relief of Moses Hoffman.
Mr. Bloom; Committee on Claims, 2125.

H. R. 4296—For the relief of Michael Ioannis Vagianos.
Mr. Eberhardt; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2125.

H. R. 4297—For the relief of Salvatore Sallerno.
Mr. Fitzpatrick; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2126.

H. R. 4298—Granting an increase of pension to Wesley S. Walden.
Mr. Johnson of Indiana; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 2126.

H. R. 4299—To provide for the reimbursement of certain Navy and civilian personnel for personal property lost as the result of a fire in hangar V-3 at the naval air station, Norfolk, Va., on November 12, 1942.
Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4300—For the relief of the Square D Co.
Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4301—To confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of Florida to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Mrs. Hortense Coleman Arnow, Julian M. Rogers, and Mrs. Willie L. Rogers.
Mr. Price; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4302—For the relief of Walter Steward.
Mr. Rabaut; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4303—For the relief of Dr. Walter L. Jackson and City-County Hospital.
Mr. Russell; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4304—For the relief of the estate of J. Earl Evans.
Mr. Schwabe; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4305—For the relief of Henry Clay Walker.
Mr. Treadway; Committee on Claims, 2126.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1658), 6084.—Passed House, 8231.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1271), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 537], 9606.

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H. R. 4306—For the relief of Mrs. Ruth Cox. Mr. Vincent of Kentucky; Committee on Claims, 2126.

H. R. 4307—To amend the Canal Zone Code. Mr. Welch; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2132.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1363), 3605.—Amended and passed House, 3863.—Referred to Senate Committee on Inter-oceanic Canals, 3884.

H. R. 4308—To provide for the presentation of duplicate military decorations to mothers of certain deceased members or deceased former members of the armed forces entitled to such decorations. Mr. Gerlach; Committee on Military Affairs, 2132.

H. R. 4309—For the relief of Rosa Lee Foreman. Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Claims, 2132.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1875), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8280.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1275), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 566], 9806.

H. R. 4310—For the relief of J. P. Kerr and Robert P. Kerr. Mr. Simpson of Illinois; Committee on Claims, 2132.

H. R. 4311—To authorize the appointment of two additional Assistant Secretaries of State. Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2178.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1422), 4087.—Debated in House, 5320, 6192.—Amended and passed House, 8454.—Referred to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, 8483.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1314), 8791.—Amended and passed Senate, 8874.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8946.—Examined and signed, 8952, 9020.—Presented to the President, 9020.—Approved [Public, No. 472], 9160.

H. R. 4312—To amend the act entitled "An act for the grading and classification of clerks in the Foreign Service of the United States of America, and providing compensation therefor," approved February 23, 1931, as amended. Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2178.

H. R. 4313—To extend to June 30, 1944, the automatic \$5,000 insurance protection provisions of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940. Mr. Forand; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2178.

H. R. 4314—To facilitate the administration of government and improve the quality of justice. Mr. Gwynne; Committee on the Judiciary, 2178.

H. R. 4315—To amend the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act with respect to premiums on war-damage insurance. Mr. Lane; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2178.

H. R. 4316—Providing for the rendering and publication of opinions by the Attorney General with respect to Executive orders of the President. Mr. Randolph; Committee on the Judiciary, 2178.

H. R. 4317—To make it unlawful to sell certain railroad, bus, and airplane tickets at prices in excess of the published rates. Mr. Walter; Committee on the Judiciary, 2178.

H. R. 4318—To amend section 451 of the Tariff Act of 1930. Mr. West; Committee on Ways and Means, 2178.

H. R. 4319—To adjust the basis of compensation for overtime service of certain employees in the postal service, and for other purposes. Mr. Fay; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 2178.

H. R. 4320—Relating to the computation of interest on contributions to the civil-service retirement fund returned to employees upon their separation from the service. Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on the Civil Service, 2178.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1291), 3156.—Passed House, 3498.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 3523.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 815), 3770.—Amended and passed Senate, 4966.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6203.—Examined and signed, 6264, 6344.—Presented to the President, 6449.—Approved [Public, No. 353], 6712.

H. R. 4321—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes. Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2178.

H. R. 4322—For the relief of the estate of Floyd M. Adair. Mr. Camp; Committee on Claims, 2178.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1811), 7384.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8271.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1327), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 567], 9806.

H. R. 4323—For the relief of Robert M. Wokle. Mr. Hobbs; Committee on Claims, 2178.

H. R. 4324—To amend the act approved August 9, 1939, entitled "An act to authorize the President to render closer and more effective the relationship between the American Republics." Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2256.

H. R. 4325—To authorize increases in wages for certain employees of The Alaska Railroad for services rendered from May 1, 1943, to September 30, 1943, inclusive. Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Civil Service, 2256.

H. R. 4326—To provide for the adequate production of seed of legumes and grasses required in the war food production program. Mr. Flannagan; Committee on Agriculture, 2256.

H. R. 4327—To regulate boxing contests and exhibitions in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes. Mr. Harris of Arkansas; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2256.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1261), 2641.—Passed House, 3320.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1213), 8417.—Amended and passed Senate, 9056.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9162.—Examined and signed, 9306.—Presented to the President, 9381.—Approved [Public, No. 507], 9805.

H. R. 4328—To amend sections 4, 7, and 17 of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187) for the purpose of extending the time in which amendatory contracts may be made, and for other related purposes. Mr. White; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 2256.

H. R. 4329—To assist the armed forces to provide manpower for harvesting, timbering, canning, and other essential activities in seasonal emergencies. Mrs. Luce; Committee on Military Affairs, 2256.

H. R. 4330—To provide for adjustments in connection with the Crow irrigation project, Crow Indian Reservation, Montana. Mr. O'Connor; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2256.

H. R. 4331—For the relief of Mrs. Florence Armstrong. Mr. Compton; Committee on Claims, 2256.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1738), 6680.—Amended and passed House, 8265.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1276), 8538.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624.—Presented to the President, 9626.—Approved [Private, No. 538], 9806.

H. R. 4332—For the relief of the estate of Robert Mahoney. Mr. Curley; Committee on Claims, 2256.

H. R. 4333—For the relief of Bertha LeFrancq. Mr. Mott; Committee on Claims, 2256.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1847), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 8276.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1321), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Voted reconsidered, 9518.—Amended and passed Senate, 9518.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9556.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 568], 9806.

H. R. 4334—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war; and for other purposes. Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4335—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Hagen; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4336—To amend the Customs Administrative Act of 1928. Mr. Jenkins; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4337—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Case; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4338—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Carlson of Kansas; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4339—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4340—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Sullivan; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4341—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Izac; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4342—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Bates of Kentucky; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

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H. R. 4343—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes. Mr. Dingell; Committee on Ways and Means, 2293.

H. R. 4344—Granting an increase of pension to Anna M. Carroll and others. Mr. Case; Committee on Pensions, 2293.

H. R. 4345—For the relief of the legal guardian of Luther Marcus Smith, a minor.

Mr. Reece of Tennessee; Committee on Claims, 2293.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1773), 7043.—Amended and passed House, title amended, 8267.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1328), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9624.—Presented to the President, 9626.—Pocket vetoed.

H. R. 4346—Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for prior fiscal years, to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on Appropriations.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1239), 2337, 2352.—Debated, 2355-2395, 2440-2457, 2461-2479.—Amended and passed House, 2479.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 2492.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 772), 3161.—Debated in Senate, 3188-3196.—Amended and passed Senate, 3196.—Senate insists upon its amendments and asks for conference, 3196.—Conferees appointed, 3196.—House disagrees to amendments of the Senate and agrees to conference, 3230.—Conferees appointed, 3230.—Conference report (No. 1312) submitted in Senate, 3247.—Senate agrees to conference report, 3247.—Conference report submitted in House, 3264.—House agrees to conference report, 3266.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, o. 279], 4322.

H. R. 4347—To amend an act entitled "An act to fix the salaries of officers and members of the Metropolitan Police force and the Fire Department of the District of Columbia."

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2352.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1281), 3028.

H. R. 4348—To amend the act approved August 18, 1942, entitled "An act to facilitate the disposition of prizes captured by the United States during the present war, and for other purposes."

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 2353.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1359), 3558.—Amended and passed House, 3661.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 920), 5074.—Passed Senate, 6471.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 407], 6713.

H. R. 4349—To exempt certain officers and employees of the National War Labor Board from certain provisions of the Criminal Code.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 2353.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1332), 3727.—Passed House, 6674.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 6705.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1107), 7886.—Amended and passed Senate, 8055.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8136.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8161.—Approved [Public, No. 456], 8162.

H. R. 4350—To permit the naturalization of foreign seamen who serve on American-owned vessels for a period of at least 3 years while the United States is at war. Mr. Scanlon; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2353.

H. R. 4351—To provide retirement benefits for certain emergency officers of World War I. Mr. Lane; Committee on Military Affairs, 2353.

H. R. 4352—To replace the present cost-plus and other systems of contracting for public construction by a system of negotiated lump-sum contracts.

Mr. Wasilewski; Committee on the Judiciary, 2398.

H. R. 4353—To provide for the deportation of aliens who do not diligently attempt to become citizens.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2398.

H. R. 4354—To prohibit the entry into the United States of quota immigrants until the expiration of 5 years after the termination of the present war.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2398.

H. R. 4355—To provide adjusted-service pay for those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes.

Mr. Burchill of New York; Committee on Ways and Means, 2398.

H. R. 4356—To grant free postage to members of the United States Cadet Nurse Corps.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 2398.

H. R. 4357—To provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2398.

H. R. 4358—To extend for an additional 90 days the period during which certain grains and other products to be used for livestock and poultry feed may be imported from foreign countries free of duty.

Mr. Reed of New York; Committee on Ways and Means, 2398.

H. R. 4359—To provide an increase in pay for the personnel of the military and naval forces engaged in actual combat.

Mr. Weiss; Committee on Military Affairs, 2398.

H. R. 4360—To provide for determination of claims for benefits under the laws administered by the Veterans' Administration with respect to persons discharged from the armed forces because of disability, prior to the granting of such discharge, and for other purposes.

Mr. Kearney; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2398.

H. R. 4361—For the relief of Arch A. Brown.

Mr. Bonner; Committee on Claims, 2398.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1299), 3157.—Amended and passed House, 3531.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 3611.—Reported back (S. Rept. 968), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 365], 6713.

H. R. 4362—For the relief of Leslie A. Fry.

Mr. Gross; Committee on Claims, 2398.

H. R. 4363—For the relief of Ollie Brashear Hearldson.

Mr. Gregory; Committee on Claims, 2398.

Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1812), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8272.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1246), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 569], 9806.

H. R. 4364—For the relief of the postmaster, Portsmouth, Va.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 2398.

H. R. 4365—For the relief of the legal guardian of Stewart Martin, Jr., a minor.

Mr. McLean; Committee on Claims, 2398.

H. R. 4366—For the relief of Alex Wylie, and the estate of James Evans.

Mr. Pace; Committee on Claims, 2398.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1790), 7302.—Amended and passed House, 8269.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported with amendment, (S. Rept. 1193), 8356.—Amended and passed Senate, 8438.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8689.—Examined and signed, 8867, 8868.—Presented to the President, 9020.—Approved [Private, No. 460], 9805.

H. R. 4367—For the relief of Mrs. Julia Toler.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 2398.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1876), 7654.—Amended and passed House, 8280.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1334), 8869.—Amended and passed Senate, 9442.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9549.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 570], 9806.

H. R. 4368—To amend section 3360 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Mr. Cole of New York; Committee on Ways and Means, 2458.

H. R. 4369—To authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to furnish seeing-eye dogs for blind veterans.

Mr. Fish; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2458.

H. R. 4370—To further amend the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act of 1942, as amended, so as to provide for the relief of certain widows, children, and other dependents of servicemen who die as a result of injury or disease incurred in or aggravated by military or naval service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Kearney; Committee on Military Affairs, 2458.

H. R. 4371—To provide for cooperation with State agencies administering labor laws in establishing and maintaining safe and proper working conditions in industry and in the preparation, promulgation, and enforcement of regulations to control industrial health hazards.

Mr. Norton; Committee on Labor, 2458.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1282), 3028.

H. R. 4372—Requiring concurrence of seven Justices of the Supreme Court to reverse prior decisions.

Mr. Whelchel of Georgia; Committee on the Judiciary, 2458.

H. R. 4373—To provide that where the rating of disability of a veteran of the World War as to an arm or leg is equal to the rating for amputation at any level, the loss of use of such extremity shall be considered as established, for statutory award purposes.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2458.

H. R. 4374—To modify section 4 of the Permanent Appropriation Repeal Act, 1934, with reference to certain funds collected in connection with the operation of Indian Service irrigation projects.

Mr. Mansfield of Montana; Committee on Appropriations, 2458.

H. R. 4375—To authorize increases in wages for certain employees of The Alaska Railroad for services rendered from May 1, 1943, to September 30, 1943, inclusive.

Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Civil Service, 2458.

H. R. 4376—To extend the period of operation of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942 and of the act of October 2, 1942, entitled "An act to amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, to aid in preventing inflation, and for other purposes."

Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2458.

H. R. 4377—Authorizing the President to present, in the name of Congress, a Distinguished Service Medal to Admiral Chester W. Nimitz, United States Navy.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2458.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1253), 2558.—Passed House, 2591.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 2653.—Reported back (S. Rept. 781), 3240.—Passed Senate, 3303.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Private, No. 2601], 4322.

H. R. 4378—To amend the act approved March 14, 1936, entitled "An act to provide for vacations for Government employees, and for other purposes," as amended.

Mr. Clason; Committee on the Civil Service, 2484.

H. R. 4379—Authorizing a per capita payment of \$25 each to the members of the Red Lake Band of Chippewa Indians from the proceeds of the sale of timber and lumber on the Red Lake Reservation.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2484.

H. R. 4380—For the relief of Mabelle E. Olive. Mr. Wigglesworth; Committee on Claims, 2484.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1659), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 8261.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1281), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 539], 9806.

H. R. 4381—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2558.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1255), 2608.—Made special order (H. Res. 469), 3212-3216.—Debated, 3216-3220.—Amended and passed House, 3220.—Debated in Senate, 3243-3246.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1170), 3246.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 289], 4322.

H. R. 4382—To facilitate the settlement of claims arising from terminated war contracts of the Navy Department, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2558.

H. R. 4383—To extend the benefits of title II of the Social Security Act to employees of States, political subdivisions thereof, and instrumentalities of States or political subdivisions, and to self-employed individuals.

Mr. Bennett of Michigan; Committee on Ways and Means, 2558.

H. R. 4384—To simplify and improve credit services to farmers and promote farm ownership by abolishing certain agricultural lending agencies and functions, by transferring assets to the Farmers' Home Corporation, by enlarging the powers of the Farmers' Home Corporation, by authorizing Government insurance loans to farmers, by creating preferences for loans and insured mortgages to enable veterans to acquire farms, by providing additional specific authority and directions with respect to the liquidation of

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resettlement projects and rural rehabilitation projects for resettlement purposes, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cooley; Committee on Agriculture, 2558.

H. R. 4385—To define the term "agriculture."

Mr. Flanagan; Committee on Agriculture, 2558.

H. R. 4386—To define the term "agriculture."

Mr. Hope; Committee on Agriculture, 2558.

H. R. 4387—To define the term "agriculture."

Mr. Kleberg; Committee on Agriculture, 2558.

H. R. 4388—To define the term "agriculture."

Mr. Lea; Committee on Agriculture, 2558.

H. R. 4389—To define the term "agriculture."

Mr. Phillips; Committee on Agriculture, 2558.

H. R. 4390—To repeal the act entitled "An act to prevent pernicious political activities," approved August 2, 1939, as amended and extended.

Mr. Sheridan; Committee on the Judiciary, 2558.

H. R. 4391—To amend section 209 (e) of the Social Security Act approved August 14, 1936, as amended.

Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Ways and Means, 2559.

H. R. 4392—To create an Office of Demobilization, establish general policies for the operation of that Office, provide for the settlement of claims arising from terminated war contracts, prescribe the jurisdiction of courts in connection therewith, and for other purposes.

Mr. Kefauver; Committee on the Judiciary, 2559.

H. R. 4393—Authorizing the Shoshonee-Goshup Bands of Shoshone Indians to sue in the Court of Claims.

Mr. Robinson of Utah; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2559.

H. R. 4394—Authorizing the Western Bands of the Shoshone Nation of Indians to sue in the Court of Claims.

Mr. Sullivan; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2559.

H. R. 4395—For the relief of Glassell-Taylor Co. Robinson & Young.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on Claims, 2559.

H. R. 4396—For the relief of Mrs. Alberta Harvey.

Mr. Calvin D. Johnson; Committee on Claims, 2559.

H. R. 4397—For the relief of W. S. Burleson.

Mr. Monrone; Committee on Claims, 2559.

H. R. 4398—To authorize Lewis Hobart Kenney, Charles Garner, Charles Clement Goodman, and Henry Charles Robinson to accept decorations and orders tendered them by the Government of the United States of Brazil.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2559.

H. R. 4399—Authorizing the President to present, in the name of Congress, a Distinguished Service Medal to Admiral Royal E. Fingersoll, United States Navy.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2559.

H. R. 4400—For the relief of the Transit Investment Corp.

Mr. Walter; Committee on Claims, 2559.

H. R. 4401—For the relief of Virge McClure.

Mr. Weaver; Committee on Claims, 2559.

H. R. 4402—To provide for the control of prices for food commodities during the present war and for 6 months thereafter.

Mr. Kleberg; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2608.

H. R. 4403—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, to defer registrants engaged in commercial fishing operations.

Mr. Sikes; Committee on Military Affairs, 2608.

H. R. 4404—To transfer Government activities in connection with domestic rabbits to the Department of Agriculture.

Mr. Voorhis of California; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2608.—Committee discharged, 2794.—Referred to House Committee on Agriculture, 2794.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1431), 4241.—Passed House, 4499.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 4570.

H. R. 4405—To amend the act approved March 7, 1942 (Public, No. 490, 77th Cong.), as amended, so as to more specifically provide for pay, allotments, and administration pertaining to war casualties, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bates of Massachusetts; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2608.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1674), 6141.—Amended and passed House, 6203-6207.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 6247.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1005), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate, 6483.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6650.—Examined and signed, 6662-6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 408], 6713.

H. R. 4406—To provide for the payment of overtime compensation to Government employees, and for other purposes.

Mr. Clason; Committee on the Civil Service, 2608.

H. R. 4407—To provide additional compensation for certain civilian employees of the Governments of the United States and the District of Columbia.

Mr. Clason; Committee on the Civil Service, 2608.

H. R. 4408—To codify and enact into absolute law title 17 of the United States Code, entitled "Copyrights."

Mr. Keogh; Committee on Revision of the Laws, 2608.

H. R. 4409—To make retroactive as of June 1942 the increase in the purchase prices paid by the Procurement Division of the Treasury Department on and after January 14, 1943, for class A used nonportable typewriters to be used by the armed forces, and to provide for payment of such increases in prices to all persons, firms, and corporations who sold such typewriters to the Procurement Division of the Treasury Department prior to January 14, 1943.

Mr. Boren; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Department, 2608.

H. R. 4410—To extend for an additional 90 days the period during which certain grains and other products to be used for livestock and poultry feed may be imported from foreign countries free of duty.

Mr. Reed of New York; Committee on Ways and Means, 2308.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1258), 2641.—Passed House, 2610.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 2653.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 765), 2874.—Passed Senate, amended, 2890.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 2939.—Examined and signed, 2956.—Presented to the President, 3027.—Approved [Public, No. 272], 3355.

H. R. 4411—To exempt from the individual income tax earned income earned in certain taxable years following an individual's discharge from the armed forces of the United States.

Mr. Domeneaux; Committee on Ways and Means, 2608.

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H. R. 4412—To confer jurisdiction upon the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Texas to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claims of Frank Calhoun, and others. Mr. Dies; Committee on Claims, 2608.

H. R. 4413—Granting a pension to Mrs. Eleanor Peasley. Mr. Mundt; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 2608.

H. R. 4414—Making appropriations for the Legislative Branch and for the Judiciary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes. Mr. O'Neal; Committee on Appropriations.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1259), 2635, 2641.—Debated, 2677-2700.—Passed House, 2700.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 2812.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 888), 4569.—Amended and passed Senate, 4696-4698.—Senate insists upon its amendments, requests conference, 4698.—Conferee appointed, 4698.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 5159.—Conferees appointed, 5159.—Conference report (No. 1616) submitted in House, 5648.—Agreed to, 6032.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 31; recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 35, with an amendment; insists on its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 34, 6148.—Examined and signed, 6611, 6679.—Presented to the President, 6679.—Approved [Public, No. 354], 6712.

H. R. 4415—To authorize the admission into the United States and the naturalization of natives and descendants of natives, of India. Mr. Celler; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 2641.

H. R. 4416—To amend section 25 (b) (1) of the Internal Revenue Code. Mr. Keogh; Committee on Ways and Means, 2641.

H. R. 4417—To provide additional compensation for certain civilian employees of the Governments of the United States and the District of Columbia. Mr. Clason; Committee on the Civil Service, 2641.

H. R. 4418—To amend Public Law 816, Seventy-seventh Congress, second session. Mr. Walter; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2641.

H. R. 4419—To permit official mail of the American Red Cross to be transmitted free of postage under the penalty privilege. Mr. Klein; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 2641.

H. R. 4420—To amend the Reconstruction Finance Corporation Act by adding a new title thereto relating to the sale or other disposition of surplus property of the United States. Mr. Patman; Committee on Banking and Currency, 2703.

H. R. 4421—Authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ordnance manufacturing and production facilities, and for other purposes. Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 2703.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1415), 4039.—Made special order (H. Res. 531), 4750.—Passed House, 4750.—Proceedings vacated (S. 1771 passed in lieu), 4760.—Laid on the table, 4760.

H. R. 4422—Relating to certain Japanese residents of the United States and to certain citizens of Japanese descent found to be unfriendly to the United States. Mr. Norrell; Committee on the Judiciary, 2703.

H. R. 4423—To establish State offices in the Bureau of Mines. Mr. Cooley; Committee on Mines and Mining, 2703.

H. R. 4424—To amend the Mustering-Out Payment Act of 1944 so as to provide mustering-out payments for certain persons discharged or relieved from active service in the armed forces to accept employment. Mr. Kearney; Committee on Military Affairs, 2703.

H. R. 4425—To incorporate the Regular Veterans Association. Mr. Sparkman; Committee on the Judiciary, 2703.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2036), 9020.—Passed House, 9175.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 9212.

H. R. 4426—To amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act. Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Agriculture, 2798.

H. R. 4427—To authorize a preliminary examination and survey to be made of the Pajaro River and its tributaries, and for other purposes. Mr. Anderson of California; Committee on Flood Control, 2798.

H. R. 4428—To restore standard time during the months of January, February, November, and December. Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 2798.

H. R. 4429—Authorizing the Mixed Bands of Bannocks and Shoshones of the Shoshone Nation of Indians to sue in the Court of Claims. Mr. Dworshak; Committee on Indian Affairs, 2798.

H. R. 4430—To provide for the acquisition and maintenance of a home for Capitol pages. Mr. Elliott; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 2798.

H. R. 4431—To amend the act entitled "An act granting pensions and increases of pensions to certain soldiers, sailors, and nurses of the War with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, or the China Relief Expedition, and for other purposes," approved May 24, 1938. Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Pensions, 2798.

H. R. 4432—To amend section 14 (a) of Public Law No. 144, Seventy-eighth Congress, chapter 233, first session, and for other purposes. Mr. Springer; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2798.

H. R. 4433—For the relief of sundry aliens. Mr. Lesinski; Committee of the Whole House, 2798.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1267), 2798.

H. R. 4434—To provide for the payment of accumulative or accrued leave to certain members of the military and naval forces of the United States who enter or reenter civilian employment of the United States, its Territories, or possessions, or the District of Columbia, before the expiration of such leave. Mr. Starnes of Alabama; Committee on the Civil Service, 2798.

H. R. 4435—For the relief of J. E. Harroun & Son, Inc. Mr. Fuller; Committee on Claims, 2798.

H. R. 4436—For the relief of William Milton Hecht. Mr. Fitzpatrick; Committee on Claims, 2798.

H. R. 4437—For the relief of Edward Lawrence Kunze. Mr. Lambertson; Committee on Claims, 2798.

H. R. 4438—Granting a pension to Pablo Billi. Mr. Rolph; Committee on Pensions, 2798.

H. R. 4439—For the relief of Dennis C. O'Connell. Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 2798.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1563), 5140.—Passed House, 5401.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1172), 8312.—Passed Senate, 8434.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 455], 9159.

H. R. 4440—For the relief of Edith Bock. Mr. Stevenson; Committee on Claims, 2798.

H. R. 4441—For the relief of the estate of Mary Alice Borden. Mr. Sauthoff; Committee on Claims, 2798.

H. R. 4442—For the relief of Albert B. Weaver. Mr. Mott; Committee on Claims, 2798.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1848), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 8276.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1284), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 571], 9806.

H. R. 4443—Making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes. Mr. Tarver; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, 2830.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1271), 2830, 2869.—Debated in House, 2939-2953, 2969-3005, 3093-3109.—Amended and passed House 3110.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 3162.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 886), 4569.—Debated in Senate, 4575-4592, 4595-4601.—Passed Senate, 4601.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests a conference, 4601.—Conferees appointed, 4601.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 4634.—Conferees appointed, 4634.—Conference report (No. 1605) submitted in House, 5922.—Agreed to, 5922, 5926.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments, Nos. 5, 7, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 17, 25, 31, 41, 43, 48, 52, 59, 66, and 71; recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 27, 40, 53, 63, 65, each with an amendment; and insists upon its amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 27, 40, 53, and 65; insists on its disagreement to Senate amendment No. 60 and asks further conference, 6221-6226, 6227-6229, 6289-6302.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to; Senate agrees to House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 27, 40, 53, 63, and 65; further insists on its amendment 60 and agrees to further conference, 6277.—Conferees appointed, 6278.—Conference report (No. 1714) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6481, 6482.—Conference reported submitted in House and agreed to, 6557, 6558.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 367], 6712.

H. R. 4444—To express the intent of the Congress with reference to the regulation of the business of insurance. Mr. Anderson of New Mexico; Committee on the Judiciary, 2869.

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H. R. 4445—To authorize temporary appointment as officers in the Army of the United States of members of the Army Nurse Corps, female persons having the necessary qualifications for appointment in such corps, female dietetic and physical-therapy personnel of the Medical Department of the Army (exclusive of students and apprentices), and female persons having the necessary qualifications for appointment in such department as female dietetic or physical-therapy personnel, and for other purposes.

