

said, and no application for the entry of said lands shall be received until after the expiration of the ninety days after the issuance of notice within which the entryman is hereby required to reestablish his residence and apply for water right.

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[H. R. 20491.]

[Public, No. 143.]

Public lands.  
Time extended for  
final proof in desert-  
land entries.  
Vol. 35, p. 52.

Provision.  
Proof of delay in  
receipt of water.

Limit of extension.

**CHAP. 101.**—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to grant further extension of time within which to make proof on desert-land entries.

*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 may, in his discretion, in addition to the extension authorized by existing law, grant to any entryman under the desert-land laws a further extension of the time within which he is required to make final proof: *Provided,* That such entryman shall, by his corroborated affidavit filed in the land office of the district where such land is located, show to the satisfaction of the Secretary that because of unavoidable delay in the construction of irrigation works intended to convey water to the land embraced in his entry he is, without fault on his part, unable to make proof of the reclamation and cultivation of said lands as required by law within the time limited therefor; but such extension shall not be granted for a period of more than three years, and this Act shall not affect contests initiated for a valid existing reason: *Provided,* That the total extension of the statutory period for making final proof that may be allowed in any one case under this Act, and any other existing statutes of either general or local application, shall be limited to six years in the aggregate.

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Tobacco statistics.  
Semiannual reports  
of leaf tobacco in  
hands of dealers, etc.,  
to be made.  
Post, p. 477.

Quantities exempt.

Amounts to be  
reported.

**CHAP. 102.**—An Act To authorize the Director of the Census to collect and publish additional statistics of tobacco.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Director of the Census be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to collect and publish, in addition to the tobacco reports now being made by him, statistics of the quantity of leaf tobacco in all forms in the United States in the possession of all persons who are dealers or manufacturers, other than the original growers of tobacco, to be summarized and returned by the holder to the Director of the Census as of the dates of October first and April first of each year, provided that the Director of the Census shall not be required to collect statistics of leaf tobacco from any manufacturer of tobacco who in the preceding calendar year, according to the returns to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, manufactured less than fifty thousand pounds of tobacco, or from any manufacturer of cigars who during the preceding calendar year manufactured less than two hundred and fifty thousand cigars, or from any manufacturer of cigarettes who during the preceding calendar year manufactured less than one million cigarettes, or from any dealer in leaf tobacco who, on the average, had less than fifty thousand pounds in stock at the ends of the four quarters of the preceding calendar year, and every manufacturer of tobacco who, in the preceding calendar year, according to the return of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue manufactured more than fifty thousand pounds of tobacco, and every manufacturer of cigars who, during the preceding calendar year, manufactured more than two hundred and fifty thousand cigars, and every manufacturer of cigarettes who, during the preceding calendar year, manufactured more than one million cigarettes, and every dealer in or manufacturer of leaf tobacco who, on an average, during

the preceding calendar year, had more than fifty thousand pounds in stock, at the ends of the four quarters of the preceding calendar year, shall, under oath, make written reports of the amounts held by them, as herein provided.

SEC. 2. That the Director of the Census shall specify the types of tobacco to be included in the reports of the holders thereof, and he shall specify the several types separately in making his reports. In securing reports by types, the Director of the Census shall follow substantially the classification of general types as recognized and adopted by the Department of Agriculture. That the Director of the Census shall prepare appropriate blanks upon which such reports shall be made and shall send a copy of same to any person subject to make reports under this Act, not more than fifteen nor less than ten days prior to the first days of October and April in each year, together with a written or printed demand that such person make the report required.

Types to be specified.

Blanks, etc.

Reports required.

Penalty for failure.

SEC. 3. That all persons subject to the provisions of this Act shall, within ten days after the first day of October and first day of April in each year, make written report to the Director of the Census the number of pounds of each of the several types of leaf tobacco owned by him as of the said dates, respectively. If any such person shall fail to make said report within the time prescribed, he shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be fined not less than three hundred dollars or more than one thousand dollars. If any such person so liable to make such reports shall fail to make the same within the dates above specified, and thereafter the Director of the Census shall demand such report in writing, which demand shall be forwarded by registered mail, then if such person shall fail to make such report within twenty days after such demand so made, he shall also be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be imprisoned for not more than six months, in the discretion of the court. The depositing of the notice by the Director of Census in any post office shall be held to be prima facie evidence of the delivery of the notice to the holder of tobacco, from which date the period of twenty days shall begin to run. The president, general manager, or other chief officer of any corporation failing to make such reports as required by this Act shall be subject to the same penalties as are herein prescribed.

