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UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

Passed at the first session, which was begun and held at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the fifteenth day of April, 1929, and was adjourned without day on Friday, the twenty-second day of November, 1929.

HERBERT HOOVER, President; CHARLES CURTIS, Vice President; GEORGE H. MOSES, President of the Senate *pro tempore;* NICHOLAS LONGWORTH, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

April 26, 1929.
[H. R. 1412.]
[Public, No. 1.]

CHAP. 1.—An Act Making appropriations for certain expenses of the legislative branch incident to the first session of the Seventy-first Congress.

Appropriations for the first session, Seventy-first Congress.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray certain expenses incident to the first session of the Seventy-first Congress, namely:

Senate.

SENATE

Mileage.

For mileage of Senators, $51,000.

Pages.
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For twenty-one pages for the Senate Chamber at the rate of $3.30 each per day from April 15, 1929, until the end of the first session of the Seventy-first Congress, such amount as may be necessary.

Senate kitchens and restaurants.

For equipment and supplies for Senate kitchens and restaurants, Capitol Building and Senate Office Building, including personal and other services, to be expended from the contingent fund of the Senate, under the supervision of the Committee on Rules, United States Senate, fiscal year 1929, $5,000.

House of Representatives.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Royal H. Weller.
Pay to widow.

To pay the widow of Royal H. Weller, late a Representative from the State of New York, $10,000.

Charles W. Roark.
Pay to widow.

To pay the widow of Charles W. Roark, late a Representative from the State of Kentucky, $10,000.

Whitmell P. Martin.
Pay to minor son.

For the benefit of Robert C. Martin, minor son of Whitmell P. Martin, late a Representative from the State of Louisiana, $10,000, to be paid to the legal guardian of Robert C. Martin.

The three foregoing sums shall be disbursed by the Sergeant at Arms of the House.

Mileage.

For mileage of Representatives and Delegates and expenses of Resident Commissioners, $175,000.

Stationery.

For stationery for Members and Delegates and Resident Commissioners, at $125 each, $55,000.

Pages.
Post, p. 45.

For forty-one pages, including ten pages for duty at the entrances to the Hall of the House, at $3.30 each per day, from April 15, 1929, until the end of the first session of the Seventy-first Congress, such amount as may be necessary.

Miscellaneous items.

For miscellaneous items, exclusive of salaries and labor unless specifically ordered by the House of Representatives, and including reimbursement to the official stenographers to committees for the amounts actually and necessarily paid out by them for transcribing hearings, fiscal year 1929, $25,390.43.

Special and select committees.

For expenses of special and select committees, fiscal year 1929, $4,424.65.

Approved, April 26, 1929.

April 29, 1929.
[S. 179.]
[Public, No. 2.]

CHAP. 2.—An Act To authorize the Secretary of Commerce to dispose of the marine biological station at Key West, Florida.

Key West, Fla.
Disposal of marine biological station at, and land reconveyed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Commerce is hereby authorized to dispose of the marine biological station at Key West, Florida, and to reconvey by quitclaim deed to the Key West Realty Company, Florida, the land conveyed to the United States by said company in deed dated June 10, 1915, and particularly described as follows:

Description of land.

In the city of Key West, county of Monroe and State of Florida, beginning at the southwest corner of a sea wall of concrete bearing north fifty-eight degrees thirty minutes east from a post one hundred and one and two-tenths feet distant, said post being on the north side of the county road and at the eastern end of same, East Martello Tower bearing south eleven degrees thirty minutes west, distant five thousand three hundred and fifty feet; thence running north twenty-three degrees west four hundred and sixty-five feet to an iron bolt bearing south sixty-three degrees thirty minutes east from a post and pile of stones one hundred and fifty-six feet distant; thence running north sixty-seven degrees east five hundred and twenty-seven and five-tenths feet to an iron bolt at mean high-water line; thence running southerly along said mean high-water line six hundred and forty feet to an iron bolt driven into rock; thence running south sixty-seven degrees west one hundred and twenty-one feet in line with said sea wall to the place of beginning, containing four acres, more or less, together with riparian rights, all courses and bearings herein being magnetic.

Approved, April 29, 1929.

May 2, 1929.
[H. J. Res. 56.]
[Pub. Res., No. 1.]

CHAP. 3.—Joint Resolution To provide funds for the eradication, control, and prevention of the spread of the Mediterranean fruit fly.

Mediterranean fruit fly.
Sum available for emergency expenses in eradicating, etc.
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Post, pp. 53, 422.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That to enable the Secretary of Agriculture to meet the emergency caused by the presence of the Mediterranean fruit fly in the United States, not to exceed $4,250,000 of the unexpended balance of the appropriation of $5,000,000 for establishing and enforcing noncotton zones carried in the Second Deficiency Act, fiscal year 1928, is hereby made available until June 30, 1930, for necessary expenses for the eradication, control, and prevention of the spread of this pest, the employment of persons and means in the city of Washington and elsewhere, and for other expenses, including objects specified in the Agricultural Appropriation Acts for the fiscal years 1929 and 1930 under the heading "Salaries and general expenses, Plant Quarantine and Control Administration," and for necessary investigations, for printing, and for the purchase, maintenance, repair, and operation

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