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directed by the President, as provided by section 179 of the Revised Statutes, perform the duties of such chief until his successor is appointed or such absence or sickness shall cease.

R. S., sec. 179, p. 27.
U. S. C., p. 28.
Acting chief of Naval Operations in emergency.

Approved, May 27, 1930.

CHAP. 345.—Joint Resolution To supply a deficiency in the appropriation for miscellaneous items, contingent fund of the House of Representatives.

May 27, 1930.
[H. J. Res. 343.]
[Pub. Res., No. 76.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of $25,894.31 is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to supply a deficiency in the contingent fund of the House of Representatives for the fiscal year 1930, 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.

House of Representatives.
Deficiency appropriation for miscellaneous items, etc.
Vol. 45, p. 1394.

Approved, May 27, 1930.

CHAP. 346.—An Act To provide for the appointment of an additional district judge for the district of Minnesota.

May 28, 1930.
[H. R. 5411.]
[Public, No. 276.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, an additional district judge of the District Court of the United States for the District of Minnesota, who shall reside in said district and whose compensation, duties, and powers shall be the same as now provided by law for the judges of said district. A vacancy occurring at any time in the office of district judge created by this Act is authorized to be filled.

United States courts.
Additional district judge to be appointed for District of Minnesota.
Vol. 43, p. 1098.
U. S. C., p. 864.

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect from and after its approval.

Effective immediately.

Approved, May 28, 1930.

CHAP. 347.—An Act To authorize the erection of a marker upon the site of New Echota, capital of the Cherokee Indians prior to their removal west of the Mississippi River, to commemorate its location, and events connected with its history.

May 28, 1930.
[H. R. 9444.]
[Public, No. 277.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is authorized to erect upon some portion of the site of New Echota, last capital of the Cherokee Indians prior to their removal in 1838 west of the Mississippi River, a suitable marker commemorating said location, with adequate inscriptions relative to the principal facts of its history.

Cherokee Indians.
Marker at New Echota, former capital of, authorized.

SEC. 2. The site for said marker shall consist of not more than one acre of land, which shall be selected under the direction of the Secretary of War, and shall be furnished free of cost for this purpose.

Selection of site.

SEC. 3. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $2,500, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Sum authorized.
Post, p. 910.

Approved, May 28, 1930.