

Mount Rainier Park.
Amount reduced.
Vol. 36, p. 1421.

The appropriation made in said Act for protection and improvement of Mount Rainier National Park, Washington, is reduced from five thousand four hundred dollars to five thousand dollars.

University of Idaho.
Reimbursement to,
repealed.
Vol. 36, p. 1308.

So much of the general deficiency appropriation Act approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eleven, as appropriates the sum of five hundred dollars to reimburse the State board of regents of the University of Idaho for the premium paid on an indemnity bond is repealed.

Postal service.

The Post Office appropriation Act approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eleven, is amended as follows:

Commission on second-class mail matter.
Item repealed.
Vol. 36, p. 1334.

So much of said Act as appropriates the sum of fifty thousand dollars for expenses of or authorizes the appointment of a commission to inquire and report touching the cost to the Government of the transportation of all classes of second-class mail matter is repealed.

Travel to railway postal clerks.
Amount reduced.
Vol. 36, p. 1336.

The appropriation made in said Act for travel allowance to railway postal clerks is reduced from one million seven hundred and fifty dollars to seven hundred and sixty-nine thousand dollars.

Vacation to railway postal clerks, etc.
Item repealed.
Vol. 36, p. 1336.

So much of said Act as authorizes the Postmaster General to allow railway postal clerks and the employees of the mail-lock and mail-bag repair shops an annual vacation of thirty days with pay is repealed.

Navy.

The naval appropriation Act approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and eleven, is amended as follows:

Contingent.

So much of the paragraph appropriating for "Contingent Navy," in said Act as reads as follows:

Allowance of partial payments on contracts repealed.
Vol. 36, p. 1267.
Ante, p. 32.

"And provided further, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he hereby is, authorized, in his discretion, to make partial payments from time to time during the progress of the work under existing contracts and all contracts hereafter made under the Navy Department for public purposes, but not in excess of ninety per centum of the value of work already done; and the contracts hereafter made shall provide for such insurance as the Secretary of the Navy may deem sufficient, and for a lien in favor of the Government, which lien is hereby made paramount to all other liens, upon the articles or thing contracted for on account of all payments so made, provided that partial payments shall not be made under such contracts except where stipulated for, and then only in accordance with contract provisions," is repealed.

Approved, August 14, 1911.

Aug. 19, 1911.
[H. J. Res. 146.]

[No. 6.] Joint Resolution For appointment of a member of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers.

[Pub. Res., No. 6.]

National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers.
Appointment of Gen. P. H. Barry on Board of Managers.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That General P. H. Barry, of Nebraska, be, and he is hereby, appointed as a member of the Board of Managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers of the United States, to succeed Captain Henry E. Palmer, deceased, whose term of office would expire April twenty-first, nineteen hundred and sixteen.

Approved, August 19, 1911.

Aug. 21, 1911.
[S. J. Res. 34.]

[No. 7.] Joint Resolution Providing for additional lands for Colorado under the provisions of the Carey Act.

[Pub. Res., No. 7.]

Colorado.
Additional grant of arid lands to.
Vol. 28, p. 422.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That an additional one million acres of arid lands within the State of Colorado be made available and subject to the terms of section four of an Act of Congress entitled

"An Act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, and for other purposes," approved August eighteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, and by amendments thereto, and that the State of Colorado be allowed, under the provisions of said Acts, said additional area, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purposes and under the provisions of said Acts.

Approved, August 21, 1911.

[No. 8.] Joint Resolution To admit the Territories of New Mexico and Arizona as States into the Union upon an equal footing with the original States.

Aug. 21, 1911.
[S. J. Res. 57.]

[Pub. Res., No. 8.]

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Territories of New Mexico and Arizona are hereby admitted into the Union upon an equal footing with the original States, in accordance with the terms of an Act entitled "An Act to enable the people of New Mexico to form a constitution and State government and be admitted into the Union on an equal footing with the original States; and to enable the people of Arizona to form a constitution and State government and be admitted into the Union on an equal footing with the original States" commonly called the enabling Act approved June twentieth, nineteen hundred and ten, and upon the terms and conditions hereinafter set forth. The admission herein provided for shall take effect upon the proclamation of the President of the United States, when the conditions explicitly set forth in this joint resolution shall have been complied with, which proclamation shall issue at the earliest practicable time after the results of the election herein provided for shall have been certified to the President, and also after evidence shall have been submitted to him of the compliance with the terms and conditions of this resolution.

New Mexico and Arizona.
Conditions for admission as States.
Vol. 36, p. 557.

Proclamation to issue if conditions complied with.

The President is authorized and directed to certify the adoption of this resolution to the governor of each Territory as soon as practicable after the adoption hereof, and each of said governors shall issue his proclamation for the holding of the first general election as provided for in the constitution of New Mexico heretofore adopted and the election ordinance numbered two adopted by the constitutional convention of Arizona, respectively, and for the submission to a vote of the electors of said Territories of the amendments of the constitutions of said proposed States, respectively, herein set forth in accordance with the terms and conditions of this joint resolution. The results of said elections shall be certified to the President by the governor of each of said Territories; and if the terms and conditions of this joint resolution shall have been complied with, the proclamation shall immediately issue by the President announcing the result of said elections so ascertained, and upon the issuance of said proclamation the proposed State or States so complying shall be deemed admitted by Congress into the Union upon an equal footing with the other States.

Notice to governors.

Elections.

Certification of results.

Admission.

SEC. 2. That the admission of New Mexico shall be subject to the terms and conditions of a joint resolution approved February sixteenth, nineteen hundred and eleven, and entitled "Joint resolution reaffirming the boundary line between Texas and the Territory of New Mexico."

New Mexico.
Admission subject to established boundary with Texas.
Vol. 36, p. 1454.
Post, p. 1723.

SEC. 3. That before the proclamation of the President shall issue announcing the result of said election in New Mexico, and at the same time that the State election aforesaid is held, the electors of New Mexico shall vote upon the following proposed amendment of their State constitution as a condition precedent to the admission of said State, to wit:

Amendment to constitution to be voted upon.