Notice.

Officers liable.

SEC. 4. That any person who shall make a false report to the Director of the Census as to the types or amounts of tobacco held or owned by him shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and upon conviction shall be punished by imprisonment for not more than six months, in the discretion of the court. The president, general manager, or other officer of any corporation making such false report shall be subject to the same penalty as prescribed in this section.

Punishment for false reports, etc.

Officers liable.

SEC. 5. That the word "person" as used in this Act shall be held to embrace also any partnership, corporation, or association.

"Person" construed.

SEC. 6. That the information furnished under the provisions of this Act shall be used only for the statistical purposes for which it is supplied. No publication shall be made by the Director of the Census whereby the data furnished by any particular establishment can be identified, nor shall the Director of the Census permit anyone other than the sworn employees of the Census Office to examine the individual reports.

Information not to be divulged.

SEC. 7. That the Director of the Census shall have access to the records of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for the purpose of obtaining the information herein required, and the Commissioner of Internal Revenue shall cooperate with the Director of the Census in effectuating the purposes and provisions of this Act.

Cooperation of Census and Internal Revenue officials.

Publication.

SEC. 8. That the Director of the Census shall make his first report under this Act as of the first day of October, nineteen hundred and twelve, and he shall publish the same and all subsequent reports at a date as early as practicable after the first day of October and the first of April in each year.

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[H. R. 22560.]

CHAP. 103.—An Act To authorize the change of the names of the steamers Syracuse and Boston.

[Public, No. 145.]

"Syracuse" and  
"Boston," steamers.

Change of names  
authorized.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Commissioner of Navigation is hereby authorized and directed, upon application of the owner, the Port Huron and Duluth Steamship Company, of Port Huron, Michigan, to change the name of the steamer Syracuse, official number one hundred and sixteen thousand and twenty-five, and to change the name of the steamer Boston, official number three thousand one hundred and forty.

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[H. R. 12211.]

CHAP. 105.—An Act To amend the Act of February eighteenth, nineteen hundred and nine (Thirty-fifth Statutes at Large, page six hundred and twenty-six), entitled "An Act to create the Calaveras Big Tree National Forest, and for other purposes."

[Public, No. 146.]

Calaveras Big Tree  
National Forest, Cal.  
Vol. 35, p. 627,  
amended.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Act of February eighteenth, nineteen hundred and nine (Thirty-fifth Statutes at Large, page six hundred and twenty-six), entitled "An act to create the Calaveras Big Tree National Forest, and for other purposes," be amended as follows:

Conveyance of lands  
for, from owners.

Lands in exchange.

National forest lands  
added.

Proviso.  
Approval of Secretary  
of Agriculture.

Appropriation for  
expenses.

Omit therefrom the portion of the Act beginning with the word "any" at the end of the twelfth line on page six hundred and twenty-seven thereof to and including the word "or" in the twentieth line of said page, and substitute therefor the following: "one or both of the following ways: (1) They may be given the right to file with the Secretary of the Interior, within sixty days after such conveyance, selections of surveyed, unappropriated, nonmineral public lands or of nonmineral national forest lands, and if the lands so selected shall be found subject to selection and of the actual value in lands and stumpage substantially equal to that of the lands and stumpage conveyed they may be patented to said owners in lieu of the conveyed lands: *Provided, however,* That in any case where any part of the lands selected is national forest land, the approval of the Secretary of Agriculture shall first be secured with respect to such part, or (2)"

SEC. 2. That there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purposes of fully carrying out the provisions of this Act.

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May 9, 1912.  
[H. R. 12623.]

CHAP. 106.—An Act To incorporate the American Numismatic Association.

[Public, No. 147.]  
District of Colum-  
bia.

American Numis-  
matic Association in-  
corporated.  
Incorporators.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That H. O. Grandberg, of Oshkosh, Wisconsin; William A. Ashbrook, of Johnstown, Ohio; Henry Chapman, of Philadelphia; J. M. Henderson, of Columbus, Ohio; Howland Wood, Brookline Massachusetts, together with such persons as they may associate with themselves, and their successors, be, and they hereby are, constituted a body corporate of the District of Columbia.