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points as the General Superintendent of the Life-Saving Service may recommend.

Portland, Me. Quarantine facilities to be increased. *Post*, p. 597.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to provide increased quarantine facilities at the port of Portland, Maine, to cost not exceeding forty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars.

Approved, August 24, 1912.

August 24, 1912. [H. R. 26114.]
[Public, No. 333.]

CHAP. 386.—An Act To authorize the Government of Porto Rico to construct a bridge across the Cano de Martin Pena, an estuary of the harbor of San Juan, Porto Rico.

Cano de Martin Pena. Porto Rico, may bridge.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the government of Porto Rico be, and is hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Cano de Martin Pena, an estuary of San Juan Bay, Porto Rico, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

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Amendment.

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

Approved, August 24, 1912.

August 24, 1912. [H. R. 38.]
[Public, No. 334.]

CHAP. 387.—An Act To create a legislative assembly in the Territory of Alaska, to confer legislative power thereon, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

Alaska. Territorial organization for. Vol. 15, p. 534.

ALASKA TERRITORY ORGANIZED.—That the territory ceded to the United States by Russia by the treaty of March thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and known as Alaska, shall be and constitute the Territory of Alaska under the laws of the United States, the government of which shall be organized and administered as provided by said laws.

Capital at Juneau.

SEC. 2. CAPITAL AT JUNEAU.—That the capital of the Territory of Alaska shall be at the city of Juneau, Alaska, and the seat of government shall be maintained there.

Constitution and laws extended.

SEC. 3. CONSTITUTION AND LAWS OF UNITED STATES EXTENDED.—That the Constitution of the United States, and all the laws thereof which are not locally inapplicable, shall have the same force and effect within the said Territory as elsewhere in the United States; that all the laws of the United States heretofore passed establishing the executive and judicial departments in Alaska shall continue in full force and effect until amended or repealed by Act of Congress; that except as herein provided all laws now in force in Alaska shall continue in full force and effect until altered, amended, or repealed by Congress or by the legislature: *Provided*, That the authority herein granted to the legislature to alter, amend, modify, and repeal laws in force in Alaska shall not extend to the customs, internal-revenue, postal, or other general laws of the United States or to the game, fish, and fur-seal laws and laws relating to fur-bearing animals of the United States applicable to Alaska, or to the laws of the United States providing for taxes on business and trade, or to the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the construction and maintenance of roads, the establishment and maintenance of schools, and the care and support of insane persons in the District of Alaska, and for other purposes," approved January twenty-seventh, nineteen hun-

Provisos. Restriction on altering, etc., specified laws in force.

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