

a stone fifteen by ten by ten inches and set ten inches in the ground and marked with cross on top, from which corner to sections one, two, eleven, and twelve bears north eighty-nine degrees fifty-four minutes east twenty-six chains distant; thence south eighty-nine degrees fifty-four minutes west three hundred and seventeen feet to the place of beginning, containing three and one-half acres, more or less, and located on the northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section eleven, township thirty-five north, of range four west, Boise meridian.

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CHAP. 3581.—An Act Giving preference right to actual settlers on pasture reserve numbered three to purchase land leased to them for agricultural purposes in Comanche County, Oklahoma.

Oklahoma.
Actual settlers may purchase agricultural lands in Comanche County.
Ante, p. 213.

Appointment of commission to appraise lands.

Compensation.

Payments.

Interest.

Forfeiture.
Proceeds.

Proviso.
Time limit for appointment of commission.
Report.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That persons who are now in possession of land under leases approved by the Secretary of the Interior on pasture reserve numbered three, open for settlement by act approved June eighth, nineteen hundred and six, the same being situate in township one north and one south, in range eight west, Indian meridian, Territory of Oklahoma, be given a right to purchase said lands, as follows: That the land so leased shall be appraised by a commission of three persons to be appointed by the Secretary of the Interior, one upon the recommendation of the Kiowa and Comanche Indians through their agent; said commissioners to receive such compensation as the Secretary of the Interior may direct, the same to be paid from the funds received from the sale of said lands, and said appraisement when made to be approved by the Secretary of the Interior; said land to be appraised without regard to any improvements that have been placed thereon, except such as are required by the provisions of said leases, and the said lessee to have the privilege to purchase at its appraised value the amount of land covered by his lease within sixty days after notice of said appraisement, one-fifth of the price of the same to be paid at the time of notice of acceptance of said purchase and the balance of the purchase price to be paid in four equal annual installments, bearing interest at the rate of six per centum per annum; and in case any purchaser fails to make the annual payment when due all rights in and to the land covered by his or her purchase shall at once cease and be forfeited, and any payment theretofore made shall be forfeited. The funds received from said sales to be placed to the credit of the Indians the same as other funds provided for in said Act approved June eighth, nineteen hundred and six: *Provided*, That the Secretary shall appoint said commissioners within thirty days from the passage of this Act, and said commissioners shall make said appraisement and file their report within thirty days from the date of their appointments.

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CHAP. 3582.—An Act To amend the Act to provide a government for the Territory of Hawaii, approved April thirtieth, nineteen hundred.

Hawaii.
Provisions for government of.
Vol. 31, p. 158, amended.

Delegate to Congress.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section eighty-five of an Act entitled "An Act to provide a government for the Territory of Hawaii," approved April thirtieth, nineteen hundred, shall be amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 85. That a Delegate to the House of Representatives of the United States, to serve during each Congress, shall be elected by the voters qualified to vote for members of the house of representatives of

the legislature. Such Delegate shall possess the qualifications necessary for membership of the senate of the legislature of Hawaii.

“Such election shall be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November of every even year and at such places as shall be designated by the secretary of the Territory. The ballot for Delegate shall be such as the legislature of Hawaii may designate, and until provision is made by the Territorial legislature the ballot shall be of pink paper and shall be of the same general form as those used for the election of representatives to the legislature.

“The method of certifying the names of candidates for place on this ballot and all the conduct of the election of a Delegate shall be in conformity to the general election laws of the Territory of Hawaii.

“The person having the greatest number of votes shall be declared by the governor duly elected, and a certificate shall be given accordingly.

“Every such Delegate shall have a seat in the House of Representatives, with the right of debate, but not of voting. In case of a vacancy occurring in the office of Delegate, the governor of the Territory is directed to call a special election to fill such vacancy: *Provided, however,* That no vacancy shall be filled which occurs within five months of the expiration of a Congressional term.

“The legislature of the Territory of Hawaii shall have the right to alter or amend any part of the election laws of said Territory, including those providing for an election of Delegate to Congress, and its action shall be the law, with full, binding force, until altered, amended, or repealed by Congress.”

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CHAP. 3583.—An Act To prohibit shanghaiing in the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That whoever, with intent that any person shall perform service or labor of any kind on board of any vessel of any kind engaged in trade and commerce among the several States or with foreign nations, shall—

First. Procure or induce or attempt to procure or induce another by force, threats, or representations which the person making them knows or believes to be untrue, or while the person so induced or procured is intoxicated or under the influence of any drug, to go on board of any such vessel.

Second. Induce or procure or attempt to induce or procure another by force or threats, or by representations known or believed by the person making them to be untrue, or while the person so induced or procured is intoxicated or under the influence of any drug, to sign or in any wise enter into any agreement to go on board any such vessel to perform service or labor thereon, shall be fined not more than one thousand dollars or imprisonment for one year, or both.

SEC. 2. That whoever shall knowingly detain on board any such vessel any person induced to go on board thereof or to enter into an agreement to go on board thereof by any of the means defined in section one hereof shall be punished as provided in section one.

SEC. 3. That whoever shall knowingly aid or abet in the doing of any of the things declared unlawful by sections one and two of this Act shall be deemed a principal and punished accordingly.

SEC. 4. That sections four, six, and twenty-four of chapter twenty-eight of the Acts of Congress, approved December twenty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, shall apply to all vessels engaged in the taking of oysters, anything in section twenty-six of said last-mentioned Act to the contrary notwithstanding.

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Time of election.

Ballot.

Certifying names of candidates.

Majority vote.

Right of Delegate.

Filling vacancy.

Proviso.
Restriction.

Amendment.

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Shipping.
Shanghaiing prohibited.
Post, p. 1233.

False inducements, etc., to intoxicated persons to board vessels.

Penalty for securing agreements from intoxicated persons.

Detention.

Aiding and abetting.

Payment of seamen's wages.
Vol. 30, pp. 756, 763
Oyster vessels included.
Vol. 30, p. 764.