
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the net proceeds of the internal revenue in the Territory of Washington, for the fiscal years severally ending on the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, be, and the same hereby are, set aside and appropriated to and for the purpose of erecting, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, a penitentiary building in said Territory upon the site designated by the legislature thereof and approved by the Secretary of the Interior: Provided, That the moneys so set aside and appropriated in said Territory shall be devoted exclusively to the erection of a penitentiary therein, and that the same shall not exceed in amount the sum of forty thousand dollars.

APPROVED, February 22, 1873.

CHAP. CLXXXVI. — An Act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to sell the Custom-house Property at Plymouth, North Carolina.

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be sold, at public auction, without unnecessary delay, in the town of Plymouth, in the State of North Carolina, to the highest and best bidder, the old custom-house, and the lot of land on which the same is situated, the whole being known as “the custom-house property.” in the said town of Plymouth, in the State of North Carolina, upon such terms of payment as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury: Provided, That said sale shall be had after due notice published in some newspaper at or near where the property is located.

APPROVED, February 22, 1873.

CHAP. CLXXXVIII. — An Act for the Relief of Settlers on the late Sioux Indian Reservation, in the State of Minnesota.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That all actual settlers, who have duly filed their declaratory statements under the pre-emption laws, with the register of the proper local land-office, upon the unsold lands now included within the limits of the late Sioux Indian reservation in the State of Minnesota, shall be allowed until the first day of March, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, in which to make proof and payment for their claims.

APPROVED, February 24, 1873.

CHAP. CXC VIII. — An Act to define the Limits of the Collection District of the Teche, in the State of Louisiana, and for other Purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all that portion of the State of Louisiana described as follows, to wit, commencing at the town of Plaquemine, in the parish of Iberville; thence down the western bank of the Mississippi river to the town of Donaldsonville, in the parish of Ascension; thence down the Bayou Lafourche, and along its eastern bank to the sea; thence westerly along the coast, including all the islands, bays, and so forth, to the mouth of the Sabine river; thence up the said Sabine river, and along its eastern bank to a point due west from the said town of Plaquemine; and thence to the place of beginning, shall be, and the same is hereby, constituted and created the collection district of the Teche.