CHAP. CXL.—An Act to authorize the inhabitants of the state of Louisiana to enter the back lands.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That every person, who, either by virtue of a French or Spanish grant, recognised by the laws of the United States, or under a claim confirmed by the commissioners appointed for the purpose of ascertaining the rights of persons claiming lands in the state of Louisiana, or by virtue of any title derived from the United States, owns a tract of land bordering on any river, creek, bayou or water-course, in the said territory, and not exceeding in depth forty arpens, French measure, shall be entitled to a preference in becoming the purchaser of any vacant tract of land adjacent to, and back of, his own tract, not exceeding forty arpens, French measure in depth, nor in quantity of land, that which is contained in his own tract; at the same price and on the same terms and conditions, as are, or may be, provided by law for the other public lands in the said state. And the surveyor general for the state of Louisiana shall be, and he is hereby, authorized to cause to be surveyed the tracts claimed by virtue of this section; and in all cases where, by reason of bends in the river, lake, creek, bayou, or water-course, bordering on the tract, and of adjacent claims of a similar nature, each claimant cannot obtain a tract equal in quantity to the adjacent tract already owned by him, to divide the vacant land applicable to that object between the several claimants, in such manner as to him will appear most equitable: Provided, however, That the right of pre-emption granted by this section, shall not extend so far in depth as to include lands fit for cultivation, bordering on another river, creek, bayou or water-course. And every person entitled to the benefit of this section shall, within three years after the date of this act, deliver to the register of the proper land office, a notice, in writing, stating the situation and extent of the tract of land he wishes to purchase; and shall also make the payment and payments for the same at the time and times which are or may be prescribed by law for the disposal of the other public lands in the said state, the time of his delivering the notice aforesaid being considered as the date of the purchase: Provided, also, That all notices of claims shall be entered, and the money paid thereon, at least three weeks before such period as may be designated by the President of the United States, for the public sale of the lands in the township in which such claims may be situated, and all claims not so entered shall be liable to be sold as other public lands. Whenever it shall be necessary to re-survey the public lands, in order to enable persons entitled to avail themselves of the provisions of this act, the expenses of such re-survey shall be paid by the person or persons, who shall enter the lands so re-surveyed under this act, at the time he or they shall pay the price of such land to the receiver of public money. And if any such person shall fail to deliver such notice within the said period of three years, or to make such payment or payments at the time above mentioned, his right of pre-emption shall cease, and become void; and the land may, thereafter, be purchased by any other person, in the same manner, and on the same terms, as are, or may be provided by law for the sale of other public lands in the said state.

Approved, June 15, 1832.

CHAP. CXLI.—An Act to establish certain post-roads, and to alter and discontinue others; and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the following be established as post-roads:
In Maine.—From East Machias, by Whiting, to Little River harbour, in the county of Washington. From Dennysville, in Washington county, by Charlotte, Cooper, and Alexander, to Baring. From East Machias to Cutler. From Bangor, in Penobscot county, by Brewer, Plantation number eight, to Ellsworth, in the county of Hancock; thence by Marisville, to Plantation number twenty-six, in said county of Hancock. From Waterville, in Kennebec county, by Winslow, Clinton, Milburn, Cornville, Athens, Brighton, Fordstown, Fosstown, and Blanchard, to Monson; and from Brighton to Wellington, in the county of Somerset. From Thomastown, in the county of Lincoln, by Tenant's harbour and Moscheto harbour, to St. George. From Waldoboro, in Lincoln county, by Washington and Liberty, to Montville, in Waldo county. From Brunswick, in Cumberland county, by Topsham and Lisbon, to Greene, in the county of Kennebeck. From Westbrook, in Cumberland county, up the west side of Presumpscot river, to intersect the road from Standish to Gray, at the carrying place on Sebago pond. From Anson, by Bingham, in Somerset county, by the forks of Kennebeck river, thence on the Canada road, to the Canada line. From West Jefferson, in Lincoln county, by Trask's mills and Sheepscot bridge, to Wiscasset. From Brownville, by Kilmarnock, to the easterly part of Milo. From Saco, by Biddeford, the northerly part of Kennebunk port, and the centre of Lyman, to Alfred. From Exeter, by Corrina and St. Albans, to the intersection of the mail-route from Pittsfield to St. Albans. From Factory village, by Sebattus village, in Lisbon, to Greene. From Passadumkeag post-office, in the county of Penobscot, in the state of Maine, by Treat's mills, through number one, to Page's mills, so called; and through number two, Herd's ridge, to number four, Mullitt's mills, in said county. From Gray, in the county of Cumberland, by Standish, to Alfred, in the county of York. From Camden, through Hope and Appleton, to Montville, in the county of Waldo. From Prospect West village, to James Black's, in Prospect, in the county of Waldo. From Bangor, by Hermon, Levant, Stetson, North Newport, and Corrina, to St. Albans. From the town of Flanders, through Westbrook, Scarborough, Buxton, Hollis, a part of Waterborough, Limerick, and Newfield, to Plymouth, in New Hampshire, by way of Ossipee corner, Tuftonborough corner, and Moultonborough, passing on the south side of Ossipee mountain. From Phillips, through Berlin, to Weld, in the county of Oxford. From Bangor, in the county of Penobscot, by Dutton west post-office, Levant, Corinth west post-office, Garland, Dover, Foxcroft, Sangerville, Guilford, Abbot, Monson, to the post-office in Fullerston, in the county of Somerset. From the upper village in Farmington, by Keith's mills, Sewall's mills, in Chesterville, north-easterly corner of Fayette, Taylor's mills, and Dunn's tavern, in Mount Vernon, Hoyt's tavern, in Readfield, and Augusta, to Hallowell. From the post-office in Mount Desert, in the county of Hancock, to the Seal Cove, in the same township. From Winslow, by Clinton, Pittsfield, Palmyra, south-east corner of Saint Albans, Corinna, and Dexter to Dover. From Alfred, through Waterborough, Limerick and Cornish, to Hiram Bridge. From the North-west harbour to the South-east harbour in Deer Island.

