hundred and four, and March third, nineteen hundred and five, not reimbursted to the Treasury of the United States on or before June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and seven, shall be reimbursed to said Treasury out of the revenues of the District of Columbia from time to time, within five years, beginning July first, nineteen hundred and seven, together with interest thereon at the rate of two per centum per annum until so reimbursed: 

Provided further, That the Auditor for the State and other Departments and the auditor of the District of Columbia shall each annually report the amount of such advances, stating the account for each fiscal year separately, and also the reimbursements made under this section, together with the balances remaining, if any, due to the United States: And provided further, That nothing contained herein shall be so construed as to require the United States to bear any part of the cost of acquisition of land for street extensions, and all advances heretofore or hereafter made for this purpose by the Secretary of the Treasury shall be repaid in full from the revenues of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 8. That all laws and parts of laws to the extent that they are inconsistent with this Act are repealed.

Approved, June 27, 1906.


Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act of February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and ninety-five, entitled “An Act to amend section twenty-four hundred and fifty-five of the Revised Statutes of the United States,” be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

“It shall be lawful for the Commissioner of the General Land Office to order into market and sell, at public auction at the land office of the district in which the land is situated, for not less than one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, any isolated or disconnected tract or parcel of the public domain not exceeding one quarter section which, in his judgment, it would be proper to expose for sale after at least thirty days’ notice by the land officers of the district in which such land may be situated: Provided, That this Act shall not defeat any vested right which has already attached under any pending entry or location.”

Approved, June 27, 1906.

CHAP. 3555.—An Act Granting lands to the State of Wisconsin for forestry purposes.

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 he is hereby, directed to cause patents to issue to the State of Wisconsin for not more than twenty thousand acres of such unappropriated, unoccupied, nonmineral public lands of the United States north of the township line between townships thirty-three and thirty-four north, fourth principal meridian, as may be selected by and within said State for forestry purposes. The lands hereby granted, except as herein provided, shall be used as a forest reserve only, and should the State of Wisconsin abandon the use of said lands for such purpose, alienate or attempt to alienate or use the same or
any part thereof for purposes other than that for which granted, except upon consent of the Secretary of the Interior, as hereinafter provided, the same shall revert to the United States. If it shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the Secretary that any tract or tracts of the land hereby granted are better suited for agricultural than for forestry purposes, or by reason of their isolation are not available for forest reserve purposes, he may by order consent to the sale of such tract or tracts by the State of Wisconsin upon condition that the proceeds of such sale shall be used by the said State in the reforestation of the permanent forest reserves established by said State, and that in event the lands hereby granted shall revert to the United States the said State will account for all such moneys and will pay over to the United States all sums derived from the sales of these lands and not actually used in reforestation.

Approved, June 27, 1906.

CHAP. 3556.—An Act To authorize the sale of certain lands to the city of Mena, in the county of Polk, in the State of Arkansas.

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 he is hereby, authorized to sell to the city of Mena, in the county of Polk, in the State of Arkansas, at and for the sum of two dollars and fifty cents per acre, the following described lands, to wit: The fractional northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section six, township numbered two south, range thirty west of the fifth principal meridian. And upon the payment of said sum the said Secretary is authorized to issue patent for said lands to said city.

Approved, June 27, 1906.

CHAP. 3557.—An Act Granting to the State of California five per centum of the net proceeds of the cash sales of public lands in said State.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be, and is hereby, granted to the State of California five per centum of the net proceeds of the cash sales of the public lands which have been heretofore made by the United States since the admission of said State, or may hereafter be made in said State, to aid in the support of the public or common schools of said State; and the sum of money necessary to pay said five per centum to said State is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, June 27, 1906.

CHAP. 3558.—An Act For the resurvey of certain townships in the State of Nebraska.

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 he is hereby, authorized to cause to be made a resurvey of the lands in township twenty-three north, of range twelve; township twenty-three north, of range thirteen; township twenty-eight north, of range fourteen; township thirty-two north, of range forty-seven; townships twenty-five and twenty-six north, of range thirty-two; township twenty-nine north, of range thirty-five, all west of the