

STATUTE I.

June 30, 1834.

CHAP. CLXIII.—*An Act in addition to the "Act more effectually to provide for the punishment of certain crimes against the United States, and for other purposes," approved March third, eighteen hundred and twenty-five.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That whenever any criminal convicted of any offence against the United States, shall be imprisoned, in pursuance of such conviction, and of the sentence thereupon, in the prison or penitentiary of any state or territory, such criminal shall in all respects be subject to the same discipline and treatment, as convicts sentenced by the courts of the state or territory, in which such prison or penitentiary is situated; and while so confined therein, shall also be exclusively under the control of the officers having charge of the same, under the laws of the said state or territory.

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Act of March 3, 1825, ch. 66.

Persons convicted of a criminal offence against United States to be treated as convicts of the state or territory.

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CHAP. CLXIV.—*An Act increasing the salaries of the judges of the United States for the territories of Michigan, Arkansas, and Florida.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That there shall be allowed and paid, annually, to each of the judges of the United States for the territories of Michigan, Arkansas, and Florida, the sum of three hundred dollars, in addition to the salaries now allowed by law to the said judges, respectively.

Additional salary to judges of Michigan, Arkansas, and Florida.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall take effect from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and that the several sums authorized to be paid, shall be paid out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Act to take effect from January 1, 1834.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the increased salary allowed by this act, shall only be paid to such judges in the territories of Florida and Arkansas, as are not now allowed the extra compensation under the act of May, 1828, providing for the adjudication of land claims, and shall take effect as to the remainder, when the extra pay aforesaid shall no longer be paid.

To be paid only to such as are not allowed extra compensation under act of May, 1828, ch. 70.

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CHAP. CLXV.—*An Act making compensation for certain diplomatic services, and for other purposes.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That there be allowed and paid to W. H. D. C. Wright, to supply the deficiency of a former appropriation, in payment of the balance found due to him in the adjustment of his accounts, and for his diplomatic services at the court of Brazil, after the death of Mr. Tudor, and before the arrival of Mr. Brown, the sum of five thousand and thirty-seven dollars.

Deficiency in former appropriation to be paid to W. H. D. C. Wright.

Also, to the state of Maine, to reimburse the expense of supporting certain American citizens, in prison at Fredericton, in New Brunswick, seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.

State of Maine to be reimbursed for supporting prisoners.

Also, to John Adams Smith, Nathaniel Niles, and J. C. Pickett, secretaries of legation, a compensation for their services as *chargés des affaires*, at the rate of four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, during the time that they were actually left in charge of the affairs of the legations to which they were attached, deducting therefrom the amount already paid to them as secretaries of legation; the aforesaid sums to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

J. A. Smith, N. Niles, and J. C. Pickett to receive compensation.

Salary of J. C. Pickett.

To James C. Pickett, secretary of legation, left in charge of the affairs of the United States at Bogota, on the termination of the mission of Mr. Moore, one quarter's salary, for the expense of his return to the United States, five hundred dollars.

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CHAP. CLXVI.—*An Act repealing certain acts of the legislative council of the territory of Florida.*

Acts imposing higher duties on slaves belonging to non-residents repealed.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That all such acts or parts of acts, passed by the legislative council of the territory of Florida, as may impose a higher or greater tax on the slaves or other property of non-resident citizens, than is imposed on the slaves or other property of resident citizens of said territory, be, and the same are hereby, repealed, and declared null and void.

Punishment for enforcing such acts.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That if any person shall attempt to enforce any of the acts, or parts of acts, passed by the legislative council of the territory of Florida, as aforesaid, by demanding or receiving any tax, imposition, or assessment authorized or prescribed thereby, such person shall, on conviction thereof, be punished by fine not exceeding two hundred dollars, or by imprisonment not exceeding six months, or either or both of said punishments.

County of Leon to elect two additional members of council.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the county of Leon, in the territory of Florida, shall be authorized to elect two additional members to the legislative council, on the first Monday in September next, and it shall be lawful for the legislative council to designate by law the election districts, in such manner as to ensure an equality of representation to each.

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CHAP. CLXVII.—*An Act to relinquish the reversionary interest of the United States in a certain Indian reservation lying between the rivers Mississippi and Desmoins.*

Lands relinquished, and to be vested in certain half-breeds of Sacs and Fox Indians.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That all the right, title, and interest which might accrue or revert to the United States to the reservation of land, lying between the rivers Desmoins and Mississippi, which was reserved for the use of the half-breeds belonging to the Sacs and Fox nations, now used by them, or some of them, under a treaty made and concluded between the United States and the Sacs and Fox tribes or nations of Indians, at Washington, on the fourth day of August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, be, and the same are hereby, relinquished and vested in the said half-breeds of the Sacs and Fox tribes or nations of Indians, who, at the passage of this act are, under the reservation in the said treaty, entitled, by the Indian title, to the same; with full power and authority to transfer their portions thereof, by sale, devise or descent, according to the laws of the state of Missouri.

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CHAP. CLXVIII.—*An Act authorizing the governors of the several states to transmit, by mail, certain books and documents.*

State papers, &c. to be free of postage.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That it shall be lawful for the