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for commemorative purposes, authorized by an Act approved June 11, 1926 (Public Numbered 372, Sixty-ninth Congress), a commission is hereby created, to be composed of the following members, who shall be appointed by the Secretary of War: (1) A commissioned officer of the Corps of Engineers, United States Army; (2) a citizen and resident of York County, State of South Carolina; (3) a citizen and resident of Cleveland County, State of North Carolina; (4) and a citizen of Cherokee County, South Carolina.

Commission created.
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Army Engineer officer.

A citizen of York, Cleveland, and Cherokee Counties.

SEC. 2. In appointing the members of the commission created by section 1 of this Act the Secretary of War shall, as far as practicable, select persons familiar with the terrain of the battle field of Kings Mountain, South Carolina, and the historical events associated therewith.

Qualifications of commission.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the commission, acting under the direction of the Secretary of War, to inspect the battle field of Kings Mountain, South Carolina, in order to ascertain the feasibility of preserving and marking for historical and professional military study such field. The commission shall submit a report of its findings and an itemized statement of its expenses to the Secretary of War not later than December 1, 1928.

Inspection and report on feasibility of preserving, etc., for historical study, etc.

SEC. 4. There is authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $1,000, or such part thereof as may be necessary, in order to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Amount authorized for expenses.
Post, p. 929.

Approved, April 9, 1928.

CHAP. 334.—An Act Authorizing the reporting to the Congress of certain claims and demands asserted against the United States.

April 10, 1928.
[H. R. 9583.]
[Public, No. 247.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That when there is filed in the General Accounting Office a claim or demand against the United States that may not lawfully be adjusted by the use of an appropriation theretofore made, but which claim or demand in the judgment of the Comptroller General of the United States contains such elements of legal liability or equity as to be deserving of the consideration of the Congress, he shall submit the same to the Congress by a special report containing the material facts and his recommendation thereon.

Claims.
Equitable, not appropriated for, to be submitted to Congress with report of Comptroller General.

Approved, April 10, 1928.

CHAP. 335.—An Act To provide for cooperation by the Smithsonian Institution with State, educational, and scientific organizations in the United States for continuing ethnological researches on the American Indians.

April 10, 1928.
[H. R. 5495.]
[Public, No. 248.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Smithsonian Institution is hereby authorized to cooperate with any State, educational institution, or scientific organization in the United States for continuing ethnological researches among the American Indians and the excavation and preservation of archæological remains.

American Indians.
Cooperation by Smithsonian Institution in ethnological researches among.

SEC. 2. That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $20,000, which shall be available until expended for the above pur-

Amount authorized for expenses.
Post, p. 889.