In New Hampshire.—From Derry, Chester, and Candia, to South Deerfield. From Wakefield, in the county of Strafford, over Poggs hill, to Effingham. From Sanbornton bridge, by the centre of Franklin, Salisbury post-office, and the westerly part of Boscawen, to Hopkinton village. From Dunstable, by Milford, Wilton, Hancock, Stoddard, Alstead east parish, Paper mill village in Alstead, Langdon, to Charlestown. From Dover, by Madbury, Barrington, Strafford, Barnstead, Gilmanton, and Guilford, to Meredith bridge. From Northumberland, through Piercy, Winslow's location, Dummer, Berlin, to Milan. From Great Falls, by...
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Lebanon, Sanford, Emery's mills, in Shapleigh, Acton corner, and Newfield, by the post-offices called by those names, and through the west part of Parsonsfield, to the post-office in Effingham. From Concord, by Loudon, Lower Gilmanton iron works, Alton bay, Plainfield corner, Union Village, Farmington, Middleton corner, and Brookfield corner, to Smith's bridge, in Wolfborough, and return by the North meeting-house, in Alton, to Alton bay. From Meredith bridge, by Gilford centre, to Alton bay. From Concord, by Loudon mills, and Louden, to Gilmanton Courthouse. From Concord by Epsom, North Deerfield, Nottingham centre, Wadleigh's falls in Lee, to Lamprey River village, in Newmarket. From Concord, by Pembroke, Allenstown, West Deerfield, South Deerfield, Raymond, Epping, Exeter, Stratham, and Greenland, to Portsmouth. From Concord, by Hooksett, Candia, Raymond, Poplin, and Brentwood, to Exeter. From Concord, by Dunbarton, Goffstown, New Boston, Amherst, Milford, Wilton, Mason harbour, New Ipswich, Ashby, and Ashburnham, to Fitchburgh, in Massachusetts. From Newport, by Wendell North Village, New London, and Wilmot, to Andover. From Newport, by Wendell, Fishersfield, Bradford, Heniker, Weare and New Boston, to Amherst. From Bath to Landaff. From Lisbon to Lyman village. From Hooksett, by Westchester, Chester, Sandown, and Hawke, to Kingston.

Vermont.

In Vermont.—From Brattleborough, in Windham county, by Guilford Centre, to Halifax. From Brandon, in Rutland county, to Shoreham, in Addison county. From Hancock, by Goshen, to Brandon, in the county of Rutland. From Swanton, in Franklin county, by Alburg, to Champlain, in the county of Clinton, and state of New York. From Randolph to Chelsea, in Orange county. From Elmore to Walcott. From Lynden, in Caledonia county, by Burke, Newark, Randon, Charleston, East village and West village, and Salem, to Child's mills, in Derby, in the county of Orleans. From Sunderland, by Stratton, to Wardsborough. From Waterford Lower Bridge, in Caledonia county, by Concord and St. Johnsbury East village, to Lyndon. From Windsor in Windsor county, by Downer's inn, in Weathersfield, the North village in Springfield, the North and South villages in Chester, Cambridge Port, to Athens. From Wells River village, in Newbury, by Groton, to Topsham and West Topsham, in Orange county. From Middlebury, by Weybridge Lower Falls, to Addison. From Keene, through Westminster, in the state of New Hampshire; thence through Putney, Brookline, Newfane, Wardsboro', and Stratton, to Sunderland. From Corinth, by Corinth East village, Topsham Town-house, Groton village, near Groton mills, to Peacham. From Randolph, by Randolph west village, the east part of Braintree, west part of Brookfield, east part of Roxbury, to the Centre village of Northfield.

Massachusetts.

In Massachusetts.—From Florida, by Monroe, in Franklin county, and by Readsborough and Whitingham, to Halifax, in the county of Windham in Vermont. From Colerain, in the county of Franklin, through North Heath to Whitingham, in Vermont. From Westfield through Otis and Tyringham, to Great Barrington. From Fitchburg, in Worcester county, by Lunenburg, Townsend harbour, Pepperell, Dunstable, Tyrngsborough and North Chelmsford, to Lowell, in the county of Middlesex. From New Bedford, in Bristol county, to the village of Padanaram, in Dartmouth. From Enfield, by Greenwich, Dana, Petersham, Templeton, Westminster, Fitchburg, Lunenburg, Shirley, Groton, Westford and Chelmsford, to Lowell. From the centre of Annisquam parish, in Gloucester, to the post-office in said Gloucester. From Greenfield, by Deerfield, to the centre of Whatley. From North Adams, in the state of Massachusetts, through Clarksburg, thence through Stamford and Readsborough, in the state of Vermont, to intersect the mail route from Brattleboro' to Bennington. From South Plympton to Middle-
In Massachusetts. From Danvers to Salem. From Norfolk to New Marlborough, North.

