

Appropriation of one thousand dollars.

balance of the former appropriations made to purchase books for the use of Congress, there shall be appropriated the sum of one thousand dollars yearly for the term of five years; to be paid out of any monies in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and expended under the direction of a joint committee, to consist of three members of the Senate and three members of the House of Representatives, to be appointed every session of Congress, during the continuance of this appropriation.

APPROVED, December 6, 1811.

STATUTE I.

Dec. 12, 1811.

[Obsolete.]

Further time allowed for opening land-offices.

Act of Feb. 15, 1811, ch. 14.

Land-offices to be opened on such days as may be designated by the President.

CHAP. IV.—*An Act extending the time for opening the several Land-offices established in the territory of Orleans.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That so much of the sixth section of an act, entitled "An act providing for the final adjustment of claims to lands and for the sale of the public lands in the territories of Orleans and Louisiana, and to repeal the act passed for the same purpose and approved February sixteenth, one thousand eight hundred and eleven," as directs that the several land-offices established in the territory of Orleans shall be opened on the first day of January and on the first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, be, and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the said land-offices shall, respectively, be opened on such day or days as the President of the United States shall, by proclamation, designate for that purpose; and the public land shall, in every other respect, be offered for sale at the said offices in the same manner as is directed by the aforesaid act.

APPROVED, December 12, 1811.

STATUTE I.

Dec. 12, 1811.

[Obsolete.]

Purchasers allowed until the first of January, 1813, to complete their payments.

CHAP. VI.—*An Act allowing further time for completing the payments on certain lands held by right of pre-emption, in the Mississippi territory.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That all the purchasers of public lands, by right of pre-emption in the Mississippi territory, who have made payment of their first instalment of the purchase money, be allowed until the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, to complete the payments on their lands, respectively, any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

APPROVED, December 12, 1811.

STATUTE I.

Dec. 12, 1811.

[Obsolete.]

Act of April 16, 1816, ch. 53.

Road from the rapids of the river Miami of Lake Erie to western line of Connecticut reserve.

Commissioners' report to be made to the President.

CHAP. VIII.—*An Act to authorize the surveying and marking of certain roads, in the state of Ohio, as contemplated by the treaty of Brownstown in the territory of Michigan.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the President of the United States be, and hereby is authorized to appoint three commissioners, who shall explore, survey and mark, by the most eligible course, a road from the foot of the rapids of the river Miami of Lake Erie, to the western line of the Connecticut reserve, and a road to run southwardly from Lower Sandusky to the boundary line established by the treaty of Greenville, which said road shall be sixty feet in width; and the said commissioners shall make out accurate plats of such surveys, accompanied with field notes, and certify and transmit the same to the President of the United States, who, if he approves of said surveys, shall cause the plats thereof to be deposited in the office of the treasury of the United States; and the said roads shall be considered as established and accepted, pursuant to the treaty held at Brownstown, in the terri-