Mrs. Bolton; Committee on Military Affairs, 2869.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1512), 5008.—Laid on the table (S. 1808 passed in lieu), 5323.

H. R. 4446—To exempt certain officers and employees within the Office of Scientific Research and Development from certain provisions of the Criminal Code.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 2869.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1393), 3727.—Passed House, 6674.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 6705.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1305), 8791.

H. R. 4447—To authorize the erection of a United States veterans' hospital for neuropsychiatric cases in the State of Louisiana.

Mr. Allen of Louisiana; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 2869.

H. R. 4448—To provide for free Government inspection of sea food.

Mr. Domeneaux; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 2869.

H. R. 4449—To amend section 16 of the act entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to fix and regulate the salaries of teachers, school officers, and other employees of the Board of Education of the District of Columbia', approved June 20, 1906, as amended, and for other purposes," approved June 4, 1924.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2869.

H. R. 4450—To enable intervention by a State in any suit in any court of the United States, in which it has an interest, involving the constitutionality, construction, or application of an act of Congress or an act of a State.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 2869.

H. R. 4451—For the relief of John McLaughlin, Sr., and John McLaughlin, Jr.

Mr. Canfield; Committee on Claims, 2869.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1813), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8272.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1347), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 572], 9806.

H. R. 4452—For the relief of Lt. (T) P. J. Voorhis.

Mr. Domeneaux; Committee on Claims, 2869.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1791), 7302.—Laid on the table (S. 2031 passed in lieu), 8269.

H. R. 4453—For the relief of William H. Rouncevill.

Mr. Goodwin; Committee on Military Affairs, 2869.

H. R. 4454—For the relief of W. P. Dodds.

Mr. Hays; Committee on Claims, 2869.

H. R. 4455—To provide duplicate posthumous awards.

Mr. Cannon of Florida; Committee on Military Affairs, 2966.

H. R. 4456—To amend that portion of the act approved June 30, 1906 (34 Stat. 697, 750), authorizing the settlement of ac-

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counts of deceased officers and enlisted men of the Army.

Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 2967.

H. R. 4457—To provide that, in disposing of lands which have been acquired by the United States for national defense or war purposes, a preference shall be given to the former owners of such lands or their successors in interest.

Mr. Elliott; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 2967.

H. R. 4458—For the relief of J. G. Power and L. D. Power.

Mr. Bryson; Committee on Claims, 2967.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1504), 4918.—Passed House, 5396.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 974), 5839.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Private, No. 366], 6713.

H. R. 4459—For the relief of Dominik Tyczkowski.

Mr. Rodgers of Pennsylvania; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 2967.

H. R. 4460—To temporarily increase salaries of certain postal service employees.

Mr. O'Toole; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 3028.

H. R. 4461—To authorize revision of the tribal roll of the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians, North Carolina.

Mr. Weaver; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3028.

H. R. 4462—To provide for restoring real property acquired by the United States for military purposes to the former owners thereof.

Mr. Case; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 3028.

H. R. 4463—To authorize Federal Reserve banks to make advances to States secured by direct obligations of the United States.

Mr. Coffee; Committee on Banking and Currency, 3028.

H. R. 4464—To increase the debt limit of the United States.

Mr. Doughton; Committee on Ways and Means, 3028.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1429), 4241.—Debated in House, 4266-4282.—Passed House, 4282.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 4296.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 919), 5074.—Debated in Senate, 5121-5123, 5125-5128.—Amended and passed Senate, 5128.—House disagrees with Senate amendments and asks for conference, 5159.—Conferees appointed, 5159.—Senate insists upon its amendments and agrees to a conference, 5231.—Conferees appointed, 5281.—Conference (Rept. No. 1598) submitted in House, 5340.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 5365.—Conference report debated in House, 5426-5429.—Agreed to, 5460.—Examined and signed, 5456, 5501.—Presented to the President, 5539.—Approved [Public, No. 333], 5787.

H. R. 4465—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to convey to the Virginian Railway Co., a corporation, for railroad yard enlargement purposes, a parcel of land of the Camp Allen Reservation at Norfolk, Va.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3028.

H. R. 4466—To amend section 18 of the Pay Readjustment Act of 1942 to provide additional pay for personnel who are required to participate in regular and frequent glider flights.

Mr. Powers; Committee on Military Affairs, 3028.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1702), 6456.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 6569.—

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Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1968), 6601.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 409], 6713.

H. R. 4467—To provide that members of the armed forces during World War II shall upon retirement be advanced in rank on the retired list to the highest commissioned, warrant, or enlisted grade held during said war.

Mr. Powers; Committee on Military Affairs, 3028.

H. R. 4468—To exempt certain officers and employees of the War Department from certain provisions of the Criminal Code and Revised Statutes.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 3028.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1394), 3727.—Passed House, 6674.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 6705.

H. R. 4469—To facilitate the settlement of claims arising from terminated war contracts of the Navy Department, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3028.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1355), 3588.

H. R. 4470—To amend the Judicial Code with respect to the admission of attorneys at law to practice before the courts, departments, and offices of the Government.

Mr. Wickersham; Committee on the Judiciary, 3028.

H. R. 4471—To amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act.

Mr. Wickersham; Committee on Agriculture, 3028.

H. R. 4472—To amend the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia approved March 3, 1901, as amended (D. C. Code, 1940, ed., title 26, ch. 4), relating to building and loan associations.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 3028.

H. R. 4473—To validate certain applications for national service life insurance where deductions of premiums from service pay were authorized but the applicant died prior to the effective date of such insurance and prior to February 11, 1942.

Mrs. Bolton; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 3028.

H. R. 4474—Granting an increase of pension to Missouri E. McCrum.

Mr. McGregor; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 3028.

H. R. 4475—To provide for the future status of certain functions and personnel transferred to the United States Coast Guard, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 3115.

H. R. 4476—To provide for a more equitable basis for the granting of old-age assistance under the Social Security Act.

Mr. Gossett; Committee on Ways and Means, 3115.

H. R. 4477—To extend the privilege of retirement to the judges of the District Court for the District of Alaska, the District Court of the United States for Puerto Rico, the District Court of the Virgin Islands, and the United States District Court for the District of the Canal Zone.

Mr. Walter; Committee on the Judiciary, 3115.

H. R. 4478—To permit newspapers to be transmitted free of postage to certain members of the armed forces.

Mr. Heidinger; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 3115.

H. R. 4479—To authorize the naturalization and the admission into the United States under a quota of Eastern Hemisphere

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Mrs. Luce; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 3115.

H. R. 4480—For the relief of Mrs. Mary Belk.
Mr. Clark; Committee on Claims, 3115.

H. R. 4481—For the relief of William H. Crompton.
Mr. Cannon of Florida; Committee on Claims, 3115.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1849), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 8277.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8213.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1353), 8869.—Amended and passed Senate, 9443.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9557.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 573], 9806.

H. R. 4482—For the relief of Mrs. Beulah Hart.
Mr. Izac; Committee on War Claims, 3115.

H. R. 4483—Granting an increase of pension to Harrison H. Bradford.
Mr. Morrison of Louisiana; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 3115.—Committee discharged, 3984.—Reference changed to Committee on Pensions, 3984.

H. R. 4484—For the relief of F. V. Johnson, Jr.
Mr. LaFollette; Committee on Claims, 3115.

H. R. 4485—Authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes.
Mr. Whittington; Committee on Flood Control, 3157.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1309), 3287.—Made special order (H. Res. 517), 4114-4117, 4417-4419.—Debated in House, 4119-4149, 4194-4232.—Amended and passed House, 4232.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 4243.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1030), 6459.—Debated in Senate, 8189, 8185-8190, 8227-8255, 8313, 8336, 8358-8384, 8419-8431, 8485-8501, 8540-8550, 8551-8559, 8616-8629, 8660-8666, 8667.—Amended and passed Senate, 8626.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests a conference, 8668.—Conferees appointed, 8668.—House agrees to conference, 8709.—Conferees appointed, 8709.—Conference report (No. 2051), submitted in House, 9172.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9259-9269.—Agreed to in House, 9277-9287.—Examined and signed, 9670.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 534], 9806.

H. R. 4486—To provide for the sale of certain Government-owned merchant vessels, and for other purposes.
Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 3157.

H. R. 4487—To authorize the designation of retired Justices for service on the Supreme Court of the United States when necessary to obtain a quorum, and for other purposes.
Mr. Kefauver; Committee on the Judiciary, 3157.

H. R. 4488—Authorizing preliminary examination and survey of Tillamook Bay and Bar, Oreg.
Mr. Mott; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 3157.

H. R. 4489—To restore standard time.
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H. R. 4490—To amend article 8 of chapter 21 of title 34 (Navy) of the United States Code by adding three subsections to the first subdivision thereof.
Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3157.

H. R. 4491—To facilitate the supplying of the war needs for beryllium and beryllium alloys and to further insure a just and equitable relationship between the Alien Property Custodian, holder of certain German patents, and the Beryllium Corp. of Delaware, whose contract with Siemens & Halske and the Heraeus Vacuumshmelze, dated January 16, 1934, expiring on March 28, 1944, and which contract is now under the control of the Alien Property Custodian.
Mr. Reece of Tennessee; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3157.

H. R. 4492—Granting annual and sick leave with pay to war-service substitutes in the postal service for service performed from the date of appointment.
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H. R. 4518—To supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to provide for the establishment of an interregional system of highways, and to authorize appropriations for the postwar construction of greatly needed highway facilities in the locations where such facilities are most urgently required and where the conversion from war to peacetime activities will require the cushioning effects of public-works construction.

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Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Claims, 3372.

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Mr. Randolph; Committee on the Civil Service, 3372.

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Mr. Rogers of California; Committee on Claims, 3372.

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Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3407.

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H. R. 4560—To authorize the erection of a United States Veterans' Administration hospital and home of domiciliary care in central California.

Mr. Gearhart; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 3430.

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H. R. 4564—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to grant to the city of Newport News, Commonwealth of Virginia, a right-of-way over certain lands of the United States at the naval mine depot, Yorktown, Va., for water pipe-line purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3430.

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Mr. Lea; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3472.

H. R. 4573—To amend the Interstate Commerce Act, and for other purposes.

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Mr. Robison of Kentucky; Committee on Ways and Means, 3472.

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Mr. Sikes; Committee on Flood Control, 3472.

H. R. 4582—To amend section 6 of the act of July 2, 1940 (54 Stat. 714), and to continue said act in effect, and for other purposes.

Mr. May Committee on Military Affairs, 3472.

H. R. 4583—To amend sections 4 and 5 of the act entitled "An act providing for sundry matters affecting the Military Establishment," approved June 5, 1942 (56 Stat. 314).

Mr. May Committee on Military Affairs, 3472.

H. R. 4584—To remove the limitation on the right to command of officers of the Dental Corps of the Army which limits such officers to command in that corps. Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 3472.

H. R. 4585—To amend that portion of the act approved June 30, 1906 (34 Stat. 697, 750), authorizing the settlement of accounts of deceased officers and enlisted men of the Army.

Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 3472.

H. R. 4586—For the relief of Athan Peter Brakoulis. Mr. Gearhart; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 3472.

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Mr. Larcade; Committee on Claims, 3472.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1815), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8272.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1838), 8869.—Amended and passed Senate, 9442.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9549.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 540], 9806.

H. R. 4589—For the relief of the Muskingum Watershed Conservancy District.

Mr. McGahee; Committee on Claims, 3472.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1480), 4836.—Laid on the table (S. 1849 passed in lieu), 5393.

H. R. 4590—To reimburse certain Marine Corps personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at the marine barracks, naval supply depot, Bayonne, N. J., on April 25, 1943.

Mr. McGahee; Committee on Claims, 3472.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1496), 4836.—Laid on the table (S. 1842 passed in lieu), 8456.

H. R. 4591—To provide for the reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire which occurred on the naval station, Tutuila, American Samoa, on October 20, 1943.

Mr. McGahee; Committee on Claims, 3472.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1481), 4836.—Laid on the table (S. 1841 passed in lieu), 8155.

H. R. 4592—For the relief of Charles R. Walker.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 3472.

H. R. 4593—For the relief of Thomas R. Clark.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 3472.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1829), 7413.—Amended and passed House, 8275.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1833), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 577], 9807.

H. R. 4594—For the purpose of conserving the coal resources of the Nation, and for other purposes.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Ways and Means, 3478.

H. R. 4595—Relating to the discharge status of members and former members of the Army Air Forces Enlisted Reserve Corps who have participated in the Civil Aeronautics Administration war-training-service program.

Mr. Cunningham; Committee on Military Affairs, 3478.

H. R. 4596—To amend Public Law 712, Seventy-seventh Congress, as amended by the act of April 1, 1944, entitled "An act to facilitate voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces, members of the merchant marine, and others, absent from the place of their residence, and to amend the act of September 16, 1942, and for other purposes."

Mr. Myers; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 3478.

H. R. 4597—To provide for the payment by the United States, during the present war, of certain transportation expenses of enlisted members of the armed forces while on emergency furlough.

Mr. O'Hara; Committee on Military Affairs, 3478.

H. R. 4598—To require weekly newspapers enjoying mailing privileges to make sworn statements with respect to their circulations.

Mr. Whelchel of Georgia; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 3478.

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Mr. Magnuson; Committee on Naval Affairs, 3478.

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H. R. 4604—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in quarters at naval advance base depot, Port Hueneme, Calif., on February 6, 1944.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 3478.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1482), 4836.—Laid on the table (S. 1839 passed in lieu), 8456.

H. R. 4605—For the relief of Lt. (jg) Hugh A. Shiels, United States Naval Reserve.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 3478.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1505), 4918.—Laid on the table (S. 1837 passed in lieu), 5396.

H. R. 4606—To provide for reimbursement of certain Navy personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire in the bachelor officers' quarters, naval operating base, Argentia, Newfoundland on January 12, 1943.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 3478.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1506), 4918.—Laid on the table (S. 1840 passed in lieu), 8456.

H. R. 4607—To provide for reimbursement of certain Naval personnel and former Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of fires in quarters occupied by naval construction battalions.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 3478.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1483), 4836.—Laid on the table (S. 1838 passed in lieu), 8456.

H. R. 4608—To create an independent Civil Aeronautics Authority and an independent Air Safety Board, to promote the development and safety and to provide for the regulation of civil aeronautics, and to assure to the United States world leadership in aviation.

Mr. King; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3521.

H. R. 4609—For the relief of the Department of Labor and Industries of the State of Washington.

Mr. Norman; Committee on the Judiciary, 3521.

H. R. 4610—For the relief of the Department of Labor and Industries of the State of Washington.

Mr. Norman; Committee on the Judiciary, 3521.

H. R. 4611—To provide for the payment of attorneys' fees from Osage tribal funds.

Mr. O'Connor; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3521.

H. R. 4612—To amend the Act of October 17, 1942, authorizing the Secretary of War to approve a standard design for a service flag and a service lapel button, and for other purposes.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on Military Affairs, 3521.

H. R. 4613—To amend the National Service Life Insurance Act, 1940, as amended.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 3521.

H. R. 4614—To authorize the Secretary of War to convey to the State of Texas a certain tract of land situated in Travis County, Tex.

Mr. Thomason; Committee on Military Affairs, 3521.

H. R. 4615—To establish, for the investigation and control of tuberculosis, a division in the Public Health Service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bulwinkle; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3521.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1644), 6011.—Debated in House, 6200, 6215.—Rules suspended, passed House, 6221.—Referred to Senate Committee on Education and Labor, 6247.

H. R. 4616—To prohibit certain subsidy, indemnity, and other payments with respect to short staple cotton and commodities manufactured from such cotton.

Mr. Gerlach; Committee on Banking and Currency, 3521.

H. R. 4617—To empower the Secretary of Agriculture to requisition certain material, equipment, and supplies not needed for the prosecution of the war and for the national defense and to use such material, equipment, and supplies in soil and water conservation, drainage, irrigation, grazing, and other districts, and to distribute such materials, equipment, and supplies by grant or loan to public bodies, and for other purposes.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Agriculture, 3521.

H. R. 4618—To repeal the provisions of the War Labor Disputes Act relating to political contributions by labor organizations.

Mr. Harless of Arizona; Committee on Military Affairs, 3521.—Rerferred to the Committee on the Judiciary, 4323.

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Mr. Bennett of Michigan; Committee on Claims, 3521.

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Mr. Jeffrey; Committee on Military Affairs, 3521.

H. R. 4621—For the relief of Claude R. Whitlock and for other purposes.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 3521.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1484), 4836.—Laid on the table (S. 1848 passed in lieu), 5393.

H. R. 4622—For the relief of Patrick J. McLaughlin.

Mr. Stearns of New Hampshire; Committee on Claims, 3521.

H. R. 4623—To authorize the use of space in the old post-office building in Portland, Oreg., by the State of Oregon for its use as a museum for relics from the battleship *Oregon*, together with all other historical documents, objects, and relics of Oregon and the Old Oregon Country held by the State for public display.

Mr. Angell; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 3523.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1400), 3766.—Amended and passed House, 3867.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 3884.—Reported

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ack (S. Rept. 992), 6144.—Passed Senate, 6475.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 388], 6712.

H. R. 4624—To consolidate and revise the laws relating to the Public Health Service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bulwinkle; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3526.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1364), 3604.—Made special order (H. Res. 555), 4794-4800.—Amended and passed House, 4800-4811.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 4845.—Committee discharged and referred to Senate Committee on Education and Labor, 6013.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1027), 6347.—Debated in Senate, 6486, 6498-6500.—Amended and passed Senate, 6500.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6664.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 410], 6713.

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Mr. Magnuson; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 3523.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1603), 5430.—Amended and passed House, 6195.—Referred to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, 6247.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1108), 7973.

H. R. 4626—To declare a portion of the Illinois and Michigan Canal an unnavigable stream.

Mr. Sabath; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3523.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1993), 8648.—Passed House, 8770.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 8792.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1379), 9307.—Passed Senate, 9447.—Reconsidered and returned to Calendar, 9628.

H. R. 4627—To amend subdivision (e) of subsection (4) of section 3540 of chapter 33A, title 26, of the Internal Revenue Code, known as the Use Tax Stamp Act, and for other purposes.

Mr. Springer; Committee on Ways and Means, 3563.

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Mr. Wene; Committee on Roads, 3563.

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Mr. Dimond; Committee on Claims, 3523.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1850), 7576.—Passed House, 8277.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1322), 8829.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 541], 9806.

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Mr. O'Hara; Committee on Claims, 3563.

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Mr. McCormack; Committee on Claims, 3523.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1671), 6024.—Passed House, 8262.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1337), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 578], 9806.

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H. R. 4636—To authorize the naturalization and the admission into the United States under a quota of Eastern Hemisphere Indians of India and descendants of Eastern Hemisphere Indians of India.
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H. R. 4641—To amend section 4 of the act entitled "An act to transfer jurisdiction over commercial prints and labels, for the purpose of copyright registration, to the Register of Copyrights," approved July 31, 1939.
Mr. Lanham; Committee on Patents, 3605.

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Mr. Cravens; Committee on Ways and Means, 3606.

H. R. 4646—To provide for simplification of the individual income tax.
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H. R. 4647—To amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942 (56 Stat. 23), as amended by the Stabilization Act of 1942 (56 Stat. 765), to further the national defense and security by checking speculative and excessive prices; salary and wage rises; price, salary, and wage dislocations; inflationary tendencies; and for other purposes.
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H. R. 4649—To provide regular furlough periods for members of the armed forces on duty overseas.
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H. R. 4650—To furnish conscientious objectors a special form of honorable discharge from the armed forces of the United States.
Mr. Harless of Arizona; Committee on Military Affairs, 3671.

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Mr. Springer; Committee on Ways and Means, 3671.

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Mr. Maloney; Committee on Claims, 3671.

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Mr. Abernethy; Committee on the District of Columbia, 3707.

H. R. 4659—To authorize the Soil Conservation Service to lend certain equipment.
Mr. Cole of New York; Committee on Agriculture, 3707.—Passed House, 5893.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 5940.—Reported and passed Senate, 6144.—Examined and signed, 6264, 6344.—Presented to the President, 6449.

H. R. 4660—To extend the Mustering-Out Payment Act of 1944 to certain persons discharged or relieved from active service in the armed forces to accept employment.
Mr. Lane; Committee on Military Affairs, 3707.

H. R. 4661—Amending the Act of June 25, 1938 (52 Stat. 1207), authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to pay salary and expenses of the chairman, secretary, and interpreter of the Klamath General Council, members of the Klamath busi-

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ness committee and other committees appointed by said Klamath General Council, and official delegates of the Klamath Tribe, as amended, and for other purposes.
Mr. Stockman; Committee on Indian Affairs, 3707.

H. R. 4662—To amend the second sentence of section 3 of Public Law 110 of the Seventy-eighth Congress (ch. 187, first session), entitled "An Act to establish a Women's Army Corps for service in the Army of the United States."
Mr. Brooks; Committee on Military Affairs, 3707.

H. R. 4663—To transfer to the Federal Security Administrator and the Public Health Service, respectively, the functions of the Secretary of Labor and the Children's Bureau of the Department of Labor with respect to health, and for other purposes.
Mr. Miller of Nebraska; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 3707.

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Mr. Barrett; Committee on the Public Lands, 3707.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1977), 8590.—Passed House, 8765.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 8792.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1371), 9022.—Passed Senate, 9060.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 487], 9805.

H. R. 4666—To amend the Carey Act with respect to leasing for grazing or for oil or gas development, unsettled and unclaimed portions of land.
Mr. Barrett; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 3707.

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Mr. Martin of Iowa; Committee on Printing, 3707.

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H. R. 4680—To amend an act to grant increases in compensation to substitute employees in the postal service, and for other purposes, Public, No. 266, Seventy-eighth Congress, chapter 134, second session (H. R. 2836), approved March 24, 1944.
Mr. Burch of Virginia; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 3727.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1406), 3766.—Passed House, 3867.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3884.

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Mr. Burchill of New York; Committee on Ways and Means, 3727.

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Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on the Civil Service, 3728.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2039), 9020.—Debated in House, 9176.

H. R. 4684—To extend certain benefits under the Civil Service Retirement Act to employees with not less than 5 years' serv-

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Mr. Fernandez; Committee on Military Affairs, 3728.

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Mr. Burch of Virginia; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 3728.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1404), 3766.—Passed House, 3867.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 3884.—Reported back (S. Rept. 986), 6013.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 370], 6712.

H. R. 4688—To make a token payment to members of selective-service boards.
Mr. Holifield; Committee on Military Affairs, 3728.

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Mr. Barrett; Committee on the Public Lands, 3766.

H. R. 4695—To provide credit for the purpose of reestablishment in civilian employment those persons who served in the armed forces of the United States during the present war, and for other purposes.
Mr. Bennett of Missouri; Committee on Ways and Means, 3766.

H. R. 4696—To amend section 167 (c) of the Internal Revenue Code relating to trusts for maintenance or support of certain beneficiaries.
Mr. Robertson; Committee on Ways and Means, 3766.

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Mr. Thomason; Committee on the Public Lands, 3766.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1886), 7773.—Amended and passed House, 7947.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7975.

H. R. 4698—To amend the Mineral Lands Leasing Act approved February 25, 1920 (ch. 85, 41 Stat. 437).
Mr. Fernandez; Committee on the Public Lands, 3766.

H. R. 4699—To amend section 2 (b) of the Act entitled "An act extending the classified executive civil service of the United States", approved November 26, 1940, so as to provide for counting military service of certain employees of the legislative branch in determining the eligibility of such employees for civil-service status under such act.
Mr. Jackson; Committee on the Civil Service, 3766.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2086), 9624.

H. R. 4700—To amend section 7 (b) of the Fair Labor Standards Act of 1938.
Mr. Hale; Committee on Labor, 3766.

H. R. 4701—To amend section 113 (a) (20) of the Internal Revenue Code by providing that the acquiring corporation and the railroad corporation or corporations whose property was acquired shall be deemed to be the same taxpayer.
Mr. Knutson; Committee on Ways and Means, 3766.

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H. R. 4709—To authorize increases in wages for certain employees of The Alaska Railroad for services rendered from May 1, to September 30, 1943, inclusive.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Civil Service, 3804.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2026), 8950.—Amended and passed House, 9174.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 9212.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1392), 9672.—Passed Senate, 9770.—Examined and signed, 9779, 9805.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 548], 9806.

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Mr. Cunningham; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 3804

H. R. 4712—For the relief of John Duncan McDonald.

Mr. Jonkman; Committee on Claims, 3804—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1580), 5141.—Amended and passed House, 5402.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 5435.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1138), 7973.—Passed Senate, 8055.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Private, No. 406], 8162.

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Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Military Affairs, 3805.

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Mr. Kefauver; Committee on the Judiciary, 3805.

H. R. 4718—To supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act, approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to authorize appropriations for the post-war construction of greatly needed rural local roads, to provide for the immediate preparation of plans and acquisition of rights-of-way, to cushion the postwar conversion to peacetime economy, and for other purposes.

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H. R. 4727—To amend paragraph (1) of section 73 of the Hawaiian Organic Act, as amended.

Mr. Farrington; Committee on the Territories, 3880.

H. R. 4728—To amend the act entitled "An act to expedite the provision of housing in connection with national defense, and for other purposes," approved October 14, 1940, as amended.

Mr. Lanham; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 3880.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1498), 4836.—Debated in House, 5321.—Passed House, 6192.—Referred to Senate Committee on Education and Labor, 6247.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1978), 6475.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 411], 6713.

H. R. 4729—To amend the act entitled "An act to provide books for the adult blind."

Mr. O'Toole; Committee on the Library, 3880.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1542), 5117.—Laid on the table (S. 1944 passed in lieu), 5328.

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Mr. Rowan; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 3880.

H. R. 4731—To amend the Servicemen's Dependents Allowance Act of 1942 so as to authorize the termination under certain conditions of the payment of monthly family allowances to class A dependents.

Mr. Rowan; Committee on Military Affairs, 3880.

H. R. 4732—To provide an immediate fund for emergency flood-control work made necessary by the 1944 floods.

Mr. Schwabe; Committee on Flood Control, 3880.

H. R. 4733—To amend section 514 of the Soldiers' and Sailors' Relief Act.

Mr. Sparkman; Committee on Military Affairs, 3880.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1514), 5009.—Passed House, 5324.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 5363.—Reported back (S. Rept. 959), 5751.—Passed Senate, 6473.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 415], 6713.

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Mr. Lyndon B. Johnson; Committee on Claims, 3880.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1817), 7384.—Amended

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Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 3880.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1831), 7413.—Amended and passed House, 8275.—Ordered to be placed on the calendar, 8313.