In Rhode Island.—From Newport to Block Island. From Providence, by Cranston Bank, Lippitt, Phoenix, Harris's and Arkwright's factories, in the county of Providence, to the village of Fiskville, in said county of Providence.

In Connecticut.—From Tolland to Bolton, in the county of Tolland. From Wolcottsville, by Winsted, Hitchcocksville, and West Hartford, to West Granville, in Hampden county, Massachusetts. From Hartford, in Hartford county, by Wintonbury, Simsbury, West Granby, Harland, Granville, in Massachusetts, Tolland and New Boston, to Standsfield in the county of Berkshire. From Middletown, by Meriden, Cheshire, Waterbury, Middlebury, Southbury, Newton, to Danbury. From the post-office in Greenwich to the village of Stanwich. From New London to Sag Harbour, in New York. From Tolland, through the northerly parts of Willington, Ashford, and Woodstock, in Connecticut, south part of Dudley, South Oxford, Sutton, Northbridge, Upton, Hopkinton, Sherburne, Natick, and Needham, to Boston; said route is on Central turnpike. From Essex, in the town of Saybrook, through the towns of Lyme, Salem and Montville, to the city of Norwich. From Waterbury, in New Haven county, to Colebrook, in Litchfield county; said route to follow the Waterbury river turnpike road in the valley of the Waterbury river, to Colebrook, intersecting at Colebrook the mail-route which now runs from Winsted to Stockbridge, in Massachusetts. From East Hadam Landing by Westchester, to the borough of Colchester. From Kent, in the county of Litchfield, to the town of Cornwall, in said county, on the direct road from the post-office in said Kent, to the post-office at Cornwall Bridge in said Cornwall. From Stafford's Springs post-office, by the Old Furnace on what is called the Somers and Woodstock turnpike road, by Bartlett's mills, to Somer's street. From Norwalk, through Weston and Redding, to Newtown. From the borough of Bridgeport in Fairfield county, through Nicholls's farms, on the Wells Hollow Turnpike road, by Derby and Humphreysville, to Salem bridge in New Haven county. From Wilton to Ridgefield. From Norwalk to New Canaan. From Norwich city through Preston, Griswold, and Voluntown, on the Shetucket turnpike, to Scituate in Rhode Island.

