

at not less than fifty cents per acre; and all of said lands remaining unsold on the thirtieth day of June, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-three, shall be offered for sale to the highest bidder for cash, at not less than twenty-five cents per acre; and all of said lands remaining unsold after the last said public offering shall be subject to be disposed of by cash entry at twenty-five cents per acre, and the Secretary of the Interior may offer the same as aforesaid, in such quantities as may seem to him best; and may make all needful regulations, including the publication of notice of sale, as he may deem proper to carry out the provisions of this act: *Provided, however,* That no proceeding shall be taken under this act until at least two-thirds of the adult males of said Osage Indian tribes shall assent to the foregoing provisions.

Proviso.

Approved, March 3, 1881.

March 3, 1881.

CHAP. 150.—An act to amend section fourteen hundred and eighty-six of the Revised Statutes in order to preserve the meaning of the original law from which it was taken, with reference to the rank of engineer officers, graduates of the Naval Academy.

R. S. 1486, amended.

Engineer officers
United States
Navy.

Proviso.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section fourteen hundred and eighty-six of the Revised Statutes of the United States be amended by inserting after the word "accordingly", at the end of the section the words, "*Provided,* That nothing in this section shall be so construed as to give to any officer of the staff corps precedence of, or a higher relative rank than that of, another staff officer in the same grade and corps, and whose commission in such grade and corps antedates that of such officer."

Approved, March 3, 1881.

March 3, 1881.

CHAP. 151.—An act for the relief of Redmond Tully.

Redmond Tully.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to nominate and by and with the advice and consent of the Senate to appoint, Redmond Tully, late first lieutenant of the Twelfth United States Infantry, as first lieutenant in the United States infantry, to take effect from his nomination and confirmation under this act, and that he shall be assigned to the first vacancy occurring in such grade in the infantry arm of the service: *Provided,* That no pay or allowances on account of previous rank or services be allowed or paid to the said Tully: *And provided further,* That all laws prohibiting appointments in the Army in such cases be, and they are hereby, suspended so far, and so far only, as to the nomination of said Tully.

Provisos.

Approved, March 3, 1881.

March 3, 1881.

CHAP. 152.—An act for the payment of certain Indian war bonds of the State of California.

Appropriation.
Payment of Indian
war bonds of
State of California.

1854, ch. 267,
10 Stat., 582.

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 he is hereby, directed to pay, out of the unexpended balance of an appropriation of nine hundred and twenty four thousand two hundred and fifty nine dollars and sixty five cents made by the third section of the act of Congress approved August fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty four, the sum of one thousand two hundred and ninety dollars and fifty six cents, which last named amount is hereby reappropriated, to the lawful holder of four California Indian war bonds issued by said State on the eighteenth day of May, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, under the provisions of the act of the legislature thereof approved May

third, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, for the suppression of Indian hostilities therein, numbered respectively one hundred and sixty four, one hundred and sixty-six, one hundred and sixty-seven, and one hundred and sixty-eight, each bond being for the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars, and bearing interest from date of issue at the rate of seven per centum per annum; the amount herein appropriated being for the principal of said bonds, with interest thereon from date of issue until the first of July, eighteen hundred and sixty: *Provided*, That said bonds shall not be paid except out of any amount remaining unapplied of the appropriation of nine hundred and twenty four thousand two hundred and fifty-nine dollars and sixty five cents heretofore made.

Proviso.

Approved, March 3, 1881.

CHAP. 153.—An act to amend section two thousand two hundred and ninety-seven, of title thirty-two, of the Revised Statutes, relating to homestead settlers.

March 3, 1881.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section numbered twenty-two hundred and ninety-seven, of title numbered thirty-two, be amended by adding thereto the following proviso, namely: *Provided*, That where there may be climatic reasons the Commissioner of the General Land Office may, in his discretion, allow the settler twelve months from the date of filing in which to commence his residence on said land under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe.

R. S. 2297, amended.

Proviso.

Homestead settlers.

Approved, March 3, 1881.

CHAP. 154.—An act amendatory of and supplementary to "An act to provide for the holding of terms of the district and circuit courts of the United States at Fort Wayne, Indiana", approved June eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight.

March 3, 1881.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be two terms each of the United States district and circuit courts for the district of Indiana, held in the city of Fort Wayne, Indiana, said terms to begin on the second Tuesday in June and December.

Two terms each of United States district and circuit courts, Fort Wayne, Indiana.

SEC. 2. The clerk of the district and circuit courts for the district of Indiana, and marshal and district attorney for said district, shall perform the duties appertaining to their offices respectively for said courts, and said clerk and marshal shall appoint deputies, who shall reside and keep their offices at Fort Wayne, Indiana. Said deputies shall keep in their offices such records as appertain to their offices, and said deputy clerk shall keep in his office full records of all actions, proceedings, and judgments in said courts.

Deputy clerk and marshals appointed to reside at Fort Wayne.

Approved, March 3, 1881.

CHAP. 155.—An act to confirm the title to certain lands in the State of Ohio.

March 3, 1881.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the United States relinquish, to whom it may concern, all title, interest, and control in and to that certain parcel of land in the State of Ohio ceded to the children of Captain Logan, a chief of the Shawnee tribe of Indians, by the eighth article of the treaty of September twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventeen, and more fully described in the patent issued therefor by the President and bearing date the eighteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and twenty-one; and the United States waive and relinquish, for the benefit of whom it may concern, the provision of article three of the treaty of September seventeenth, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighteen, between the United States and the Wyandot, Seneca, Shaw-

Title to lands in Ohio confirmed to children of Captain Logan.