

southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section six; the north half of the northeast quarter of section seven; the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter, and the north half of section eight, township seventeen south, range seventy west, sixth principal meridian; to have and to hold said lands for use as a public park: *Provided*, That the grant hereby made is, and the patent issued thereunder shall be, subject to all legal rights heretofore acquired by any person or persons in or to the above-described premises or any part thereof, and now existing under and by virtue of the laws of the United States: *Provided further*, That there shall be reserved to the United States all coal, oil, or other mineral deposits that may be found in the lands so granted and all necessary use of the lands for extracting the same: *And provided further*, That the lands hereby authorized to be conveyed, as hereinbefore set forth, and all portions thereof shall be held and used by or for the said grantee for the purpose herein specified, and if the lands shall cease to be so used for a period of three years at any one time, they shall revert to the United States, and this condition shall be expressed in the patent to be issued under the terms of this Act.

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CHAP. 182.—An Act Granting certain lands to Escambia County, Florida, for a public park.

Public lands.
Granted Escambia
County, Fla., for public
park.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the public lands within the areas hereinafter described be, and the same are hereby, granted and conveyed to Escambia County, Florida, in trust, for the purposes of a public park, reserving, however, to the United States all oil, coal, and other mineral deposits within said lands and the right to prospect for, mine, and remove the same, to wit: The north half northeast quarter section thirty-four, township three south, range thirty-two west; south half southwest quarter section twenty-six, township three south, range thirty-two west; lot three, section twenty-six, township three south, range thirty-two west; lot one, section twenty-seven, township three south, range thirty-two west, comprising two hundred and fifty-three and nine-tenths acres, all Tallahassee meridian, within Escambia County, State of Florida, upon the payment of \$1.25 per acre; but nothing herein contained shall in any wise affect any claim of title heretofore acquired or asserted to any of the lands herein described.

Description.

Prior rights not affected.

Report of use to be submitted, etc.

Forfeiture on failure, etc.

SEC. 2. That the grant herein is made upon the express condition that within thirty days of the receipt of any request therefor from the Secretary of the Interior the county clerk shall submit to the said Secretary of the Interior a report as to the use made of the land herein granted the county during the preceding period named in such request, showing compliance with the terms and conditions stated in this Act; and that in the event of his failure to so report, or in the event of a showing in such report or otherwise to the Secretary of the Interior that the terms of the grant have not been complied with, the grant shall be held to be forfeited, and the Attorney General of the United States shall institute suit in the proper court for the recovery of said lands.

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