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upon the processing in continental United States of sugar produced in or coming from Puerto Rico are hereby authorized, in the discretion of the President, to be transferred to the revolving fund authorized by this Act. Not exceeding $10,000,000 of this fund may, in the discretion of the President, be set aside in the Treasury for use as an insurance fund to insure individual agriculturists in Puerto Rico, but to the extent only of such insurance fund and its accretions, against damage by hurricane to their farm dwellings and farm buildings, growing crops, plants and trees, including trees used as shade for growing crops, warehouses and produce in barns and warehouses: *Provided*, That said fund may be so employed only during such periods as the Secretary of the Interior shall find and determine that commercial insurance is not available, and at premiums sufficiently high to keep the principal of the original insurance fund intact, and policies of insurance shall be issued hereunder only pursuant to such terms and premium rates as the Secretary of the Interior shall prescribe by regulations duly promulgated. Until otherwise provided by law all moneys collected as premiums on such insurance or otherwise in connection with the administration of such fund or the operation of such insurance activity shall constitute accretions to the fund and shall be held, together with the original insurance fund and all additions thereto, as a revolving fund for the purposes of such insurance.

Hurricane insurance fund; sum authorized for.

Proviso. Restrictions.

Insurance premiums.

Approved, February 11, 1936.

[CHAPTER 52.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

February 11, 1936.
[H. J. Res. 459.]
[Pub. Res., No. 69.]

To amend the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes."

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the United States Texas Centennial Commission established by the joint resolution entitled "Joint resolution providing for the participation of the United States in the Texas Centennial Exposition and celebrations to be held in the State of Texas during the years 1935 and 1936, and authorizing the President to invite foreign countries and nations to participate therein, and for other purposes", approved June 28, 1935, is authorized, in its discretion, to allocate funds from the appropriation made to carry into effect the provisions of such joint resolution, to the Texas Centennial Commission, the Commission of Control for Texas Centennial Celebrations, the Texas Centennial Central Exposition, and to any executive department, independent office, or establishment of the Government for the purchase of historic papers and paintings by contract or otherwise without regard to the provisions of section 3709 of the Revised Statutes, the construction and erection of monuments, statues, markers, buildings, and other structures or any part thereof, including purchase of sites, the restoration of historic structures, and the purchase of land in connection with historic structures. The funds so allocated may be expended by such State bodies and Government departments or establishments in any part of the State of Texas in accordance with the allocation by the Commission.

Texas Centennial Exposition, 1935 and 1936.
Ante, p. 431.

Allocation of funds by Commission, authorized.

Purchases without advertising.
R. S., sec. 3709, p. 733; U. S. C., p. 1803.

SEC. 2. Monuments, statues, markers, buildings, and other structures, erected or constructed, and lands, historic papers, and paintings purchased from funds allocated as herein provided shall become the property of the State of Texas, except that in such cases as the United States Texas Centennial Commission deems it desirable and in the public interest, any such erection, structure, land, or article shall become the property of such organization, or public or private agency as it may designate, subject to such requirements as the Commission may deem necessary or appropriate.

Disposition of monuments, etc.

Approved, February 11, 1936.

[CHAPTER 63.]

AN ACT

To increase the efficiency of the Veterinary Corps of the Regular Army.

February 12, 1936.
[S. 363.]
[Public, No. 443.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purposes of promotion, longevity pay, and retirement there shall be credited to officers of the Veterinary Corps, and former officers of the Veterinary Corps now on the retired list, all full-time service rendered by them as veterinarians in the Quartermaster Department, Cavalry, or Field Artillery: *Provided*, That no back pay or allowances shall be held to have accrued prior to the passage of this Act.

Army Veterinary Corps.
Service credits allowed officers.

Proviso.
No back pay, etc.

Approved, February 12, 1936.

[CHAPTER 64.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing the erection of a memorial to the early settlers whose land grants embrace the site of the Federal City.

February 12, 1936.
[H. J. Res. 307.]
[Pub. Res., No. 70.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to grant permission for the erection on public grounds of the United States in the city of Washington, other than those of the Capitol, the Library of Congress, and the White House, of a memorial of simple and artistic form and design to those early settlers whose land grants embrace the site of the Federal City, by the National Society of the Daughters of the American Colonists, a corporation, one of whose objects is the erection of memorials to commemorate historic persons, sites, or events of the colonial period of this country, in the several States and the District of Columbia: *Provided*, That the site chosen and the design of the memorial shall have the approval of the National Commission of Fine Arts, and that the United States shall be put to no expense in or by the erection of the said memorial.

District of Columbia.
Memorial to early settlers, authorized.

Proviso.
Approval of site and design.

Approved, February 12, 1936.

[CHAPTER 66.]

AN ACT

To provide further for the maintenance of United States Soldiers' Home.

February 13, 1936.
[S. 1301.]
[Public, No. 444.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That hereafter, and beginning with the first calendar month after the passage of this Act, there shall be deducted each month from the pay of each enlisted man and warrant officer on the active list of the Regular Army,

United States Soldiers' Home.
Pay deductions, Regular Army, for credit to fund for maintenance of.