H. R. 4738—To repeal the automobile-use tax.

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H. R. 4739—To further amend the act approved October 14, 1940, as amended.

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Mr. Robertson; Committee on the Library, 3984.

H. R. 4741—To provide for water-pollution-control activities in the United States Public Health Service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Spence; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 3984.

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Mr. Hollifield; Committee on Agriculture, 3984.

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H. R. 4782—To authorize the sale of certain lands of the Tulalip Tribe of Indians, State of Washington. Mr. Jackson; Committee on Indian Affairs, 4241.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1753), 6680.—Passed House, 8762.—Referred to Senate Committee on Indian Affairs, 8791.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1387), 9490.—Passed Senate, 9770.—Examined and signed, 9779, 9805.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 549], 9806.

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H. R. 4801—To promote the more effective participation of all small business concerns in the war effort; to facilitate their successful adjustment to civilian and peacetime operations; to stimulate and encourage small business enterprise; and to amend the act of June 11, 1942 (Public Law 603, 77th Cong.), in furtherance of these purposes.
Mr. Robinson of Utah; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4464.

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Mr. Hagen; Committee on Military Affairs, 4464.

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Mr. Davis; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 4464.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1699), 6456.—Amended and passed House, 6668.—Passed Senate, 6636.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 412], 6713.

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Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4525.

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Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 4538.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1701), 6456.—Passed House, 6568.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1825), 6601.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 413], 6713.

H. R. 4811—To supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act, approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to authorize appropriations for the postwar construction of greatly needed highways and bridges, to eliminate hazards at railroad-grade crossings, to insure greater safety for traffic on the public highways by providing additional facilities in connection therewith to be available for the landing and take-off of aircraft, to provide for the immediate preparation of plans and acquisition of rights-of-way, to cushion the postwar conversion to peacetime economy, and for other purposes.
Mr. Mott; Committee on Roads, 4568.

H. R. 4812—To amend section 403 (1) (1) (B) of the Sixth Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act of 1942.
Mr. Kefauver; Committee on Ways and Means, 4568.

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H. R. 4816—For the relief of August W. Dietz.
Mr. Kilday; Committee on Claims, 4538.

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Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 4568.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1819), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8273.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1272), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Private, No. 543], 9670.

H. R. 4818—To amend the War Labor Disputes Act by prohibiting the organization of supervisory employees for purposes of collective bargaining.

Mr. Shafer; Committee on Military Affairs, 4631.

H. R. 4819—To provide for the elimination of alley dwellings and the clearance and redevelopment of slum and other blighted areas of the District of Columbia and the assembly, by purchase or condemnation, of real property in such areas and the sale or lease thereof for redevelopment; and to provide for the organization of

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H. R. 4824—To amend subchapter 7 of chapter 854 of the Code of Laws of the District of Columbia, approved March 3, 1901, as amended, relating to building and loan associations.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4685.

H. R. 4825—To authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Des Moines, Iowa, September 10 to 14, inclusive, 1944.

Mr. Cunningham; Committee on Naval Affairs, 4685.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1543), 5117.—Passed House, 5328.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 5363.—Reported back (S. Rept. 976), 5939.—Passed Senate, 6474.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 389], 6712.

H. R. 4826—To authorize the naturalization of Filipinos.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 4685.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1940), 8467.—Debated in House, 8765.

H. R. 4827—For the relief of Werner Zais.
Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on Claims, 4635.

H. R. 4828—For the relief of (1) William R. Dohnt, administrator of all and singular, the goods, chattels, and credits which were of Margaret E. Dohnt, deceased; (2) Joseph A. Hauser, individually and as guardian of Florence Hauser, an infant of the age of 19 years; (3) Richard Adams, Sr., individually and as guardian of Richard Adams, Jr., an infant of the age of 16 years; (4) William P. Novotny, Sr., individually and as guardian of William P. Novotny, Jr., an infant of the age of 18 years; (5) William P. Novotny, Sr., individually and as guardian of Bernadette Novotny, an infant of the age of 20 years; (6) Grace Swiadek, individually and as guardian of Stanley Swiadek, an infant of the age of 18 years; and (7) Joseph F. Krotz, Sr., individually and as guardian of Joseph F. Krotz, Jr., an infant of the age of 18 years.

Mr. Klein; Committee on Claims, 4685.

H. R. 4829—To credit for purposes of computing longevity pay of enlisted personnel of the armed forces certain wartime service in the armed forces of nations allied with the United States in the present war.

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H. R. 4830—To confer on the district courts of the United States jurisdiction of certain cases involving children.

Mr. Heffernan; Committee on the Judiciary, 4776.

H. R. 4831—To amend the World War Adjusted Compensation Act to provide adjusted compensation for provisional, probationary, and temporary officers.

Mr. Lemke; Committee on Ways and Means, 4776.

H. R. 4832—Providing for Congress to coin and issue money and regulate the value thereof by establishing the Bank of the United States, owned, operated, and controlled by the Government of the United States; setting forth the scope and manner of the bank's operations; creating a Board of Control and defining the powers and duties of the Board and other persons charged with the bank's management; and for other purposes.

Mr. Lemke; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4776.

H. R. 4833—To extend, for two additional years, the provisions of the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended, and the taxes with respect to sugar.

Mr. Flannagan; Committee on Agriculture, 4776.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1519), 5071.—Passed House, 5332-5336.—Ordered placed on Senate Calendar, 5364.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 1933), 5782-5784.—Examined and signed, 5932, 5935.—Presented to the President, 6083.—Approved [Public, No. 345], 6711.

H. R. 4834—Providing for the giving to vocational education authorities within the States certain property of the National Youth Administration now being used by such authorities.

Mr. Mills; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 4776.

H. R. 4835—Relating to the prosecution of claims arising out of the procurement of materials or supplies incident to the prosecution of the war.

Mr. Satterfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 4776.

H. R. 4836—To authorize a preliminary examination and survey of the following stream: Thief River, a branch of the Red Lake River, in the State of Minnesota, for flood control, for run-off and water-flow retardation, and soil-erosion prevention.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Flood Control, 4776.

H. R. 4837—To extend for an additional 2 years the suspension in part of the processing tax on coconut oil, and to correct a typographical error in the Individual Income Tax Act of 1944.

Mr. Eberhardt; Committee on Ways and Means, 4776.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1621), 5745.—Passed House, 5968.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 6013.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1003), 6347.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 6362.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 6438.—Examined and signed, 6489, 6585.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 390], 6712.

H. R. 4838—To create United States Civil Service Board of Appeals.

Mr. Myers; Committee on the Civil Service, 4776.

H. R. 4839—To exempt the Salvation Army from all taxation in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4776.

H. R. 4840—To amend the First War Powers Act, 1941.

Mr. Summers of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 4776.

H. R. 4841—To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 by making it a criminal offense to possess unlawfully or to reproduce various certificates issued pursuant thereto.

Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 4776.

H. R. 4842—For the relief of Joseph T. Kemerer.

Mr. Fish; Committee on Claims, 4776.

H. R. 4843—For the relief of Lanford C. Cook, Mr. Grant of Alabama; Committee on Claims, 4776.

H. R. 4844—Granting a pension to Roberta Thornton.

Mr. McGregor; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 4776.

H. R. 4845—To amend the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, and for other purposes.

Mr. Boren; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 4837.

H. R. 4846—To amend title III of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 4837.

H. R. 4847—To provide for the replanning of blighted and other areas of the District of Columbia and the assembly, by purchase or condemnation, of real property in such areas and the sale or lease thereof for the redevelopment of such areas in accordance with said plans; and to provide for the organization of procedure for, and the financing of such planning, acquisition, and sale or lease, and for other purposes.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4837.

H. R. 4848—To amend the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, and for other purposes.

Mr. Reece of Tennessee; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 4837.

H. R. 4849—To amend the National Housing Act, as amended.

Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4837.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1723), 6586.—Laid on the table (S. 1947 passed in lieu), 6661.

H. R. 4850—To amend the District of Columbia Alley Dwelling Act, as amended.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4837.

H. R. 4851—To provide for abandonment of the project authorized in the act of October 17, 1940, for a seaplane channel and basin in Boston Harbor, Mass.

Mr. Herter; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 4837.

H. R. 4852—To insure the preservation of technical and economic records of domestic sources of ores of metals and minerals.

Mr. Murdock; Committee on Mines and Mining, 4837.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1908), 8145.—Passed House, 8766.—Referred to Senate Committee on Mines and Mining, 8792.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1883), 9383.

H. R. 4853—To amend and supplement the Federal Aid Road Act approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to authorize appropriations for the postwar construction of highways and bridges, to eliminate hazards at railroad-grade crossings, to provide for the immediate preparation of plans and acquisition of rights-of-way, and for other purposes.

Mr. Robinson of Utah; Committee on Roads, 4837.

H. R. 4854—Granting a pension to Benjamin C. Ash.

Mr. Case; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 4837.

H. R. 4855—For the relief of Captolia Colvin, Mr. Harless of Arizona; Committee on Claims, 4837.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1878), 7654.—Laid on the table (S. 1905 passed in lieu), 8280.

H. R. 4856—For the relief of the Marine Engine Works & Shipbuilding Corp., of Tarpon Springs, Fla.

Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on Claims, 4837.

H. R. 4857—To confirm the claims of Charles Gaudet under Spanish patents to section 18, township 11 south, range 5 east, and section 21, township 12 south, range 5 east, Saint Helena meridian, Parish of St. James, State of Louisiana, together with all accretion.

Mr. Maloney; Committee on the Public Lands, 4837.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2022), 8867.

H. R. 4858—For the relief of Lewis J. Hart, Mr. Miller of Missouri; Committee on Claims, 4837.

H. R. 4859—For the relief of Mrs. Gertrude Verburg.

Mr. Tolan; Committee on Claims, 4837.

H. R. 4860—For the relief of the State Compensation Insurance Fund of California.

Mr. Voorhies of California; Committee on Claims, 4837.

H. R. 4861—Making appropriations for the government of the District of Columbia and other activities chargeable in whole or in part against the revenues of such District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes.

Mr. Coffee; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, 4918.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1501), 4874, 4918.—Debated in House, 4920-4927, 4934-4937.—Passed House, 4937.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 4960.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 988), 6144.—Amended and passed Senate, 6362-6366.—Senate insists upon its amendments and asks for conference, 6366.—Conferees appointed, 6366.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 6432.—Conferees appointed, 6432.—Conference report (No. 1719) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6503.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 6574-6575.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 17, 20, 22, 23, 27, 28, 31, and 32; recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 21, 24, and 25, each with an amendment, 6575.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 371], 6712.

H. R. 4862—To provide that individuals receiving old-age assistance may be gainfully employed during the present war and 6 months thereafter.

Mr. Mundt; Ways and Means, 4916, 4918.

H. R. 4863—To provide for the donation of certain property of the United States in Vieques, P. R., to the municipal government of Vieques, P. R.

Mr. Pagán; Committee on Naval Affairs, 4918.

H. R. 4864—To exclude from income tax the compensation of persons in the military or naval service.

Mr. Holifield; Committee on Ways and Means, 4918.

H. R. 4865—To provide for the discharge and cancellation of certain loans made by the Secretary of Agriculture for the purchase of capital stock in agricultural credit corporations, and for other purposes.

Mr. Pace; Committee on Agriculture, 4918.

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H. R. 4866—To provide for the establishment and maintenance of forest products pilot plants and for other purposes. Mrs. Smith of Maine; Committee on Agriculture, 4918.

H. R. 4867—To extend the health regulations of the District of Columbia to Government restaurants within the District of Columbia.

Mr. D'Alessandro; Committee on the District of Columbia, 4918.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1629), 5823.—Passed House, 5862.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1206), 8417.—Amended and passed Senate, 9056.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9163.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9352.—Presented to the President, 9382.—Approved [Public, No. 508], 9805.

H. R. 4868—For the relief of Palmer G. Snedecor. Mr. Angell; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 4918.

H. R. 4869—For the relief of A. P. Scarborough and J. D. Etheridge. Mr. Pace; Committee on Claims, 4918.

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H. R. 4871—For the relief of Julia Peterson Mills.

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H. R. 4872—To amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Agriculture, 4956.

H. R. 4873—To amend section 77 of the Act of July 1, 1898, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," as amended.

Mr. Hobbs; Committee on the Judiciary, 4956.

H. R. 4874—To provide for weekly pay days for postal employees.

Mr. Lane; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 4956.

H. R. 4875—To authorize a preliminary examination and survey of the following stream: Rabbit River, a branch of the Red River of the North, in the State of Minnesota, for flood control, for run-off and water-flow retardation, and soil-erosion prevention.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Flood Control, 4956.

H. R. 4876—To simplify and improve credit services to farmers and promote farm ownership by abolishing certain agricultural lending agencies and functions, by transferring assets to the Farmers' Home Corporation, by enlarging the powers of the Farmers' Home Corporation, by authorizing Government insurance loans to farmers, by creating preferences for loans and insured mortgages to enable veterans to acquire farms, by providing additional specific authority and directions with respect to the liquidation of resettlement projects and rural rehabilitation projects for resettlement purposes, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cooley; Committee on Agriculture, 4956.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1747), 6679.

H. R. 4877—For the relief of the Oregon Caves Resort.

Mr. Ellsworth; Committee on Claims, 4956.

H. R. 4878—For the relief of the estate of Emma B. Fleet, deceased.

Mr. McCormack; Committee on Claims, 4956.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1820), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8273.—Referred to Senate Com-

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H. R. 4879—Making appropriations for war agencies for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, 4990.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1511), 4990, 5008.—Debated in House, 4990-4992, 4996-5006, 5016-5067.—Passed House, 5068.—Motion to reconsider vote agreed to, 5068.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 5075.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 960), 5751.—Debated in Senate, 5964-5967, 6021-6039, 6148-6162, 6163-6175, 6244-6246, 6248-6257, 6257-6263, 6264-6277.—Passed Senate, 6277.—Senate insists upon its amendments and asks for conference, 6277.—Conferees appointed, 6277.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 6433.—Conferees appointed, 6433.—Conferees appointed, 6433.—Conference report (No. 1722) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6505.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 6584.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 5 with an amendment, 6584.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 372], 6712.

H. R. 4880—To amend the provisions of the act approved March 9, 1920, as amended, authorizing suits against the United States in admiralty, to extend the statute of limitations with respect to causes of action arising after the declaration of the present national emergency.

Mr. Bland; Committee on the Judiciary, 5009.

H. R. 4881—To amend the Internal Revenue Code, the Narcotic Drugs Import and Export Act, as amended, and the Tariff Act of 1930, as amended, to classify a new synthetic drug, and for other purposes.

Mr. Doughton; Committee on Ways and Means, 5009.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1588), 5190.—Amended and passed House, 5389.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1004), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6478.—Examined and signed, A3768, A3770.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 414], 6713.

H. R. 4882—To authorize the completion, by the use of Lanham Act funds, of hospital projects initiated by the Works Progress Administration and the Work Projects Administration.

Mr. Gathings; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 5009.

H. R. 4883—To amend section 22, subdivision (b), paragraph (2), of subparagraph (B) of the Internal Revenue Code.

Mr. Keogh; Committee on Ways and Means, 5009.

H. R. 4884—To amend the Soldiers' and Sailors' Civil Relief Act of 1940 so as to guarantee to persons after their period of military service certain rights with respect to employment.

Mr. Colmer; Committee on Military Affairs, 5009.

H. R. 4885—To authorize State and local taxation of machinery owned by the United States which is being used in war production by private contractors.

Mr. Wright; Committee on Ways and Means, 5009.

H. R. 4886—For the relief of Oscar R. Steinert.

Mr. Church; Committee on Claims, 5009.

H. R. 4887—For the relief of Dr. James M. Hooks.

Mr. Patman; Committee on Military Affairs, 5009.

H. R. 4888—For the relief of Dr. Ernest H. Stark.

Mr. Patman; Committee on Military Affairs, 5009.

H. R. 4889—For the relief of Bart B. Pigman.

Mr. Springer; Committee on Claims, 5009.

H. R. 4890—To provide for the display in the lobbies of post offices of placards containing certain information with respect to the legislative representatives of the people.

Mr. Baldwin of New York; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 5072.

H. R. 4891—To provide, during the present war, for certain additional compensation for star-route contractors, and for other purposes.

Mr. Murray of Tennessee; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 5072.

H. R. 4892—Relating to clerical assistance at post offices, branches, or stations serving military or naval personnel, and for other purposes.

Mr. Holifield; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 5072.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1952), 8534.—Passed House, 8765.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 8792.

H. R. 4893—To provide for the carrying of mail on star routes, and for other purposes.

Mr. McKenzie; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 5072.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1891), 7880.

H. R. 4894—To amend section 211 of the Criminal Code, as amended (relating to certain nonmailable matter).

Mr. Rowe; Committee on the Judiciary, 5072.

H. R. 4895—For the relief of James E. Monaghan as administrator of the estate of Katherine Monaghan, deceased.

Mr. Lane; Committee on Claims, 5072.

H. R. 4896—For the relief of Florence E. Bower, Hulda Bower, and Christopher Russell.

Mr. Lane; Committee on Claims, 5072.

H. R. 4897—For the relief of Joseph C. Eastland.

Mr. Mansfield of Montana; Committee on Claims, 5072.

H. R. 4898—Granting a pension to William I. Ray.

Mr. Reece of Tennessee; Committee on Pensions, 5072.

H. R. 4899—Making appropriations for the Department of Labor, the Federal Security Agency, and related independent agencies, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes.

Mr. Hare; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union and ordered to be printed, 5117.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1526), 5117.—Debated in House, 5097-5112, 5148-5159.—Passed House, 5159.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 5277.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 965), 5934.—Debated in Senate, 5950-5963.—Senate insists upon its amendments and asks for conference, 5963.—Conferees appointed, 5963.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 6042.—Conferees appointed, 6042.—Conference report (No. 1710) submitted in House, 6449.—Agreed to, 6520.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 2, 21, and 31; recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 14 and 19, each with an amendment, 6520.—Senate agrees to conference report, 6485.—Senate

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agrees to House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 14 and 19, 6485.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 373], 6712.

H. R. 4900—To amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act.

Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Agriculture, 5117.

H. R. 4901—To authorize and direct the sale of Moore Air Field.

Mr. Monroney; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5118.—Reported with amendment [H. Rept. 1634], 5823.

H. R. 4902—To enable the Department of State, pursuant to its responsibilities under the Constitution and statutes of the United States, more effectively to carry out its prescribed and traditional responsibilities in the foreign field; to strengthen the Foreign Service permitting fullest utilization of available personnel and facilities of other departments and agencies and coordination of activities abroad of the United States under a Foreign Service for the United States unified under the guidance of the Department of State.

Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 5141.

H. R. 4903—To amend sections 4, 7, and 17 of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187) for the purpose of extending the time in which amendatory contracts may be made, and for other related purposes.

Mr. Murdock; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5141.

H. R. 4904—To amend section 77 of the act of July 1, 1898, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," as amended.

Mr. Hobbs; Committee on the Judiciary, 5141.

H. R. 4905—To provide for the purchase of surplus war properties by veterans, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bennett of Michigan; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 5191.

H. R. 4906—To extend the provisions of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, to certain women between the ages of 20 and 35.

Mr. Celler; Committee on Military Affairs, 5191.

H. R. 4907—To promote the further development of the 4-H Clubs and other extension work with rural youths, and for other purposes.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Agriculture, 5191.

H. R. 4908—To provide for the future transfer of certain property near Columbia, S. C., to the Disabled American Veterans, Department of South Carolina, for use as an orphans' home.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Military Affairs, 5191.

H. R. 4909—To provide for health programs for Government employees.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the Civil Service, 5191.

H. R. 4910—Authorizing the Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe Railway Co., or its successors, to convey to the States of Arizona and California, jointly or separately, for public highway purposes, an existing railroad bridge across the Colorado River, formerly known as the Red Rock Bridge, at or near Topock, Ariz.

Mr. Sheppard; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5191.—Reported back [H. Rept. 1994], 8648.—Passed House, 8771.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, 8792.—

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Reported back (S. Rept. 1375), 9211.—Passed Senate, 9446.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9870.—Approved [Public, No. 537], 9806.

H. R. 4911—To amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Agriculture, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1592), 5231.—Made special order (H. Res. 605), 8223-8228.—Debated in House, 8228-8304, 8339-8342.—Passed House, 8343.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 8356.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1298), 8717.—Debated in Senate, 9255, 9310-9315, 9316-9321, 9321-9339, 9384-9421.—Amended and passed Senate, 9421.—Senate insists upon its amendments and asks for conference, 9421.—Conferees appointed, 9421.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 9532.—Conferees appointed, 9532.—Conference report (No. 2083), submitted in House and agreed to, 9556, 9600-9605.—Conference report submitted in Senate and agreed to, 9583.—Examined and signed, 9626, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 551], 9807.

H. R. 4912—To provide a uniform allowance for members of the Navy patrol and Navy guard forces.

Mr. Harris of Virginia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5191.

H. R. 4913—To amend sections 4, 7, and 17 of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187) for the purpose of extending the time in which amendatory contracts may be made, and for other related purposes.

Mr. Harless of Arizona; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5191.

H. R. 4914—To extend the mineral leasing laws to lands acquired by the United States.

Mr. O'Connor; Committee on the Public Lands, 5191.

H. R. 4915—To amend and supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act, approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, to authorize appropriations for the post-war construction of highways and bridges, to eliminate hazards at railroad-grade crossings, to provide for the immediate preparation of plans and acquisition of rights-of-way, and for other purposes.

Mr. Robinson of Utah; Committee on Roads, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1597), 5353.—Made special order (H. Res. 654), 8345-8350.—Debated in House, 8387-8415, 8462, 8464, 8505-8531, 8567-8585; Passed House, 8585.—Proceedings vacated and the bill laid on the table (S. 2105 passed in lieu), 8585.

H. R. 4916—To amend the act of June 19, 1934 (Public, No. 435, 73d Cong.).

Mr. Abernethy; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1630), 5823.—Passed House, 5862.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1207), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9056.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 493], 9805.

H. R. 4917—Conferring upon the State of Montana authority to exchange for other lands certain lands selected by the State of Montana for the use of the University of Montana for biological station purposes pursuant to the act of March 3, 1905 (33 Stat. 1080).

Mr. Mansfield of Montana; Committee on the Public Lands, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1887), 7773.—Passed House,

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7947.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 7976.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1178), 8312.—Amended and passed Senate, 8435.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8771.—Examined and signed, 8867, 8868.—Presented to the President, 9020.—Approved [Public, No. 475], 9805.

H. R. 4918—To provide for the payment to certain Government employees for accumulated or accrued annual leave due upon their separation from Government service.

Mr. Lane; Committee on the Civil Service, 5191.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1836), 7509.—Amended and passed House, 7569.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 7609.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1300), 8717.—Amended and passed Senate, 9436.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9548.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9670.—Approved [Public, No. 525], 9806.

H. R. 4919—To amend the act authorizing postmasters in Alaska to administer oaths and affirmations.

Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1950), 8534.—Passed House, 8765.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 8792.

H. R. 4920—For the relief of William F. Meredith.

Mr. Chenoweth; Committee on Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4921—For the relief of Dr. J. Sims Norman.

Mr. Chenoweth; Committee on Claims, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1832), 7413.—Passed House, 8275.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1248), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Private, No. 583], 9807.

H. R. 4922—For the relief of H. J. Hickman and P. G. Hickman.

Mr. Colmer; Committee on Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4923—For the relief of the National Liberty Insurance Co. of America.

Mr. Gille; Committee on Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4924—For the relief of Charles W. Buck.

Mr. Kunkel; Committee on Military Affairs, 5191.

H. R. 4925—For the relief of Mrs. Flora Cooper Lynch.

Mr. Magnuson; Committee on Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4926—For the relief of Oscar G. Guimond.

Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; Committee on Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4927—For the relief of Francis D. Stoval, Jr.

Mr. McGhee; Committee on Claims, 5191.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1821), 7384.—Amended and passed House, 8273.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1249), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Private, No. 544], 9806.

H. R. 4928—For the relief of Lewis J. Hart.

Mr. Miller of Missouri; Committee on Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4929—For the relief of Lt. James H. Clark and Eleanor Clark.

Mr. Outland; Committee on Claims, 5191.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1851), 7576.—Passed House, 8277.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 2098), 8484.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Private, No. 456], 9159.

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H. R. 4930—For the relief of Maj. Edward A. Zaj. Mr. Sadowski; Committee on War Claims, 5191.

H. R. 4931—For the relief of the city of Beardstown, Ill. Mr. Simpson of Illinois; Committee on Claims, 5191.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1854), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 7636.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 7657.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1111), 7973.—Amended and passed Senate, 7974.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 8105.—Examined and signed, 8154, 8161.—Presented to the President, 8162.—Approved [Public, No. 4551], 8162.

H. R. 4932—To amend sections 4, 7, and 17 of the Reclamation Project Act of 1939 (53 Stat. 1187) for the purpose of extending the time in which amendatory contracts may be made, and for other related purposes. Mr. Murdock; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5231.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2045), 9020.—Debated in House, 9177-9179.—Laid on the table (S. 1782 passed in lieu), 9299.

H. R. 4933—To amend the Revenue Act of 1943. Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Ways and Means, 5231.

H. R. 4934—To amend the Revenue Act of 1943. Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Ways and Means, 5231.

H. R. 4935—To provide for a study of multiple taxation of air commerce, and for other purposes. Mr. Bulwinkle; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5231.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1633), 5823.—Passed House, 6196.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 6247.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1026), 6347.—Passed Senate, 6486.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 416], 6713.

H. R. 4936—To provide for the refund of certain interest paid by veterans on loans secured by adjusted-service certificates, and for other purposes. Mr. Shepard; Committee on Ways and Means, 5231.

H. R. 4937—Making appropriations for defense aid (lend-lease), for the participation by the United States in the work of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, and for the Foreign Economic Administration, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes. Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, 5204.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1591), 5204, 5231.—Debated in House, 5204-5229, 5233-5257, 5259-5262.—Passed House, 5263.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 5277.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 961), 5751.—Debated in Senate, 5826, 5838-5839.—Amended and passed Senate, 5839.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests conference, 5839.—Conferees appointed, 5839.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 5898.—Conferees appointed, 5898.—Conference report (No. 1721) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6504.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 6581.—House re-cedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 2, 6502.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 382], 6712.

H. R. 4938—To provide for the investigation by Federal Bureau of Investigation of black-market operations in Cleveland, Ohio. Mr. Feighan; Committee on the Judiciary, 5231.