In New York.—From Madison, in Madison county, by Augusta, Vernon Centre, Vernon, Verona, to Rome. From Mount Morris, in Livingston county, by Tuscarora, Ossian, Burrell's mills, to Dewitt's valley in the county of Allegany. From Nunda, in Allegany county, to Ossian. From Portageville, in Allegany county, by Oakland and Tuscarora, to Danville, in the county of Livingston. From Italy, in the county of Yates, by Pultneyville post-office, Pultney, in Steuben county, to Hammondsport. From Horse Head, by Erin, to Cayuta, in Tioga county. From Maccumber's, in Susquehannah county, Pennsylvania, by Silver lake, and Ellerslie, to Owego, in Tioga county. From Otego, by Gilbertsville, to Unadilla. From Romulus, by Waterloo, to Phelps. From the town of Somers, in the county of West Chester, to Loundington's store, in the town of Kent, in the county of Putnam. From the town of Flatbush to the town of New Utrecht, in the county of Kings. From Greene, in Chenango county, by Spees Spa, to McDonough. From Marbetown, in Ulster county, by Craig's store, in Olive, to the nearest post-office in Sandaken, on the route from Kingston, in said county, to Delhi, in Delaware county. From Sangerfield, in Oneida county, by Brookfield, in Madison county, to Sherburne. From Scotland, in Rockland county, by Hempstead, English Church, and Haver-
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straw, to Monroe ironworks in the county of Orange. From Deposite, in Delaware county, by Stanville and Jackson, to Gibson, in Susquehannah county, Pennsylvania. From Tyrone, in Steuben county, to Rock Stream. From Jordan, in Onondago county, to Ira. From South Bainbridge, in Chenango county, by Coventryville, to Oxford. From Glenn's Falls, in Warren county, by Northville, to Patton's mills, in the county of Washington. From Batavia, on the line between Bethany and Alexander, in the county of Genesee, by Attica and Middlebury, through the east part of Orangeville, to Wethersfield. From Watertown, in Jefferson county, by Brownville, La Fargeville, to Cor nellia, at the mouth of French creek, on the river St. Lawrence; thence by De Pau ville to Brownville. From Cuba village, in Allegany county, by Dodge's creek, to Mill Grove, in Cattaragus county. From Hoveville, by Depeyster and Washband settlements, to Oxbow, in Jefferson county. From Buffalo, in Erie county, by Aurora, Wales, Holland, Sardinia, China, Freedom, Canea dea, and Belfast, to Angelica, in Allegany county. From Daggett's mills to Lawrenceville, in Tioga county, Pennsylvania. From New Berlin, by Pittsfield, and Edmeston, to Morse's store, in Otsego county. From Port Kent, on Lake Champlain, by the way of the Au Sable Forks, to Eastville post-office, in the town of Lawrence, St. Lawrence county. From Duanesburg to Schol aric courthouse. From New York city, by Williamsburg, to Flashing, on Long Island. From Addison, in the county of Steuben, by way of Cameron and Canisteo, to Homellsville. From Caughnawaga to Fultonville. From Painted Post to Number One settlement. From South Sparta, to Livonia, passing through the east part of the towns of Sparta, Groveland, and Conesus. The route from Goff's mills to South Danville shall pass by the way of the Loon Lake settlement. From Angelica, by Short Tract, Oakland, River Road, to Moscow. From Sawpit in the county of West Chester, by the way of the White Plains, to Tarrytown. From the house of Alanson Burr, in the town of Canae dea, in the county of Alleghany, by the way of Rushford, to Farmersville, in the county of Cattaragus. From the house of Captain William Bennett, in the town of Canisteo, in the county of Steuben, by the way of Purdy Creek settlement, and Alfred, to Scio, in the county of Allegany. From Fort Miller to Craig sborough. From West Bloomfield, in the county of Ontario, by North Bloomfield, and Norton's mills, to Webster's mills, in the town of Rush, in the county of Monroe. From the forks of the Great au Sable river to Hopkington. From Utica to New York mills. From Colosse, in the county of Oswego, through the towns of Parish and Amboy, to Camden post-office, in Oneida county. From Corydon, by Pleasant Grove and Sociality, to Pereia, (formerly West Lodi,) in the county of Cattaragus. From Auburn to Montezuma, passing through Foster ville, and from Montezuma to Wolcott, passing through Savannah and Butler. From Spraker's Basin, in Montgomery county, through the towns of Sharon, C obleskill, Summit, and Jefferson, to Harpersfield, in the county of Delaware. Extend route number two hundred and eighty-eight commencing at Elmira in the county of Tioga, New York, and running from thence to McConneltown, Sing Sing, Townsend, and Wardsburgh, to Harpending's corners, in the county of Yates; and the continuance of said route to Geneva, in Ontario county, via Himrod's corners, West Dresden, and from thence to Geneva, by the Lake road. On the east side of the Susquehannah river, from the town of Bainbridge, in the county of Chenango, through the towns of C olesville and Windsor, to the Windsor bridge. From Stephen King's, South Pembrook, south by the post-office in the town of Bennington, to the post-office in the centre of Sheldon, in Genesee county. From Medina, in the county of Orleans, to the village of Akron, and thence across to the New Stead post-office in the county of Erie. From New Woodstock, through De
Ruyter, Pitcher, Cincinnatus, and Lisle, to Binghamton. From the village of Owego, to the village of Nichols; thence, through the southwest part of the town of Windham, near the dwelling-house of the late Joseph Webster, to the town of Orwell, near the dwelling-house of Daniel Russell, and from thence through the towns of Rome, and Wysox, to the village or borough of Towanda, in the state of Pennsylvania. From Painted Post, up the Conisteo, to the village of Honelsville. From Lockport to Kempville, by way of Newfane post-office, on the east side of the eighteen mile creek in the county of Niagara. From Lodi to Silver creek, by way of Smith's mills, and Rugg's settlement, in the county of Chautauqua. From Chester, in an easterly direction through the settlement at Briant Lake mills, Briant Lake settlement, and Haysburgh, to the town of Bolton in the county of Warren. From Coldenham, in Orange county, by the way of St. Andrew's, to Walden. From Searsville, in Sullivan county, passing through the villages of Hopewell, and Searborough, and Montgomery, in Orange county, to Crawford, in Ulster county. From Bedford courthouse, in the county of West Chester, by Golden's bridge, to South East, in the county of Putnam. From Burlington, in the county of Otsego, through New Berlin, to the village of Norwich, in the county of Chenango. From Comstock Landing, on the Northern canal, in the town of Fort Ann, county of Washington, to the courthouse in Rutland, in the county of Rutland, in the state of Vermont; through west and middle Granville, west and east Poultney, Middletown, Ira, and west Rutland. From Lockport, to Niagara Falls, by the direct road through Judd's settlement. From Scottsville, by the way of Chili and Ogden, to Parma, in the county of Monroe. From Belfast, by King's Mills, and Rushford, to Farmersville, in Catarac gun county. From South Worcester, to Worcester, in Otsego county. From Walton, in Delaware county, to Unadilla, in Otsego county. From Mooresville, in Delaware county, by Roxbury, Halcottsville, Middletown, Shavertown, Pepacton, Colchester, East Branch Patridge Island, and Hancock, to Deposite. From Deposite, in Delaware county, by Masonville, to Sidney Plains. From Troy through the villages of Albia, Wynnants Hill, Sandlake, and Schermerhorn, to the village of New-Lebauon Springs.

In New Jersey.—From Salem, in Salem county, by Craven's ferry, to Pedrickstown. From Salem, in Salem county, by Pittsgrove, to Centreville. From Hackensack to Paterson. From Columbia to Schooley's mountain, passing by Hope, Danville, Hacketstown, and Nimrod's Springs.

