

February 28, 1919.  
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**CHAP. 72.**—An Act For the relief of settlers on certain railroad lands in Montana.

[Public, No. 302.]  
Northern Pacific land grants.  
Lands of, in former Indian reservation, Montana, may be relinquished by Company to actual settlers thereon.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That in the adjustment of the grants to the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, if any of the lands within the indemnity limits of said grants through that portion of the former reservation for the Gros Ventre, Piegan, Blood, Blackfoot, and River Crow Indians lying south of the Missouri River in the State of Montana be found in possession of an actual bona fide qualified settler under the homestead laws of the United States who has made substantial improvements thereon and such land has been adjudged by the Secretary of the Interior to inure to the Northern Pacific Railway Company under the grants made to its predecessor in interest, the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, the Northern Pacific Railway Company upon request of the Secretary of the Interior may file a relinquishment of said lands in favor of the settler and shall then be entitled to select an equal quantity of other lands in lieu thereof from any of the surveyed public lands within the State of Montana, not mineral and not otherwise appropriated at the date of selection, to which it shall receive title the same as though originally granted: *Provided, however,* That lands withdrawn or classified as coal lands may be selected by said company, and as to such lands it shall receive a restricted patent as provided by the Act of June twenty-second, nineteen hundred and ten.

Indemnity lands to Company.

*Proviso.*  
Restricted patent for coal lands.  
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**CHAP. 73.**—An Act To consolidate certain forest lands within the Cache National Forest, Utah, and to add certain lands thereto.

Cache National Forest, Utah.  
Exchange of lands for addition to.

*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 is hereby authorized in his discretion, to accept from the persons named below title to the following described lands, either in whole or in part, upon certification by the Secretary of Agriculture that the lands are chiefly valuable for national forest purposes and approximately equal in value to the lands to be given in exchange therefor:

Lands accepted.  
Isaac P. Stewart.

Isaac P. Stewart: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter and the northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section twenty-one; the south half of the northeast quarter and the west half of section twenty-eight; all of sections twenty-nine, thirty, and thirty-one; the southeast quarter and the west half of section thirty-three, all in township eleven north, range two east, Salt Lake meridian.

James E. Hansen.

James E. Hansen: All of section nineteen, township eleven north, range two east, Salt Lake meridian.

William H. Stewart.

William H. Stewart: All of section five, township ten north, range two east, Salt Lake meridian.

Lands granted therefor.

**SEC. 2.** That the Secretary of the Interior is also hereby authorized to issue to the persons named below in lieu thereof patents to the following described areas or to such parts thereof as may be found approximately equal in value to the lands conveyed:

Isaac P. Stewart.

Isaac P. Stewart: Lots three and four, the northwest quarter, and the southwest quarter of section one; the northwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section twelve; lot four, section thirty, all in township thirteen north, range eighteen west, Salt Lake meridian; the east half of section eleven; the west half and the southeast quarter of section fifteen; the south half of section twenty-seven; lots one, two, three, and four, the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter, the north half of the southeast quarter, and the northeast quarter of section thirty-three; all of section thirty-four, all in township thirteen north, range nineteen west, Salt Lake meridian.