H. R. 4939—To provide for improved agricultural land utilization by assisting in the rehabilitation and construction of drainage works in the humid areas of the United States. Mr. Peterson of Georgia; Committee on Agriculture, 5231.

H. R. 4940—To authorize the admission into the United States, under a quota for Koreans, persons of the Korean race, to make them racially eligible for naturalization, and for other purposes. Mr. Farrington; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5231.

H. R. 4941—To extend the period of operation of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942 and the Stabilization Act of October 2, 1942, and for other purposes. Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 5231.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1593), 5265.—Made special order (H. Res. 582), 5465-5473.—Debated in House, 5477-5496, 5531, 5588, 5649-5632, 5687-5742, 5792-5821, 5863-5893, 5899-5921.—Motion to recommit rejected, 5921.—Passed House, 5921.—Proceedings vacated; laid on table (S. 1764 passed in lieu), 5927.

H. R. 4942—For the relief of Mr. Lum Jacobs and Mrs. Lum Jacobs. Mr. Beckworth; Committee on Claims, 5231.

H. R. 4943—For the relief of Mrs. Nettie Peters. Mr. Fisher; Committee on Claims, 5231.

H. R. 4944—For the relief of Robert F. Birt. Mr. Forand; Committee on Claims, 5231.

H. R. 4945—For the relief of Myles Perz. Mr. Gorski; Committee on Claims, 5231.

H. R. 4946—To reimburse certain aviation cadets and former aviation cadets for the value of personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at Carroll College, Helena, Mont., on January 8, 1944. Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 5231.

H. R. 4947—To provide for the settlement of war veterans, war workers, and others on the Central Valley project; for encouragement of the development of the project in family-size units; for cooperation by Federal, State, and private organizations to these ends; and for other purposes. Mr. White; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5265.

H. R. 4948—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to contract with the Middle Rio Grande Conservancy District of New Mexico for the payment of operation and maintenance charges on certain Pueblo Indian lands. Mr. White; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5265.

H. R. 4949—To amend the Second War Powers Act, 1942. Mr. Burch of Virginia; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 5358.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1836), 5896.—Passed House, 6198.—Referred to Senate Committee on Post Offices and Post Roads, 6247.

H. R. 4950—Extending the provisions of Public Law 47, Seventy-seventh Congress, as amended, to reemployment committee men of the Selective Service System. Mr. Sunniers of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 5358.

H. R. 4951—To amend section 1442, Revised Statutes, relating to furlough of officers by the Secretary of the Navy. Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5358.

H. R. 4952—To allow credit in connection with certain homestead entries for military or naval service, and certain other services, rendered during the present war. Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on the Public Lands, 5358.

H. R. 4953—For the relief of Angelina Bourbeau. Mr. Clason; Committee on Claims, 5358.

H. R. 4954—For the relief of Pedro Garcia Casanova or Melquides Rojas. Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5358.

H. R. 4955—For the relief of Sigurdur Jonsson and Thorolina Thordardottir. Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 5358.

H. R. 4956—For the relief of the minor children of the late Demetrio Caquias. Mr. Pagán; Committee on Claims, 5358.

H. R. 4957—For the relief of Florence J. Sypert, administratrix of the estate of Leona Connor Childers. Mr. Slaughter; Committee on Claims, 5353.

H. R. 4958—To amend the Transportation of Explosives Act. Mr. Lea; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5430.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1647), 6011.—Amended and passed House, 6566.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, 6595.

H. R. 4959—To authorize double credit toward retirement for overseas service performed during the present war. Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Military Affairs, 5430.

H. R. 4960—To amend section 77 of the act of July 1, 1898, entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," as amended. Mr. Hobbs; Committee on the Judiciary, 5430.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1615), 5589.

H. R. 4961—To amend the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, to provide compensation for disability or death of air-carrier employees, and for other purposes. Mr. O'Hara; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5430.

H. R. 4962—For the relief of Jessie Springsteen and John Springsteen. Mr. Auchincloss; Committee on Claims, 5430.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1852), 7576.—Amended and passed House, 8277.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1344), 8869.—Passed Senate, 9443.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Private, No. 584], 9807.

H. R. 4963—For the relief of the estate of James Patrick Hackett and for Charles L. Stover. Mr. Auchincloss; Committee on Claims, 5430.

H. R. 4964—For the relief of the Anderson Equipment Co., Omaha, Nebr. Mr. Buffett; Committee on Claims, 5430.

H. R. 4965—For the relief of H. Dale Madison. Mr. Elliott; Committee on Claims, 5430.

H. R. 4966—For the relief of William Albert Johnson. Mr. Wadsworth; Committee on Military Affairs, 5430.

H. R. 4967—Making appropriations for the Military Establishment for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1945, and for other purposes. Mr. Snyder; Committee of the Whole House on the State of the Union, 5460.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1806), 5501.—Debated in House, 5974-5995.—Amended and passed House, 5995.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 6013.—Reported with amendments (S.

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Rept. 987), 6143.—Debated in Senate, 6278-6281, 6348-6352.—Amended and passed Senate, 6359.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests a conference, 6359.—Conferees appointed, 6359.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to a conference, 6432.—Conferees appointed, 6432.—Conference report (No. 1720), submitted in House and agreed to, 6577.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 1; recedes and concurs in Senate amendment No. 3 with an amendment, 6578.—Senate concurs in House amendment to amendment of Senate No. 3, 6604.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 374], 6712.

H. R. 4968—To amend section 511 (c) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended, relative to deposit of vessel proceeds received from the United States in certain cases, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 5502.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1683), 6241.—Amended and passed House, 8457.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 8483.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1315), 8829.—Passed Senate, 9442.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 552], 9806.

H. R. 4969—To amend the Mustered-Out Payment Act of 1944 so as to provide mustering-out payments to certain persons discharged or relieved from active service in the armed forces to accept employment.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Military Affairs, 5502.

H. R. 4970—To provide additional pay for enlisted men of the Army assigned to the Infantry who are awarded the expert infantryman badge or the combat infantryman badge.

Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 5502.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1700), 6456.—Laid on the table (S. 1973 passed in lieu), 6571.

H. R. 4971—To amend an act entitled "An act authorizing the temporary appointment or advancement of certain personnel of the Navy and Marine Corps, and for other purposes," approved July 24, 1941, as amended, and for other purposes.

Mr. Satterfield; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5502.

H. R. 4972—For the relief of Morris Fine. Mr. Bradley of Pennsylvania; Committee on Claims, 5502.

H. R. 4973—For the relief of Chandler Cobb. Mr. Baldwin of New York; Committee on War Claims, 5502.

H. R. 4974—For the relief of Mrs. Dorothy Stowell.

Mr. Curtis; Committee on Claims, 5502.

H. R. 4975—For the relief of Gorgios Nicolaou Perivolaris (also known as George N. Perivolaris).

Mr. Eberharder; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5502.

H. R. 4976—For the relief of Mrs. Ruth C. Stone.

Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on Claims, 5502.

H. R. 4977—For the relief of Mrs. John W. Boshell.

Mr. Manasco; Committee on Claims, 5502.

H. R. 4978—For the relief of Leonard D. Jackson and Elsie Fowkes Jackson.

Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Claims, 5502.

H. R. 4979—To provide adequate markets and fair prices for agricultural commodities produced in the United States; to eliminate the necessity for mandatory reduc-

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tions in crop production; to provide a method for the exchange of surplus agricultural commodities for products of foreign countries on a basis mutually advantageous to agricultural and manufacturing interests in the United States, and to such foreign countries; to promote foreign trade in the interest of friendly and peaceful relations among nations; and for other purposes.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Ways and Means, 5589.

H. R. 4980—To place on the retired list certain former commissioned officers of the Army who served during World War I.

Mr. Costello; Committee on Military Affairs, 5589.

H. R. 4981—To amend section 327 (h) of the Nationality Act of 1940.

Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5589.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1925), 8416.

H. R. 4982—To amend the Classification Act of March 4, 1923, as amended, to create a Mechanical Service, and for other purposes.

Mr. Eberharder; Committee on the Civil Service, 5589.

H. R. 4983—To restore to active duty and to the active list certain retired officers of the Regular Army, and for other purposes.

Mr. Ellsworth; Committee on Military Affairs, 5589.

H. R. 4984—To confer on the district courts of the United States jurisdiction of certain proceedings involving support for children.

Mr. Heffernan; Committee on the Judiciary, 5589.

H. R. 4985—To authorize a National Mississippi River Parkway and matters relating thereto.

Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on the Public Lands, 5589.

H. R. 4986—To reopen the revested Oregon and California Railroad and reconveyed Coos Bay Wagon Road grant lands to exploration, location, entry, and disposition under the general mining laws.

Mr. Ellsworth; Committee on the Public Lands, 5589.

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Mr. McCormack; Committee on Claims, 5590.

H. R. 4988—For the relief of certain officers and employees of the foreign service of the United States who, while in the course of their respective duties, suffered losses of personal property by reason of war conditions.

Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 5590.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2040), 9020.

H. R. 4989—To assist in the internal development of the Virgin Islands by the undertaking of useful projects therein, and for other purposes.

Mr. Bell; Committee on Insular Affairs, 5685.

H. R. 4990—Providing for the sale of certain surplus military vehicles and equipment to farmers and to servicemen who intend to engage in or resume farming.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Agriculture, 5685.

H. R. 4991—To remove restrictions on transfers of small craft to other American Republics in furtherance of the war effort.

Mr. Hébert; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5685.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1675), 6141.—Amended and passed House, 6207.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 6247.

H. R. 4992—To provide for making certain surplus materials, equipment, and supplies available for soil- and water-conservation work through the distribution thereof, by grant or loan, to public bodies organized under State laws, and for other purposes.

Mr. Mills; Committee on Agriculture, 5685.

H. R. 4993—To amend Public, No. 507, Seventy-seventh Congress, second session, an act to further expedite the prosecution of the war, approved March 27, 1942, known as the Second War Powers Act, 1942.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 5685.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1959), 8535.—Made special order (H. Res. 660), 8586.—Debated in House, 8632-8645.—Amended and passed House, 8645.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 8652.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1301), 8717.—Passed Senate, 9055.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 509], 9805.

H. R. 4994—For the relief of E. C. Goza, G. S. Kester, and A. H. McDermid.

Mr. Fulmer; Committee on Claims, 5685.

H. R. 4995—For the relief of Pond Laundry Co.

Mr. Gossett; Committee on Claims, 5685.

H. R. 4996—For the relief of Charles D. Butts.

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H. R. 4997—For the relief of Oscar Zimmer.

Mr. Gossett; Committee on Claims, 5685.

H. R. 4998—For the relief of John C. Tuttle.

Mr. Rowe; Committee on Claims, 5685.

H. R. 4999—To increase the service-connected disability rates of pension for certain Regular Establishment veterans and veterans of wars prior to World War I.

Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 5745.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1677), 6141.—Amended and passed House, 6201, 6202.—Referred to Senate Committee on Pensions, 6247.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1149), 8175.—Passed Senate, 8432.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 469], 9159.

H. R. 5000—To clarify the provisions of law relating to the display of service flags and the wearing of service lapel buttons, and for other purposes.

Mr. Springer; Committee on Military Affairs, 5745.

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Mr. Cochran; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 5823.

H. R. 5002—Granting the consent of Congress to the State of Tennessee Department of Highways and Public Works to construct, maintain, and operate a free highway bridge across the Clinch River at the point where such river is crossed by United States Highway No. 25E.

Mr. McCord; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5823.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1995), 8648.—Passed House, 9169.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 9212.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1381), 9383.—Passed Senate, 9769.—Examined and signed, 9779, 9806.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 553], 9806.

H. R. 5003—Authorizing the Tennessee Valley Authority to convey to the State of Tennessee for the use and benefit of the Department of Highways and Public Works certain easements and rights-of-way.

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H. R. 5005—To amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes," approved April 4, 1944, relating to the acquisition and disposal of land for naval use.
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Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Labor, 5823.

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Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on Agriculture, 5823.

H. R. 5008—Relating to the decisions of panels and referees to which the War Labor Board has referred labor disputes.
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Mr. Mundt; Committee on Claims, 5824.

H. R. 5015—To amend the act entitled "An act to prevent pernicious political activities," approved August 2, 1939, as amended, to further protect the rights, privileges, and immunities extended to citizens by State and Federal election laws.
Mr. Jennings; Committee on the Judiciary, 5896.

H. R. 5016—To grant certain veterans' preference benefits to certain persons who serve in the armed forces of nations allied with the United States in the present war.
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H. R. 5019—To create and expand postwar employment and opportunity by encouraging the establishment of small business.
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H. R. 5020—To amend the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938, as amended, and for other purposes.
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H. R. 5021—To provide for the establishment of a veterans' hospital in central Alaska.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 5933.

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Mr. Dimond; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 5933.

H. R. 5023—Providing for the incorporation of The National Camp, Patriotic Order Sons of America, organized December 10, 1847.
Mr. Walter; Committee on the Judiciary, 5933.

H. R. 5024—To provide for Federal aid to the States for the development, construction, improvement, and repair of public airports in the United States, and for other purposes.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5933.

H. R. 5025—To allow credit in connection with certain homestead entries for military or naval service rendered during World War II.
Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on the Public Lands, 5933—Reported back (H. Rept. 1646), 6011.—Passed House, 6200.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 6247.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1084), 7608.—Passed Senate, 7721.—Examined and signed, 7907, 7971.—Presented to the President, 8042.—Approved [Public, No. 434], 8162.

H. R. 5026—To provide for a national cemetery in the State of New York.
Mr. Burchill of New York; Committee on Military Affairs, 6011.

H. R. 5027—To provide for the deferment in each calendar year under the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 of not less than 6,000 medical students.
Mr. Miller of Missouri; Committee on Military Affairs, 6011.

H. R. 5028—To amend the act entitled "An act to mobilize the productive facilities of small business in the interest of successful prosecution of the war, and for other purposes," approved June 11, 1942.
Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6011.

H. R. 5029—To assist in the internal development of the Virgin Islands by the undertaking of useful projects therein, and for other purposes.
Mr. Bell; Committee on Insular Affairs, 6011—Reported back (H. Rept. 1673), 6141.—Passed House, 8586.—Referred to Senate Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 8592.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1304), 8714.—Amended and passed Senate, 8988.—House concurs in Senate amendments, 9064.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 510], 9805.

H. R. 5030—To create an independent Civil Aeronautic Authority and an independent Air Safety Board, to promote the development and safety and to provide for the regulation of civil aeronautics, and to promote world leadership by the United States in aviation.
Mr. King; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 6011.

H. R. 5031—To amend the First War Powers Act, 1941.
Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 6011.

H. R. 5032—To provide for the submission of administrative regulations and orders to the Congress, and for the approval by Congress of those which should be continued in effect.
Mr. Disney; Committee on the Judiciary, 6011.

H. R. 5033—For the relief of Margery Anderson Bridges.
Mr. Cox; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 6012.

H. R. 5034—For the relief of the estate of Francis A. Collins.
Mr. Hébert; Committee on Claims, 6012.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1822), 7834.—Amended and passed House, 8273.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 7313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1274), 8536.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 8626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Private, No. 585], 9807.

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Mr. Knutson; Committee on Claims, 6012.

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Mr. Fagán; Committee on Military Affairs, 6011.

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Mr. Smith of Wisconsin; Committee on Claims, 6011.

H. R. 5038—To create the All-American Flag Line, Inc., and to assure the United States world leadership in the field of air transportation.
Mr. King; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 6011.

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Mr. Cannon of Missouri; from Committee on Appropriations.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1660), 6048, 6084.—Debated in House, 6086-6099.—Amended and passed House, 6099.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 6147.—Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 1028), 6457.—Debated in Senate, 6461-6468.—Amended and passed Senate, 6468.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests a conference, 6468.—Conferees appointed, 6468.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to a conference, 6577.—Conferees appointed, 6577.—Conference report (No. 1745) submitted in Senate and agreed to, 6640.—Conference report submitted in House and agreed to, 6668-6671.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 375], 6712.

H. R. 5041—To amend the Veterans' Regulations.
Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Invalid Pensions, 6084.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1882), 7710.—Passed House, 7915.—Referred to Senate Committee on Pensions, 7976.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1150), 8175.—Passed Senate, 8432.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 462], 9159.

H. R. 5042—To amend the Life Insurance Act of the District of Columbia.
Mr. Lesinski; Committee on the District of Columbia, 6024.

H. R. 5043—For the relief of Kentucky-Illinois Hemp Corp.
Mr. Chapman; Committee on Claims, 6084.

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H. R. 5046—To permit the Metropolitan Police force of the District of Columbia to obtain certain information from the War Manpower Commission and the United States Employment Service.
Mr. McMillan; Committee on the District of Columbia, 6141.

H. R. 5047—To amend the United States Employees' Compensation Act of September 7, 1916, so as to permit an award of compensation for death, and payment of burial expenses, without regard to the lapse of time between the injury and death.
Mr. McMillan; Committee on the Judiciary, 6141.

H. R. 5048—For the relief of the estate of Cecile H. Burgett, deceased.
Mr. Buffett; Committee on Claims, 6141.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1233), 7413.—Amended and passed House, 8275.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1250), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 584], 9807.

H. R. 5049—For the relief of Walter S. Faulkner.
Mr. McCord; Committee on Claims, 6141.

H. R. 5050—For the relief of Sam D. Moak.
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Mr. McMillan; Committee on Claims, 6141.

H. R. 5053—For the relief of Mrs. Maud M. Wright and Mrs. Maxine Mills.
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H. R. 5054—For the relief of Paul Stanik.
Mr. Wasilewski; Committee on Claims, 6141.

H. R. 5055—To create the office of Senator at Large in the Senate of the United States for ex-Presidents of the United States.
Mr. Canfield; Committee on the Judiciary, 6241.

H. R. 5056—To amend the National Labor Relations Act, so as to make it an unfair labor practice to discriminate against any employee, in the rate of compensation paid, on account of sex.
Miss Stanley; Committee on Labor, 6241.

H. R. 5057—To authorize the continued operation of certain airport traffic-control towers by the Civil Aeronautics Administration.
Mr. Kefauver; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 6241.

H. R. 5058—To provide for the issuance of grazing permits for livestock in the national parks and national monuments.
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H. R. 5059—For the relief of Mrs. Zelma Inez Check.
Mr. Doughton; Committee on Claims, 6241.

H. R. 5060—For the relief of Clyde H. Palmer; estate of Lola J. Palmer; legal guardian of Margie Joan Palmer, a minor.
Mr. Gearhart; Committee on Claims, 6241.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1879), 7654.—Amended and passed House; title amended, 8280.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1294), 8592.—Passed Senate, 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Private, No. 587], 9807.

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H. R. 5062—To authorize certain transactions by disbursing officers of the United States, and for other purposes.
Mr. Manasco; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 6344.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1945), 8534.—Passed House, 8764.—Referred to Senate Committee on Banking and Currency, 8792.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1311), 8820.—Passed Senate, 9439.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 584], 9807.

H. R. 5063—To prohibit any Government agency from entering into any construction contract with an alien or with any corporation, partnership, or other business association any officer of which is an alien.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the Judiciary, 6344.

H. R. 5064—To provide pensions for certain widows of veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Philippine Insurrection and Boxer Rebellion.
Mr. Case; Committee on Pensions, 6344.

H. R. 5065—To require examination and laboratory tests for syphilis, gonorrhea, and tuberculosis of all applicants for marriage licenses before the issuance thereof in the District of Columbia.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 6344.

H. R. 5066—To permit Federal employees to serve as election officials.
Mr. Sasser; Committee on the Judiciary, 6345.

H. R. 5067—To amend the Naval Reserve Act of 1938, as amended, so as to permit foreign service of members of the Women's Reserve under certain conditions.
Mrs. Smith of Maine; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6345.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1724), 6586.—Debated in House, 7862, 7870.—Laid on the table (S. 2028 passed in lieu), 7944.

H. R. 5068—To provide that temporary appointments as commissioned or warrant officers in the Army of the United States of enlisted men or warrant officers of the Army of the United States on active duty shall be deemed to have been accepted upon the dates such appointments are made, and for other purposes.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 6345.

H. R. 5069—To remove certain discriminations against Government employees in the payment of overtime compensation.
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H. R. 5070—Prescribing new postal rates for air mail other than the first class.
Mr. Holifield; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 6345.

H. R. 5071—To amend the act of February 14, 1931 (46 Stat. 1103), entitled "An act to permit payments for the operation of motorcycles and automobiles used for necessary travel on official business on a mileage basis in lieu of actual operating expenses."
Mr. Manasco; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 6345.

H. R. 5072—To create a board to be known as the National Symphony Orchestra Trust Fund Board, to define the duties of said Board, and for other purposes.
Mr. Kefauver; Committee on the Judiciary, 6345.

H. R. 5073—For the relief of L. Wilmeth Hodges.
Mr. Cooper; Committee on Claims, 6345.

H. R. 5074—For the relief of Mrs. Gabriela Redondo Ayson.
Mr. Farrington; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 6345.

H. R. 5075—For the relief of John Bell.
Mr. Holifield; Committee on Claims, 6345.

H. R. 5076—For the relief of the persons named.
Mr. Phillips; Committee on Claims, 6345.

H. R. 5077—For the relief of Judge N. Singleton.
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H. R. 5078—For the relief of Thomas A. Butler.
Mr. Satterfield; Committee on Claims, 6345.

H. R. 5079—To provide vocational training and retraining programs for the occupational adjustment and readjustment of veterans returning from military service, workers demobilized from war-production plants, and for other youth and for adults, that individuals and the Nation may attain economic stability and security, and to further extend the program of vocational education.
Mr. Dondero; Committee on Education, 6456.

H. R. 5080—Prohibiting the use of the words "Army" or "Navy," or both, in the name of a mercantile establishment.
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H. R. 5081—To improve the administration of justice by prescribing fair administrative procedure.
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H. R. 5083—To provide for the promotion of moral, temperance, and character education; to provide for cooperation with the States in the promotion of such education; and to provide for cooperation with the States in preparation of teachers of moral, temperance, character, and good-citizenship subjects.
Mr. Cole of New York; Committee on Education, 6456.

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Mr. Harness of Indiana; Committee on Military Affairs, 6456.

H. R. 5085—To provide for the extension and application of the provisions of the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, to certain officers and employees of the Immigration and Naturalization Service in the Department of Justice.
Mr. Ramspeck; Committee on the Civil Service, 6456.

H. R. 5086—For the relief of Noel Eugene Johnson.
Mr. Bennett of Missouri; Committee on Claims, 6456.

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H. R. 5088—To authorize the construction of additional housing facilities for naval personnel and their dependents.
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H. R. 5090—To extend the benefits of the act of May 29, 1944, entitled "An act to provide for the recognition of the services of the civilian officials and employees, citizens of the United States, engaged in and about the construction of the Panama Canal," to certain additional civilian officers and employees.
Mr. O'Brien of Michigan; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 6586.

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Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 6586.

H. R. 5092—To authorize mining, milling, or smelting loans and for other purposes.
Mr. Engle of California; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6587.

H. R. 5093—To provide for the relief of owners of mines required to suspend operations by reason of restrictions arising from the war effort; and for suspending the enforcement of certain obligations against the operators of mines who are forced to cease operations because of the war.
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Mr. Anderson of California; Committee on Banking and Currency, 6587.

H. R. 5095—To provide for the erection of memorial stones in national cemeteries for certain servicemen determined to be missing or missing in action, or buried at sea.
Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Military Affairs, 6587.

H. R. 5096—To amend the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, so as to authorize additional within-grade advancements as rewards for superior accomplishment.
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H. R. 5097—To facilitate the recruitment of persons for Federal employment.
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H. R. 5098—To amend the War Overtime Pay Act of 1943, relating to the payment of overtime compensation to Government employees, and for other purposes.
Mr. Ramspeck; Committee on the Civil Service, 6587.

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Mr. Ramspeck; Committee on the Civil Service, 6587.

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Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on the Civil Service, 6587.

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H. R. 5118—To amend the Trading With the Enemy Act, as amended, and for other purposes.
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Mr. Case; Committee on Agriculture, 6680.

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Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Territories, 6719.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1834), 7509.—Passed House, 7494.—Referred to Senate Committee on Territories and Insular Affairs, 7516.—Reported back (S. Rept. 7777).—Passed Senate, 8004.—Examined and signed, 8083, 8145.—Presented to the President, 8161.—Approved [Public No. 435], 8162.

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Mr. Maas; Committee on Naval Affairs, 6719.

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Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 6737.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2041), 9020.—Laid on the table (S. 1979 passed in lieu), 9166.

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Mr. McMillan of South Carolina; Committee on Claims, 6756.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1793), 7302.—Passed House, 6269.—Referred to Senate Committee on Claims, 8313.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1251), 8537.—Passed Senate, 9432.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Private, No. 588], 9806.

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Mr. May; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 7134.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1996), 8648.—Passed House, 9169.—Referred to Senate Committee on Commerce, 9212.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1382), 9383.—Passed Senate, 9518.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 557], 9807.

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Mr. Weiss; Committee on Ways and Means, 7165.

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Mr. Disney; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 7165.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1991), 8648.—Amended and passed House, 8910.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, 8955.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1376), 9211.—Passed Senate, 9446.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 557], 9807.

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H. R. 5377—To establish a Missouri Valley Authority to provide for unified water control and resource development on the Missouri River and surrounding region in the interest of the control and prevention of floods, the promotion of navigation and reclamation of the public lands, the strengthening of the national defense, and for other purposes.
Mr. Cochran; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 7880.

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Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 7880.

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H. R. 5380—To amend certain provisions of the Social Security Act and the Internal Revenue Code in order to bring within the scope thereof service performed in handling, planting, drying, packing, and so forth, agricultural commodities.
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H. R. 5387—To amend sections 101 (a) and 212 (b) (2) of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended.
Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 7881.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2032), 9020.

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Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 8042.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1916), 8306.—Passed House, 8460.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 8483.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1313), 8812.—Passed Senate, 9144.—Examined and signed, 9206, 9281.—Presented to the President, 9382.—Approved [Public, No. 494], 9805.

H. R. 5409—For the exchange of lands adjacent to the Pike National Forest in Colorado.
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H. R. 5413—To amend the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, and the Federal Alcohol Administration Act, as amended.
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H. R. 5442—To provide further for the appointment of postmasters for fourth-class post offices in the Territory of Alaska.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 8173.

H. R. 5443—To amend the act approved May 7, 1934, granting citizenship to the Metlakatla Indians of Alaska.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on Indian Affairs, 8173.

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Mr. Dimond; Committee on the Territories, 8173.

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Mr. Philbin; Committee on Ways and Means, 8173.

