moneys due to incompetent or orphan Indians, but the same shall remain
in the treasury of the United States until ordered to be paid by the said
Secretary to those entitled to receive the same, and shall bear six per
centum interest until so paid.

SEC. 7. And be it further enacted, That the following sums be, and
the same are hereby, in like manner appropriated, out of any money in
the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Indian service in Cali-
ifornia:

For salaries of clerks to superintendents of Indian Affairs for the
Northern and Southern Districts of California, for three-quarters of
the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, at
eighteen hundred dollars per annum, twenty-seven hundred dollars:

For the same service for the fiscal year ending June thirty, eighteen
hundred and sixty-three, at one thousand five hundred dollars per annum,
three thousand dollars:

For compensation of five supervisors for the reservations in California,
in July the Indians in husbandry, for fiscal year ending June thirty,
eighteen hundred and sixty-three, authorized by act of June nineteen,
eighteen hundred and sixty, nine thousand dollars.

For the purchase of cattle for beef and milk, together with clothing and
food, teams and farming tools for Indians, for the fiscal year ending
June thirty, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, for the Northern District
of California, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For the same for the Southern District of California, for the fiscal year
ending June thirty, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, fifteen thousand
dollars:

Provided, That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized
and directed to inquire into the expediency of reducing the Indian reser-
vations in California to two in number; the proper places for the same;
the probable expense thereof; the propriety of disposing of any of the
reservations, and the value thereof, and of the property thereon; of the
manner and terms of such disposal; and, in what manner, in his judg-
ment, the expense of the Indian Department in that State can be reduced
and its system simplified without injury to the same, and report thereon
to the next regular session of Congress.

APPROVED, July 5, 1862.

July 11, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXVIII. — An Act to grant the Right of Preemption to Settlers on certain Lots in Wisconsin.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioner of the
General Land Office be, and he is hereby, directed to cause survey to be
made of that portion of lots numbered ten and eleven, lying east of the
River au Diable, in township twenty-three north, of range twenty-one
east, in the State of Wisconsin, and which portion was not embraced by
the confirmatory provisions of the act of Congress approved February
twenty-one, eighteen hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act to
revive and continue in force certain acts for the adjustment of land
claims in the Territory of Michigan."

APPROVED, July 11, 1862.

July 11, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXIX. — An Act in Relation to the Post-office Department.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of América in Congress assembled, That the time fixed for the limi-
tation of suits against the sureties of postmasters not to apply in States in rebellion.
1825, ch. 84.
Vol. iv., p. 102.