PUBLIC ACTS OF THE THIRTY-SECOND CONGRESS
OF THE
UNITED STATES,

Passed at the second session, which was begun and held at the City of
Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the 6th day of
December, 1852, and ended Thursday, March 3d, 1853.

MILLARD FILLMORE, President. WILLIAM R. KING, President of the
Senate pro-temp. till December 20, 1852, when he resigned, and DAVID
R. ATCHISON was chosen in his place. LINN BOYD, Speaker of
the House of Representatives.

CHAP. I.—An Act making an Appropriation for bringing to the Seat of Government the
Votes for President and Vice-President of the United States. Dec. 16, 1852.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That a sum not exceeding
twenty thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, out of
any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the payment
of the sums due by law to the several messengers of the respective
States, as compensation for conveying to the seat of Government, the
vote of the electors of the said States for President and Vice-President
of the United States.

APPROVED, December 16, 1852.

CHAP. III.—An Act to amend the Act approved the thirty-first August, eighteen hundred
and fifty-two, in reference to the Appropriation for continuing the Survey of the Mexican
Boundary. Dec. 23, 1852.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of con-
tinuing the survey of the Mexican boundary, it shall be lawful to use so
much of the appropriation provided by the act approved thirty-first Au-
gust, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, entitled “An Act making appro-
priations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of the Government for
the year ending the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-three,
and for other purposes,” as may be required in running and marking
said boundary, under the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, on the Rio
Grande below the town called “Paso,” and in defraying any necessary
expenses heretofore incurred, or that may hereafter be incurred, con-
nected with said survey.

APPROVED, December 23, 1852.

CHAP. IV.—An Act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to issue Registers to
Vessels in certain cases. Dec. 23, 1852.

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 he hereby is, authorized to issue a register or enrol-
Registry of
wrecked foreign