H. R. 5448—To permit construction, maintenance, and use of a tunnel for the purpose of carrying lines for petroleum products in the District of Columbia.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8173.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2049), 9096.—Amended and passed House, 9164.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 9212.—Reported back, 9672.—Passed Senate, 9708.—Examined and signed, 9771, 9804.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 561], 9806.

H. R. 5449—To provide for the construction, maintenance, and operation of a national stadium, parade field, swimming pools, and other recreational facilities to be located in the District of Columbia and for the creation of a corporation for effectuating the purposes of the act, and for other purposes.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8173.

H. R. 5450—To revise, codify, and enact into absolute law, Title 18 of the United States Code, entitled "Crimes and Criminal Procedure."
Mr. Keogh; Committee on Revision of the Laws, 8173.

H. R. 5451—To amend the Internal Revenue Code to allow the deduction of certain circulation expenditures, and expenditures in defense of or perfecting property rights or title.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on Ways and Means, 8173.

H. R. 5452—To provide for the gift of war dogs to the servicemen who trained them for their war tasks.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments, 8173.

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Mr. Robertson; Committee on the Public Lands, 8173.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1976), 8590.—Passed House, 8688.—Referred to Senate Committee on Public Lands and Surveys, 8685.—Reported back, 8686.—Passed Senate, 9436.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 538], 9806.

H. R. 5454—To amend section 6 of the Act of March 20, 1933, to prohibit the requirement of the taking of the so-called pauper's oath by certain applicants for hospital treatment or domiciliary care.
Mr. Springer; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 8173.

H. R. 5455—Relating to the retired rank of certain officers of the Navy.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8173.

H. R. 5456—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to lease certain lands situated in San Diego County, State of California.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8173.

H. R. 5457—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to convey to Oahu Railway and Land Co. an easement for railway purposes in certain lands situated at Halawa, Ewa, Oahu, T. H.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8173.

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Mr. Weiss; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 8173.

H. R. 5459—To amend section 3 (b) of the Securities Act of 1933, as amended, so as to permit exemption of security issues not exceeding \$300,000 from the provisions of such act.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 8173.

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Mr. Towe; Committee on Claims, 8173.

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H. R. 5463—For the relief of the county of Bergen, N. J.
Mr. Towe; Committee on Claims, 8173.

H. R. 5464—To amend the law relating to the authority of certain employees of the Immigration and Naturalization Service to make arrests without warrant in certain cases and to search vehicles within certain areas.
Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8198.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1929), 8416.—Passed House, 8763.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8791.

H. R. 5465—To amend section 342 (b) of the Nationality Act of 1940.
Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8198.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1926), 8416.

H. R. 5466—To amend section 3 of the act approved June 20, 1936, entitled "An act to extend the benefits of the Adams Act, the Purnell Act, and the Capper-Ketcham Act to the Territory of Alaska, and for other purposes."
Mr. Dimond; Committee on Agriculture, 8198.

H. R. 5467—To increase the rates of compensation of certain postal employees, and for other purposes.
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H. R. 5469—Providing for payments to the State of Wyoming and for rights-of-way, including stock driveways, over and across Federal lands within the exterior boundary of the Jackson Hole National Monument, Wyoming, and for other purposes.
Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on the Public Lands, 8198.

H. R. 5470—Relating to the imposition of certain penalties and the payment of detention expenses incident to the bringing of certain aliens into the United States.
Mr. Price; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8198.

H. R. 5471—To authorize the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs to transfer by quit-claim deed to the city of Los Angeles, Calif., for fire-station purposes, the title to certain land located at Veterans' Administration facility, Los Angeles, Calif.
Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 8198.

H. R. 5472—To authorize the Secretary of the Navy to grant to the city of Canton, Ohio, for highway purposes only, a strip

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H. R. 5473—To provide for the completion of the Savage River Dam by the Upper Potomac River Commission.
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Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 8198.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2028), 8950.—Debated in House, 9175.

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Mr. Maas; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8198.

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Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8198.

H. R. 5477—To provide aid for the readjustment in civilian life of those persons who render war service in the United States Merchant Marine during World War II, and to provide aid for the families of such disabled or deceased war-service merchant seamen.
Mr. Peterson of Florida; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 8198.

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Mr. Barry; Committee on Claims, 8198.

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Mr. Hendricks; Committee on Claims, 8198.

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H. R. 5483—Granting a pension to Edward Hoffman.
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H. R. 5484—For the relief of Lt. Thomas J. Twohig.
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Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Rules, 8215.

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Mr. Voorhis of California; Committee on Rules, 8215.

H. R. 5487—To provide for the general welfare by further research into the causes, prevention, control, relief, and cure of cancer.
Mr. Fish; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 8215.

H. R. 5488—Relating to marine insurance in the case of certain employees of the Army Transport Service who suffered death, injury, or other casualty prior to April 23, 1943, as a result of marine risks.
Mr. Kilday; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 8215.

H. R. 5489—Authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ordnance manufacturing and production facilities, and for other purposes.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8215.

H. R. 5490—To further amend section 22 of the act approved March 4, 1925, entitled "An act providing for sundry matters affecting the naval service, and for other purposes," by removing the limitation on the total personnel of the Naval Reserve Officers' Training Corps, and for other purposes.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8215.

H. R. 5491—To reenact and extend the provisions of the Bituminous Coal Act of 1937, as amended, until the 1st day of July 3 years after the cessation of hostilities in the present war, and for other purposes.
Mr. Dingell; Committee on Ways and Means, 8215.

H. R. 5492—To provide for payment and settlement of mileage and other travel allowance accounts of military personnel.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 8215.

H. R. 5493—To provide for the continuation on the active list of the Regular Army for the duration of any of the wars in which the United States is now engaged, and for six months thereafter, of any officer on the active list of the Regular Army who has served as Chief of Staff during the wars in which the United States is now engaged.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 8215.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1917), 8306.—Passed House, 8460.—Ordered to be placed on the calendar, 8483.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 2192), 8501.—Examined and signed, 8590, 8591.—Presented to the President, 8713.—Approved [Public, No. 460], 8837.

H. R. 5494—To amend the act entitled "An act authorizing the President to appoint an Under Secretary of War during national emergencies, fixing the compensation of the Under Secretary of War, and authorizing the Secretary of War to prescribe duties", approved December 16, 1940.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 8215.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1918), 8306.—Passed House, 8460.—Ordered to be placed on the calendar, 8483.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. 2178), 9060.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 488], 9805.

H. R. 5495—To exempt from certain retailer's excise taxes articles sold by domiciliary members of Veterans' Administration facilities.
Mr. Case; Committee on Ways and Means, 8215.

H. R. 5496—To amend section 401 (a) of the Nationality Act of 1940.
Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8215.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1930), 8416.—Passed House, 8763.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 8791.

H. R. 5497—To authorize the construction of a parade field, swimming pools, stadium, and other recreational facilities in section F, Anacostia Park, in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8215.

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Mr. Church; Committee on Claims, 8215.

H. R. 5499—For the relief of Sybil Georgette Townsend.
Mr. Church; Committee on Claims, 8215.

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Mr. Izac; Committee on Claims, 8215.

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Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8215.

H. R. 5502—To reimburse certain Navy personnel for personal property lost or damaged as the result of a fire at the naval auxiliary air facility, Astoria, Oreg., on April 2, 1944.
Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8216.

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Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8216.

H. R. 5504—For the relief of G. F. Allen, chief disbursing officer of the Treasury Department, and for other purposes.
Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8216.

H. R. 5505—To authorize payment of certain claims for damage to or loss or destruction of property arising prior to May 27, 1941, out of activities of the War Department or of the Army.
Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8216.

H. R. 5506—For the relief of certain disbursing officers of the Army of the United States, and for other purposes.
Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8216.

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Mr. Stockman; Committee on Claims, 8216.

H. R. 5511—Authorizing and directing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to construct two four-lane bridges to replace the existing Fourteenth Street or Highway Bridge across the Potomac River, and for other purposes.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 8206.

H. R. 5512—To extend certain privileges, exemptions, and immunities to the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration, and to the officials and employees thereof, and for other purposes.
Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; Committee on Ways and Means, 8306.

H. R. 5513—To amend section 201 (g) of the Nationality Act of 1940 (54 Stat. 1138-1139; 8 U. S. C. 601).
Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8306.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1931), 8416.—Debated in House, 9181.—Amended and passed House, 9300.—Referred to Senate Committee on Immigration, 9307.

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Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8306.

H. R. 5518—To amend section 119 of the Judicial Code.
Mr. Summers of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 8306.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1951), 8534.—Passed House, 8708.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 8686.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1302), 8717.—Passed Senate, 9437.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 562], 9807.

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Mr. Judd; Committee on Claims, 8306.

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Mr. Outland; Committee on Claims, 8276.

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Mr. Hébert; Committee on the District of Columbia, 8350.

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Mr. Ellsworth; Committee on Military Affairs, 8350.

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Mr. Jeffrey; Committee on Claims, 8416.

H. R. 5533—To amend section 2 of the Act of May 29, 1928, and section 3 of the Act of March 29, 1944, affecting the compensation of postmasters.
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Mr. McCord; Committee on Agriculture, 8416.

H. R. 5535—To create the rank and title of lieutenant general in the Marine Corps, and for other purposes.
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H. R. 5536—For the relief of the legal guardian of Margaret Hockenberry, a minor.
Mr. Simpson of Pennsylvania; Committee on Claims, 8416.

H. R. 5537—To amend sections 1400 and 1410 of the Federal Insurance Contributions Act, as amended, so as to stabilize the present rate of tax on employees and employers.
Mr. Jenkins; Committee on Ways and Means, 8468.

H. R. 5538—To provide for the location, survey, and building of a system of superhighways, three east and west and six north and south highways.
Mr. Snyder; Committee on Roads, 8468.

H. R. 5539—For the relief of the Irvine Co.
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H. R. 5540—To establish the grade of fleet admiral of the United States Navy; to establish the grade of general of the Army; and for other purposes.
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H. R. 5541—To provide for the disposal of certain mail matter condemned by the Director of Censorship.
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Mr. Forand; Committee on Ways and Means, 8535.

H. R. 5543—Extending the time for the release of powers of appointment for the purposes of certain provisions of the Internal Revenue Code, and for other purposes.
Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; Committee on Ways and Means, 8535.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2017), 8789.—Passed House, 8911.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 8955.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1355), 8970.—Amended and passed Senate, 8970.—Examined and signed, 9306, 9381.—Presented to the President, 9382.—Approved [Public, No. 511], 9805.

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Mr. Anderson of New Mexico; Committee on Claims, 8535.

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H. R. 5549—To amend Public Law 603, Seventy-seventh Congress (ch. 404, 2d sess.), entitled "An act to mobilize the productive facilities of small business in the interest of successful prosecution of the war, and for other purposes."
Mr. Celler; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8590.

H. R. 5550—Relating to the deductibility under chapter 1 of the Internal Revenue Code of expenses paid or incurred in con-

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Mr. Disney; Committee on Ways and Means, 8590.

H. R. 5551—To transfer certain land in Nacogdoches County, Tex., to the United States Forest Service.
Mr. Patton; Committee on Agriculture, 8590.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1999), 8648.—Passed House, 8772.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 8792.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1368), 8955.—Passed Senate, 9444.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 539], 9806.

H. R. 5552—To repeal the act entitled "An act to prohibit financial transactions with any foreign government in default on its obligations to the United States," approved April 13, 1934.
Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 8590.

H. R. 5553—For the relief of the Harbor Boat Works.
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H. R. 5561—To amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942, as amended, with respect to the control of rents for business accommodations.
Mr. Barry; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8649.

H. R. 5562—Relating to burley tobacco of the 1944 and 1945 crops.
Mr. Jennings; Committee on Agriculture, 8649.

H. R. 5563—To authorize the Administrator of the Farm Security Administration to exchange certain land of the United States within the Angostura irrigation project, Hot Springs, S. Dak., for certain land owned by the city of Hot Springs, S. Dak.
Mr. Case; Committee on Agriculture, 8649.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2007), 8713.—Passed House, 8768.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 8792.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1369), 8955.—Passed Senate, 9445.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 540], 9806.

H. R. 5564—To fix the rate of tax under the Federal Insurance Contributions Act on employer and employees for the calendar year 1945.
Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; Committee on Ways and Means, 8649.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 2010), 8713.—Made special order (H. Res. 667), 8831-8837.—Debated in House, 8837-8862.—Passed House, 8863.—Referred to Senate

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Committee on Finance, 8870.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1356), 8970.—Debated in Senate, 9041-9054.—Passed Senate, 9054.—Examined and signed, 9098, 9160.—Presented to the President, 9209.—Approved [Public, No. 495], 9607, 9805.

H. R. 5565—To authorize collectors of internal revenue to receive certain checks and money orders in payment of taxes and for revenue stamps.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; Committee on Ways and Means, 8649.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2018), 8789.—Passed House, 8912.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 8955.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1357), 8770.—Passed Senate, 9444.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 541], 9806.

H. R. 5566—To amend section 502 (a) of the Department of Agriculture Organic Act of 1944.

Mr. McCord; Committee on Agriculture, 8649.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2009), 8713.—Debated in House, 9172-9173.—Passed House, 9173.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 9212.—Reported back, 9255.—Passed Senate, 9518.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 563], 9806.

H. R. 5567—To repeal the income limitation as to payment of death compensation to dependents of deceased service-connected disabled World War veterans.

Mr. O'Brien of New York; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 8649.

H. R. 5568—For the relief of the S. G. Leoffler Operating Co., of Washington, D. C., and for other purposes.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Claims, 8649.

H. R. 5569—To create an Indian Claims Commission, to provide for the powers, duties, and functions thereof, and for other purposes.

Mr. Burdick; Committee on Indian Affairs, 8714.

H. R. 5570—To provide that the term of office of the Governor of Puerto Rico shall expire 60 days from the enactment of this act and at the end of each 4-year period thereafter.

Mr. Cole of New York; Committee on Insular Affairs, 8714.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2038), 9020.

H. R. 5571—To omit or defer the required 5-year valuation of the civil-service retirement and disability fund for the duration of the present war and for 1 year thereafter.

Mr. Ramspeck; Committee on the Civil Service, 8714.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2027), 8950.—Passed House, 9175.—Referred to Senate Committee on Civil Service, 9212.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1393), 9673.—Passed Senate, 9770.—Examined and signed, 9805.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 564], 9805.

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H. R. 5574—To provide for the use of net weights in interstate-commerce transactions in cotton, to provide for the standardization of bale coverings for cotton, to encourage the compression of cotton to higher density at gins, and for other purposes.

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H. R. 5575—To provide for the classification of cotton for producers, and for other purposes.

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H. R. 5576—To establish the grade of Fleet Admiral of the United States Navy; to establish the grade of General of the Army; and for other purposes.

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H. R. 5581—To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to modify the provisions of a contract for the purchase of a power plant for use in connection with the San Carlos irrigation project.

Mr. Murdoch; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 8867.

H. R. 5582—Authorizing an appropriation to carry out the provisions of the act of May 3, 1928 (45 Stat. 484), and for other purposes.

Mr. Case; Committee on Indian Affairs, 8867.

H. R. 5583—Establishing wage differential for leadingmen and quartermen at all naval establishments.

Mr. McMillan of South Carolina; Committee on Naval Affairs, 8867.

H. R. 5584—To enable the mothers, fathers, and widows of deceased members of the armed forces now interred in cemeteries outside the continental limits of the United States or in Alaska to make a pilgrimage to such cemeteries.

Mr. Wickersham; Committee on Military Affairs, 8867.

H. R. 5585—For the relief of Evelyn DeNunzio, Mrs. Mary Capodanno, and the legal guardian of Vincent Capodanno.

Mr. Curley; Committee on Claims, 8867.

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Mr. Willey; Committee on Claims, 8867.

H. R. 5587—Making appropriations to supply deficiencies in certain appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1944, and for prior fiscal years, and to provide supplemental appropriations for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1945, and June 30, 1946, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cannon of Missouri, from Committee on Appropriations, 8914.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2023), 8950.—Debated in House, 8914-8946, 8993-8999, 9064-9078.—Amended and passed House, 9078.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 9100.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1384), 9448.—Debated in Senate, 9493, 9501-9507, 9507-9516.—Amended and passed Senate, 9516.—Senate insists upon its amendments and requests conference, 9516.—Conferee appointed, 9516.—House disagrees to Senate amendments and agrees to conference, 9556.—Conferees appointed, 9556.—Conference report (No. 2087) submitted in House and agreed to, 9603-9610.—House recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 9, 10, 11, 13, 14, 15, 17, and 126; recedes and concurs in Senate amendments Nos. 22, 39, and 125, each with an amendment; insists upon its dis-

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30, 40, 41, 42, and 43, 9610-9617.—Senate agrees to conference report, 9630-9632.—Senate agrees to House amendments to Senate amendments Nos. 22, 39, and 125, recedes from its amendments Nos. 30, 40, 41, 42, and 43, 9633.—Examined and signed, 9771, 9804.—Presented to the President, 9805.—Approved [Public, No. 529], 9806.

H. R. 5588—To extend the Renegotiation Act to December 31, 1945, and to authorize the President to make an additional extension of not more than 6 months after such date.

Mr. Case; Committee on Ways and Means, 8951.

H. R. 5589—To repeal the act entitled "An act to authorize the conveyance of the old lighthouse keeper's residence in Manitowoc, Wis., to the Otto Oas Post, No. 659, Veterans of Foreign Wars of the United States, Manitowoc, Wis." approved June 16, 1938.

Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 8951.

H. R. 5590—To increase clerk hire, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cochran; Committee on Accounts, 8951.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2029), 8993, 9020.—Made special order (H. Res. 672), 8999-9005.—Debated in House, 9005-9016.—Passed House, 9017.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 9023.—Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 1385), 9448.—Amended and passed Senate, 9517.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 9553.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 512], 9805.

H. R. 5591—To prevent United States participation in violations of the Atlantic Charter.

Miss Sumner of Illinois; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 8951.

H. R. 5592—To increase compensation of Members of Senate and House, Delegates, and Resident Commissioners.

Mr. Cellier; Committee on the Judiciary, 9020.

H. R. 5593—To provide that commissioned and warrant officers placed in Saint Elizabeths Hospital or certain United States Public Health Service hospitals, shall be liable to pay such rate per day as may be prescribed from time to time by the President, and to authorize the heads of the several agencies to deduct such sum from their pay and to transmit it to Saint Elizabeths Hospital.

Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 9020.

H. R. 5594—For the relief of the Fair Haven Yacht Works.

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Mr. Fuller; Committee on Claims, 9021.

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H. R. 5598—For the relief of Bruns Kimball & Co.

Mr. Leonard W. Hall; Committee on Claims, 9021.

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Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 9096.

H. R. 5604—To provide for the permanent establishment of the Joint Chiefs of Staff and Joint Secretariat.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Military Affairs, 9096.

H. R. 5605—To amend that portion of the act of June 30, 1906, which relates to the settlement of accounts of deceased officers and enlisted men of the Army, so as to authorize payment up to \$3,000 to the widow or legal heirs of any such deceased individual without the appointment of a legal representative of the estate.

Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on Military Affairs, 9096.

H. R. 5606—To amend that portion of the act of May 27, 1908, which relates to the settlement of accounts of deceased officers and enlisted men of the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard, and of deceased officers of the Public Health Service, so as to authorize payment up to \$3,000 to the widow or legal heirs of any such deceased individual without the appointment of a legal representative of the estate.

Mr. Rees of Kansas; Committee on Naval Affairs, 9096.

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Mr. Rankin; Committee on World War Veterans' Legislation, 9209.

H. R. 5610—To establish the grade of general in the Marine Corps, and for other purposes.

Mr. Cole of New York; Committee on Naval Affairs, 9209.

H. R. 5611—To reduce the war-tax rate on furs.

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Mrs. Bolton; Committee on Military Affairs, 9382.

H. R. 5619—To amend section 8 of the act entitled "An act to amend the act entitled 'An act to provide that the United States shall aid the States in the construction of rural post roads, and for other purposes,' approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, and for other purposes," approved July 13, 1943.

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Mr. Herter; Committee on Claims, 9382.

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Mr. Voorhis of California; Committee on Banking and Currency, 9488.

H. R. 5624—For the relief of Nannie Bass.

Mr. Cooper; Committee on Claims, 9488.

H. R. 5625—To amend the Railroad Retirement Act, the Railroad Unemployment Insurance Act, and subchapter B of chapter 9 of the Internal Revenue Code; and for other purposes.

Mr. Crosser; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 9624.

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Laid on table (S. J. Res. 63 passed in lieu), 1308.

H. J. Res. 138—Granting the consent of Congress to an agreement between the State of New York and the State of Rhode Island and Providence Plantations concerning the settlement of the boundary line between said States.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1453), 4631.—Passed House, 5319.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 5364.—Passed Senate, 6591.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 399], 6712.

H. J. Res. 161—To provide cash awards to personnel of the Maritime Commission and the War Shipping Administration for useful suggestions to improve administration of their activities.

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H. J. Res. 166—To provide for the disposition of the proceeds to accrue as a result of the interlocutory judgment of the Court of Claims in the suit brought against the United States by the Menominee Tribe of Indians, and for other purposes.

Reported with amendment (S. Rept. 838), 3809.—Amended and passed Senate; preamble agreed to, 4970.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 5013.—Examined and signed, 5073, 5116.—Presented to the President, 5117.—Approved [Private, No. 316], 5144.

H. J. Res. 192—To enable the United States to participate in the work of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Organization.

Reported with amendments (H. Rept. 934), 296.—Made special order (H. Res. 401), 468-473—Debated in House, 474-486, 547-584, 635-659, 675-693.—Amended and passed House, 695.—Referred to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, 706.—Reported back (S. Rept. 638), 1634.—Debated in Senate, 1663, 1727-1753, 1754, 1796-1814, 1814-1829.—Amended and passed Senate, 1829.—House disagrees

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H. J. Res. 208—Making an appropriation to assist in providing a supply and distribution of farm labor for the calendar year 1944.

Reported with amendments (S. Rept. 634), 705.—Amended and passed Senate, 861-869.—Senate insists upon its amendments, requests conference, 869.—Conferees appointed, 869, 889.—House disagrees to Senate amendments, agrees to

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H. J. Res. 211—Establishing a Federal Tax Commission, and for other purposes.
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H. J. Res. 216—To insure the complete fulfillment of commitments made to producers who have expanded production of livestock and other agricultural commodities.
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H. J. Res. 217—To permit the importation from foreign countries free of duty, during a period of 90 days, a certain grain, flax.
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H. J. Res. 225—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States to provide for revenue for the Government of the United States and for the general welfare by giving Congress power to levy taxes on land values.
Mr. Eberharter; Committee on the Judiciary, 856.

H. J. Res. 226—To provide for a central reconstruction fund to be used in joint account with foreign governments for rehabilitation, stabilization of currencies, and reconstruction, and for other purposes.
Mr. Dewey; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 1035.

H. J. Res. 227—Extending the period for the acquisition by the Railroad Retirement Board of data needed in carrying out the provisions of the Railroad Retirement Acts.
Mr. Lea; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1035.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1152), 1792.—Passed House, 1979.—Referred to Senate Committee on Interstate Commerce, 2054.—Reported back (S. Rept. 906), 4959.—Passed Senate, 6468.—Examined and signed, 6710, 6711.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 376], 6712.

H. J. Res. 228—Authorizing the Secretary of War to receive for instruction at the United States Military Academy at West Point, Alexander Firouz, a citizen of Iran.
Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 1131.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1703), 6456.—Passed House, 6568.—Referred to Senate Committee on Military Affairs, 6595.

H. J. Res. 229—Authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Valdez Harbor, Alaska.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 1131.

H. J. Res. 230—To limit the operation of sections 109 and 203 of the Criminal Code, and sections 306, 314, and 315 of the Revised Statutes, and certain other provisions of law.
Mr. Kerr; Committee on the Judiciary, 1131.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1117), 1576.—Amended and passed House, title amended, 1674.—Referred to Senate Committee on the Judiciary, 1725.—Reported back (S. Rept. 724), 2053.—Passed Senate, 2055.—Examined and signed, 2124, 2180.—Presented to the President, 2255.—Approved [Public, No. 249], 3115.

H. J. Res. 231—To permit the importation free of duty of flaxseed from foreign countries during a period of 90 days.
Mr. Reed of New York; Committee on Ways and Means, 1233.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1074), 1233.—Passed House, 1270.—Referred to Senate Committee on Finance, 1273.

H. J. Res. 232—Authorizing negotiations for the acquisition of Lower California and adjacent territory, and for other purposes.
Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 1443.

H. J. Res. 233—To provide for a streamlined, simplified, and coordinated Federal tax system; to authorize and direct the Joint Congressional Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation to make studies and recommendations in connection therewith; and to provide for the creation of a temporary advisory council to said committee.
Mr. Knutson; Committee on Ways and Means, 1512.

H. J. Res. 234—To amend the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended, for the purpose of further regulating interstate and foreign commerce in tobacco, and for other purposes.
Mr. Flannagan; Committee on Agriculture, 1719.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1163), 1940.—Passed House, 1975.—Referred to Senate Committee on Agriculture and Forestry, 2054.—Reported with amendment, 3036.—Amended and passed Senate, 3037.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3110.—Examined and signed, 3156, 3158.—Presented to the President, 3287.—Approved [Public, No. 276], 4322.

H. J. Res. 235—Authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Cook Inlet, Alaska.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 1793.

H. J. Res. 236—To provide for a streamlined, simplified, and coordinated Federal tax system; to authorize and direct the Joint Congressional Committee on Internal Revenue Taxation to make studies and recommendations in connection therewith; and to provide for the creation of a temporary advisory council to said committee.
Mr. Talle; Committee on Ways and Means, 1793.

H. J. Res. 237—To amend section 3 of the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution for the purpose of promoting efficiency, for the utilization of the resources and industries of the United States, and so forth," approved February 8, 1918.
Mr. Lane; Committee on Patents, 1871.

H. J. Res. 238—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the making of treaties.
Mr. Fulbright; Committee on the Judiciary, 1901.

H. J. Res. 239—Continuing the Commodity Credit Corporation as an agency of the United States until July 1, 1945.
Mr. Spence; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1901.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1173), 2010.—Laid on table (S. J. Res. 116 passed in lieu); 2039.

H. J. Res. 240—Requesting the President to issue a proclamation designating Sunday, March 12, 1944, as Sun Yat Sen Day.
Mr. Judd; Committee on the Judiciary, 1901.

