

regulations as may be necessary to give full effect to the provisions of this act.

APPROVED, July 27, 1854.

CHAP. CLIX.—*An Act supplementary to an Act entitled "An Act to authorize Notaries Public to take and certify Oaths, Affirmations and Acknowledgments in certain cases."* July 29, 1854.
1850, ch. 52.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all the powers and authority conferred in and by the above recited act, approved September sixteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty, upon notaries public in the States and Territories be and the same are hereby vested in notaries public within the District of Columbia. Provisions of act of 1850, ch. 52, extended to notaries public in District of Columbia.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That notaries public be and they are hereby authorized to take depositions and do such other acts in relation to evidence to be used in the courts of the United States, in the same manner and with the same effect, as commissioners to take acknowledgments of bail and affidavits may now lawfully take or do. Depositions taken before notaries to have same force in courts as those taken before certain commissioners.

APPROVED, July 29, 1854.

CHAP. CLXVII.—*An Act making Appropriations for the current and contingent Expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling Treaty Stipulations with various Indian Tribes, for the year ending June thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, and for other purposes.* July 31, 1854.

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 they are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, and fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes. Current and contingent expenses.

For the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, viz.:

For the pay of Superintendents of Indian Affairs, per acts of fifth June, eighteen hundred and fifty, twenty-seventh February, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and third March, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, twelve thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided,* That the President may, from time to time, in his discretion, remove or change the location of any of the superintendencies now or hereafter to be established by law; Superintendents.
1850, ch. 16.
1851, ch. 14.
1852, ch. 11.

For the pay of the several Indian Agents, per acts of fifth June, eighteen hundred and fifty, and twenty-seventh February, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, thirty-four thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars; Changes of location.
Agents.
1850, ch. 16.
1851, ch. 14.

For pay of three Indian Sub-Agents for California, at an annual salary of fifteen hundred dollars each, four thousand five hundred dollars;

For pay of four Indian Sub-Agents in Oregon Territory, at an annual salary of one thousand dollars each, four thousand dollars;

For pay of two Indian Sub-Agents in Washington Territory, at an annual salary of one thousand dollars each, two thousand dollars;

For pay of three Indian Agents in Washington Territory, for six months, ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars;

For pay of two Indian Sub-Agents in Washington Territory, for six months, ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, one thousand dollars;