

persons, which commission shall also examine the said proposed sites, and such others as the Secretary of the Treasury may designate, and grant such hearings in relation thereto as they shall deem necessary; and said commission shall, within thirty days after such examination, make to the Secretary of the Treasury written report of their conclusion in the premises, accompanied by any statement, maps, plats, or documents taken by or submitted to them, in like manner as hereinbefore provided in regard to the proceedings of said agent of the Treasury Department, and the Secretary of the Treasury shall thereupon finally determine the location of the building to be erected.

The compensation of said commissioners shall be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury, but shall not exceed six dollars per day and actual traveling expenses: *Provided, however,* That the member of said commission appointed from the Treasury Department shall be paid only his actual traveling expenses.

No money shall be used or applied when appropriated for the purposes mentioned until a valid title to the site for said building shall be vested in the United States, nor until the State of Pennsylvania shall have ceded to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the same during the time the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof, for all purposes except the administration of the criminal laws of said State and the service of civil process therein.

The building herein provided for shall be unexposed to danger from fire by an open space of at least forty feet on each side, including streets and alleys.

Approved, July 2, 1890.

Examination.  
Hearings.  
Report.  
  
Determination of location.  
Compensation of commissioners.  
*Proviso.*  
Treasury member.

No expenditure until valid title, etc., pass.

Open space.

**CHAP. 649.**—An act to provide for the purchase of a site, and the erection of a public building thereon, at Alexandria, in the State of Louisiana.

July 2, 1890.

*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, authorized and directed to acquire, by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, a site, and cause to be erected thereon a suitable building, including fire-proof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches for the use and accommodation of the United States post office and other Government offices, in the city of Alexandria and State of Louisiana, the cost of said site and building, including said vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches, complete, not to exceed the sum of sixty thousand dollars.

Alexandria, La.  
Public building, etc.  
Site.  
Building.  
  
Cost.

Proposals for the sale of land suitable for said site shall be invited by public advertisement in one or more of the newspapers of said city of largest circulation for at least twenty days prior to the date specified in said advertisement for the opening of said proposals.

Proposals to be advertised for.

Proposals made in response to said advertisement shall be addressed and mailed to the Secretary of the Treasury, who shall then cause the said proposed sites, and such others as he may think proper to designate, to be examined in person by an agent of the Treasury Department, who shall make written report to said Secretary of the results of said examination, and of his recommendation thereon, and the reasons therefor, which shall be accompanied by the original proposals and all maps, plats, and statements which shall have come into his possession relating to the said proposed sites.

Responses.  
  
Examination, etc., by Treasury agent.

If, upon consideration of said report and accompanying papers, the Secretary of the Treasury shall deem further investigation necessary, he may appoint a commission of not more than three persons, one of whom shall be an officer of the Treasury Department, which commission shall also examine the said proposed sites, and such others as the Secretary of the Treasury may designate, and grant such hearings in relation thereto as they shall deem necessary; and said commission

Appointment of commission.  
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shall, within thirty days after such examination, make to the Secretary of the Treasury written report of their conclusion in the premises, accompanied by all statements, maps, plats, or documents taken by or submitted to them, in like manner as hereinbefore provided in regard to the proceedings of said agent of the Treasury Department; and the Secretary of the Treasury shall thereupon finally determine the location of the building to be erected.

**Determination of location.****Compensation of commissioners.****Proviso.****Treasury member.****No expenditure until valid title, etc., pass.**

The compensation of said commissioners shall be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury, but the same shall not exceed six dollars per day and actual traveling expenses: *Provided, however,* That the member of said commission appointed from the Treasury Department shall be paid only his actual traveling expenses.

No money shall be used for the purpose mentioned until a valid title to the site for said building shall be vested in the United States, nor until the State of Louisiana shall have ceded to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the same, during the time the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof, for all purposes except the administration of the criminal laws of said State and the service of civil process therein.

**Open space.**

The building shall be unexposed to danger from fire by an open space of at least forty feet on each side, including streets and alleys.

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**CHAP. 650.**—An act to amend an act entitled "An act to extend the fees of certain officers over the Territories of New Mexico and Arizona."

**Compensation of marshals and attorneys of New Mexico and Arizona.**  
Vol. 22, p. 344, amended.

**Maximum.****Surplus fees, etc.****Accounts.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Marshals and district attorneys of the Territories of New Mexico and Arizona respectively shall be allowed to retain of their fees and emoluments such sum as shall be necessary to make their whole compensation including salary six thousand dollars per year each, if such fees and emoluments shall be sufficient therefor, and all fees or moneys received by them respectively above such amount shall be paid into the Treasury of the United States, and their accounts shall be made, audited, returned and settled at the same times and in the same manner that the accounts of other marshals and district attorneys are required to be made, audited, returned and settled

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**CHAP. 651.**—An act to provide for a term of court at Danville, Illinois.

**Illinois, southern judicial district.**

**Additional term of courts at Danville.**

R. S., sec. 572, p. 99;  
R. S., sec. 658, p. 120;  
Vol. 15, p. 82; amended  
**Deputy marshal and clerk.**

**Office at Danville.**

**Additional special terms.**

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That hereafter, and until otherwise provided by law, there shall be held annually, on the first Monday of May, a term of the circuit and district courts of the United States for the Southern district of Illinois, at the city of Danville, in said district, said term to be in addition to the terms now required by law to be held in the cities of Springfield, Cairo, and Quincy, in said district.

**SEC. 2.** That the marshal and clerk of said district shall each, respectively, appoint at least one deputy to reside in said city of Danville, unless he shall reside there himself, and also maintain an office at that place of holding court.

**SEC. 3.** That the judges of the United States circuit or district court for said district may, by order, from time to time, appoint and hold additional special terms of said court in said district for the disposal of the unfinished business thereof, whenever the interests of the public and the condition of the docket shall so require.

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