H. J. Res. 241—Requesting the President to urge upon the governments of those countries where the cultivation of the poppy plant exists, the necessity of immediately limiting the production of opium to the amount required for strictly medicinal and scientific purposes.
Mr. Judd; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 1940.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1515), 5009.—Passed House, 5325.—Referred to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, 5364.—Reported back (S. Rept. 957), 5503.—Passed Senate, preamble agreed to, 6473.—Examined and signed, 6682, 6710.—Presented to the President, 6711.—Approved [Public, No. 400], 6712.

H. J. Res. 242—To amend an act entitled "An act to protect the lives and health and morals of women and minor workers in the District of Columbia, and to establish a Minimum Wage Board, and define its powers and duties, and to provide for the fixing of minimum wages for such workers, and for other purposes," approved September 19, 1918, as amended.
Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 2011.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1292), 3156.—Passed House, 3319.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 3380.—Reported

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back (S. Rept. 950), 5271.—Passed Senate, 5434.—Examined and signed, 5588, 5596.—Presented to the President, 5744.—Approved [Public, No. 341], 6711.

H. J. Res. 243—Creating a Commission to explore means of securing an agreement between the United States and Japan for the exchange of certain persons interned by such countries.
Mr. Engle of California; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2078.

H. J. Res. 244—Creating a Commission to explore means of securing an agreement between the United States and Japan for the exchange of certain persons interned by such countries.
Mr. Anderson of California; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2078.

H. J. Res. 245—Authorizing and directing the Fish and Wildlife Service of the Department of the Interior to conduct a survey of the marine and fresh-water fishery resources of the United States, its Territories, and possessions.
Mr. Bland; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 2125.

H. J. Res. 246—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the making of treaties.
Mr. Gossett; Committee on the Judiciary, 2178.

H. J. Res. 247—On international economic collaboration.
Mr. Coffee; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2353.

H. J. Res. 248—Relating to the marketing of burley and flue-cured tobacco under the Agricultural Adjustment Act of 1938, as amended.
Mr. Cooley; Committee on Agriculture, 2353.

H. J. Res. 249—Authorizing a study and investigation of the opportunities for and the means of foreign economic collaboration.
Mr. Kee; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 2398.

H. J. Res. 250—Authorizing the erection in the District of Columbia of a memorial to the Third Division.
Mr. Gearhart; Committee on the Library, 2484.

H. J. Res. 251—Authorizing a preliminary examination or survey of Anchorage Harbor, Alaska.
Mr. Dimond; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 2608.

H. J. Res. 252—To postpone the invasion of western Europe and secure a durable settlement of the war.
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H. J. Res. 253—To provide relief for the American forces now employed in the war against Japan.
Miss Sumner of Illinois; Committee on Military Affairs, 2608.

H. J. Res. 254—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1944, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.
Mr. Woodruff of Michigan; Committee on the Judiciary, 2641.

H. J. Res. 255—To amend section 1 of Public Resolution 126, Seventy-first Congress, approved March 2, 1931.
Mr. Sparkman; Committee on Printing, 2798.

H. J. Res. 256—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1944, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and com-

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memoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.
Mr. Ludlow; Committee on the Judiciary, 2869.

H. J. Res. 257—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11 of each year General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.
Mr. Ludlow; Committee on the Judiciary, 2869.

H. J. Res. 258—Relating to 3-year wheat insurance contracts with the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation.
Mr. Wickersham; Committee on Agriculture, 3028.

H. J. Res. 259—To provide for presentation of certificates of honor to those persons contributing eight blood donations to the Red Cross blood banks.
Mr. Mruk; Committee on the Judiciary, 3028.

H. J. Res. 260—Providing for the employment of Government employees for folding speeches and pamphlets, House of Representatives.
Considered, amended, read the third time, and passed, 3113.—Amended and passed Senate, 3166.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3252.—Examined and signed, 3371, 3373.—Presented to the President, 3407.—Approved [Public, No. 283], 4322.

H. J. Res. 261—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1944, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.
Mr. Grant of Indian; Committee on the Judiciary, 3239.

H. J. Res. 262—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1944, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.
Mr. Dingell; Committee on the Judiciary, 3354.

H. J. Res. 263—To continue in full force and effect patent No. 1,628,098.
Mr. Tolan; Committee on Patents, 3354.

H. J. Res. 264—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the method of ratification of treaties.
Mr. Bloom; Committee on the Judiciary, 3472.

H. J. Res. 265—To reduce the tax on admissions to cabarets, roof gardens, and similar entertainments.
Mr. Knutson; Committee on Ways and Means, 3588.

H. J. Res. 266—To amend section 124 (f) (3) of the Internal Revenue Code, relating to amortization of emergency facilities.
Mr. Knutson; Committee on Ways and Means, 3728.

H. J. Res. 267—Providing for the transportation to this country of the body of an unknown American warrior killed in battle in Europe, Africa, Asia, or on the islands of the Pacific Ocean, and for the burial of the remains with appropriate ceremonies at the Arlington Memorial Amphitheater, Arlington, Va.
Mr. Fish; Committee on Military Affairs, 3764, 3804.

H. J. Res. 268—To provide for the reappointment of Harvey N. Davis and Arthur H. Compton as members of the Board of Regents of the Smithsonian Institution.
Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on the Library, 3804.—Committee discharged.

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7948.—Passed House, 7949.—Passed Senate, 7935.—Examined and signed, 7989, 8042.—Presented to the President, 8145.—Approved [Public, No. 437], 8162.

H. J. Res. 269—To provide assistance to farmers whose property was destroyed or damaged, in whole or in part, by floods in 1944 in order to enable them to continue farming operations to produce food for the war effort.
Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on Appropriations, 3805.

H. J. Res. 270—Designating February 11 of each year as Thomas Alva Edison Day.
Mr. Sundstrom; Committee on the Judiciary, 3880.

H. J. Res. 271—Making an additional appropriation for the fiscal year 1944 for emergency maternity and infant care for wives of enlisted men in the armed forces.
Mr. Hare; Committee on Appropriations, 3984.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1419), 4087.—Passed House, 4078.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 4089.—Reported back (S. Rept. 864), 4169.—Passed Senate, 4170.—Examined and signed, 4242, 4292.—Presented to the President, 4367.—Approved [Public, No. 303], 4877.

H. J. Res. 272—To reduce the tax on admissions to cabarets, roof gardens, and similar entertainments.
Mr. Joseph M. Pratt; Committee on Ways and Means, 4039.

H. J. Res. 273—To relieve members of the armed forces of the United Nations of the transportation tax.
Mr. Tolan; Committee on Ways and Means, 4088.

H. J. Res. 274—Requesting the President to establish friendly diplomatic relations with Italy.
Mr. Marcantonio; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 4088.

H. J. Res. 275—To establish a joint congressional committee to make a study of the question as to whether the Congress should enact an adjusted-service-pay act.
Mr. Ralph; Committee on Rules, 4242.

H. J. Res. 276—To provide for an international conference of representatives of English-speaking nations for the purpose of formulating a comprehensive postwar foreign policy.
Mr. Rowe; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 4293.

H. J. Res. 277—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States, relating to the preservation of the independence and sovereignty of the United States.
Mr. Day; Committee on the Judiciary, 4293.

H. J. Res. 278—To reduce the tax on admissions to cabarets, roof gardens, and similar entertainments.
Mr. Lynch; Committee on Ways and Means, 4293.

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H. J. Res. 280—To provide assistance to farmers whose property was destroyed or damaged, in whole or in part, by floods in 1944, in order to enable them to continue farming operations to produce food for the war effort.
Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on Appropriations, 4368.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1442), 4464.—Debated in House, 4431-4433.—Passed House, 4434.—Amended and passed Senate; title amended, 4425.—House disagrees with

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H. J. Res. 281—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to marriage and divorce.

Mr. Poulson; Committee on the Judiciary, 4464.

H. J. Res. 282—To reduce the tax on admission to cabarets, roof gardens, and similar entertainments.

Mr. Buckley; Committee on Ways and Means, 4525.

H. J. Res. 283—To extend the time limit for immunity.

Mr. Short; Committee on the Judiciary, 4568.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1516), 5009.—Made special order (H. Res. 574), 5340-5343.—Debated in House, 5343-5356, 5402-5413.—Passed House, 5414.—Laid on the table (S. J. Res. 133 passed in lieu), 5415.

H. J. Res. 284—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to removal of the requirement for payment of poll tax.

Miss Stanley; Committee on the Judiciary, 4631.

H. J. Res. 285—To reduce the tax on admissions to cabarets, roof gardens, and similar entertainments.

Mr. Sabath; Committee on Ways and Means, 4776.

H. J. Res. 286—Providing for operation of naval petroleum and oil-shale reserves. Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Naval Affairs, 5118.—Reported, amended, and passed House, 5204.—Referred to Senate Committee on Naval Affairs, 5277.—Reported back (S. Rept. 953), 5361.—Passed Senate; preamble agreed to, 5780.—Examined and signed, 5935.—Presented to the President, 6083.—Approved [Public, No. 344], 6711.

H. J. Res. 287—To create a Committee on Federal and State Relations.

Mr. Celler; Committee on Rules, 5118.

H. J. Res. 288—Authorizing the Administrator of the Civil Aeronautics Authority to complete the Philadelphia Northeast Airport.

Mr. Scott; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 5191.

H. J. Res. 289—Authorizing the granting of permits to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies on the occasion of the inauguration of the President-elect in January 1945, and for other purposes.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5358.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1631), 5823.—Passed House, 5860.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1209), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9060.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 513], 9205.

H. J. Res. 290—To provide for the maintenance of public order and the protection of life and property in connection with the Presidential inaugural ceremonies of 1945.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on the District of Columbia, 5358.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1632), 5823.—Passed House, 5861.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 5940.—Reported

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back (S. Rept. 1210), 8417.—Passed Senate, 9060.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 514], 9205.

H. J. Res. 291—To provide for the quartering, in certain public buildings in the District of Columbia, of troops participating in the inaugural ceremonies.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, 5358.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1635), 5896.—Passed House, 5861.—Referred to Senate Committee on the District of Columbia, 5940.—Reported back (S. Rept. 1211), 8418.—Passed Senate, 9060.—Examined and signed, 9097, 9209.—Presented to the President, 9304.—Approved [Public, No. 515], 9205.

H. J. Res. 292—Authorizing and directing Commodity Credit Corporation to distribute certain money received by it in connection with its 1943 raisin-variety grape purchase and resale program to increase production of raisin.

Mr. Elliott; Committee on Banking and Currency, 5430.

H. J. Res. 293—To provide for the establishment, management, and perpetuation of the Kermit Roosevelt fund.

Mr. May; Committee on Military Affairs, 5502.

H. J. Res. 294—Creating a commission to explore means of securing an agreement between the United States and Japan for the exchange of wounded prisoners of war.

Mr. Pfeiffer; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 5502.

H. J. Res. 295—Giving to discharged soldiers, sailors, and marines a preferred right of homestead entry on the Tule Lake division of the Klamath reclamation project.

Mr. Engle of California; Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation, 5823.

H. J. Res. 296—To reduce the war tax rate on furs.

Mr. Knutson; Committee on Ways and Means, 5824.

H. J. Res. 297—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Mr. Celler; Committee on the Judiciary, 6011.

H. J. Res. 298—Making appropriations for grants to States under the Social Security Act.

Mr. Hare; Committee on Appropriations, 6011.—Reported back, 6048.—Passed House, 6049.—Referred to Senate Committee on Appropriations, 6039.—Reported back, 6144.—Passed Senate, 6144.—Examined and signed, 6264, 6344.—Presented to the President, 6449.—Approved [Public, No. 344], 6711.

H. J. Res. 299—Requesting the President to use his good offices with the Prime Minister of Great Britain for the purpose of obtaining immediate and complete independence for the Irish Free State.

Mr. Curley; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 6012.

H. J. Res. 300—To provide for the erection of a tablet in the Arlington Memorial Amphitheater.

Mr. Chapman; Committee on Military Affairs, 6084.

H. J. Res. 301—Designating the period from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas of each year for Nation-wide Bible reading.

Mr. Voorhies of California; Committee on the Judiciary, 6690.

H. J. Res. 302—Designating period from Thanksgiving Day to Christmas of each year for Nation-wide Bible reading.

Mr. McLean; Committee on the Judiciary, 6680.

H. J. Res. 303—To authorize a preliminary examination of the Delaware River and its tributaries in the Delaware River Basin with a view to devising methods whereby the pollution of the Delaware River and its tributaries would be eliminated, and for other purposes.

Mr. Wene; Committee on Rivers and Harbors, 6979.

H. J. Res. 304—On establishing an Air Policy Commission.

Mr. Randolph; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 7134.

H. J. Res. 305—To enable the Surgeon General of the United States Public Health Service to dispose of certain reserves of liquid, frozen, or dry blood plasma or serum albumin.

Mr. Priest; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 7346.

H. J. Res. 306—Authorizing the President of the United States of America to proclaim October 11, 1944, General Pulaski's Memorial Day for the observance and commemoration of the death of Brig. Gen. Casimir Pulaski.

Considered, read the third time, and passed, 7349.—Passed Senate, 7416.—Examined and signed, 7481, 7509.—Presented to the President, 7509.—Approved [Public, No. 422], 8193.

H. J. Res. 307—Designating the first Sunday in June of each year as Shut-In's Day.

Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on the Judiciary, 7566.

H. J. Res. 308—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the terms of office of the President.

Mr. Jenkins; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 7576.

H. J. Res. 309—To provide for the appointment of expert employees to assist major standing committees of the Senate and House of Representatives.

Mr. Hare; Committee on Accounts, 7749.

H. J. Res. 310—Requesting the President to establish friendly diplomatic relations with Italy.

Mr. Hartley; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7749.

H. J. Res. 311—Authorizing the broadcasting of the proceedings of the Senate and the House of Representatives.

Mr. Coffee; Committee on Rules, 7971.

H. J. Res. 312—Making the last Thursday in November a legal holiday.

Mr. Knutson; Committee on the Judiciary, 7971.

H. J. Res. 313—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States providing for the election of President and Vice President.

Mr. Lea; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 8173.

H. J. Res. 314—To create a commission to prepare plans for the establishment of a school for the training of women for service as commissioned officers in the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard.

Mr. Cox; Committee on Military Affairs, 8173.

H. J. Res. 315—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States with respect to the term of office of Members of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Lea; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 8198.

H. J. Res. 316—To correct an error in section 342 (b) (9) of the Nationality Act of 1940, as amended by the act of September 27, 1944.

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Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 8215.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1927), 8416.

H. J. Res. 317—Recognizing the outstanding service rendered to the United Nations by Field Marshal Sir John Dill.

Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 8468.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1975), 8530.—Agreed to, 9177.—Referred to Senate Committee on Foreign Relations, 9212.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. J. Res. 158), 9435.—Examined and signed, 9624, 9626.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 516], 9805.

H. J. Res. 318—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States. Mr. Gillie; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 8535.

H. J. Res. 319—To extend time for immunity, to require transmittal forthwith to the Congress of the records including the

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findings of fact, opinion, and recommendations of any board of investigation or court of inquiry conducted pursuant to Public Law 339, Seventy-eighth Congress, and to direct the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy to commence forthwith such proceedings against such persons as the facts in the reports of the board of investigation of the Army and the court of inquiry of the Navy may justify.

Mr. Short; Committee on the Judiciary, 8535.

H. J. Res. 320—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relative to the making of treaties.

Mr. Summers of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 8789.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2061), 9382.

H. J. Res. 321—Extending the life of the Smaller War Plants Corporation.

Mr. Outland; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8789.

H. J. Res. 322—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States limiting the tenure of office of President of the United States.

Mr. Ploessl; Committee on Election of President, Vice President, and Representatives in Congress, 8867.

H. J. Res. 323—Proposing an amendment to the Constitution of the United States relating to the passage of bills after Presidential veto.

Mr. Robison of Kentucky; Committee on the Judiciary, 9096.

H. J. Res. 324—To extend for 90 days the time for filing a report by the Civil Aeronautics Board relating to multiple taxation of air commerce.

Mr. Bulwinkle; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 9488.—Passed House, 9606.—Passed Senate, 9559.—Examined and signed, 9626, 9669.—Presented to the President, 9671.—Approved [Public, No. 565], 9806.

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H. Con. Res. 65—To establish a Joint Committee on Postwar Planning.

Miss Stanley; Committee on Rules, 668.

H. Con. Res. 66—Expressing the sense of the Congress that there should be established after the present war an international holiday to be known as World Peace Day.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 1512.

H. Con. Res. 67—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of House Document No. 379, current session, being a message from the President of the United States transmitting a report of the National Interregional Highway Committee outlining and recommending a national system of interregional highways.

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 1719.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1169), 1972, 2010.—Agreed to, 1972.—Passed Senate, 2055.

H. Con. Res. 68—To designate Horace C. Carlisle as poet laureate of Congress, with the privilege of having his poems printed in the Congressional Record.

Mr. Cole of Missouri; Committee on the Library, 1940.

H. Con. Res. 69—To establish a joint committee to prepare plans for the observance of the one hundred and fiftieth anniversary in 1946 of the signing and publication of Washington's Farewell Address.

Mr. Bloom; Committee on Rules, 1944.

H. Con. Res. 70—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of Public Law No. 235, current session, entitled "Revenue Act of 1943."

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing; agreed to, 2252.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1227), 2255.—Passed House, 2252.—Passed Senate, 2305.

H. Con. Res. 71—To authorize the Federal Bureau of Investigation to assist local police authorities in apprehending perpetrators of acts of violence for political reasons.

Mr. Rogers of California; Committee on the Judiciary, 2293.

H. Con. Res. 72—To provide for appropriate commemoration of the Centennial of the Telegraph on May 24, 1944.

Mr. Bulwinkle; Committee on Rules, 2641.—Passed House, 2742.—Referred to Senate Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, 2812.—Reported back, considered and agreed to, 2828.

H. Con. Res. 73—Authorizing the House Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation to have printed for its use additional copies of part I of the hearings held before a subcommittee of said committee on H. Res. 262 (78th Cong., 1st sess.), for the utilization of the Columbia River and its tributaries.

Mr. White; Committee on Printing, 3028.

H. Con. Res. 74—Creating a special joint committee to investigate the conduct of the war.

Mr. Smith of Wisconsin; Committee on Rules, 3028.

H. Con. Res. 75—Providing for adjournment of Congress from Saturday, April 1, 1944, to Wednesday, April 12, 1944.

Agreed to, 3133.—Reported, amended, and agreed to; title amended, 3293.—House concurs in Senate amendment, 3358.

H. Con. Res. 76—Expressing the sense of the Congress that the utilization of waste paper is of great importance in the war effort, and recommending to the States the enactment of legislation designed to prevent the willful destruction of waste paper.

Mr. Calvin D. Johnson; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3354.

H. Con. Res. 77—Requesting certain information from the President.

Mr. Schiffler; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 3407.—Reported adversely (H. Rept. No. 1361), 3589, 3605.—Laid on the table, 3589.

H. Con. Res. 78—Favoring the return of members of the armed forces who have served continuously on foreign soil for 2 years or longer to the United States for a 30-day furlough.

Mr. Hagen; Committee on Military Affairs, 3430.

H. Con. Res. 79—To establish a joint committee to investigate Federal Government competition with private business.

Mr. Cunningham; Committee on Rules, 3521.

H. Con. Res. 80—Authorizing the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds of the House of Representatives to have printed for its use additional copies of the hearings held before said committee during the current session relative to postwar planning.

Mr. Lanham; Committee on Printing, 3563.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1358), 3582, 3588.—Agreed to, 3583.—Passed Senate, 3614.

H. Con. Res. 81—To terminate the effectiveness of the act of January 20, 1942, which established daylight saving time.

Mr. Bradley of Michigan; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 3766.

H. Con. Res. 82—For a tribute of sympathy, friendship, and support to the Polish people on the anniversary of the adoption of the Polish Constitution.

Mr. Philbin; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 3984.

H. Con. Res. 83—Expressing the intent of Congress in legislation relative to wartime seizure of property.

Mr. Crawford; Committee on the Judiciary, 4039.

H. Con. Res. 84—Expressing the sense of the Congress that the Fish and Wildlife Service should develop the fishing industry of Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands.

Mr. Welch; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 4168.

H. Con. Res. 85—To merge the Senate and House committees created by S. Res. 286 and H. Res. 521 for the purpose of investigating the seizure of Montgomery Ward & Co.

Miss Stanley; Committee on Rules, 4168.

H. Con. Res. 86—To provide for open sessions of conference committees of the two Houses of Congress.

Mr. Cannon of Missouri; Committee on Rules, 4956.

H. Con. Res. 87—Authorizing the disposal of certain obsolete Government publications now stored in the folding rooms of the Congress.

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 4956.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1525), 5095, 5117.—Agreed to, 5095.—Passed Senate, 5128.

H. Con. Res. 88—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the report (No. 1311) of the Special Committee on Un-American Activities of the House of Representatives, dealing with the leadership of the Congress of Industrial Organizations Political Action Committee.

Mr. Starnes of Alabama; Committee on Printing, 5009.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1527), 5096, 5117.—Agreed to, 5096.—Passed Senate, 5128.

H. Con. Res. 89—To provide for the inclusion of congressional representatives on any commission which treats with peace treaties or agreements.

Mr. Merrow; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 5231.

H. Con. Res. 90—Authorizing the printing of the manuscript containing an analysis of questions and answers on the Individual Income Tax Act of 1944 as a House document, and providing for the printing of additional copies thereof for the use of the House document room.

Mr. Reed of New York; Committee on Printing, 5358.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1619), 5686, 5745.—Agreed to, 5686.—Passed Senate, 5752.

H. Con. Res. 91—Felicitating the Republic of Iceland.

Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Relations, 5686.—Reported, considered and agreed to, 5686.—Passed Senate (in lieu of S. Con. Res. 48), 5939.—Preamble agreed to, 5939.

H. Con. Res. 92—Declaring it to be un-American to participate in activities to create racial or religious disunity.

Mr. Dickstein; Committee on the Judiciary, 5896.

H. Con. Res. 93—To repeal Public Law 403, and reinstate the standard time provided in the act entitled "An act to save daylight and to provide standard time for the United States," approved March 19, 1918, as amended.

Mr. Luther A. Johnson; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 6737.

H. Con. Res. 94—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of Public Law Numbered 346, current session, entitled "Servicemen's Readjustment Act of 1944."

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Mr. Rankin; Committee on Printing, 7044.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1775), 7102, 7134.—Agreed to, 7103.—Passed Senate, 7170.

H. Con. Res. 95—Establishing the joint responsibility for the peace.

Mr. Hays; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7509.

H. Con. Res. 96—Establishing the joint responsibility for the peace.

Mr. Judd; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7509.

H. Con. Res. 97—Favoring world freedom of information and of communications.

Mr. Fulbright; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7607.

H. Con. Res. 98—Authorizing that the pamphlet containing information as to the rights and benefits that are available to veterans of the armed forces and their dependents be published as a document and providing for the printing of additional copies thereof.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on Printing, 7607.

H. Con. Res. 99—Relating to the enrollment of H. R. 4271.

Mr. Lesinski; agreed to, 7756.—Passed Senate, 7778.

H. Con. Res. 100—Authorizing that the pamphlet containing information as to the rights and benefits that are available to

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veterans of the armed forces and their dependents be published as a document and providing for the printing of additional copies thereof.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on Printing, 7881.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1901), 7944, 7971.—Agreed to, 7944.—Passed Senate, 8002.

H. Con. Res. 101—Providing for restoration of property confiscated by the Axis, and for other purposes.

Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 8173.

H. Con. Res. 102—Expressing the sense of the Congress that any public celebration of the cessation of hostilities with Germany would be inappropriate due to the fact that at such time all the resources and energies of the Nation must be directed toward the defeat of Japan.

Mr. Brehm; Committee on the Judiciary, 8306.

H. Con. Res. 103—Expressing the sense of the Congress concerning hourly minimum-wage standards.

Mr. Fish; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8714.

H. Con. Res. 104—Expressing the thanks of Congress for the contribution to the victory effort being made by the Nation's children.

Mr. Dirksen; Committee on the Library, 9382.

H. Res. 29—To amend clause 40, rule XI, of the Rules of the House of Representatives of the Seventy-seventh Congress.

Motion to discharge committee agreed to, 629-633.—Agreed to; title amended, 633.

H. Res. 139—Referring the bill H. R. 2015 to the Court of Claims.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1337), 3430.—Passed House, 3533.

H. Res. 166—To create a select committee to investigate the conditions of the American Indian in the United States.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1225), 2227, 2255.—Agreed to, 2520-2531.

H. Res. 221—Favoring action looking to relief for starving peoples of Europe.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1265), 2797.—Passed House, 3497.

H. Res. 230—Authorizing the Committee on Labor to conduct and investigate the extent and character of aid now given by the Federal, State, and local governments and private agencies to the physically handicapped, and for other purposes.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1524), 5068, 5072.—Passed House, 6324, 6325-6328.

H. Res. 346—Providing for an investigation of the program for the planting of guayule to serve as a domestic source of crude rubber.

Reported back (H. Rept. 1113), 1560, 1576.—Agreed to, 1676.

H. Res. 381—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 2801, a bill to provide for the appointment of an additional Assistant Secretary of the Interior.

Agreed to, 1560-1568.

H. Res. 392—Appointing two Members of the House to notify the President of the presence of a quorum.

Mr. McCormack; agreed to, 5.

H. Res. 393—Instructing the Clerk of the House to inform the Senate of the presence of a quorum.

Mr. Ramspeck; agreed to, 5.

H. Res. 394—Fixing the daily hour of meeting of the House.

Mr. Sabath; agreed to, 5.

H. Res. 395—Providing for the payment of 6 months' salary and \$250 funeral expenses to Mrs. Frances Morgan, widow of Daniel E. Morgan, late an employee of the House.

Mr. Cochran, from Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 984), 138.—Agreed to, 126.

H. Res. 396—Relative to the death of Hon. William H. Wheat, late a Representative from the State of Illinois.

Mr. Allen of Illinois; agreed to, 296.

H. Res. 397—Making S. 1285, a bill to facilitate voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces, members of the merchant marine, and others, absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes, a special order of business.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on Rules, 297.

H. Res. 398—Providing for the consideration of S. 1543, to provide for mustering-out pay to members of the armed forces, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 995), 296.—Debated, 334-337, 337-343.—Agreed to, 343.

H. Res. 399—Electing Edward J. Hart, of New Jersey, to the Committee on War Claims.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 329.

H. Res. 400—Electing James A. Wright of Pennsylvania, to the Committee on Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 329.

H. Res. 401—Providing for the consideration of the joint resolution (H. J. Res. 192) to enable the United States to participate in the work of the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Organization.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 999), 407, 436.—Considered and agreed to, 468-473.

