- (d) Omitted [Amendment of section 902 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936 (now 46 U.S.C. 56301 et seq.)].
- (e) to (i) Repealed. July 25, 1947, ch. 327, §1, 61 Stat. 449.
- (j) Omitted [Amendment of section 1273 of this Appendix].
- (k) Omitted [Amendment of section 1274 of this Appendix].

(Mar. 24, 1943, ch. 26, §3, 57 Stat. 48; July 25, 1947, ch. 327, §1, 61 Stat. 449.)

CODIFICATION

Subsec. (b). Act Mar. 24, 1943, dealing with power of War Shipping Administrator to determine whether a vessel was required by United States, expired with the termination on Sept. 1, 1946, of War Shipping Administration, as set forth in note below.

In subsec. (c), "chapter 563 of title 46" substituted for "section 902 of the Merchant Marine Act, 1936, as amended," on authority of Pub. L. 109-304, §18(c), Oct. 6, 2006, 120 Stat. 1709, which Act enacted chapter 563 of Title 46, Shipping.

Subsecs. (e) to (i). Act Mar. 24, 1943, amended sections 1128b to 1128e and 1128h of former Title 46, Shipping, by providing compensation for servicing insurance, placing 5 percent limitation on commissions, for action in nature of bill of interpleader against interested persons, defining risks of war, and reinsurance of insurance companies.

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

War Shipping Administration terminated as of Sept. 1, 1946, and functions, powers, duties, etc., transferred to United States Maritime Commission for period Sept. 1, 1946, to Dec. 31, 1946, for purpose of liquidating Administration, by act July 8, 1946, ch. 543, title II, §202, 60 Stat. 501.

United States Maritime Commission abolished by Reorg. Plan No. 21, 1950, eff. May 24, 1950, 15 F.R. 3178, 64 Stat. 1273, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees, which transferred part of its functions and part of functions of its Chairman to Federal Maritime Board and Chairman thereof, that Board having been created by that Plan as an agency within Department of Commerce with an independent status in some respects, and transferred remainder of Commission's functions and functions of its Chairman to Secretary of Commerce, with power vested in Secretary to authorize their performance by Maritime Administrator, the head of Maritime Administration, which likewise was established by the Plan in Department of Commerce with provision that Chairman of Federal Maritime Board should, ex officio, be that Administrator.

Federal Maritime Board, including offices of members of Board, abolished by section 304 of Reorg. Plan No. 7 of 1961, eff. Aug. 12, 1961, 26 F.R. 7315, 75 Stat. 843, set out in the Appendix to Title 5, Government Organization and Employees. Functions of Board transferred either to Federal Maritime Commission or to Secretary of Commerce by sections 103 and 202 of Reorg. Plan No. 7 of 1961.

Maritime Administration transferred from Department of Commerce to Department of Transportation by Maritime Act of 1981, Pub. L. 97–31, Aug. 6, 1981, 95 Stat. 151, which was repealed in part by Pub. L. 109–304, §19, Oct. 6, 2006, 120 Stat. 1710. See section 109 of Title 49, Transportation.

VESSEL OPERATIONS UNDER REVOLVING FUND

Vessel operations conducted under Vessel Operations Revolving Fund, applicability of subsec. (c) of this section to, see section 50301(a) to (e) of Title 46, Shipping.

§ 1294. United States as entitled to all benefits of exemption and limitation of liability accorded to owners of vessels

The United States shall, with respect to vessels owned by or chartered to the War Shipping Administrator¹ under bareboat charter or time charter or operated directly by such Administrator or for his account, be entitled to the benefits of all exemptions and of all limitations of liability accorded by law to the owners of vessels. With respect to any such vessel, the term "the United States" shall include agents or other persons acting for or on behalf of the Administrator in connection with the operation thereof.

(Mar. 24, 1943, ch. 26, §4, 57 Stat. 51.)

TRANSFER OF FUNCTIONS

War Shipping Administration terminated as of Sept. 1, 1946, and functions, powers, duties, etc., transferred to United States Maritime Commission for period Sept. 1, 1946, to Dec. 31, 1946, for purpose of liquidating Administration, by act July 8, 1946, ch. 543, title II, §202, 60 Stat. 501.

VESSEL OPERATIONS UNDER REVOLVING FUND

Vessel operations conducted under Vessel Operations Revolving Fund, applicability of this section to, see section 50301(a) to (e) of Title 46, Shipping.

§ 1295. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section, act Mar. 24, 1943, ch. 26, §5, 57 Stat. 51, which provided that section 1291(a) of this Appendix should remain in force until termination of sections 601 to 605 of this Appendix by section 621 of this Appendix, was omitted in view of termination on Sept. 1, 1946, of War Shipping Administration.

