"(2) Section 3 of the Act entitled 'An Act to apply a portion of the proceeds of the public lands to the more complete endowment and support of the colleges for the benefit of agriculture and the mechanic arts established under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-two', approved August 30, 1890 (26 Stat. 418; 7 U. S. C., sec. 325); and

"(3) The proviso contained in the third paragraph under the heading 'General Expenses, Office of Experiment Stations' under the caption 'Office of Experiment Stations' in the Act entitled 'An Act making appropriations for the Department of Agriculture for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen', approved June 30, 1914 (38 Stat. 438; 39 U. S. C., sec. 330).

Library of Congress.

"SEC. 5. There shall be paid to the Post Office Department, as postal revenue, out of appropriations made to the Library of Congress for such purpose, the equivalent amount of postage, as determined pursuant to regulations prescribed by the Postmaster General, for matter sent in the mails without prepayment of postage under authority of section 15 of title 17 of the United States Code."

61 Stat. 652.

SEC. 2. (a) The first sentence of section 306 of the Penalty Mail Act of 1948 (62 Stat. 1049; 39 U. S. C., sec. 321n), is amended by striking out ", free of postage," and inserting in lieu thereof "as penalty mail".

(b) The second sentence of such section 306 is amended to read as follows: "Nothing contained in this section shall be construed to prohibit (1) the transmission in the mail, as penalty mail, of such books, reports, periodicals, bulletins, pamphlets, lists, articles, or documents to educational institutions, to public libraries, or to Federal, State, or other public authorities and (2) the transmission in the mail, as penalty mail, of lists of agricultural bulletins, lists of public documents which are offered for sale by the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office, or announcements of publications of maps, atlases, and statistical and other reports offered for sale by the Federal Power Commission under authority of section 312 of the Federal Power Act (16 U. S. C., sec. 825k)."

49 Stat. 859.

Effective date.

SEC. 3. The amendments made by this Act shall take effect on July 1, 1956.

Approved July 14, 1956.

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July 14, 1956
[S. 1961]

AN ACT

To provide for the conveyance of part of Ethan Allen Air Force Base, Colchester, Vermont, to the State of Vermont, and for other purposes.

Ethan Allen Air Force Base, Colchester, Vt.
Conveyance.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Air Force is authorized and directed to convey to the State of Vermont all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to certain land comprising a part of the Ethan Allen Air Force Base, together with improvements thereon, and appurtenances thereto belonging; such property being more particularly described as follows:

Parcel Numbered 1: Beginning at a brick masonry pillar, such pillar being at the intersection of the southwesterly property line of Ethan Allen Air Force Base and the northwesterly side of Vermont Highway Numbered 15 and running thence north 45 degrees 30 minutes west 243.6 feet more or less along such property line; thence north 44 degrees 30 minutes east 55 feet more or less across a road to a bound; thence north 81 degrees 43 minutes east 176.9 feet more or less to a bound; thence south 44 degrees 14 minutes east 47.7 feet more or less

to a bound; thence south 7 degrees 50 minutes east 162.9 feet more or less to a brick masonry pillar on the northwesterly side of Vermont Highway Numbered 15; and thence in a southwesterly direction along such highway to the place of beginning.

Parcel numbered 2: Being a strip of land 55 feet wide adjacent to and on the northeasterly side of the southwesterly property line of the Ethan Allen Air Force Base, beginning on such property line at a point 243.6 feet more or less northwesterly from the beginning point in parcel numbered 1 and extending in a northwesterly direction along such property line for a distance of 2,785 feet, more or less. The property authorized to be conveyed herein shall include the hydrant line along Feigle Street.

National Guard training, etc.

SEC. 2. The property authorized to be conveyed by the first section of this Act shall be used for the training of the National Guard of Vermont and for other military purposes, and the conveyance authorized herein shall be made without monetary consideration therefor, but shall be subject to the reservation by the United States of all mineral rights, including oil and gas; the right of reentry and use by the United States in the event of need therefor during a national emergency declared by the President or the Congress; and the condition and limitation that if the property shall fail or cease to be used for the training of the National Guard of Vermont or for other military purposes, the title to the property so conveyed shall revert to and revest in the United States, and all improvements made thereon during its occupancy by the State of Vermont shall vest in the United States without payment of compensation therefor.

SEC. 3. The costs of any surveys necessary as an incident of the conveyance authorized herein shall be borne by the State of Vermont.

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CHAPTER 593

AN ACT

July 14, 1956
[S. 2772]

To authorize the Secretary of Defense to lend certain Army, Navy, and Air Force equipment and to provide transportation and other services to the Boy Scouts of America in connection with the World Jamboree of Boy Scouts to be held in England in 1957; and for other purposes.

World Jamboree of Boy Scouts. Equipment.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) the Secretary of Defense is hereby authorized, under such regulations as he may prescribe, to lend to the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, for the use and accommodation of the approximately fifteen hundred Scouts, Scouters and officials who are to attend the World Jamboree, Boy Scouts, to be held in England in July and August 1957, such tents, cots, blankets, commissary equipment, flags, refrigerators, and other equipment and services as may be necessary or useful to the extent that items are in stock and available and their issue will not jeopardize the national defense program.

Delivery and return.

(b) Such equipment is authorized to be delivered at such time prior to the holding of such jamboree, and to be returned at such time after the close of such jamboree, as may be agreed upon by the Secretary of Defense and the National Council, Boy Scouts of America. No expense shall be incurred by the United States Government for the delivery, return, rehabilitation, or replacement of such equipment.

Bond.

(c) The Secretary of Defense, before delivering such property, shall take from the National Council, Boy Scouts of America, good and sufficient bond for the safe return of such property in good order and condition, and the whole without expense to the United States.