H. Res. 402—For the consideration of H. R. 1744.

Mr. Rankin; Committee on Rules, 436.

H. Res. 403—Making S. 1285, a bill to facilitate voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces, members of the merchant marine, and others, absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes, a special order of business.

Mr. Worley; Committee on Rules, 490.

H. Res. 404—To investigate the effect upon the country of the centralization of heavy industry in the United States.

Mr. Coffee; Committee on Rules, 590.

H. Res. 405—Authorizing the printing of a revised edition of House Document No. 285, Seventy-eighth Congress, first session, entitled "Handbook for Servicemen and Servicewomen, World War II, and Their Dependents," with corrections as a public document, and for additional copies thereof.

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 590.

H. Res. 406—Authorizing the Committee on the Judiciary to investigate the official conduct of Albert W. Johnson and Albert L. Watson, district judges of the United States District Court for the Middle District of Pennsylvania.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on the Judiciary, 668.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1022), 701.—Agreed to, 767-768.

H. Res. 407—To provide for expenses of investigation authorized by H. Res. 406.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; Committee on Accounts, 668.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1049), 1004, 1035.—Agreed to, 1005.

H. Res. 408—To create a Special Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and Planning.

Mr. Colmer; Committee on Rules, 668.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1021), 695, 701.—Debated, 753-755, 755-762.—Amended and agreed to, 762.—Interim report (No. 1855), 7576.—Fifth report (No. 2071), 9488.

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H. Res. 409—Creating a Select Committee on Postwar Planning.
Mr. Johnson of Oklahoma; Committee on Rules, 688.

H. Res. 410—Amending the Rules of the House of Representatives.
Mr. Rankin; Committee on Rules, 668.

H. Res. 411—Granting a gratuity to Mrs. Louise Calloway.
Mr. Cochran, from the Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 1014), 671, 701.—Agreed to, 671.

H. Res. 412—For the consideration of the bill (S. 1285) to amend the act of September 16, 1942, which provided a method of voting, in time of war, by members of the land and naval forces absent from the place of their residence, and for other purposes.
Mr. Sabath, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1020), 695, 701.—Considered and agreed to, 1005-1014.

H. Res. 413—Authorizing the printing of a revised edition of House Document No. 285, Seventy-eighth Congress, first session, entitled "Handbook for Servicemen and Servicewomen, of World Wars I and II and Their Dependents," with corrections as a public document, and for additional copies thereof.
Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 702.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1030), 932, 962.—Considered and agreed to, 932.

H. Res. 414—Relative to the death of Hon. Frederick Van Nuys, late a Senator from the State of Indiana.
Mr. Ludlow; agreed to, 700.

H. Res. 415—Providing additional funds for the Special Committee to Investigate Un-American Activities in the United States and related questions.
Mr. Cochran, from the Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 1025), 763, 776.—Agreed to, 763.

H. Res. 416—Requesting the railroads to lower the cost of food to all members of the armed forces.
Mr. Edwin Arthur Hall; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 776.

H. Res. 417—Electing various Members to standing committees.
Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 815.

H. Res. 418—Relative to the Jewish national home in Palestine.
Mr. Wright; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 856.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1997), 8648.

H. Res. 419—Relative to the Jewish national home in Palestine.
Mr. Compton; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 856.

H. Res. 420—To investigate the question of sufficient legal protection for property and proprietary rights and ownership in original thoughts, conceptions, and ideas in art, literature, science, mechanics, and the pure and useful arts.
Mr. Plumley; Committee on Rules, 856.

H. Res. 421—To provide for the payment of expenses of conducting the investigation authorized by H. Res. 420.
Mr. Plumley; Committee on Accounts, 856.

H. Res. 422—or the consideration of H. R. 3270, a bill to affirm the intent of the Congress that the regulation of the business of insurance remain within the control of the several States and that the acts of July 2, 1890, and October 15, 1914, as amended, be not applicable to that business.
Mr. Sabath; from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1028), 880, 889.—Debated in House, 6417-6420.—Agreed to, 6510.

H. Res. 423—Providing for the consideration of H. J. Res. 1.
Mr. Cannon of Florida; Committee on Rules, 899.

H. Res. 424—Authorizing the printing of the reports of the War and Navy Departments with regard to Japanese atrocities to American prisoners of war.
Mr. Bulwinkle; Committee on Printing, 899.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1031), 933, 962.—Agreed to, 933.—Proceedings vacated, amended, and agreed to, 950.

H. Res. 425—Authorizing the printing of the manuscript entitled "Chronology of Major International Events, With the Ostensible Reasons Advanced for Their Occurrence", as a House document.
Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 899.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1170) 1972, 2010.—Agreed to, 1972.

H. Res. 426—To dismiss election contest case of Lewis D. Thill, contestant, against Howard J. McMurray, contestee, Fifth Congressional District of Wisconsin.
Mr. Peterson of Georgia; from Committee on Elections No. 3 (H. Rept. 1032), 933, 962.—Agreed to, 933.

H. Res. 427—Requesting the President to enter into agreements insuring the punishment of war criminals.
Mr. Kelley; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 962.

H. Res. 428—Favoring action by the United States looking to the restoration of Palestine as a homeland for the Jewish people.
Mr. Lane; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 1131.

H. Res. 429—For the relief of Mrs. Helen Young Mitchell.
Mr. Sasser; Committee on Accounts, 1375.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1108), 1484, 1512.—Agreed to, 1484.

H. Res. 430—Requesting information as to the status of Walter Winchell.
Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Naval Affairs, 1443.—Reported adversely (H. Rept. 1162), 1901.—Laid on table, 1877.

H. Res. 431—To create a special select committee of the House of Representatives to conduct a study and investigation of all news releases, published material, motion pictures, and radio broadcasts pertaining to any Member of Congress and other public officials, and for other purposes.
Mr. Brown of Ohio; Committee on Rules, 1512.

H. Res. 432—Electing various Members to Standing committees of the House.
Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 1549.

H. Res. 433—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4103, a bill to provide for loss of United States nationality under certain circumstances.
Mr. Sabath, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1114), 1560, 1576.—Agreed to, 1778-1787.

H. Res. 434—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 3209, a bill authorizing the construction and operation of demonstration plants to produce synthetic liquid fuels from coal and other substances, in order to aid the prosecution of the war, to conserve and increase the oil resources of the Nation, and for other purposes.
Mr. Sabath, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1115), 1560, 1576.—Agreed to, 1702.

H. Res. 435—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the Fourth Intermediate Report (H. Rept. 1024) of the Select Committee to Investigate Executive Agencies for the use of the committee.

H. Res. 435—Continued.
Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Printing, 1577.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1168), 1972, 2010.—Agreed to, 1972.

H. Res. 436—Requesting the Secretary of the Interior to furnish the House of Representatives with information relative to the benefits to be derived by the United States from the construction of the proposed Persian pipe line, and for other purposes.
Mrs. Rogers of Massachusetts; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 1577.

H. Res. 437—Relative to the death of Hon. Leonard W. Schuetz, late a Representative from the State of Illinois.
Mr. Sabath; agreed to, 1630.

H. Res. 438—Electing various Members to standing committees of the House.
Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 1484.

H. Res. 439—To provide for expenses of investigation authorized by House Resolution 408.
Mr. Colmer; Committee on Accounts.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1119), 1676, 1718.—Agreed to, 1676.

H. Res. 440—To dismiss election contest of E. O. Clark, contestant, against Jack Nichols, contestee, Second Congressional District of the State of Oklahoma.
Mr. Peterson of Georgia; Committee on Elections No. 3.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1120), 1675, 1718.—Agreed to, 1761-1763.

H. Res. 441—Directing Congress to find ways and means of establishing more facilities for the building of synthetic rubber.
Mr. Edwin Arthur Hall; Committee on Banking and Currency, 1720.

H. Res. 442—To create a committee of the House to investigate the petroleum industry and problems of petroleum supply.
Mr. Voorhis of California; Committee on Rules, 1793.

H. Res. 443—Providing funds for expenses of conducting the investigation authorized by House Resolution 346.
Mr. Cochran, from the Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 1157), 1833, 1871.—Agreed to, 1833.

H. Res. 444—To dismiss election contest of James C. Moreland, contestant, against Leonard W. Schuetz, contestee, Seventh Congressional District of the State of Illinois.
Mr. Peterson of Georgia, from Committee on Elections No. 3 (H. Rept. 1158), 1833, 1871.—Agreed to, 1833.

H. Res. 445—Electing various Members to standing committees of the House.
Mr. Cooper, agreed to, 1836.

H. Res. 446—Directing the House Committee on the Judiciary to inquire into the facts concerning the treaty entered into between the United States and the Republic of Mexico with regard to the disposition of certain waters of the Colorado River.
Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on the Judiciary, 1871.

H. Res. 447—Authorizing the disbursing officer to deduct stipulated amounts from Members' salaries for War bond purchases.
Mr. Ellison of Maryland; Committee on Accounts, 1901.

H. Res. 448—For the consideration of House Joint Resolution 239, joint resolution continuing the Commodity Credit Corporation as an agency of the United States until July 1, 1945.
Mr. Sabath; from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1171), 1981, 2010.—Passed House, 2022-2030.

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H. Res. 449—For the consideration of H. R. 4166, a bill to amend an act entitled "An act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved July 1, 1898, and acts amendatory thereof and supplementary thereto.
Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1172), 1981, 2010.—Agreed to, 2087-2095.

H. Res. 450—For the consideration of S. 1668, a bill authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ship repair facilities, and for other purposes.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 2011.

H. Res. 451—For the consideration of H. R. 3592, a bill to amend the Judicial Code in respect to the original jurisdiction of the district courts of the United States in certain cases, and for other purposes.
Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1190), 2021, 2046.—Debated in House, 3121-3124, 3125.—Passed House, 3126.

H. Res. 452—For the consideration of H. R. 3956, a bill to amend the Federal Reserve Act, as amended, to provide that the absorption of exchange and collection charges shall not be deemed payment of interest on deposits.
Mr. Clark, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1191), 2021, 2046.—Passed House, 2138-2144.

H. Res. 453—For the consideration of H. R. 2985, a bill to provide for the garnishment, execution, or trustee process of wages and salaries of civil officers and employees of the United States.
Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1194), 2078.—Agreed to, 2229-2235.

H. Res. 454—Limiting the office of President to two terms.
Mr. Dondero; Committee on the Judiciary, 2078.

H. Res. 455—Relative to the death of Hon. Charles L. McNary, late a Senator from the State of Oregon.
Mr. Ellsworth; agreed to, 2124.

H. Res. 456—Relative to the death of Hon. Thomas H. Cullen, late a Representative from the State of New York.
Mr. Somers of New York; agreed to, 2131.

H. Res. 457—Providing for the payment of the expenses of the investigation authorized by House Resolution 52.
Mr. Bland; Committee on Accounts, 2132.

H. Res. 458—Authorizing the printing of the manuscript entitled "A study of the legality of the annexation of Austria by Germany under international law and Austrian constitutional law and the policy of the United States toward the annexation" as a document.
Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 2178.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1228), 2252, 2255.—Agreed to, 2252.

H. Res. 459—For the consideration of H. R. 4278, a bill to provide for the control and eradication of certain animal and plant pests and diseases, to facilitate cooperation with the States in fire control, to provide for the more efficient protection and management of the national forests, to facilitate the carrying out of agricultural conservation and related agricultural programs, to facilitate the operation of the Farm Credit Administration and the Rural Electrification Administration, to aid in the orderly marketing of agricultural commodities, and for other purposes.
Mr. Cox; from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1226), 2227, 2255.—Agreed to, 2264-2268.

H. Res. 460—To establish a Select Committee on Postwar Military Policy.
Mr. Wadsworth; Committee on Rules, 2256.

H. Res. 461—To provide for the expenses of carrying out House Resolution 460.
Mr. Wadsworth; Committee on Accounts, 2256.

H. Res. 462—Directing the House Committee on the Judiciary to inquire into the facts concerning the treaty entered into between the United States and the Republic of Mexico with regard to the disposition of certain waters of the Colorado River.
Mr. Hinshaw; Committee on the Judiciary, 2293.

H. Res. 463—To designate the week of March 14, 1944, as Amphibious Forces Week.
Mr. Grant of Indiana; Committee on the Judiciary, 2293.

H. Res. 464—For the consideration of H. R. 3961, a bill authorizing the construction, repair, and preservation of certain public works on rivers and harbors, and for other purposes.
Mr. Dies; from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1241), 2355, 2397.—Agreed to, 2758-2762.

H. Res. 465—To establish a Select Committee on Postwar Military Policy.
Mr. Wadsworth; Committee on Rules, 2398.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1286), 3111, 3115.—Amended and passed House, 3199-3207.—Further report (H. Rept. 1923), 8416.

H. Res. 466—Providing for the payment of the expenses of the investigation authorized by House Resolution 52.
Mr. Bland, from the Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 1244), 2434, 2458.—Agreed to, 2434.

H. Res. 467—Providing for the payment of six months' salary and \$250 funeral expenses to Isaline Garney, mother of Mary Garney, late an employee of the House.
Mr. Kunkel; Committee on Accounts, 2461.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1248), 2484.—Agreed to, 2461.

H. Res. 468—For the consideration of H. R. 4134, a bill to reestablish the grade of Admiral of the Navy, and for other purposes.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 2559.

H. Res. 469—For the consideration of H. R. 4381, a bill to authorize the Secretary of the Navy to proceed with the construction of certain public works, and for other purposes.
Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 2608, 2910.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1275), 2966.—Agreed to, 3212-3216.

H. Res. 470—Electing Emory H. Price and William A. Rowan to the Committee on Naval Affairs.
Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 2675.

H. Res. 471—Electing John D. McWilliams, of Connecticut, to the Committee on Naval Affairs.
Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 2675.

H. Res. 472—To create a special committee to make a full and complete study and investigation of race relations in the United States.
Mr. Dawson; Committee on Rules, 2703.

H. Res. 473—Electing Cecil R. King, of California, to the Committee on Ways and Means.
Mr. Sheppard; agreed to, 2677.

H. Res. 474—Relative to the death of Hon. James A. O'Leary, late a Representative from the State of New York.
Mr. Celler; agreed to, 2702.

H. Res. 475—To increase the membership of the Naval Affairs Committee for the remainder of the Seventy-eighth Congress.
Mr. McCormack; agreed to, 2745.

H. Res. 476—To investigate the status of the Negro and other minority groups in the armed services and in affiliated auxiliary military organizations for women.
Mrs. Luce; Committee on Rules, 2798.

H. Res. 477—Providing for the expenses of the investigation authorized by H. Res. 476.
Mrs. Luce; Committee on Accounts, 2798.

H. Res. 478—Declaring policy for National War Labor Board.
Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Labor, 2798.

H. Res. 479—Electing various Members to standing committees of the House.
Mr. Doughton.—Agreed to, 2859.

H. Res. 480—Authorizing the expenses of conducting the investigation authorized by H. Res. 166, Seventy-eighth Congress.
Mr. Mundt; Committee on Accounts, 2907.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1274), 2907, 2966.—Agreed to, 2908.

H. Res. 481—For the consideration of H. R. 3570, a bill to provide as an emergency war project for the partial construction of the Hungry Horse Dam on the South Fork of the Flathead River in the State of Montana, and for other purposes.
Mr. Sabath; Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1278), 2968, 3028.—Laid on the table, 3604.

H. Res. 482—For the consideration of H. R. 4257, a bill to expatriate or exclude certain persons for evading military and naval service.
Mr. Sabath; Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1279), 2968, 3028.—Agreed to, 3256-3261.

H. Res. 483—Electing John W. McCormack, of Massachusetts, Speaker pro tempore.
Mr. Ramspeck.—Agreed to, 3114.

H. Res. 484—Requesting information from the Attorney General.
Mr. Hoffman; Committee on the Judiciary, 3157.

H. Res. 485—Requesting information from the Secretary of Agriculture.
Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Agriculture, 3157.

H. Res. 486—Authorizing the expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 465 of the Seventy-eighth Congress.
Mr. Wadsworth; Committee on Accounts.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1301), 3207, 3238.—Agreed to, 3207.

H. Res. 487—Providing for the consideration of S. 156, a bill relating to the status of retired judges.
Mr. Sabath, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1304), 3226, 3238).—Considered and agreed to, 3871.

H. Res. 488—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 3848, a bill to amend section 9 of the act of May 22, 1928, authorizing and directing a national survey of forest resources.
Mr. Bates of Kentucky, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1305), 3226, 3238.—Laid on the table, 3598.

H. Res. 489—Providing for the consideration of S. 45, a bill to amend section 3 of the act of June 7, 1924 (43 Stat. 653; 16 U. S. C. 566).
Mr. Bates of Kentucky from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1306), 3226, 3238.—Agreed to, 3583-3586.

H. Res. 490—To dismiss election contest case of John C. Schafer, contestant, against Thaddeus F. Wasilewski, contestee, Fourth Congressional District of Wisconsin.

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H. Res. 490—Continued.

Mr. Domeneaux, from the Committee on Elections No. I (H. Rept. 1308), 3252, 3287.—Agreed to, 3253.

H. Res. 491—Electing George W. Andrews, of Alabama, a member of various committees.

Mr. Cooper; agreed to, 3278.

H. Res. 492—To investigate slum clearance in the District of Columbia.

Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Rules, 3351, 3354.—Debated, 3351-3352.—Resolution withdrawn, 3352.

H. Res. 493—Authorizing the Committee on Agriculture to investigate the War Production Board and the Office of Price Administration.

Mr. Edwin Arthur Hall; Committee on Rules, 3354.

H. Res. 494—Authorizing the printing of the manuscript of the explanation of the action taken in the interest of soldiers missing in action, entitled "Army Personnel Missing in Action", by Col. George F. Herbert, Adjutant General's Department, Chief, Casualty Branch, appearing on page 4, volume 2, number 3, Prisoners of War Bulletin, American Red Cross.

Mr. Thomas of New Jersey; Committee on Printing, 3354.

H. Res. 495—Providing for the consideration of H. Res. 221, favoring action looking to relief for starving peoples of Europe.

Mr. Sabath, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1333), 3400, 3407.—Laid on the table, 3589.

H. Res. 496—Requesting the President of the United States to remove Rexford Guy Tugwell from the position of Governor of Puerto Rico.

Mr. McGehee; Committee on Insular Affairs, 3407.

H. Res. 497—Granting a gratuity to Mrs. Mary McDonough.

Mr. Keogh; Committee on Accounts, 3421.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1335), 3429.—Agreed to, 3421.—Proceeding vacated and laid on table, 3589.

H. Res. 498—For the consideration of H. R. 4254.

Mr. Cox, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1350), 3436, 3472.—Agreed to, 3507-3510.

H. Res. 499—Electing Dean M. Gillespie, of Colorado, to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds.

Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 3494.

H. Res. 500—Providing for the payment of 6 months' salary compensation and \$250 funeral expenses to Mrs. Mary Glusing Elliott, widow of William P. Elliott, late an employee of the House.

Mr. Kleberg; Committee on Accounts, 3494.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1353), 3493, 3521.—Agreed to, 3494.

H. Res. 501—To provide for an investigation of the small-loan business.

Mr. Sheppard; Committee on Rules, 3521.

H. Res. 502—Requesting information from the Department of Justice.

Mr. Hoffman; Committee on the Judiciary, 3521.

H. Res. 503—Requesting the designation of Sunday, May 21, 1944, as a day of prayer.

Mr. Hoffman; Committee on the Judiciary, 3521.

H. Res. 504—To investigate the question of effective legal protection for property and proprietary rights and ownership in original thoughts, conceptions, and ideas in art, literature, science, mechanics, and the pure and useful arts.

Mr. Arends; Committee on Rules, 3563.

H. Res. 505—To provide for the payment of expenses of conducting the investigation authorized by House Resolution 524.

Mr. Arends; Committee on Accounts, 3563.

H. Res. 506—Electing Thomas G. Abernethy, of Mississippi, to the Committee on Elections No. 1.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 3561.

H. Res. 507—Electing William G. Stigler, of Oklahoma, to various committees.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 3561.

H. Res. 508—Relative to the subpoenaing of South Trimble, Clerk of the House, and sundry original papers in possession and control of the House.

Mr. Sumners of Texas; agreed to, 3564-3565.

H. Res. 509—Electing Carter Manasco, of Alabama, chairman of the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Departments.

Mr. Cooper; agreed to, 3583.

H. Res. 510—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4469.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 3588.

H. Res. 511—Electing James H. Torrens, of New York, to various committees.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 3587.

H. Res. 512—Providing for the payment of 6 months' salary compensation and \$250 funeral expenses to Mrs. Barbara McDonough, widow of Michael J. McDonough, late an employee of the House.

Mr. Keogh; Committee on Accounts, 3589.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1360), 3589, 3605.—Agreed to, 3589.

H. Res. 513—Providing for the payment of 6 months' salary and \$250 funeral expenses to Mabel Soule, wife of Paul Soule, late an employee of the House.

Mr. Brooks; Committee on Accounts, 3660.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1367), 3671.—Agreed to, 3670.

H. Res. 514—To investigate the meat and food industry.

Mr. O'Toole; Committee on Rules, 3671.

H. Res. 515—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of House Report No. 1366, current session, being the fifth intermediate report of the Select Committee to Investigate Executive Agencies, House of Representatives, submitted pursuant to H. Res. 102.

Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Printing, 3671.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1411), 3854, 3880.—Agreed to, 3854.

H. Res. 516—Referring to the Committee on Rules a statement on pages A2032 and A2033 of the Congressional Record.

Mr. Hoffman; agreed to, 3698.

H. Res. 517—For the consideration of H. R. 4485, a bill authorizing the construction of certain public works on rivers and harbors for flood control, and for other purposes.

Mr. Slaughter; from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1391), 3709, 3727.—Agreed to, 4114-4117, 4117-4119.

H. Res. 518—Authorizing the House Committee on the Judiciary to investigate the decree of the United States District Court for the District of Maryland in re James B. Dunn.

Mr. Lane; Committee on Rules, 3728.

H. Res. 519—Providing for the expenses incurred by the special committee authorized by H. Res. 518.

Mr. Lane; Committee on Accounts, 3728.

H. Res. 520—To amend the Rules of the House of Representatives to provide for three Chaplains instead of the present one.

Mr. O'Toole; Committee on Rules, 3728.

H. Res. 521—Creating a select committee to make an investigation relating to the seizure by the United States, on April 26, 1944, of property of Montgomery Ward & Co.

Mr. Dewey; Committee on Rules, 3766, 3854.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1410), 3879.—Passed House, 4047-4070.—House Report 1904, 7971.

H. Res. 522—To direct the Committee on Naval Affairs to conduct an investigation with respect to the status of Negro women in relation to the women's uniformed services of the Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard.

Mr. Rowan; Committee on Rules, 3804.

H. Res. 523—Relative to the death of Hon. Frank Knox, late Secretary of the Navy. Mr. Sabath; agreed to, 3805.

H. Res. 524—For consideration of the bill (H. R. 4646) to provide for simplification of the individual income tax.

Mr. Sabath; from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1409), 3854, 3879.—Agreed to, 3968-3973.

H. Res. 525—Extending the powers of the select committee created to investigate the Farm Security Administration to include the power to investigate the activities of the Farm Credit Administration.

Mr. Cooley; Committee on Rules, 3880.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1718), 6567, 6586.—Agreed to, 6648-6650.

H. Res. 526—For the consideration of H. R. 4710, a bill authorizing the acquisition and conversion or construction of certain landing craft and district craft for the United States Navy, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 3984.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1437), 4324, 4367.—Agreed to, 4744-4748.

H. Res. 527—Requesting the United States representative on the Combined Production and Resources Board to furnish certain information with regard to the Board to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Jenkins; Committee on Banking and Currency, 4039.

H. Res. 528—Requesting the United States representative on the Combined Food Board to furnish certain information with regard to the Board to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Jonkman; Committee on Agriculture, 4039.

H. Res. 529—Requesting the United States representative on the Combined Shipping Adjustment Board to furnish certain information with regard to the Board to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Canfield; Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries, 4039.

H. Res. 530—Requesting the United States representative on the Combined Raw Materials Board to furnish certain information with regard to the Board to the House of Representatives.

Mr. Ellsworth; Committee on Mines and Mining, 4039.

H. Res. 531—For the consideration of H. R. 4421, a bill authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ordnance manufacturing and production facilities, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 4039.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1436), 4323, 4367.—Agreed to, 4750.

H. Res. 532—Authorizing the Judiciary Committee to prepare a ready-reference list of the powers of the President when acting as Commander in Chief of the armed forces of the United States.

Mr. Crawford; Committee on Rules, 4039.

H. Res. 533—Electing Dean M. Gillespie, of Colorado, to the Committee on Accounts. Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 4045.

H. Res. 534—To dismiss election contest of Edward T. McEvoy against Hugh Peterson, First Congressional District of Georgia. Mr. Gossett, from the Committee on Elections No. 2 (H. Rept. 1423), 4074, 4078.—Agreed to, 4074.

H. Res. 535—Providing for the payment of the further expenses of the investigation authorized by H. Res. 16 of the Seventy-eighth Congress. Mr. Ramspeck; Committee on Accounts.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1426), 4109, 4168.—Considered and agreed to, 4109-4111.

H. Res. 536—Providing for an hour of prayer on D-day. Mr. Gross; Committee on Rules, 4168.

H. Res. 537—Providing for the consideration of S. 1767. Mr. Rankin; Committee on Rules, 4168.

H. Res. 538—Relative to the holding of memorial services of the House. Mr. Murdock; agreed to, 4232.

H. Res. 539—For the consideration of H. R. 1744, a bill to provide Government protection to widows and children of deceased World War veterans. Mr. Sabath, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1432), 4266, 4292.—Agreed to, 4733-4737.

H. Res. 540—Providing for the consideration of S. 1767, an act to provide Federal Government aid for the readjustment in civilian life of returning World War II veterans. Mr. Sabath; Committee on Rules, 4282.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1435), 4293, 4324.—Passed House, 4324-4332.

H. Res. 541—Providing for an investigation of bureaucracy and unconstitutional trends of government. Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Rules, 4293.

H. Res. 542—To forbid participation by American citizens in forthcoming annual meeting of the Bank for International Settlements. Mr. Coffee; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 4293.

H. Res. 543—For the consideration of H. R. 4184, a bill to amend section 321, title III, part II, Transportation Act of 1940, with respect to the movement of Government traffic. Mr. Cox, from the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1438), 4324, 4367.—Agreed to, 4873, 4874-4879.