ACT APR. 29, 1943, CH. 81, 57 STAT. 69

§§ 1301 to 1305. Repealed. Aug. 13, 1954, ch. 725, § 1(a), 68 Stat. 701

Section 1301, acts Apr. 29, 1943, ch. 81, §1, 57 Stat. 69; May 18, 1944, ch. 199, §1, 58 Stat. 223, related to return of fishing vessels, vessels of 100 tons or less and Great Lakes vessels to private owners.

Section 1302, acts Apr. 29, 1943, ch. 81, §2, 57 Stat. 69; May 18, 1944, ch. 199, §2, 58 Stat. 223, related to determination of availability of vessels mentioned in section 1301 of this Appendix, repayment of compensation to United States.

United States.

Section 1303, acts Apr. 29, 1943, ch. 81, §3, 57 Stat. 69;
May 18, 1944, ch. 199, §3, 58 Stat. 244; Aug. 10, 1946, ch. 948, 60 Stat. 976, related to failure or waiver of return rights, sale of vessels.

Section 1304, acts Apr. 29, 1943, ch. 81, §4, 57 Stat. 70; May 18, 1944, ch. 199, §4, 58 Stat. 224, related to payment of expenses incurred by War Shipping Administration in return or sale of vessels.

Section 1305, act Apr. 29, 1943, ch. 81, §5, as added Aug. 10, 1946, ch. 948, 60 Stat. 976, related to vessels for exclusive disposal to veterans.

SAVINGS PROVISION

See section 1(b) of act Aug. 13, 1954, set out as a note under sections 1306 to 1308 of this Appendix.

ACT AUG. 10, 1946, CH. 949, 60 STAT. 977

§§ 1306 to 1308. Repealed. Aug. 13, 1954, ch. 725, § 1(b), 68 Stat. 701

Section 1306, act Aug. 10, 1946, ch. 949, §1, 60 Stat. 977, related to sale of surplus vessels for fishing.

¹ See Transfer of Functions note below.

Section 1307, act Aug. 10, 1946, ch. 949, §2, 60 Stat. 977, related to definitions of terms used in sections 1306 to 1308 of this Appendix and rights of former owners.

Section 1308, act Aug. 10, 1946, ch. 949, $\S 3$, 60 Stat. 977, related to terms of sale of vessels and other methods of disposal.

SAVINGS PROVISION

Section 1(b) of act Aug. 13, 1954, provided in part that: "Notwithstanding the enactment of this joint resolution, the aforesaid statutory provisions shall apply to any vessels which prior to such enactment [Aug. 13, 1954] have been declared available for return to former owners by notice to the Department of Commerce $\,$ under the Act of April 29, 1943, as amended [sections 1301 to 1305 of this Appendix], or determined to be surplus for sale to former owners of fishing vessels in accordance with the Act of August 10, 1946 (Public Law 717, Seventy-ninth Congress) [sections 1306 to 1308 of this Appendix]. Any other vessels which, but for the enactment of this joint resolution, would be disposed of in accordance with any of the aforesaid statutory provisions, shall be disposed of in accordance with the provisions of other existing laws."

ACT JULY 9, 1943, CH. 212, 57 STAT. 391

§§ 1311, 1312. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Section 1311, act July 9, 1943, ch. 212, §1, 57 Stat. 391, which created penalty for violation of regulations or orders relating to protection of vessels, harbors, ports, or waterways, terminated pursuant to section 1312 of this Appendix.

Section 1312, act July 9, 1943, ch. 212, §2, 57 Stat. 391, provided for the termination of sections 1311 and 1312 of this Appendix six months after the cessation of hostilities, which was proclaimed by Proc. No. 2714, eff. Dec. 31, 1946, 12 F.R. 1.

FARM LABOR SUPPLY APPROPRIATION ACT,

ACT FEB. 14, 1944, CH. 16, 58 STAT. 11

§§ 1351 to 1355. Omitted

CODIFICATION

Sections 1351 to 1355 were omitted as terminating Jan. 30, 1948, pursuant to act May 26, 1947, ch. 82, title I, §101, 61 Stat. 109, set out as an Extension and Liquidation of Program note below.

Section 1351, act Feb. 14, 1944, ch. 16, title I, §1, 58 Stat. 11, appropriated money to provide adequate supply of agricultural workers during World War II.

Section 1352, act Feb. 14, 1944, ch. 16, title I, §2, 58 Stat. 12, related to payments to the various States to assist in supplying an adequate number of agricultural workers during World War II.

Section 1353, act Feb. 14, 1944, ch. 16, title I, §3, 58 Stat. 12, related to expenditures by the Administrator of Food Production and Distribution.

