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such indebtedness incurred during the current enlistment and remaining unpaid at the time of discharge"; and the substitution therefor of the following: "*And provided further*, That the Secretary of War may cause to be remitted and canceled any part of such indebtedness remaining unpaid either on honorable discharge of the enlisted man from the service or prior thereto when in his opinion the interests of the Government are best served by such action."

Remission of indebtedness, authorized.

Approved, June 26, 1934.

[CHAPTER 752.]

AN ACT

To provide for a preliminary examination of Cromline Creek in the State of New York, with a view to the control of its floods.

June 26, 1934.
[S. 3408.]
[Public, No. 469.]

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 cause a preliminary examination to be made of Cromline Creek in the State of New York, with a view to control of its floods, in accordance with the provisions of section 3 of an Act entitled "An Act to provide for the control of the floods of the Mississippi River and of the Sacramento River, California, and for other purposes", approved March 1, 1917, the cost thereof to be paid from appropriations heretofore or hereafter made for examinations, surveys, and contingencies of rivers and harbors.

Cromline Creek.
Preliminary examination of.

Vol. 39, p. 541.
U.S.C., p. 1090.

Approved, June 26, 1934.

[CHAPTER 753.]

AN ACT

To exempt articles of machinery belting from the tax on floor stocks imposed by the Agriculture Adjustment Act.

June 26, 1934.
[S. 3419.]
[Public, No. 470.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of section 16 of the Agricultural Adjustment Act, as amended, shall not apply to articles of machinery belting processed wholly or in chief value from cotton, if such processing was completed prior to January 1, 1930.

Agricultural Adjustment Act amended.
Floor stocks; taxes.
Exemption, machinery belting processed from cotton.
Ante, p. 40.

SEC. 2. Any tax which has been assessed or paid under such section on any such article prior to the enactment of this Act shall be credited or refunded to the taxpayer, or abated if remaining unpaid: *Provided*, That claim therefor must be filed within three months after the date of enactment of this Act: *Provided further*, That no such credit, refund, or abatement shall be made with respect to any such article which was disposed of by the taxpayer prior to the filing of the claim therefor.

Credits and refunds.

Provisos.
Filing claims.

Refund prohibited if article has been disposed of.

Approved, June 26, 1934.

[CHAPTER 754.]

AN ACT

To amend the Act entitled "An Act creating the Mount Rushmore National Memorial Commission and defining its powers and purposes", approved February 25, 1929, and for other purposes.

June 26, 1934.
[S. 3533.]
[Public, No. 471.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 3 of the Act entitled "An Act creating the Mount Rushmore National Memorial Commission and defining its powers and purposes", approved February 25, 1929, is amended by adding at the end thereof

Mount Rushmore National Memorial Commission.
Vol. 45, p. 1300, amended.