
CHAP. 136.—An Act To repeal section thirty-four hundred and eighty of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section thirty-four hundred and eighty of the Revised Statutes of the United States be, and the same is hereby, repealed so far as it affects payments for services in the Army of the United States prior to April thirteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

Approved, July 6, 1914.

CHAP. 138.—An Act Providing for the issuance of patents to transferees of town lots purchased from the United States at public sale in certain cases.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in all cases where town lots were sold by the United States at public sale, and the purchaser at such sale had transferred his interest in any such lot prior to the eleventh day of October, nineteen hundred and eleven, and patent has not been issued in the name of the original purchaser, the Commissioner of the General Land Office may issue a patent in the name of the transferee where full payment of the purchase price has been made and satisfactory evidence of the transfer has been furnished:

Provided, That it be shown that the original purchaser is dead, or that after due inquiry his whereabouts can not be ascertained, and that the instrument of transfer given by the original purchaser has been lost or destroyed.

Approved, July 9, 1914.

CHAP. 141.—An Act Making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, 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 sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full compensation for the service of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, for the objects hereinafter expressed, namely:

LEGISLATIVE.

SENATE.

For compensation of Senators, $720,000.
For mileage of Senators, $51,000.

OFFICE OF THE VICE PRESIDENT: Secretary to the Vice President, $4,000; messenger, $1,440; telegraph operator, $1,500; telegraph page, $600; in all, $7,540.

CHAPLAIN: For Chaplain, $1,200.

OFFICE OF SECRETARY: Secretary of the Senate, including compensation as disbursing officer of salaries of Senators and of the contingent fund of the Senate, $6,500; hire of horse and wagon for the Secretary’s office, $420; assistant secretary, Henry M. Rose, $5,000; chief clerk, $3,250; financial clerk, $3,000 and $1,250 additional while the office is held by the present incumbent; minute and journal clerk, principal clerk, reading clerk, and enrolling clerk, at $3,000 each; executive clerk, and assistant financial clerk, at $2,750 each; librarian,