

Secretary of the Interior, to execute a mortgage or deed of trust to such land. Such land shall be subject to foreclosure or sale pursuant to the terms of such mortgage or deed of trust in accordance with the laws of the State or Territory in which the land is located. For the purpose of any foreclosure or sale proceeding the Indian owners shall be regarded as vested with an unrestricted fee simple title to the land, the United States shall not be a necessary party to the proceeding, and any conveyance of the land pursuant to the proceeding shall divest the United States of title to the land. All mortgages and deeds of trust to such land heretofore approved by the Secretary of the Interior are ratified and confirmed.

Approved March 29, 1956.

Public Law 451

CHAPTER 108

AN ACT

To repeal the requirement for heads of departments and agencies to report to the Postmaster General the number of penalty envelopes and wrappers on hand at the close of each fiscal year.

March 29, 1956
[H. R. 5856]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 301 of the Penalty Mail Act of 1948, as amended (62 Stat. 1048; 39 U. S. C., sec. 321i), is hereby amended by striking out the second sentence thereof.

Penalty mail.

Approved March 29, 1956.

Public Law 452

CHAPTER 109

AN ACT

To amend the copyright law to permit, in certain classes of works, the deposit of photographs or other identifying reproductions in lieu of copies of published works.

March 29, 1956
[H. R. 5876]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 13 of title 17, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

Copyrights.
61 Stat. 656.

“§ 13. Deposit of copies after publication; action or proceeding for infringement

“After copyright has been secured by publication of the work with the notice of copyright as provided in section 10 of this title, there shall be promptly deposited in the Copyright Office or in the mail addressed to the Register of Copyrights, Washington, District of Columbia, two complete copies of the best edition thereof then published, or if the work is by an author who is a citizen or subject of a foreign state or nation and has been published in a foreign country, one complete copy of the best edition then published in such foreign country, which copies or copy, if the work be a book or periodical, shall have been produced in accordance with the manufacturing provisions specified in section 16 of this title; or if such work be a contribution to a periodical, for which contribution special registration is requested, one copy of the issue or issues containing such contribution; or if the work belongs to a class specified in subsections (g), (h), (i) or (k) of section 5 of this title, and if the Register of Copyrights determines that it is impracticable to deposit copies because of their size, weight, fragility, or monetary value he may permit the deposit of photographs or other identifying reproductions in lieu of

61 Stat. 657.

61 Stat. 654.

copies of the work as published under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe with the approval of the Librarian of Congress; or if the work is not reproduced in copies for sale there shall be deposited the copy, print, photograph, or other identifying reproduction provided by section 12 of this title, such copies or copy, print, photograph, or other reproduction to be accompanied in each case by a claim of copyright. No action or proceeding shall be maintained for infringement of copyright in any work until the provisions of this title with respect to the deposit of copies and registration of such work shall have been complied with."

Approved March 29, 1956.

61 Stat. 656.

Public Law 453

CHAPTER 110

AN ACT

March 29, 1956
[H. R. 6022]

To provide for the relocation of the Trenton Massacre Canyon Monument presently located near Trenton, Nebraska.

Trenton Massacre Canyon Monument, Nebr.

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 shall relocate the Trenton Massacre Canyon Monument near Trenton, Nebraska, to a site near United States Highway Numbered 34 to be selected by the Chamber of Commerce of Trenton, Nebraska.

SEC. 2. This Act shall not be construed to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to acquire real property.

Approved March 29, 1956.

Public Law 454

CHAPTER 111

AN ACT

March 29, 1956
[H. R. 6112]

To authorize the construction of a sewage-disposal system to serve the Yorktown area of the Colonial National Historical Park, Virginia, and for other purposes.

Yorktown area, Va.
Sewage-disposal system.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of modernizing the sanitary facilities in the Yorktown area of Colonial National Historical Park, and in anticipation of the increased need for such facilities in connection with the Jamestown-Williamsburg-Yorktown celebration to be held in 1957, the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to construct, operate, and maintain, in such manner as he shall consider to be in the public interest, a sewage-disposal system to serve Federal and non-Federal properties in the said Yorktown area: *Provided,* That non-Federal users of the system shall be charged rates sufficient to recover a pro rata share of depreciation and costs of operation and maintenance of the system. Funds obtained from such non-Federal users of the system shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States as miscellaneous receipts, with the exception that the Secretary may consider as appropriation reimbursements, to be credited to the appropriation current at the time received, such amount of the aforesaid collections as may be necessary to reimburse, on a pro rata basis, appropriated operating funds expended for maintenance and operation costs of the system.

SEC. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated for the construction of these facilities the sum of not to exceed \$250,000.

Approved March 29, 1956.

Appropriation.