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permit the acquisition of the necessary land for establishment of the George Washington Carver National Monument, section 4 of the Act of July 14, 1943 (57 Stat. 563), is hereby amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 4. There are authorized to be appropriated such sums not to exceed $150,000 as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act."

16 U. S. C. § 450aa note.
Appropriation authorized.

Approved September 9, 1950.

[CHAPTER 941]

AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to dispose of the remaining Government lots in the town site of Saint Marks, Florida.

September 9, 1950
[H. R. 8028]
[Public Law 781]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior may dispose of the remaining public land within the Government town site of Saint Marks, Florida, established by the Act of March 2, 1833 (4 Stat. 664), as amended by the Act of March 9, 1928, (45 Stat. 254), under the provisions of Revised Statutes, sections 2381 and 2382 (43 U. S. C., secs. 712 and 713). The Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to acquire not to exceed five acres of land in the town site of Saint Marks, Florida, surrounding and including Fort San Marcos, by the exchange of public lands of equal value within said town site, and to transfer said lands so acquired to the State of Florida as a historic site.

Saint Marks, Fla.
Disposal of certain land, etc.

Approved September 9, 1950.

[CHAPTER 942]

JOINT RESOLUTION

To provide for the acceptance on behalf of the United States of a memorial plaque to the memory of Stephen Collins Foster, and for other purposes.

September 9, 1950
[H. J. Res. 385]
[Public Law 782]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to accept on behalf of the United States a memorial plaque to the memory of the distinguished song writer, Stephen Collins Foster, the gift of the Stephen Foster Memorial Committee, on a suitable site in the District of Columbia, the design and location to be approved by the National Commission of Fine Arts: *Provided*, That the United States shall be put to no expense in or by the erection of the memorial: *Provided further*, That unless the erection of this memorial is begun within five years from and after the date of passage of this joint resolution the authorization hereby granted is revoked.

Stephen Collins Foster.
Memorial plaque.

Approved September 9, 1950.

[CHAPTER 945]

AN ACT

To provide for the acquisition, construction, expansion, rehabilitation, conversion, and joint utilization of facilities necessary for the administration and training of units of the Reserve components of the Armed Forces of the United States, and for other purposes.

September 11, 1950
[H. R. 8594]
[Public Law 783]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That this Act may be cited as the "National Defense Facilities Act of 1950".

National Defense Facilities Act of 1950.

SEC. 2. It is the purpose of this Act to make provisions for—

(a) the acquisition by purchase, lease, transfer, construction, expansion, rehabilitation, or conversion, of such facilities as may