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Kentucky settlement, Gibson, Vermont settlement, and Harmony, to Great Bend. To extend route number eleven hundred and ninety-nine, (from Blairsville to Ligonier,) to Conemaugh, in Cambria county. From Venango furnace, in Venango county, to Agnew's mills, in said county. From Yocumtown, through Newberrytown, to York haven, in said county of York. From Harrison valley, in Potter county, to Sweden, via Cashingsville. From Martingsburgh, in Bedford county, to Coffee run, in Huntingdon county. From or near the William Penn tavern, in Willistown; thence, by the way of West-town boarding-school, Darlington's, Parkersville, New Red Lion, London Grove; thence, by Stephen's mill and to New London cross roads, in the county of Chester. From Pottstown, in the county of Montgomery, passing through Boyersville, by way of Colebrook dale, Dale forge, and Renken Trexter's store, in Berks county, through Millerstown, and thence the nearest route to the borough of Northampton, in Lehigh county. From Allentown, in Lehigh county, by way of Siegersville, to Saegersville, in said county. From Greens-burgh, by Robstown in Westmoreland county, and thence by way of Cookstown, to Brownville, in Fayette county. From Hamburgh, via Union iron works, in Berks county, to Lynville, in Lehigh county. From Lawrenceburgh, in Armstrong county, by Foxburgh, Emlenton, Lyon's ferry, and Venango village, to McQuiston's, on the Waterford and Anderson's creek turnpike. From Minorsville by Boleck's tavern and Waynesburg, to Clingerstown, in Schuykill county. From Jersey shore, Lycoming county, up the valleys of Pine creek, via Jacob Tomb's and Babb's creek, to Wellsboro, Tioga county; thence, through Stonyfork settlement, to Big Meadows; thence up Pine creek again to Benjamin B. Chamberlain's; and from thence through Mix settlement, to Knox ville, on the Coweesque; also across from Jacob Tomb's to William Herold's. From Warren, in the county of Warren, to Montmorency, in Jefferson county. From New Bedford, in Mercer county, in the state of Pennsylvania, to Youngstown, in the state of Ohio. That the post route leading from Mifflintown, Juniata (late Mifflin) county, to East Waterford, be so altered as to embrace Port Royal in its course between Mifflintown and Tuscarora valley post-office. From Selin's Grove, via New Berlin, to Hartleinton, Union county. From Tamaqua to Wilkes barre, via Conynghamtown. From Condersport to Bingham, in Potter county. From Watson's-town in Northumberland county, by the house of Solomon Mengas, to the post-office at Road Hall in Lycoming county. From fort Littleton, to Bloddyrun, in Bedford county. From the crossings of Juniata on the turnpike, by Warfordsburg, to Hancock, in Maryland. That the route from New York by Margaretta furnace to Wrightsville be so altered as to run only from Wrightsville to Margaretta furnace.

In Delaware.—From Milford, by Bridgeville, to Seaford. From Millsborough in the state of Delaware, by Dagsborough, Truitt's, Hall's, Tunnell's, and Eurus' store, and Robbins' mills, to Saint Martins.

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bria, with the line of the Chesapeake and Ohio canal, to Ketocton in Frederick county, Maryland, thence to Harper's Ferry in Virginia.

**In Virginia.**—From Richmond, by Amelia courthouse, Nottoway courthouse, Lunenburg courthouse, and Mecklenburgh courthouse, to Oxford, in North Carolina. From Rocky Mount, in Franklin county, by Josiah Dickerson's, George Turner's, Jacob Pellman's, on Smith river, and Gobblingtown iron works, to Patrick courthouse. From Abingdon, by Saltville, in Washington county, and Broadford, to intersect the route from Wythe courthouse, to Tazewell courthouse, at the house of John Shannon, on the north side of Walker's mountain, in Wythe county. From Tease's valley to Herford's ferry. From Clarksburgh, in Harrison county, by Elk creek, to Buckhanontown, in the county of Lewis. From Webb's mills, by Harrisville, to Pensboro, Wood county. From the town of Eastville, to Capeville, in the county of Northampton. From Summerville, in Nicholas county, by Stroud's Glades, to Frankfort, in Greenbrier county. From Cabel courthouse, by the falls of Twelve Pole, to the forks of Big Sandy, on the Kentucky line. From Hoffville, in Harrison county, to Lorentz's store, in the county of Lewis. From Gholsonville, Brunswick county, by Mount Airy, Greenville county, to Dancy's store, North Carolina. From Duckland, in Prince William county, by Haymarket, Thoroughfare, to the Plains, to Salem, in Fauquier county. From Princess Ann courthouse, via Creed's bridge, to Black Water bridge; thence, via Mount Pleasant, to the Great bridge, Norfolk city. From Point Pleasant to Wright's mills, in Jackson county. From Burlington, in the county of Hampshire, by Kelly's, to Smith's farm, in the county of Alleghany, Maryland. From Orange courthouse, in the county of Orange, to Madison courthouse in the county of Madison. From Taylorsville, in Hanover county, via Pottersville, in Louisa county, to Mansfield, the residence of William Mansfield, in Louisa county. From Piketown, in Pike county, Kentucky, to Logan courthouse in Virginia. From the Smith's creek post-office in Rockingham county, by Keazletown, to Mount Sidney, in Augusta county. From Millers' iron works, in Augusta county, to Staunton. From Harrison'sburg to Keazletown. From Madison courthouse to the Robinson meeting-house, in the county of Madison, and from thence to the State mills, in Culpepper county. From Harrisonsburgh, by Rifesville, Bridgeport, Miller's iron works, and head of Mossy creek, to James A. Frazier's, in Augusta county. From Dickinsonville, in Russell county, by Osborne's ford, in Scott county, and Pendleton, (Wilbourne's store,) to Estillville. From Danville directly to Henry courthouse; from thence, to Christianburg, passing through the county of Patrick, on the north side of Bull Mountain. From Berryville or Battletown, in Frederick county, by Wickliff's, and Kabletown, to Charlestown, in Jefferson county. From Front Royal to Millwood, in Frederick county, by Berryville, to Charlestown, in Jefferson county. From Miller's iron works, in Augusta county, Virginia, to Staunton. From Abingdon, in Virginia, by way of the Reedy creek road to Estillville, in Scott county. From Clarkson in King and Queen county, by Walkerton, Stephensville, King and Queen courthouse, Little Plymouth, to Matthew's courthouse. From King William courthouse, by Lanesville, and Smith's ferry, to New Kent courthouse. From Fincastle, up the Valley of Catawba, and down that of the North fork Roanoke, by the most direct route to Blacksburg, in the county of Montgomery. That the mail-route from Cabin Point, Virginia, by Blount's bridge to South Quay, be so changed as to run from Petersburgh, by Blount's bridge, to South Quay.

