

after be, empowered to collect any other taxes; and to pay over said money, when so collected as aforesaid, to the treasury of the United States, in the manner, and within the times, prescribed by the acts to which this act is a supplement: and that, in default made by the said corporation, either in collecting or paying over as aforesaid, that then, and in such case, the President of the United States may proceed to exercise the powers reposed in, and conferred on, him, in and by the said fifth section.

In default of corporation, President may exercise powers reposed in, &c.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the common council of Alexandria shall have power to appoint one or more inspectors of tobacco for the town of Alexandria; and the said inspectors shall take an oath before a justice of the peace of the county of Alexandria, or the mayor of the corporation, for the faithful discharge of the duties of office of inspector, a certificate of which he shall return to the clerk of the common council: And the said common council shall have power to pass all needful laws for the due and proper inspection of tobacco, and for regulating the conduct of the said inspectors; and the said common council shall have power to remove, for just cause, any inspector, and appoint another in his place.

Inspectors of tobacco in Alexandria.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall commence and be in force from the passage thereof.

APPROVED, May 25, 1832.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. CIX.—*An Act making appropriations for the Indian department for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.*

May 31, 1832.

[Obsolete.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appropriated for the Indian department for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, viz :

For the pay of the superintendent of Indian affairs at St. Louis, and the several Indian agents, as established by law, including an agent for the Kansas, agreeably to a treaty with that tribe of June third, eighteen hundred and twenty-five, thirty-two thousand dollars.

Superintendent and agents.

For the pay of sub-agents, as established by law, nineteen thousand dollars.

Sub-agents.

For presents to Indians, as authorized by the act of one thousand eight hundred and two, fifteen thousand dollars.

Presents.

For the pay of Indian interpreters and translators, employed in the several superintendencies and agencies, twenty-one thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Interpreters.

For the pay of gunsmiths and blacksmiths, and their assistants, employed within the several superintendencies and agencies, under treaty provisions and the orders of the War Department, eighteen thousand three hundred and forty dollars.

Gunsmiths, &c.

For iron, steel, coal, and other expenses attending the gunsmiths and blacksmiths' shops, five thousand four hundred and twenty-six dollars.

Iron, &c.

For expense of transportation and distribution of Indian annuities, nine thousand nine hundred and fifty-nine dollars.

Transportation.

For expense of provisions for Indians at the distribution of annuities, while on visits of business, with the different superintendents and agents, and when assembled on public business, eleven thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars.

Provisions, &c.

For expense of building houses for Indian agents, blacksmiths' shops, and for repairs of the same, when required, in the several agencies, seven thousand dollars.

Houses, &c.

For contingencies of the Indian department, twenty thousand dollars: *Provided*, in no case shall any money hereby appropriated be used for the purpose of rewarding Indians for settling disputes among themselves.

Contingencies.

Proviso.

Expenses of
Indian deputa-
tion.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That there be appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, for defraying the expenses of conducting a deputation of Indians from the head waters of the Missouri to Washington city, and from thence to their own country: *Provided*, That no compensation beyond their actual expenses for extra services, shall be allowed any Indian agent or sub-agent for services when doing duty under the order of their government, detached from their agency and boundary of the tribe to which they are agents.

Proviso.

Corn, &c. for
Seminoles.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That there shall be, and hereby is, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, in the purchase and delivery of corn, or other provisions, for the use of the Seminole Indians, who are likely to suffer on account of the failure of their crops from a severe drought the last year.

APPROVED, May 31, 1832.

STATUTE I.

May 31, 1832.

CHAP. CX.—*An Act to aid the vestry of Washington parish in the erection of a keeper's house, and the improvement and security of the ground allotted for the interment of members of Congress, and other public officers.*

Appropriations
for burial
ground.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the commissioner of the public buildings, for the purpose of aiding the vestry of Washington parish, in the erection of a keeper's house, for planting trees, boundary stones, and otherwise improving the burial ground, allotted to the interment of members of Congress, and other officers of the general government.

APPROVED, May 31, 1832.

STATUTE I.

May 31, 1832.

CHAP. CXI.—*An Act in relation to the penitentiary for the District of Columbia.*

[Obsolete.]
Appropriations
for penitentiary.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the sum of thirty-eight thousand five hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of completing the penitentiary and buildings connected with it, for the erection of railing on the exterior walls, and for the support of the convicts, and pay of the officers for the present year, to be expended under the superintendence and direction of the inspectors of the penitentiary.

APPROVED, May 31, 1832.

STATUTE I.

May 31, 1832.

CHAP. CXII.—*An Act for quieting possessions, enrolling conveyances, and securing the estates of purchasers within the District of Columbia. (a)*

Deeds, &c.
of land in the
District of Co-
lumbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That if any person or persons, seised or possessed of, or holding any estate or interest in any lands, tenements, or hereditaments, lying and being within the District of Columbia, shall execute and acknowledge a deed for the conveyance of such

(a) An act to amend an act for quieting the possessions, enrolling conveyances, and securing the estates of purchasers within the District of Columbia, passed the 31st May, 1832. April 20, 1838, ch. 57.