Section 1354, act Feb. 14, 1944, ch. 16, title I, $\S4$, 58 Stat. 14, related to limitations on use of funds.

Section 1355, acts Feb. 14, 1944, ch. 16, title I, §5, 58 Stat. 14; Apr. 1, 1944, ch. 152, title I, 58 Stat. 157; Apr. 25, 1945, ch. 95, title I, 59 Stat. 80; June 30, 1947, ch. 165, 61 Stat. 202, related to miscellaneous provisions for implementing sections 1351 to 1355 of this Appendix.

PRIOR PROVISIONS

Sections 1351 to 1355 are from act Feb. 14, 1944, ch. 16, title I, $\S\S1-5$, 58 Stat. 11–14, known as the Farm Labor Supply Appropriation Act, 1944. Similar provisions were contained in act Apr. 29, 1943, ch. 82, $\S\S1-5$, 57 Stat. 70, as amended June 9, 1943, ch. 119, 57 Stat. 125; Dec. 23, 1943, ch. 381, $\S1$, 57 Stat. 643. Section 3 of act Apr. 29, 1943, was repealed by Pub. L. 89–554, $\S8(a)$, Sept. 6, 1966, 80 Stat. 651.

ANNUAL APPROPRIATIONS

Additional funds were authorized to be merged with available funds as follows:

\$3,000,000—Act May 26, 1947, ch. 82, title I, 61 Stat. 109. \$12,000,000—Act July 23, 1946, ch. 591, title I, 60 Stat.

\$25,000,000—Act Dec. 28, 1945, ch. 589, title I, 59 Stat. 645

\$20,000,000—Act Dec. 22, 1944, ch. 660, title I, 58 Stat. 862.

EXTENSION AND LIQUIDATION OF PROGRAM

Acts May 26, 1947, ch. 82, title I, 61 Stat. 109; Apr. 28, 1947, ch. 43, 61 Stat. 55; Aug. 9, 1946, ch. 934, 60 Stat. 617, provided in part that the funds as provided and supplemented for carrying out the purposes of sections 1351 to 1355 of this Appendix were continued available until Jan. 30, 1948, which allowed for a six months extension and final liquidation of the program.

WAR OVERTIME PAY ACT OF 1943

ACT MAY 7, 1943, CH. 93, 57 STAT. 75

§§ 1401 to 1415. Repealed. Pub. L. 89–554, §8(a), Sept. 6, 1966, 80 Stat. 651, 652

Section 1401, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §1, 57 Stat. 75, related to officers and employees subject to sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix

to 1415 of this Appendix. Section 1402, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §2, 57 Stat. 76, related to computation of overtime compensation. Section 1403, acts May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §3, 57 Stat. 76;

Section 1403, acts May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §3, 57 Stat. 76; Sept. 30, 1944, ch. 450, 58 Stat. 758, related to additional officers and employees subject to sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix.

Section 1404, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §4, 57 Stat. 77, related to Senate official reporters and employees subject to sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix

to sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix.
Section 1405, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §5, 57 Stat. 77, related to repeal of certain wage overtime provisions.

Section 1406, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §6, 57 Stat. 77, related to suspension of the Saturday half-holiday rule.

Section 1407, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, \$7, 57 Stat. 77, related to construction of other laws with sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix.

Section 1408, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §8, 57 Stat. 77, related to adjustment of gross inequities in pay differentials.

Section 1409, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, $\S 9$, 57 Stat. 77, related to administrative rules and regulations.

Section 1410, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §10, 57 Stat. 77, related to change of salaries and number of legislative employees.

Section 1411, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §11, 57 Stat. 78, related to report on the number of employees required in executive branch departments.

Section 1412, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §12, 57 Stat. 78, related to overtime or additional compensation as part of annual income.

Section 1413, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §13, 57 Stat. 78, related to certain employees of the Army Engineering Corps and the Coast and Geodetic Survey as subject to sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix.

Section 1414, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §14, 57 Stat. 78, related to effective and termination dates of sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix.

Section 1415, act May 7, 1943, ch. 93, §15, 57 Stat. 78, provided that sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix were to be cited as the War Overtime Pay Act of 1943.

WAIVER OF RESTRICTIONS

Act Apr. 1, 1944, ch. 152, title II, §202, 58 Stat. 176, related to waiver of restrictions in appropriations limiting amounts payable for personal services to meet cost of overtime and additional compensation authorized by sections 1401 to 1415 of this Appendix.

BASIC RATE FOR OVERTIME COMPENSATION

Act Apr. 1, 1944, ch. 152, title II, \S 203, 58 Stat. 176, provided that the basic rate for overtime compensation