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CHAP. 650.—An Act To establish additional salary grades for mechanics, helpers in the motor-vehicle service.

June 27, 1930.
[H. R. 9227.]
[Public, No. 464.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 6, paragraph 3, of the Act entitled "An Act reclassifying the salaries of postmasters and employees of the Postal Service, readjusting their salaries and compensation on an equitable basis, increasing postal rates to provide for such readjustment, and for other purposes," approved February 28, 1925 (Forty-third Statutes, page 1060; United States Code, title 39, section 116), and the Act entitled "An Act to allow the Postmaster General to promote mechanics' helpers to the first grade of special mechanics," approved May 29, 1928 (Forty-fifth Statutes, page 998; Supplement III, United States Code, title 39, section 116), are hereby modified to read as follows:

Postal Service.
Reclassification of salaries.
Vol. 43, p. 1060, amended.
U. S. C., p. 1243.

Vol. 45, p. 998.
U. S. C., p. 308; Supp. IV, p. 544.

"The salary grades of mechanics' helpers employed in the motor-vehicle service shall be $1,600, $1,700, and $1,800 per annum: *Provided*, That original appointments shall be made to the $1,600 grade, and promotions shall be made to the next higher grade at the beginning of a quarter following one year's satisfactory service in each grade: *Provided further*, That after one year's service in the $1,800 grade mechanics' helpers may in the discretion of the Postmaster General be promoted to the first grade of general mechanics or special mechanics, as vacancies occur: *Provided further*, That this Act shall be effective July 1, 1930."

Mechanics' helpers.

Provisos.
Initial salaries, etc.

Promotion to general or special mechanics.

Effective date.

Approved, June 27, 1930.

CHAP. 651.—An Act To authorize the Secretary of War to donate a bronze cannon to the town of Avon, Massachusetts.

June 27, 1930.
[H. R. 6264.]
[Public, No. 465.]

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 and directed to donate, without expense to the United States, to the town of Avon, Massachusetts, a bronze cannon numbered 136 cast year 1862, marked "7 JR," now located at Watertown Arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts.

Army.
Bronze cannon donated to Avon, Mass.
No Federal expense.

Approved, June 27, 1930.

CHAP. 652.—Joint Resolution To provide for the annual contribution of the United States toward the support of the Central Bureau of the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale.

June 27, 1930.
[H. J. Res. 14.]
[Pub. Res., No. 97.]

Resolved 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, an annual sum of $50 as a contribution on the part of the United States toward the expenses incurred by the Central Bureau of the International Map of the World on the Millionth Scale.

Central Bureau of the International Map of the World.
Annual contribution to, by United States authorized.
Ante, p. 185.
Post, p. 889.

Approved, June 27, 1930

CHAP. 653.—Joint Resolution To promote peace and to equalize the burdens and to minimize the profits of war.

June 27, 1930.
[H. J. Res. 251.]
[Pub. Res., No. 98.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a commission is hereby created to study and consider amending the Constitution of the United States to provide that private property may be taken by Congress for public use during war and methods of equalizing the burdens and to remove the profits of war, together with

Constitution of the United States.
Commission created to study, etc., amending, to provide for sequestration of property during war time.