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CHAP. 62.—Joint Resolution Authorizing acceptance of a donation of land, buildings, and other improvements in Caddo Parish, near Shreveport, Louisiana.

January 30, 1931.
[H. J. Res. 200.]
[Pub. Res., No. 116.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to accept title to such land, buildings, and other improvements in Caddo Parish, near Shreveport, Louisiana, as may be donated to the United States for the purpose of establishing and maintaining a pecan experiment station.

Shreveport, La.
Acceptance of site, etc., near, for pecan experiment station.

Approved, January 30, 1931.

CHAP. 63.—An Act To approve the action of the War Department in rendering relief to sufferers of the Mississippi River flood in 1927.

January 31, 1931.
[H. R. 233.]
[Public, No. 576.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the action of the Executive in directing the issue and the issuance of Army supplies out of the current and reserve stock for use of the Army, and in directing payment for supplies and for services rendered in connection with the shipment and transfer of such supplies, including all other extra expenditures, for the relief of sufferers from the Mississippi River flood in the spring of 1927 is approved. Credit for all such supplies so issued and funds so disbursed in connection therewith, and with the relief tendered by the Army shall be allowed in the settlement of the accounts of the officers of the Army.

Mississippi River flood, 1927.
Issuance of Army supplies, etc., for relief from, approved.

Credit in accounts allowed.

Approved, January 31, 1931.

CHAP. 64.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to acquire land and erect a monument at the site near Crookston, in Polk County, Minnesota, to commemorate the signing of a treaty on October 2, 1863, between the United States of America and the Chippewa Indians.

January 31, 1931.
[H. R. 5271.]
[Public, No. 577.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to erect a suitable monument and historical tablets on or near the site of the encampment, located on the banks of the Red Lake River at the place known as the Old Crossing, situated approximately fifteen miles northeast of Crookston, Minnesota, where, on October 2, 1863, the representatives of the two bands of the Chippewa Indians, known as the Red Lake Band and the Pembina Band, and of the United States Government, signed a treaty ceding to the United States of America the Red River Valley of the North. The title to the land deemed appropriate for the site of this monument shall be vested in the State of Minnesota and the acquisition of the site and the care of the site and monument shall be without expense to the Federal Government.

Old Crossing, Red Lake River, Minn.
Monument, etc., at, commemorating signing of Indian treaty, authorized.

Land title.

No Federal expense.

SEC. 2. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $5,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this Act: *Provided*, That the said monument shall be the work of an artist who is a citizen of the United States.

Amount for expenses.

Proviso.
Citizenship requirements.

Approved, January 31, 1931.

CHAP. 65.—An Act To provide for the study, investigation, and survey, for commemorative purposes, of the battle field of Chalmette, Louisiana.

January 31, 1931.
[H. R. 6618.]
[Public, No. 578.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to have made a study, investigation, and survey of the battle field of Chalmette,

Chalmette, La., battle field.
Study, etc., of, for commemorative purposes.