

For material and labor for repair of Field Artillery target range, clearing grounds for targets and firing positions for batteries, constructing roads and trails to firing positions and target range; and for miscellaneous expenses connected with the indoor instruction of cadets in field artillery during the winter season, \$500.

Quartermaster garage. New cadet barracks, etc. For Quartermaster Corps garage, \$10,000.

Officers' quarters. For enlarging the Military Academy to accommodate the authorized number of cadets: Construction of cadet barracks and headquarters, to be located at the south of the area of the old or south barracks, \$500,000.

Lieut. Col. E. J. Timberlake. Credit in accounts. Eight sets married officers' quarters, \$60,000.

Printing outside of Government Printing Office allowed. Twenty sets bachelor officers' quarters, \$60,000.

And *provided further*, That the accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized and directed to allow and credit in the accounts of Lieutenant Colonel E. J. Timberlake, the sum of \$2,580, disallowed on voucher numbered eleven, for December, nineteen hundred and fourteen, of his money accounts as quartermaster and now outstanding against him on the books of the Treasury.

Hereafter printing, binding, and blank books required for the use of the United States Military Academy may be done or procured elsewhere than at the Government Printing Office when in the opinion of the Secretary of War such work can be more advantageously done or procured locally, the cost thereof to be paid from the proper appropriation or appropriations made for the Military Academy.

Total, buildings and grounds, \$1,051,613.30.

Total, Military Academy, \$2,589,846.25.

Approved, June 27, 1918.

June 27, 1918.  
 [H. J. Res. 70.]  
 [Pub. Res., No. 32.]

James Buchanan.  
 Memorial to former  
 President permitted in  
 Meridian Hill Park,  
 Washington, D. C.

*Proviso.*  
 Approval of Commission of Fine Arts, etc.

**CHAP. 109.**—Joint Resolution Authorizing the erection on the public grounds in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, of a statue of James Buchanan, a former President of the United States.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Chief of Engineers, United States Army, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to grant permission to the trustees designated in the will of Mrs. Harriet Lane Johnston for the erection of a memorial to James Buchanan, a former President of the United States, on public grounds of the United States in the city of Washington, District of Columbia, in the southern portion of Meridian Hill Park, between Fifteenth, Sixteenth, W, and Euclid Streets northwest: *Provided*, That the design and location of said memorial and the plan for the treatment of the grounds connected with its site shall be approved by the Commission of Fine Arts, and that the United States shall be put to no expense in or by the erection of said memorial.

Approved, June 27, 1918.

June 28, 1918.  
 [H. R. 8563.]  
 [Public, No. 180.]

Alaska.  
 Homestead entries  
 allowed in.  
 Vol. 39, p. 352,  
 amended.

Homestead laws  
 made applicable.

**CHAP. 110.**—An Act To amend the homestead law in its application to Alaska, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to amend the United States homestead law in its application to Alaska, and for other purposes," approved July eighth, nineteen hundred and sixteen, is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SECTION 1. That every person who is qualified under existing laws to make homestead entry of the public lands of the United States