

STATUTE I.

CHAP. XCIX.—*An Act to authorize the Postmaster General to erect an additional building, and employ five additional clerks.*

May 24, 1828.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That the Postmaster General be authorized to have erected an additional building for the use of the department of the general post-office, and of the patent office; and that he be also authorized to employ five additional clerks, with a salary of one thousand dollars each.

An additional building to be erected, and five clerks to be appointed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the sum of twelve thousand dollars be appropriated to defray the cost of erecting the aforesaid building, and the sum of five thousand dollars to pay the salaries of the aforesaid clerks; to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Appropriation for the erection of the building, &c.

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CHAP. C.—*An Act allowing compensation to the members of the legislature of the territory of Arkansas, and for other purposes.*

May 24, 1828.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled,* That there shall be paid to each member of the two branches of the legislature of the territory of Arkansas three dollars a day for each day he shall actually attend the session thereof; and, also, three dollars for every twenty-five miles' travel, in going to and returning from such session; to be computed by the actual distance from the place where such member resides to the place where the session of the legislature shall be held, which said distance shall be distinctly certified by the governor of said territory: *Provided, however,* That no member shall be entitled to, or shall receive compensation, for daily attendance, for more than thirty days in every two years; or for going to and returning from said legislature, more than once in said two years.

Compensation of the members of the legislature of the territory of Arkansas for attendance.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That there shall be paid once in two years, seven hundred and twenty dollars, to the governor of said territory, to be applied towards defraying the incidental expenses of the legislature, in such manner as the said legislature shall direct.

720 dollars to be paid the governor biennially for certain purposes.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That there be, and is hereby, appropriated out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four hundred and eighty dollars to the district judge of the state of Missouri, and to each of the judges of the superior court for the territory of Arkansas, for their extra services as land commissioners from the twenty-sixth day of May, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, to the thirty-first day of December next.

480 dollars appropriated to the district judge of the state of Missouri, &c.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That for the contingent expenses of the Senate for the year eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars be, and the same hereby is, appropriated, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the treasury.

15,000 dollars appropriated for contingent expenses of the Senate for 1828.

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CHAP. CI.—*An Act to provide for opening and making a military road in the state of Maine.*

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*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 he is hereby, authorized to cause a military road to be

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opened and made in the state of Maine, from the mouth of the river Matanawcook, where it enters into the Penobscot river, to Mars Hill, near the north-eastern boundary line of the state of Maine.

Troops of the United States to be employed to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to employ such part of the troops of the United States as he may think proper, to survey and construct said road; and, for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of this act, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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[Obsolete.]

Appropriation.

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CHAP. CII.—*An Act making an appropriation for the navy hospital fund.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled*, That the sum of forty-six thousand two hundred and seventeen dollars and fourteen cents be appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the navy hospital fund; and that the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to pay the same to the commissioners of the aforesaid fund upon their requisition.

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Act of March 2, 1799, ch. 22. 37th section of act of 1st March, 1823, ch. 21, repealed.

CHAP. CIII.—*An Act to repeal a part of the act, entitled "An act supplementary to, and to amend an act, entitled 'An act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage,'" passed the second of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, and for other purposes.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled*, That, the thirty-seventh section of the act passed on the first of March, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, entitled "An act supplementary to, and to amend an act, entitled 'An act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage,' passed second of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, and for other purposes," be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

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Lieutenants in the navy, after passage of this act, to receive 10 dollars per month and one ration per day, in addition, &c.

CHAP. CIV.—*An Act to increase the pay of lieutenants in the navy.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled*, That, from and after the passing of this act, all lieutenants in the navy of the United States shall, in addition to the pay and emoluments now allowed them by law, each receive ten dollars per month, and one ration per day.

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Secretary of War authorized, &c. to procure on reasonable terms, a site for an arsenal on the

CHAP. CV.—*An Act authorizing the establishment of an arsenal on the waters of Mobile or Pensacola Bays.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to procure, as soon as it can be effected on reasonable terms, a site for an arsenal on the waters of Mobile or Pensacola bays, and to cause to be erected thereon such an arsenal as may be deemed proper, for the safe keeping of the arms and