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CHAP. 329.—An Act To amend an Act entitled "An Act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to sell the United States marine hospital reservation and improvements thereon at Detroit, Michigan, and to acquire a suitable site in the same locality and to erect thereon a modern hospital for the treatment of the beneficiaries of the United States Public Health Service, and for other purposes," approved June 7, 1924.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the "Act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to sell the United States marine hospital reservation and improvements thereon at Detroit, Michigan, and to acquire a suitable site in the same locality and to erect thereon a modern hospital for the treatment of the beneficiaries of the United States Public Health Service, and for other purposes," approved June 7, 1924, be amended to read as follows:

Detroit, Mich.
Vol. 43, p. 660, amended.

That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to transfer to the Department of Commerce for lighthouse purposes that portion of the United States marine hospital reservation at Detroit, Michigan, together with the improvements thereon, described as follows: Beginning at the northwest corner of the present marine hospital reservation, on Jefferson Avenue, and running thence in a northeasterly direction along the southerly side of said Jefferson Avenue, fifty-five feet to a point; thence in a southeasterly direction one hundred and fifty feet to a point; thence southwesterly a distance of fifty-five feet to a point in the westerly boundary line of said marine hospital site, and thence with said westerly boundary line in a northwesterly direction a distance of one hundred and fifty feet to the place of beginning.

Marine hospital at.
Part of site transferred for lighthouse purposes.

Description.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Treasury is also authorized and directed to transfer from the Treasury Department to the Department of Commerce, for a lighthouse depot, all of the unused portion of the United States post-office and courthouse property at Key West, Florida, now in use for lighthouse purposes. And the Secretary of the Treasury is further authorized and directed, upon completion and occupancy of the new Federal building upon the site heretofore acquired for the purpose at Key West, Florida, to transfer the old Federal building and site thereof to the Department of Commerce for the use of the Lighthouse Service, which site is described as follows: Commencing at the corner of the post-office site at the intersection of Front Street and the projection of the northerly line of Greene Street; running thence in a northerly direction with the west line of Front Street a distance of approximately one hundred and one and five-tenths feet to a point; thence in a northwesterly direction a distance of approximately seventy-seven feet, to the corner of the Treasury Department iron fence between the said post-office site and the navy depot; thence with a line of said iron fence in a southwesterly direction a distance of approximately forty-four feet to the north wall of said post-office building; thence with the line of said north wall of the post-office building in a westerly direction a distance of approximately twenty-two feet to the Treasury Department iron fence; thence in a northwesterly direction along the line of said fence, following a curve having a radius of approximately twenty-three and two-tenths feet, a distance of approximately twenty-four and two-tenths feet to a point; thence following the line of said iron fence in a westerly direction a distance of approximately seventeen feet to a point; thence along the line of said fence in a northwesterly direction a distance of approximately five feet to a point; thence along the line of said fence in a westerly direction a distance of approximately fifty-five feet to a point; thence in a southerly direction following a line parallel with the west line of Front Street, a distance of one

Key West, Fla.
Part of public building site transferred for lighthouse purposes.

On completion of new Federal building, old building, etc., transferred to Lighthouse Service.

Description.

hundred and fifty feet to a point; thence in an easterly direction following a line parallel to and approximately fifteen feet distant from the north line of the lighthouse blacksmith shop, a distance of fifteen feet to a point; thence in a southerly direction along a line parallel with the west line of Front Street, a distance of approximately ninety-five feet to a point in the projection of the north line of Greene Street; thence in a northeasterly direction along the said projected north line of Greene Street a distance of approximately two hundred and three feet to the point of beginning.

New Marine hospital site at Detroit, authorized in exchange for the Key West and Detroit properties.

SEC. 3. That the Secretary of Commerce be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to transfer to the Treasury Department, in exchange for the unused portion of the United States post-office and court-house property at Key West, Florida, and that portion of the marine hospital reservation at Detroit, Michigan, hereinbefore referred to, for a new marine hospital site, a tract of approximately five and one-half acres at Windmill Point, Detroit, Michigan, including submerged land, now being used for lighthouse purposes, reserving sites for aids to navigation and the necessary rights of way in such locations as the Commissioner of Lighthouses may select.

Location.

Proceeds from sale at Detroit available for construction of new building.

SEC. 4. The proceeds derived from the sale of the remainder of the present United States marine hospital reservation at Detroit, Michigan, is hereby made available for the construction of buildings on the so-called Windmill Point site when transferred as above provided.

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May 19, 1926.
[S. 85.]
[Public, No. 215.]

CHAP. 332.—An Act To correct the status of certain commissioned officers of the Navy appointed thereto pursuant to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 4, 1920.

Navy.
Officers qualified for, but not appointed prior to June 30, 1922, allowed service credit to which entitled at that date.
Vol. 41, p. 834.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all officers of the regular Navy appointed subsequent to June 30, 1922, in accordance with the provisions of the Act of Congress approved June 4, 1920 (Forty-first Statutes at Large, pages 834 and 835), who were examined and found qualified in all respects for such appointment prior to June 30, 1922, but whose appointments were delayed subsequent to that date through no fault of their own, shall be entitled to count, from and after date of appointment, in the computation of their pay, all service which would have been credited to them had they been so appointed on or before June 30, 1922.

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May 19, 1926.
[S. 96.]
[Public, No. 246.]

CHAP. 333.—An Act To amend the National Defense Act approved June 3, 1916, as amended by the Act of June 4, 1920, relating to retirement.

Army reorganization.
Retirement pay.
Vol. 39, p. 182.
Vol. 41, p. 771, amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act entitled "An Act for making further and more effectual provisions for the national defense, and for other purposes," approved June 3, 1916, as amended by the National Defense Act of June 4, 1920, be further amended by inserting after the words "per centum," in line 27 of section 24 thereof, the following: "*Provided*, That any officer so appointed, who has been or may hereafter be retired in accordance with law on account of physical disability incident to the service, shall receive, from the date of such retirement, retired pay at the rate of 75 per centum of his active pay at the time of such retirement."

Allowance if retired for disability incident to the service.

Approved, May 19, 1926.