**In North Carolina.**—From Salem, in Stokes county, by Germantown, Frost's iron works, Clement's iron works, Boyle's store, to Patrick courthouse, in Virginia. From Rutherfordton, in Rutherford county, across the Blue Ridge at the Hickory-nut gap, to Ashville, in Buncombe
count. From Columbia to Springfield, in Tyrrel county. From Kings-
ton to Trenton. From Rockford, by Juddsville, in Surry county, to
Bower's store, in Ashe county. From Pittsborough, Chatham county, by
Hackney's cross roads, to Chapel Hill, in Orange county. From Rocks-
borough by Hugh Wood's, to Black Walnut, in Halifax county, Virginia.
From Concord to Mill grove, thence to Dewees' Hickory grove post-office,
Mecklenburg county, and to Beatty's ford. From Nashville to Warren-
ton, by Belford post-office, and Shocco Springs. From Oxford to
Hillsborough, in the state of North Carolina, passing by Potter's bridge,
Richard Bullocks, Hester's store, Thomas Benchan's and Pickett's oil
mill. From Greenville to Stauntonburg. From Lawrenceville, Mont-
gomery county, to Wadesboro', Anson county. From Leesburgh, by
Hightowers, to Caswell courthouse. From Poplar Branch to Powell's
point, in Currituck county. From Gravelly-hill, in Bladen county, by
Lisburn, Taylor's bridge, to Clinton, in Sampson county.

In South Carolina.—From Unionville to Cowpen furnace, in South
Carolina. From Edgefield, by Laurens courthouse and Spartanburg, to
Rutherfordton, in North Carolina. From Brownsville, in the district of
Marlborough, to Darlington courthouse, and thence to Kingtree, in
Williamsburg district. From Spartansburg, by Rowland's hill, Jacksonville,
Earlsville, to Dodd's store. From Columbia, in Richland district, by Union
courthouse, and Spartanburg courthouse, to Ashville in Buncombe county,
North Carolina. From Edgefield courthouse to Abbeville courthouse.
From Unionville, via Hancockville, to Rutherfordton. From Clarksville,
in Georgia, by the Currahee mountain and Wiley's ferry, in said state, and
Pickens courthouse, to Greenville, in South Carolina. From Laurence
courthouse, by Nash's mills and Cripple creek, to Greenville courthouse.
From Abbeville courthouse, by Church hill post-office, and Elberton, to
Danieville, in Georgia. From Hamburg to Coke's spring. From Lau-
ren's courthouse, by Anderson courthouse, to Andersonville.

In Georgia.—From Sparta, in Hancock county, by Bennett's store,
Sandersville, Fish's store, Fuqua's store, Dublin, and Hampton's, to Hart-
ford, in the county of Pulaski. From Macon, in Bibb county, by Perry,
in Houston county, to Hawkinsville, in Pulaski county. From Marion,
Twiggs county, to Perry, in Houston county. From Vernon, in Troup
county, by Lagrange, Franklin, West Point, Columbus, Fort Mitchell,
Randolph courthouse, and Fort Gaines, to Early courthouse. From War-
renton, in Warren county, to White Oak, in Columbia county. From fort
Gaines, in Early county, by Smithville academy, and Spring creek, to
Bainbridge, in Decatur county. From Hillsborough, in Jasper county,
by McGehee's store, in Jones county, and Dover, to Forsyth, in Monroe
county. From Covington, in Newton county, by Latimer's store, Deca-
tur, Sandtown, Campbellton, and Pumpkintown, to Carrollton, in Carroll
county. From Carrollton, in Carroll county, by Robinson's and Lavender's
stores, to the head of Coosa river. From Gainesville, in Hall county, by Gail-
ley's, to Clarksville. From Forsyth, by Zebulon, Greenville, to Lagrange,
in Georgia. From Wightsburgh, Columbia county, by Crawfordsville, to
Greenborough, Green county. From Augusta in Richmond county, by
Richmond, Bath, Dye's store and Hudson's store, to Louisville, in Jefferson
county. From Thomasville, in Georgia, to Monticello, in Florida. From
Burke courthouse to Robinson's store. From Centerville, in Talbot county,
to Talbotton. From Monticello, by McDonough, Fayetteville, and Camp-
bellton, to Villa Rica, in Carroll county. From Watson's post-office in
Columbia county, to Cook's law office, in Elbert county, via Raysville,
Willborn's, Gatriil's, Jackson's, Danburgh, William's and Muckle's ferry.
From Monticello, Jasper county, to the town of Zebulon, in Pike county,
via Cargill's ferry and the town of Jackson. From Perry, in Houston
county, by way of the Traveller's Rest, on Flint river, to Pondtown, in
Lee county; thence, to Lannahassee town, in Stewart county; thence,
Post-roads established.

Ohio.


Post-roads established.

Missouri.

