CHAP. 87.—An act authorizing the President of the United States to make certain negotiations with the Ute Indians in the State of Colorado.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered to enter into negotiations with the Ute Indians, in the State of Colorado, for the consolidation of all the bands into one agency, to be located on the White River, or near said river, and for the extinguishment of their right to the southern portion of their reservation in said State, and to report his proceedings under this act to Congress for its consideration and approval; the expense of such negotiations to be paid by the United States, and to be hereafter appropriated.

Approved, May 3, 1878.

CHAP. 88.—An act to extend the provisions of section thirty-two hundred and ninety-seven of the Revised Statutes to other institutions of learning.

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 to grant permits, as provided for in section thirty-two hundred and ninety-seven of the Revised Statutes of the United States passed at the first session of the Forty-third Congress, to any scientific university, or college of learning created and constituted such by any State or Territory under its laws, though not incorporated or chartered, upon the same terms and subject to the same restrictions and penalties, already provided by said section thirty-two hundred and ninety-seven: Provided further, That the bond required thereby may be executed by any officer of such university or college, or by any other person for it, and on its behalf, with two good and sufficient sureties, upon like conditions, and to be approved as by said section is provided.

Approved, May 3, 1878.

CHAP. 91.—An act making appropriations for the naval service for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, and for other purposes.

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, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the naval service of the government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, and for other purposes:

For the pay of the Navy, for the active list namely: One admiral, thirteen thousand dollars; one vice-admiral, eight thousand dollars; nine rear-admirals, fifty thousand dollars; eight chiefs of bureau (commodores), forty-two thousand dollars; twenty four commodores, ninety thousand dollars; forty-nine captains, one hundred and sixty-nine thousand three hundred dollars; ninety commanders, two hundred and sixty-three thousand seven hundred dollars; eighty lieutenant-commanders, two hundred and ten thousand two hundred dollars; two hundred and eighty lieutenants, six hundred and thirty-nine thousand two hundred dollars; one hundred masters, one hundred and sixty-nine thousand eight hundred dollars; one hundred ensigns, one hundred and seventeen thousand dollars; sixty-one midshipmen, fifty-three thousand eight hundred dollars; fourteen medical directors, fifty thousand four hundred dollars; fifteen medical inspectors, fifty-six thousand four hundred dollars; fifty surgeons, one hundred and forty thousand six hundred dollars; fifty-two passed assistant surgeons, one hundred and one thousand dollars; forty-four assistant surgeons, sixty-two thousand one hundred dollars; twelve pay-directors, forty-five thousand eight hundred dollars; thirteen pay-inspectors, forty-six thousand dollars; fifty...