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Annexed. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to adopt and ratify the compromise and agreements entered into and executed on the twentieth and twenty-first of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, between the legally authorized representatives of the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations of Indians, and the legally authorized representative of the loyal Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, claimants under the forty-ninth article of the treaty of April twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, between the United States and the Choctaw and Chickasaw Indians, as a full and final settlement of all claims under the aforesaid article of said treaty. And the amount as stipulated in the aforesaid agreements to be paid to the loyal Choctaw and Chickasaw claimants, to wit: To the Choctaw claimants the sum of one hundred and nine thousand seven hundred and
forty-two dollars and eight cents, and to the Chickasaw claimants the sum
of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars shall be paid by the Secretary
of the Interior to said claimants, out of any moneys in the treasury of the
United States belonging to, or held in trust for, said nations of Indians;
but in case there is not a sufficient amount of money in the treasury of
the United States belonging to, or held in trust for, said nations of In-
dians to discharge their respective obligations to the loyal Choctaw and
Chickasaw Indians, (claimants,) or in case the Choctaw and Chickasaw
nations of Indians shall request it, then the Secretary of the Interior is
authorized and directed to sell such bonds or other securities held in trust
by the United States for the Choctaw and Chickasaw nations of Indians
as may be necessary to discharge their respective obligations to the afore-
said loyal Choctaw and Chickasaw claimants, as stipulated in the afore-
said compromise and agreements: Provided, That no bonds or securities
shall be sold for less than par: And provided further, That no payments
shall be made nor bonds delivered under the provisions of this act except
in every case to the person actually entitled in his own right to receive
the same; nor shall any contract or power of attorney relating to the
same be regarded or held as of any validity unless signed and executed
after the passage of this act: And provided also, That the bonds of the
State of Indiana held by the United States shall not be sold under the
provisions of this act.

APPROVED, July 25, 1868.

CHAP. CCXXXV. — An Act to provide a temporary Government for the Territory
of Wyoming.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That all that part of the United
States described as follows: Commencing at the intersection of the twenty-
seventh meridian of longitude west from Washington with the forty-fifth
degree of north latitude, and running thence west to the thirty-fourth
meridian of west longitude, thence south to the forty-first degree of north
latitude, thence east to the twenty-seventh meridian of west longitude, and
thence north to the place of beginning, be, and the same is hereby, or-
ganized into a temporary government by the name of the Territory of
Wyoming: Provided, That nothing in this act shall be construed to im-
pair the rights of person or property now pertaining to the Indians in said
Territory, so long as such rights shall remain unextinguished by treaty
Territory may be divided.

provided. Further, That nothing in this act contained shall be construed to inhibit the government
of the United States from dividing said Territory into two or more Ter-
ritories, in such manner and at such time as Congress shall deem con-
vienent and proper, or from attaching any portion thereof to any other
Territory or State.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the executive power and author-
ity in and over said Territory of Wyoming shall be vested in a governor,
who shall hold his office for four years, and until his successor shall be
appointed and qualified, unless sooner removed by the President of the
United States with the advice and consent of the Senate. The governor
shall reside within said Territory, shall be commander-in-chief of the
militia thereof, shall perform the duties and receive the emoluments of
superintendent of Indian affairs, and shall approve all laws passed by the
legislative assembly before they shall take effect, unless the same shall
pass by a two-thirds vote as provided in section six of this act; he may
grant pardons for offences against the laws of said Territory, and reprieves
for offences against the laws of the United States, until the decision of
the President can be made known thereon; he shall commission all of-
icers who shall be appointed to office under the laws of said Territory,
and shall take care that the laws be faithfully executed.