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Authority to construct and operate intake and discharge tunnels, etc., conferred.

SEC. 3. That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized to grant any and all permits for the construction and operation of any pipe lines and intake and discharge tunnels in or under the public streets, roads, and highways south of T Street southwest and east of Second Street southwest to the Anacostia River as may become necessary in the construction, installation, and operation of any electric lighting and power plant, provided the same will not interfere with the development of other property located within this area.

Restriction.

Permit authorized for tunnels, etc., in Anacostia River.

SEC. 4. That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to permit the construction and operation of any intake and discharge tunnels and/or other structures in the Anacostia River in so far as they affect navigable waters of the United States; and that the Director of Public Buildings and Public Parks of the National Capital is hereby authorized, in consideration of the above-mentioned quitclaims to the United States, to convey, on behalf of the United States, to the owners of square 667 that portion of square east of 667 lying west of the direct southerly projection of the west line of Half Street as now existing north of U Street southwest; and that said Director of Public Buildings and Public Parks of the National Capital is hereby authorized to permit the construction and operation of any pipe lines and intake and discharge tunnels, upon such terms and conditions as shall be fair and reasonable, under and on any lands owned or claimed by the Government of the United States lying in the above area and/or between the east line of Water Street, or other streets, and the Anacostia River. All areas conveyed by the United States to the owners of square 667 shall thereafter be assessed on the books of the assessor of the District of Columbia the same in all respect as other private properties in the District of Columbia.

Conveyances to owners of square 667.

Pipe line and tunnel construction, etc., permitted in area designated.

Private property assessment.

Approved, June 15, 1932.

[CHAPTER 266.]

AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to acquire land adjoining Lawrence (Massachusetts) post-office site.

June 16, 1932.
[H. R. 8907.]
[Public, No. 184.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provision of the Act of Congress approved July 3, 1930 (46 Stat. 899), for extension and remodeling of the post-office building at Lawrence, Massachusetts, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to provide for the acquisition by the Secretary of the Treasury by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, of such land adjoining said post-office site as may be needed in connection with said extension; and the unexpended balance of the appropriation for said remodeling and extension shall be available for the acquisition of said additional land.

Lawrence, Mass.
Acquisition of additional lands for post-office site.
Vol. 46, p. 899.

Approved, June 16, 1932.

[CHAPTER 267.]

AN ACT

To authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to close Quintana Place, between Seventh Street and Seventh Place northwest.

June 17, 1932.
[S. 3911.]
[Public, No. 185.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby authorized, on condition that the expense of moving and relocating the water main now existing be borne by the adjoining property owner, and without other expense to the District of Columbia, to

District of Columbia.
Quintana Place closed.

Condition.