

CHAP. 70.—An act to amend the act entitled “An act to withdraw from settlement and sale a certain section of land in Wyoming Territory,” approved May twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy-two.

March 26, 1874.
1872, ch. 204, § 1,
vol. xvii, p. 158,
amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the first section of the act aforesaid be, and the same is hereby, amended so that it shall read as follows:

“Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the north half and the southeast quarter of section thirty, in township fourteen north, of range sixty-six west, of the public lands in Laramie County, Wyoming Territory, be, and the same is hereby, withdrawn from settlement and sale under existing laws, and reserved for the use of the city of Cheyenne, in said county, for the purpose of enabling the proper authorities of said city to construct and maintain on said land a reservoir of water for the supply of said city.”

Certain land reserved for use of city of Cheyenne for water-reservoir.

Approved, March 26, 1874.

CHAP. 72.—An act to approve an act of the legislative assembly of the District of Columbia relating to parishes of the Protestant Episcopal Church.

March 28, 1874.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the act of the legislative assembly of the District of Columbia entitled “An act for the relief of parishes of the Protestant Episcopal Church in the District of Columbia,” approved June twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, be, and the same is hereby, approved; and that all acts now in force in the District of Columbia, inconsistent therewith, be, and the same are hereby repealed.

Act of legislative assembly of District of Columbia approved.

Approved, March 28, 1874.

CHAP. 74.—An act making appropriations for the construction, preservation, and repair of certain fortifications and other works of defense, for the fiscal year ending in June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

April 3, 1874.

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 the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the following fortifications and other works of defense, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, namely:

Appropriations for fortifications, &c., for year ending June 30, 1875.

For Fort Preble, Portland Harbor, Maine, twenty thousand dollars.

Fort Preble.

For Fort Scammel, Portland Harbor, Maine, thirty thousand dollars.

Fort Scammel.

For batteries, Portsmouth Harbor, New Hampshire, thirty thousand dollars.

Batteries in Portsmouth Harbor.

For batteries at Long Island Head, Boston Harbor, Massachusetts, forty thousand dollars.

Batteries in Boston Harbor.

For Fort Adams, Newport Harbor, twenty thousand dollars.

Fort Adams.

For fort on Dutch Island, west entrance to Narragansett Bay, Rhode Island, twenty thousand dollars.

Fort on Dutch Island.

For Fort Trumbull, New London Harbor, Connecticut, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Fort Trumbull.

For fort on Willet's Point, East River, New York, thirty thousand dollars.

Fort on Willet's Point.

For Fort Schuyler, East River, New York, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Fort Schuyler.

For Fort Hamilton and additional batteries, (for completing the same,) New York Harbor, New York, twenty-six thousand dollars.

Fort Hamilton and batteries.

For fort on the site of Fort Tompkins, Staten Island, New York Harbor, New York, thirty thousand dollars.

Fort on site of Fort Tompkins.

- Battery Hudson. For Battery Hudson, New York Harbor, New York, thirteen thousand dollars.
- Fort Delaware. For Fort Delaware, Delaware River, Delaware, twenty-five thousand dollars.
- Battery at Finn's Point. For battery at Finn's Point, Delaware River, New Jersey, thirty thousand dollars.
- New Fort, Delaware River. For New Fort, opposite Fort Delaware, Delaware River, thirty thousand dollars.
- Fort Monroe. For Fort Monroe, Hampton Roads, Virginia, thirty thousand dollars.
- Fort Moultrie. For Fort Moultrie, Charleston Harbor, South Carolina, twenty thousand dollars.
- Fort Sumter. For Fort Sumter, Charleston Harbor, South Carolina, twenty thousand dollars.
- Fort Pulaski. For Fort Pulaski, Savannah River, Georgia, twenty thousand dollars.
- Fort Jackson. For Fort Jackson, Mississippi River, Louisiana, thirty thousand dollars.
- Fort Saint Philip. For Fort Saint Philip, Mississippi River, Louisiana, thirty thousand dollars.
- Fort Taylor. For Fort Taylor, Key West, Florida, twenty thousand dollars.
- Fort at Fort Point. For fort at Fort Point, entrance to San Francisco Harbor, California, thirty thousand dollars.
- Fort at Lime Point. For fort at Lime Point, San Francisco Harbor, California, thirty thousand dollars.
- Fort on Alcatraz Island. For fort on Alcatraz Island, harbor of San Francisco, California, twenty thousand dollars.
- Torpedoes. For torpedoes for harbor-defenses, and preservation of the same, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the money herein appropriated for torpedoes shall only be used in the establishment and maintenance of torpedoes to be operated from shore-stations for the destruction of an enemy's vessel approaching the shore or entering the channel and fairways of harbors.
- Contingencies. For contingencies of fortifications, seventy-five thousand dollars.
- Surveys and reconnaissances. For surveys and reconnaissances in the military divisions and departments, thirty thousand dollars.
- Exploration west of 100th meridian. For continuing exploration and survey of the Territories of the United States west of the one hundredth meridian, thirty thousand dollars.
- Approved, April 3, 1874.

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CHAP. 75.—An act to improve the mouth of the Mississippi River.

Appropriation for mouth of Mississippi River.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirty thousand dollars, to be expended by the Secretary of War at the mouth of the Mississippi River; said sum to be available from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, April 3, 1874.

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CHAP. 76.—An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue an American register to the schooner "Carrie," of Eastport, Maine.

American register to schooner "Carrie."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized to grant and issue an American register to the schooner "Carrie," now owned in Eastport, Maine, under such name as the owners may select.

Approved, April 3, 1874.