In Missouri.—From Chariton, in Chariton county, on the north side of the Missouri river, to Kytesville. From Kaskaskias, in Randolph county, Illinois, by St. Mary's Landing in St. Genevieve county, to Perryville, in Perry county. From Caledonia to Potosi. From Palmyra, in Marion county, by Canton, to the mouth of Des Moines river. From Louisiana, by Bowling green, to Fulton. From St. Louis, by Bowles' ferry, the Big spring, and Wideman's mills, to the Rich woods. From Keytesville, by Huntsville, in Randolph county, to Fayette, in Howard county. From Herculaneum, by St. Genevieve, to Perryville. From Independence, in the county of Jackson, to the Shawnee agency. From Pinckney, in Montgomery county, by Pendleton's, to Troy, in Lincoln county. From Wellsburg, in St. Charles county, by Monroe, Edwin Allen's, William McQueen's, and Clarkville, to Louisiana. From Massey's iron works to the Kickapoo Prairie, in the county of Crawford.

Kentucky.


Tennessee.

In Tennessee.—From Jonesborough, by the Walnut mountains, to Ashville, North Carolina. From Newmarket, in Jefferson county, by Blain's cross roads, Lea's springs, Powder Spring gap, and Joseph Bee-lors, to Tazewell, in Claibourne county. From Newport, Lillard's mill, on Cosby's creek, Jones' cove, Siversville, in Sevier county, by Wear's cove, Tuckaleechee cove, Miller's cove, Caïd's cove, and Carson's iron works, to Chillhowee, in Monroe county. From Clinton, in Anderson county, by Campbell's station and Unitia, to Morgantown, in Blount county. From Clinton, in Anderson county, through the Big valley, to Tazewell, in Claibourne county. From Gallatin, in Sumner county, up Bledsoe's creek, to Scottsville, in Allen county, Kentucky. From Knoxville, in Knox county, by Armstrong's ferry, Newmarket, Mossy creek, Panther springs, Morristown, Cheek's cross roads, Russellville, and James' store, to Bluntville. From Jonesborough, via Bryoles, and Camp creek iron works, to Newport, Cocke county. From Salem, in Tennessee, to Bellefont, in Alabama. From Fayetteville, in Lincoln county, by Dyer's store, Cold Water, and Hightower's store, to Upper Elkon, in Giles county. From Dyersburg, in Dyer county, by Rudder's mills, and Airfield's point, on the Mississippi, in Arkansas territory, and return by Rudder's mills, Nash's Bluff, Eaton, to Trenton, in Gibson county. From Blane's cross roads to Jacksborough. From Centreville to Perryville. From Vernon to Reynoldsburgh. From Reynoldsburgh, by Chalk Level, to Pleasant Exchange, in Henderson county. From Morgantown, North Carolina, to Elizabeth, in Tennessee, on Avery's turnpike road. From Murfreesborough, by Anthony's store and Hardeman's cross roads, to Franklin. From Tomkinsville, in Kentucky, by way of Benjamin Greer's, Samuel Jones', Witchers', and Archibald Sloan's, to Carthage, in...
Tennessee. From Memphis, by White's, Hally's, Glenn's, Jones', &c., &c., to Lagrange. From Pikeville, by way of Tollett's mill; thence to the stand formerly occupied by John F. Greer, Esq., on the main stage road; from thence to Lavender's, on the Marchbank's road; from thence direct to Jamestown. From Brabson's store, by Huffaker's ferry, and Mecklenburg, to Knoxville. From Mills Point in Kentucky, on the Mississippi, to Paris, in Henry county, in Tennessee. From Columbia, by Perryville and Lexington, to Jackson. From Winchester, Tennessee, to Bellefonte, Alabama; by way of Pleasant grove, Alabama. From Liberty, Smith county, via Slaterville, Cainsville, George A. Huddleston's ship A. Puckett's, Stewart's ferry, (Stokes river,) to Nashville. From Huntingdon to Dresden, by way of Hico, Christmasville, and Fleming's. From Columbia, by Bigbyville, Pleasant grove, Mooresville, and Cornersville, to Fayetteville. From Lebanon, by Banton's ferry, to Franklin. From Covington to Somerville. From Winchester to Fayetteville. From Gainsborough, in Jackson county, via Mount Carmel, Bagdad, and Pleasant Hill, to Dickson's spring in Smith county. From Springfield, Robertson county, Tennessee, to Haydonsville, in Kentucky, by Clark's mills and Cross mills. From Salem, Franklin county, Tennessee, by way of Larkin's fork of Paint Rock river, to Bellefonte, Alabama; and the present route from Winchester, Tennessee, to the same place discontinued.


In Michigan territory.—From Tecumseh, in the territory of Michigan, by Niles' village, to Chicago, in the state of Illinois. From Chicago to Green Bay. From Green Bay to Prairie du Chien, by way of fort Winnebago. From fort Winnebago to Galena, in the state of Illinois. From Galena to Prairie du Chien. From Detroit to Tecumseh, by Ypsa-
Post-roads established.