H. Res. 544—Electing certain Members to the Standing Committee on Insular Affairs. Mr. Cooper; agreed to, 4430.

H. Res. 545—To direct the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, as a whole or by subcommittee, to conduct an investigation for the purpose of determining what action may be taken to bring about a resumption of common carrier air service for the city of Philadelphia, Pa. Mr. Myers; Committee on Rules, 4464.

H. Res. 546—To authorize the House Committee on Agriculture to investigate the shortage of agricultural implements. Mr. Crawford; Committee on Rules, 4525.—Debated in House, 4761-4764.

H. Res. 547—Providing for an investigation of bureaucracy and unconstitutional trends of government. Mr. Ludlow; Committee on Rules, 4525.

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H. Res. 548—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4219, a bill to provide for the appointment of female pilots and aviation cadets in the Air Forces of the Army. Mr. Slaughter, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1448), 4606, 4631.—Laid on the table, 6522.

H. Res. 549—For the consideration of H. R. 1117, a bill to provide for the recognition of the services of the civilian officials and employees, citizens of the United States, engaged in and about the construction of the Panama Canal. Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1449), 4607, 4631.—Agreed to, 4811.

H. Res. 550—For the consideration of H. R. 2539, a bill to amend section 2901 of the Internal Revenue Code. Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1450), 4607, 4631.—Agreed to, 4752-4755.

H. Res. 551—Providing for the appointment of a special committee of the House of Representatives to investigate the campaign expenditures of the various candidates for the House of Representatives, and for other purposes. Mr. Anderson of New Mexico; Committee on Rules, 4631.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1523), 5068, 5072.—Agreed to, 6393-6398.

H. Res. 552—To investigate campaign expenditures. Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Rules, 4631.

H. Res. 553—Creating a special committee of the House of Representatives to investigate the campaign expenditures of all candidates for the House of Representatives. Mr. Gathings; Committee on Rules, 4685.

H. Res. 554—Authorizing a study and investigation of the Iron and Steel Price Branch of the Office of Price Administration. Mr. Anton J. Johnson; Committee on Rules, 4685.

H. Res. 555—For the consideration of H. R. 4624, a bill to consolidate and revise the laws relating to the Public Health Service, and for other purposes. Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1469), 4732, 4775.—Agreed to, 4794-4800.

H. Res. 556—Providing the further expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by House Resolution 294 of the Seventy-seventh Congress and continued by House Resolution 18 of the Seventy-eighth Congress. Mr. Patman; Committee on Accounts.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1493), 4788, 4836.—Agreed to, 4789.

H. Res. 557—Authorizing the expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by House Resolution 521 of the Seventy-eighth Congress. Mr. Ramspeck; Committee on Accounts.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1494), 4789, 4836.—Agreed to, 4789.

H. Res. 558—For the consideration of H. R. 4102, a bill to extend for two additional years the reduced rates of interest on Federal land bank and Land Bank Commissioner loans. Mr. Bates of Kentucky, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1495), 4794, 4836.—Agreed to, 4937, 4942.

H. Res. 559—For the consideration of Senate Joint Resolution 91, a joint resolution to aid in effectuating the purposes of the Railway Labor Act. Mr. Slaughter, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1500), 4811, 4836.

H. Res. 560—Authorizing that the report from the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, dated October 15, 1941, submitting surveys and studies of the Cheat River and tributaries, West Virginia, and subsequent correspondence in relation thereto, be printed, with illustrations, as a House document. Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 4837.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1596), 5314, 5358.

H. Res. 561—Authorizing that the report from the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, dated August 27, 1941, submitting surveys and studies of the Hungry Horse Dam, Mont., and subsequent correspondence in relation thereto, be printed, with illustrations, as a House document. Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 4837.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1594), 5314, 5358.

H. Res. 562—Authorizing that the report from the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, dated January 31, 1941, submitting surveys and studies of Youghiogheny River, Pa. and Md., and subsequent correspondence in relation thereto, be printed, with illustrations, as a House document. Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 4837.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1595), 5314, 5358.—Agreed to, 5314.

H. Res. 563—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4219, a bill to provide for the appointment of female pilots and aviation cadets in the Air Forces of the Army. Mr. Slaughter, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1502), 4918.—Passed House, 6328-6331.

H. Res. 564—Authorizing the Rules Committee to consider placing a memorial in the House Press Gallery. Mr. Crawford; Committee on Rules, 4918.

H. Res. 565—Providing for the consideration of S. 919, a bill to expedite the payment for land acquired during the war period. Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1508), 4916, 4918.—Agreed to, 9343-9350.

H. Res. 566—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 3442, a bill to amend sections 1, 2, and 3 of the act entitled "An act to punish the wilful injury or destruction of war material, or of war premises or utilities used in connection with war material, and for other purposes," approved April 20, 1918, as amended (40 Stat. 533; U. S. C., title 50, secs. 101, 102, and 103). Mr. Clark, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1517), 5072.—Passed House, 8772-8777.

H. Res. 567—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 2241. Mr. Bates of Kentucky, from Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1528), 5096, 5117.—Agreed to, 9086-9089.

H. Res. 568—Requesting information as to arrival of refugees from the Attorney General. Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5118.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1913), 8306.

H. Res. 569—For the consideration of H. R. 4771, a bill to amend the part of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, and for other purposes," approved June 4, 1920, as amended, relating to the conservation, care, custody, protection, and operation of the naval petroleum and oil-shale reserves. Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 5118.

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H. Res. 570—Authorizing the Committee on Irrigation and Reclamation to make an investigation of the plans for the improvement of the Missouri River Basin and its tributaries.

Mr. Lemke; Committee on Rules, 5141.

H. Res. 571—Providing for the expenses of the investigation authorized by H. Res. 570, Seventy-eighth Congress.

Mr. Lemke; Committee on Accounts, 5141.

H. Res. 572—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4833, a bill to extend, for 2 additional years, the provisions of the Sugar Act of 1937, as amended, and the taxes with respect to sugar.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules reported back (H. Rept. 1582), 5145, 5190.—Laid on the table, 5336.

H. Res. 573—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4771, a bill to amend the part of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the naval service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1921, and for other purposes," approved June 4, 1920, as amended, relating to the conservation, care, custody, protection, and operation of the naval petroleum and oil-shale reserves.

Mr. Clark, from Committee on Rules reported back (H. Rept. 1583), 5146, 5190.—Agreed to, 5193.

H. Res. 574—Providing for the consideration of H. J. Res. 288, a joint resolution to extend the time of immunity.

Mr. Clark, from Committee on Rules reported back (H. Rept. 1589), 5186, 5190.—Passed House, 5340-5343.

H. Res. 575—Electing Hon. Donald L. O'Toole, of New York, to various committees.

Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 5204.

H. Res. 576—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5231.

H. Res. 577—Authorizing an investigation of the shortage of agricultural implements, and for other purposes.

Mr. Gillie; Committee on Rules, 5231.

H. Res. 578—Authorizing an investigation of the shortage of agricultural implements, and for other purposes.

Mr. H. Carl Andersen; Committee on Rules, 5231.

H. Res. 579—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the hearings held before the Committee on Roads of the House of Representatives, current session, on the bill (H. R. 2426) to supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act, approved July 11, 1916, as amended and supplemented, and for other purposes.

Mr. Robinson of Utah; Committee on Printing, 5231.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1618), 5686, 5745.—Agreed to, 5686.

H. Res. 580—Relating to the one hundred and thirty-sixth anniversary of the birth of Jefferson Davis.

Mr. Rankin; agreed to, 5232.

H. Res. 581—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Lane; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5265.

H. Res. 582—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4941, a bill to extend the period of operation of the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942 and the Stabilization Act of October 2, 1942, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules.—(H. Rept. 1601), 5358.—Considered, amended, and agreed to, 5465-6473.

H. Res. 583—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Rowan; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5502.

H. Res. 584—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Marcantonio; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5502.

H. Res. 585—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Scanlon; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5502.

H. Res. 586—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the preliminary draft of the Revision of Criminal Laws for the use of the Committee on Revision of the Laws.

Mr. Keogh; Committee on Printing, 5589.

H. Res. 587—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Celler; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5589.

H. Res. 588—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Torrens; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5589.

H. Res. 589—Providing for the consideration of S. 1718, a bill to provide for the settlement of claims arising from terminated war contracts, and for other purposes.

Mr. Colmer, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1620), 5745.—Debated in House, 6001-6008.

H. Res. 590—Providing for the consideration of Senate Joint Resolution 93, a joint resolution declaring the policy of the Congress with respect to the independence of the Philippine Islands, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sabath; House Calendar, 5788.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1625), 5823.—Laid on the table, 6208.

H. Res. 591—Providing for the consideration of Senate Joint Resolution 94, a joint resolution establishing the Filipino Rehabilitation Commission, defining its powers and duties, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1626), 5788, 5823.—Laid on the table (S. J. Res. 94 passed in lieu), 6211.

H. Res. 592—Authorizing a study by the Committee on Education of the effect of certain war activities on colleges and universities.

Mr. McCormack; Committee on Rules, 5824.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1688), 6332, 6344.—Agreed to, 6393.

H. Res. 593—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4901, a bill to authorize and direct the sale of Moore Air Field.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 5824.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1679), 6241.—Rejected, 6652-6659.

H. Res. 594—To provide for the temporary admission of political or religious refugees of continental Europe into areas within the United States to be known as free ports for refugees.

Mr. Byrne; Committee on Immigration and Naturalization, 5896.

H. Res. 595—Electing John S. Gibson to the Committee on Expenditure in the Executive Departments.

Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 5893.

H. Res. 596—For lend-lease aid to Italy.

Mr. Celler; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 5896.

H. Res. 597—Electing Jennings Randolph, of West Virginia; Alfred J. Elliott, of California; Ed Gossett, of Texas; and George W. Andrews, of Alabama; to the Committee on Expenditures in the Executive Department.

Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 5897.

H. Res. 598—Requesting the Secretary of Commerce, through the Administrator of Civil Aeronautics, to make a survey of the need for a system of airports and landing areas throughout the United States.

Mr. Lea; Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce, 6012.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1661), 6084.—Amended and passed House, 6663.

H. Res. 599—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4991, a bill to remove restrictions on transfers of small craft to other American republics in furtherance of the war effort.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 6241.

H. Res. 600—Urging on behalf of United States House of Representatives a diplomatic break with Franco (Fascist) Spain, and extension of lend-lease to the guerrilla armies of the Spanish Republic underground.

Mr. Coffee; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 6241.

H. Res. 601—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4405, a bill to amend the act approved March 7, 1942 (Public Law 490, 77th Cong.), as amended, so as to more specifically provide for pay, allotments, and administration pertaining to war casualties, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 6241.

H. Res. 602—Providing for the consideration of S. 1173, a bill to provide for staying judicial proceedings against the United States in time of war, on claims for damages caused by vessels of the Navy, or for towage or salvage services to such vessels, when the Secretary of the Navy certifies that the prosecution of such proceedings would endanger the security of naval operations or interfere therewith, and to authorize the settlement and payment of such claims, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 6241.

H. Res. 603—Authorizing the printing of a revised edition of the Rules and Manual of the House of Representatives for the Seventy-ninth Congress.

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 6241.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1739), 6241.—Agreed to,

H. Res. 604—Electing Ellsworth Buck, of New York, to the Committee on the Merchant Marine and Fisheries.

Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 6241.

H. Res. 605—For the consideration of H. R. 4911, a bill to amend the Federal Crop Insurance Act.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1689), 6322, 6344.—Agreed to.

H. Res. 606—Electing Robert W. Kean, of New Jersey, to the Committee on Ways and Means; and Frank L. Sundstrom to the Committee on Banking and Currency.

Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 6391.

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H. Res. 607—Providing for expenses of committee authorized by H. Res. 551. Mr. Anderson of New Mexico; Committee on Accounts, 6509.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1711), 6586.—Agreed to, 6509.

H. Res. 608—Authorizing the expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 592 of the Seventy-eighth Congress. Mr. McCormack; Committee on Accounts, 6509.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1712), 6586.—Agreed to, 6509.

H. Res. 609—Authorizing the expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 230 of the Seventy-eighth Congress. Mr. Kelley; Committee on Accounts, 6509.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1713), 6586.—Agreed to, 6510.

H. Res. 610—Protesting the extermination by the Nazis of minorities in Hungary and other Nazi-controlled territories. Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 6587.—Reported with amendment (H. Rept. 1742), 6680.

H. Res. 611—For the consideration of H. R. 4349, a bill to exempt certain officers and employees of the National War Labor Board from certain provisions of the Criminal Code. Mr. Smith of Virginia, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1715), 6586, 6586.

H. Res. 612—For the consideration of H. R. 4468, a bill to exempt certain officers and employees of the War Department from certain provisions of the Criminal Code and Revised Statutes. Mr. Smith of Virginia, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1716), 6567, 6586.

H. Res. 613—For the consideration of H. R. 4446, a bill to exempt certain officers and employees within the Office of Scientific Research and Development from certain provisions of the Criminal Code. Mr. Smith of Virginia, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1717), 6567, 6586.

H. Res. 614—Electing John J. Rooney, of New York, to the Committee on Military Affairs. Mr. Doughton; agreed, 6647.

H. Res. 615—Requesting the Secretary of State to urge that the Government of Turkey in the interests of humanity facilitate the entry into Turkey of refugees who can escape from the Nazis, and establish in Turkey a refugee camp in which such persons can be temporarily sheltered. Mr. Bloom; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 6680.

H. Res. 616—Electing Hon. Rolla C. McMillen, of Illinois, to various committees. Mr. Martin of Massachusetts; agreed to, 6713.

H. Res. 617—To direct the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce to conduct an investigation to determine whether requirements should be imposed by law in the case of circuses moving in interstate commerce with respect to the fireproofing of tents and the taking of other measures to promote safety. Mr. Miller of Connecticut; Committee on Rules, 6719.

H. Res. 618—Granting 6 months' salary and \$250 funeral expenses to Margaret E. Cline, sister of Charles F. Cline, late an employee of the House. Mr. Delaney, from Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 1754), 6751, 6756.—Agreed to, 6751.

H. Res. 619—Providing for the payment of 6 months' salary compensation and \$250 funeral expenses to Agnes C. Duggan, sister of Joseph P. Duggan, late an employee of the House.

H. Res. 619—Continued. Mr. Cochran, from Committee on Accounts (H. Rept. 1755), 6752, 6756.—Agreed to, 6752.

H. Res. 620—For the consideration of H. R. 5125, a bill to provide for the disposal of surplus Government property and plants, and for other purposes. Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1760), 6928.—Agreed to, 6951-6957.

H. Res. 621—To authorize the Committee on Immigration and Naturalization to study the basic problems affecting postwar immigration and naturalization. Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Rules, 7070.

H. Res. 622—That the Congress recommend and urge the President and the Secretary of State to use their offices in effecting the establishment of emergency shelter in Palestine for persecuted Jews of Europe. Mr. Somers of New York; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7302.

H. Res. 623—That the Congress recommend and urge the President and the Secretary of State to use their offices in effecting the establishment of emergency shelter in Palestine for persecuted Jews of Europe. Mr. Lane; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7302.

H. Res. 624—That the Congress recommend and urge the President and the Secretary of State to use their offices in effecting the establishment of emergency shelter in Palestine for persecuted Jews of Europe. Mr. Scott; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7302.

H. Res. 625—That the Congress recommend and urge the President and the Secretary of State to use their offices in effecting the establishment of emergency shelter in Palestine for persecuted Jews of Europe. Mr. Baldwin of New York; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7302.

H. Res. 626—Expressing the sense of the House of Representatives that the Postmaster General should issue a special postage stamp in commemoration of Francis Scott Key, author of the Star-Spangled Banner. Mr. Beall; Committee on the Post Office and Post Roads, 7302.

H. Res. 627—For the consideration of S. 2051, an act to amend the Social Security Act, as amended, to provide a national program for war mobilization and reconversion, and for other purposes. From the Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1800), 7345.—Debated in House, 7350-7355.—Agreed to, 7355.

H. Res. 628—ELECTING Hon. Howard W. Smith, of Virginia, to the Committee on the District of Columbia. Mr. Doughton; agreed to, 7346.

H. Res. 629—Protesting the condemnation by the British of Ambassador Phillips. Mr. Calvin D. Johnson; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7413.

H. Res. 630—Requesting information from the Reconstruction Finance Corporation regarding distribution of surplus materials and other matters. Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Banking and Currency, 7481.

H. Res. 631—Requesting information from the Alien Property Custodian as to ownership and control of J. M. Lehmann Co., Inc. Mr. Dickstein; Committee on the Judiciary, 7481.

H. Res. 632—To authorize a full and complete investigation of the rotation of furloughs plan, as established by the War Department.

H. Res. 632—Continued. Mr. Smith of Wisconsin; Committee on Rules, 7509.

H. Res. 633—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the fifth intermediate report (H. Rept. No. 1366), of the House Select Committee to Investigate Executive Agencies, submitting an analysis of a bill to amend the Emergency Price Control Act of 1942. Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Printing, 7567.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1856), 7578, 7607.—Agreed to, 7578.

H. Res. 634—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the sixth intermediate report (H. Rept. No. 1797) of the House Select Committee to Investigate Executive Agencies, submitting an analysis of a bill to improve the administration of justice by prescribing fair administrative procedure. Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Printing, 7567.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1857), 7578, 7607.—Agreed to, 7578.

H. Res. 635—Providing additional compensation for clerk for minority members of Committee on Ways and Means. Mr. Knutson; Committee on Accounts, 7576.

H. Res. 636—Providing additional funds for expenses of conducting studies and investigations authorized by H. Res. 30. Mr. May; Committee on Accounts, 7578.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1858), 7607.—Considered and agreed to, 7578-7580.

H. Res. 637—Creating a select committee of the House of Representatives to study the question of the feasibility of conferring upon the Price Administrator the power to fix rentals for the occupancy of business premises in defense-rental areas. Mr. Dickstein; Committee on Rules, 7607.

H. Res. 638—Establishing a select committee to be known as the Committee on the Sale and Disposition of Surplus Government Owned Property. Mr. Maas; Committee on Rules, 7710.

H. Res. 639—Authorizing additional copies of House Report No. 1855, current session. Mr. Jarman; agreed to, 7754.

H. Res. 640—Requesting information from the Secretary of Labor as to number, and so forth, of plants taken over by Government departments under Executive order. Mr. Hoffman; Committee on Labor, 7773.

H. Res. 641—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of a report from the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, together with accompanying papers and illustrations, on the reexamination of Columbia and Snake Rivers, Oreg., Wash., and Idaho. Mr. Mansfield of Texas; Committee on Printing, 7881.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1899), 7943, 7971.—Agreed to, 7943.

H. Res. 642—Authorizing the Committee on Interstate and Foreign Commerce of the House of Representatives to have printed for its use additional copies of the hearings on the bill (H. R. 4184) to amend the Transportation Act of 1940, with respect to the movement of Government traffic. Mr. Lea; Committee on Printing, 7881.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1900), 7943, 7971.—Agreed to, 7943.

H. Res. 643—To investigate the Pearl Harbor disaster. Mr. Harness of Indiana; Committee on Rules, 7881.

H. Res. 644—To investigate the Pearl Harbor disaster. Mr. Scott; Committee on Rules, 7881.

H. Res. 645—Favoring immediate relief to the people of Italy by the United Nations Relief and Rehabilitation Administration. Mr. Capozzoli; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 7971.

H. Res. 646—Expressing the approval of the House of Representatives of certain resolutions adopted at Santiago, Chile, on April 15, 1944, looking toward the establishment of an American Interparliamentary Congress.

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Foreign Affairs, 8146.

H. Res. 647—Relative to the death of Hon. Hampton Fulmer, late a Representative from the State of South Carolina. Mr. Hare; agreed to, 8169.

H. Res. 648—Providing for the consideration of H. R. 4216, a bill to provide more efficient dental care for the personnel of the United States Navy.

Mr. Rivers; Committee on Rules, 8173.

H. Res. 649—To investigate practices and policies of the Securities and Exchange Commission.

Mr. Dirksen; Committee on Rules, 8198.

H. Res. 650—Providing additional funds for the Select Committee to Investigate Acts of Executive Agencies which exceed the scope of their power of authority.

Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committees on Accounts, 8198.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2065), 9488.—Agreed to, 9450.

H. Res. 651—Electing John W. Flannagan, Jr., of Virginia, chairman of the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 8200.

H. Res. 652—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of the seventh intermediate report of the Select Committee to Investigate Executive Agencies.

Mr. Smith of Virginia; Committee on Printing, 8215.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1934), 8452, 8467.—Considered and agreed to, 8452.

H. Res. 653—Relative to the death of Hon. Ellison D. Smith, a Senator from the State of South Carolina. Mr. Richards; Agreed to, 8214.

H. Res. 654—For the consideration of H. R. 4915, a bill to amend and supplement the Federal-Aid Road Act.

Mr. Cox, referred to the House Calendar and ordered to be printed, 8282.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1914), 8306.—Passed House, 8345-8350.

H. Res. 655—To investigate erroneous statements concerning the Battle of Saipan. Mr. Fay; Committee on Rules, 8304, 8306.

H. Res. 656—Relating to the disposition of the files of the Special Committee to Investigate Un-American Activities.

Mr. Thomas of New Jersey; Committee on Rules, 8350.

H. Res. 657—To direct the Board of Engineers for Rivers and Harbors to review the report on the Muskingum River and its tributaries, Ohio, with a view to determining the advisability of improving Leatherwood Creek in the interests of flood control and water supply for Cambridge, Ohio.

Mr. Griffiths; Committee on Flood Control, 8416.

H. Res. 658—Providing for the consideration of S. 2019, a bill to establish the grade of fleet admiral of the United States Navy, and for other purposes.

H. Res. 658—Continued.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 8416.

H. Res. 659—For the consideration of H. R. 4216, a bill to provide more efficient dental care for the personnel of the United States Navy.

Mr. Bates of Kentucky; Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1955), 8531, 8534.—Agreed to 8783.

H. Res. 660—For the consideration of H. R. 4993, a bill to amend Public, No. 507, Seventy-seventh Congress, second session, an act to further expedite the prosecution of the war, approved March 27, 1942, known as the Second War Powers Act, 1942.

Mr. Sabath; Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1956), 8531, 8535.—Agreed to, 8587.

H. Res. 661—For the consideration of S. 2004, a bill to amend the act entitled "An act to mobilize the productive facilities of small business in the interests of the successful prosecution of the war, and for other purposes," approved June 11, 1942.

Mr. Sabath; Committee on Rules.—Reported back (H. Rept. 1957), 8531, 8535.—Considered and agreed to, 8683-8694.

H. Res. 662—For the consideration of H. R. 3690, a bill to safeguard the admission of evidence in certain cases.

Mr. Slaughter, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 1958), 8532, 8535.—Agreed to, 9364-9366.

H. Res. 663—To investigate whether the provisions of the Public Utility Holding Company Act of 1935, as amended, and regulations promulgated thereunder have been violated.

Mr. Lesinski; Committee on Rules, 8590.

H. Res. 664—Providing for the consideration of S. 2194, a bill authorizing appropriations for the United States Navy for additional ordnance manufacturing and production facilities, and for other purposes.

Mr. Vinson of Georgia; Committee on Rules, 8649.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2044), 9017, 9020.

H. Res. 665—Requesting the Smaller War Plants Corporation to investigate the possibilities for establishing small, independent enterprises in Alaska by veterans, and for other purposes.

Mr. Dimond; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8649.

H. Res. 666—To provide for an investigation by the Committee on the Judiciary of the circumstances surrounding the dismissal of Assistant Attorney General Norman M. Littell.

Mr. Voorhis of California; Committee on Rules, 8649.

H. Res. 667—For the consideration of H. R. 5564, a bill to fix the rate of tax under the Federal Contributions Act on employer and employees for the calendar year 1945.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 2013), 8772, 8789.—Agreed to, 8831-8837.

H. Res. 668—For the consideration of H. R. 3986, a bill to prohibit discrimination in employment because of race, creed, color, national origin, or ancestry.

Mrs. Norton; Committee on Rules, 8789.

H. Res. 669—Authorizing the printing of the prayers of the Chaplain of the House of Representatives.

H. Res. 669—Continued.

Mr. Jarman; Committee on Printing, 8867.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2050), 9160, 9209.—Agreed to, 9160.

H. Res. 670—Requesting the Smaller War Plants Corporation to investigate the possibilities for establishing small independent enterprises in Alaska by veterans, and for other purposes.

Mr. Dimond; Committee on Banking and Currency, 8951.

H. Res. 671—For the consideration of the bill (S. 2019) to establish the grade of Fleet Admiral of the United States Navy, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 2034), 8999, 9020.—Agreed to, 9079.

H. Res. 672—For the consideration of the bill (H. R. 5590) to increase clerk hire, and for other purposes.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 2035), 8999.—Considered and agreed to, 8999-9005.

H. Res. 673—For the consideration of H. R. 4715 to increase the compensation of employees in the Postal Service.

Mr. Sabath, from Committee on Rules (H. Rept. 2047), 9086, 9096.—Agreed to, 9456-9459.

H. Res. 674—Requesting information regarding ultimatum served on Japan November 26, 1941.

Mr. Fish; Committee on Military Affairs, 9096.

H. Res. 675—Electing John L. McMillan, of South Carolina, a member of the Committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 9160.

H. Res. 676—Authorizing the printing of additional copies of House Report Numbered 1855, current session, entitled "Economic Problems of the Reconstruction Period," for the use of the Special Committee on Postwar Economic Policy and Planning.

Mr. Colmer; Committee on Printing, 9209.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2058), 9341, 9362.—Agreed to, 9341.

H. Res. 677—To investigate the meat situation in the city of New York.

Mr. O'Toole; Committee on Rules, 9382.

H. Res. 678—Authorizing the expenses of conducting the study and investigation authorized by H. Res. 592 of the Seventy-eighth Congress.

Mr. McCormack; Committee on Accounts, 9450.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2066), 9488.—Agreed to, 9450.

H. Res. 679—Providing additional funds for the employment of professional and other necessary help in the House disbursing office.

Mr. Cochran; referred to the House Calendar, 9450.—Reported back (H. Rept. 2067), 9488.—Agreed to, 9450.

H. Res. 680—Electing various Members to standing committees of the House of Representatives.

Mr. Doughton of North Carolina; agreed to, 9556.

H. Res. 681—Electing Hon. E. E. Cox, of Georgia, Speaker pro tempore.

Mr. Ramspeck; agreed to, 9669.

H. Res. 682—Appointing a joint committee to inform the President the two Houses are ready to adjourn.

Mr. Ramspeck; agreed to, 9803.

H. Res. 683—Thanking the Speaker for the fair and impartial conduct of his duties.

Mr. Michener; agreed to, 9803.