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IN THE ONE HUNDRED AND THIRTY-FIRST YEAR OF THE INDEPENDENCE OF THE UNITED STATES.

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vations in Porto Rico established in pursuance of the act of July 1, 1902;

S. 8128. An act granting to the St. Johns Light and Power Company a right of way for street railroad purposes through the United States military reservation of Fort Marion, in St. Augustine, Fla., and through other Government property in said city;

S. 8189. An act granting to the St. Louis, Iron Mountain and Southern Railroad Company, a corporation, the right to construct, maintain, and operate a single-track railway across the lands of the United States in the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section 21, township 14 north, range 6 west of the fifth principal meridian, in the county of Independence and State of Arkansas, reserved for use in connection with the construction of Lock No. 1, upper White River, Arkansas;

S. 8230. An act for the relief of Harold D. Childs;

S. 8292. An act providing for the completion by the Secretary of War of a monument to the memory of the American soldiers who fell in the battle of New Orleans, at Chalmette, La., and making the necessary appropriation therefor;

S. 8299. An act to confer certain civic rights on the Metlakatla Indians of Alaska;

S. 8303. An act to establish the Foundation for the Promotion of Industrial Peace;

S. 8327. An act to provide for the establishment of an immigration station at Galveston, in the State of Texas, and the erection in said city, on a site to be selected for said station, of a public building;

S. 8377. An act to amend an act entitled "An act permitting the building of a dam across the Mississippi River in the county of Morrison, State of Minnesota," approved June 4, 1906;

S. 8427. An act to annul certain titles to land acquired by judicial proceedings in the courts of the United States in Texas, and for other purposes;

S. 8498. An act to amend sections 16, 17, and 20 of an act entitled "An act to enable the people of Oklahoma and of the Indian Territory 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 New Mexico and of Arizona to form a constitution and State government and be admitted into the Union on an equal footing with the original States," approved June 16, 1906, and for other purposes;

S. 8526. An act permitting the erection of a dam across Coosa River, Ala., at the place selected for Lock No. 12 on said river;

S. 8535. An act for the relief of certain white persons who intermarried with Cherokee citizens;

S. 8540. An act to ratify a certain lease with the Seneca Nation of Indians;

S. 8568. An act granting an increase of pension to Rosanna A. May;

S. 8580. An act granting land to Anna Johnson;

S. 8585. An act for the relief of Charles W. Spalding;

S. 8614. An act to amend an act entitled "An act to regulate the practice of medicine and surgery in the District of Columbia," approved June 3, 1896;

S. 8622. An act granting an increase of pension to William N. Brunson;

S. R. 29. Joint resolution authorizing the selection of a site and the erection of a pedestal for the Stephenson Grand Army memorial in Washington, D. C.;

S. R. 92. Joint resolution to authorize the Secretary of War to permit José March Duplat to receive instruction at the Military Academy at West Point; and

S. R. 98. Joint resolution granting permission to Rear-Admiral B. H. McCalla to accept a medal from the King of Great Britain and the Order of the Red Eagle from the Emperor of Germany.

#### PRESIDENTIAL APPROVALS.

A message from the President of the United States, by Mr. Latta, his secretary:

*Mr. President:* The President of the United States approved and signed this day acts and joint resolutions as follows:

S. R. 92. Joint resolution to authorize the Secretary of War to permit José March Duplat to receive instruction at the Military Academy at West Point;

S. 5660. An act for the relief of Capt. William N. Hughes;

S. 6729. An act authorizing the President to appoint Webb C. Maglathlin a second assistant engineer in the Revenue-Cutter Service;

S. 7550. An act for the relief of Harry A. Young;

S. 7840. An act granting an increase of pension to Lewis A. Towne;

S. 8303. An act to establish the Foundation for the Promotion of Industrial Peace;

S. 5869. An act for the relief of Larvan Gordon;

S. 6134. An act providing for the conveyance to the State of North Dakota of certain tracts of lands for the use and benefit of the North Dakota State Historical Society;

S. 8580. An act granting land to Anna Johnson; and

S. 8622. An act granting an increase of pension to William N. Brunson.

S. 7812. An act to amend section 591 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, relative to the assignment of district judges to perform the duties of a disabled district judge;

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S. 8526. An act permitting the erection of a dam across Coosa River, Alabama, at the place selected for Lock No. 12 on said river;

S. 6249. An act to provide for the establishment of an agricultural bank in the Philippine Islands;

S. 8498. An act to amend sections 16, 17, and 20 of an act entitled "An act to enable the people of Oklahoma and of the Indian Territory 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 New Mexico and of Arizona to form a constitution and State government and be admitted into the Union on an equal footing with the original States," approved June 16, 1906, and for other purposes;

S. 360. An act to relinquish the interest of the United States in and to certain land in the city of Pensacola, Fla., to the Right Rev. Edwin P. Allen, Catholic bishop of the diocese of Mobile, Ala., and his successors, in trust for the Catholic congregation of Pensacola, Fla.;

S. 1032. An act to aid in the completion of a monument at Monterey, Cal., to commemorate the taking possession of the Pacific coast by Commodore John D. Sloat, United States Navy;

S. 5133. An act to promote the safety of employees and travelers upon railroads by limiting the hours of service of employees thereon;

S. 6447. An act to authorize the appointment of Acting Asst. Surg. George R. Plummer, United States Navy, as an assistant surgeon in the United States Navy;

S. 6704. An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of certain homestead settlers in the State of Alabama," approved February 24, 1905;

S. 7247. An act to provide for the establishment of an immigration station at New Orleans, in the State of Louisiana, and the erection in said city, on a site to be selected for said station, of a public building;

S. 8012. An act to erect a monument on the Tippecanoe battle ground, in Tippecanoe County, Ind.;

S. 8119. An act to readjust the boundaries of the naval reservations in Porto Rico established in pursuance of the act of July 1, 1902;

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