**Louisiana.**—From Vicksburg, in Warren county, Mississippi, to Lake Providence, in Washita parish, Louisiana. From Springfield, in the parish of St. Helena, to the courthouse in said parish. From Port Hudson, on the river Mississippi, in the parish of East Feliciana, passing Mount Willing and Stuart’s mill, to the town of Clinton, from thence passing Richland Hill to Kelerstown to meet the Woodville route. From Warrenton, in Warren county, Mississippi, by the lower end of Palmyra island, to New Carthage, in Concordia parish, Louisiana. From Vermillionville to Perry's Bridge, on the Vermillion river. From Thibodeauville to Caseaux, in the parish of Terrebonne, with an intermediate post-office at the courthouse of Terrebonne. From the town of Opehouas, in Louisiana, to the settlement on the Calcasieu, and from Thibodeauville, by Williamsburgh, to Newport. From St. Helena to Baton Rouge. From Point Coupee courthouse, down the west side of the river, passing West Baton Rouge courthouse, and Iberville courthouse, to Donaldson. From Port Hudson down the river to Port Hickey, and crossing the river there and uniting with the route from Point Coupee courthouse, to West Baton Rouge courthouse, on the west bank of the river. From Mount Pleasant to Baton Rouge.

**Florida territory.**—From Monticello, in Jefferson county, to Magnolia, in Leon county. From St. Augustine, in St. John’s county, to Tampa bay. From Monticello, by Rosciut's ferry, to the seat of justice of the county of Hamilton, and by Alligator, to Alachua courthouse.

**Mississippi.**—From Natchez, in Adams county, by the upper road across the Homochitto, to Woodville, in Wilkinson county. From Westville, by way of Georgetown, and Gallatin, to Port Gibson. From Columbus, by way of Cohay bridge, and Williamsburgh, to Columbia, and from Garland’s to Winchester. From Kingston to Liberty. From Port Gibson to Rodney. From Jackson, by Mount Olympus, Beattie’s Bluff, Vernon, and Urbanna, to Benton. From Doak’s stand, by way of Georgeville, Franklin, Rankin, Benton, Manchester, Liverpool and Sataria, to Vicksburg. From Pearlington, in Mississippi, by way of Pearl river, the Lagoon and the Rigoletta, to fort Pike, in Louisiana. From Vicksburg to New Mexico, in Mississippi; thence to Villement in Arkansas.

**Arkansas.**—From Helena to St. Francis courthouse. From Izard courthouse to Fayetteville, by Washington courthouse. From Villement, Chicot county, by Cabeaun's, in Pennington's settlement, on the Bayou Saline, in Union county, by Pine Bluffs, the seat of justice in Jefferson county, to Little Rock. From Post of Arkansas to Pine Bluffs, in Jefferson county. From St. Francis courthouse to Jackson, in Lawrence county.

Post-roads discontinued.

**New Hampshire.**—From Bedford to Amherst. From Pembroke to Candida. From Nottingham to Epping.

**New York.**—From Ithaca to Burdett, near the head of Seneca Lake. From Howard, by Rathbone’s settlement and Loon Lake settlement, to Conhocton. From Bath, by Mount Washington, to Catharine’s, and returning by Moad’s creek, and the mouth of Mud creek: Provided, however, That this route be continued until the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.
In Kentucky.—From Williams to Madisonville. From Smithport to Warren.

In Tennessee.—That part of the route from Hopkinsville, Kentucky, to Dougherty's, Tennessee, between Paris and Dougherty's; and from Kingsport to Jonesborough.

In Ohio.—From Cadiz; by New Rumley, to New Hagerstown. From West Union, Ohio, to Vanceburgh, Kentucky.

In Mississippi.—From Gallatin to Port Gibson. From Greenville to Petit Gulf. From Natchez, by the old courthouse, to Kingston. From Yazoo courthouse, by Smith's ferry and Braggsville, to Hannon's Bluff.

APPROVED, June 15, 1832.

CHAP. CXLIV.—An act establishing land districts in the territory of Arkansas.(a)

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That there shall be four land districts in the territory of Arkansas, to be called as follows, viz: the Arkansas land district, the White river land district, the Red river land district, and the Fayetteville land district; and each of the aforesaid land districts shall be bounded as follows, to wit: the Arkansas land district shall include all the country embraced within the following boundaries: beginning on the west bank of the Mississippi river, at the mouth of the St. Francis river, and running thence due west with the base line to the north-east corner of range six, township one north and south of said base line; thence, due north with the dividing line between ranges five and six, to the north-east corner of township seven, north of said base line; thence, due west with the dividing line between townships seven and eight, to the north-west corner of range seventeen; and thence, due south with the dividing line between ranges seventeen and eighteen, to the Mississippi river. The White river district shall include all the country south of Missouri, which is not included in the Arkansas land district above described, and east of the dividing line between ranges seventeen and eighteen, as extended from the northwest corner of the said Arkansas land district, to the state of Missouri. The Red river land district shall include all the country in Arkansas lying west of the Arkansas land district, and south of the base line. The Fayetteville land district shall include the residue of the territory of Arkansas, being all the country lying north of the Red river district, and west of the Arkansas and White river districts.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the land office for the Arkansas land district shall be at Little Rock; the land office for the White river district shall be at Batesville; the land office for the Red river district shall be at the town of Washington: and the land office for the Fayetteville district shall be at Fayetteville.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury, as soon as the same can be done, to cause the proper plats of the surveys to be deposited in the proper land offices.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That for each of the said districts created by this act, a register and receiver of public moneys shall be appointed, who shall give security in the same manner, and whose duties and authorities shall, in every respect, be the same, in relation to the lands which shall be disposed of at their offices, as are by law provided in relation to the registers and receivers of public moneys in the several offices established for the sale of the public lands.

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(a) For notes of acts relating to the territory, afterwards the state of Arkansas, vol. iii. p. 493.