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[H. R. 7213.]
[Public, No. 107.]

CHAP. 149.—An Act To grant authority to the Postmaster General to enter into contracts for the transportation of mails by air to foreign countries and insular possessions of the United States for periods of not more than ten years, and to pay for such service at fixed rates per pound or per mile, and for other purposes.

Foreign mails.
Ten-year contracts authorized for transportation of, by air.
Post, pp. 692, 1449.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That when, in his judgment, the public interest will be promoted thereby, the Postmaster General is authorized to enter into contracts for the transportation of mails by air to foreign countries and insular possessions of the United States for periods of not more than ten years, and to pay for such service at fixed rates per pound or per mile; and the Postmaster General is hereby authorized to award such contracts to the bidders that he shall find to be the lowest responsible bidders that can satisfactorily perform the service required to the best advantage of the Government: *Provided*, That the rate to be paid for such service shall not in any case exceed $2 per mile: *And provided further*, That in the award and interpretation of the contracts herein authorized, the decision of the Postmaster General shall be final, and not subject to review by any officer or tribunal of the United States, except by the President and the Federal courts.

Provisos.
Mile rate limited.

Decision of Postmaster General final.

Regulations to be issued.

SEC. 2. The Postmaster General shall make and issue such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

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[H. R. 204.]
[Public, No. 108.]

CHAP. 150.—An Act To authorize an additional appropriation for Fort McHenry, Maryland.

Fort McHenry, Md.
Additional authorization for expenses of establishing, as a national park.
Post, p. 929.
Vol. 43, p. 1109.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of $81,678 is authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for further carrying out the provisions of the Act, approved March 3, 1925, chapter 425 (Public, Numbered 543), entitled "An Act to repeal and reenact chapter 100, 1914 (Public, Numbered 108), to provide for the restoration of Fort McHenry, in the State of Maryland, and its permanent preservation as a national park and perpetual national memorial shrine as the birthplace of the immortal Star-Spangled Banner, written by Francis Scott Key, for the appropriation of the necessary funds, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1925 (Forty-third Statutes at Large, page 1109).

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[H. R. 230.]
[Public, No. 109.]

CHAP. 151.—An Act To authorize an appropriation for the recovery of bodies of officers, soldiers, and civilian employees.

Army.
Paying expenses of recovery of bodies of officers, etc., authorized.
Post, p. 1375.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sum as may be necessary to pay the expenses incident to the recovery of bodies of officers, cadets, United States Military Academy, acting assistant surgeons, members of the Army Nurse Corps, warrant officers, enlisted men, and civilian employees, under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe.

Approved, March 8, 1928.