

Route to be surveyed, &c.

as little delay as may be convenient, and at all events within one year from the passage of this act, and at their own expense, cause the route of said road and the sites which they may select for depots, watering-places, or workshops, to be surveyed and designated through said public lands by plain marks and monuments; and copies of the field-notes of the survey, with a map or plat of the said route and of said sites and of the connection of said route with the previous official surveys of the adjacent lands, shall be returned to the office of the Surveyor General of that land district and to the General Land Office at Washington.

If the road shall be abandoned, this act to be void.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That if the said road shall be abandoned or discontinued, or if the route shall cease to be used by said company for the purposes of a railroad, then and in that case this act and the privileges hereby granted shall cease and be void, and the land occupied by said road shall revert to the United States.

Tolls.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That Congress may at any time, until said Territory shall be admitted as a State, prescribe and regulate the tolls to be received by said company, and after said Territory shall be admitted as a State, the Legislature thereof shall possess the like power, and said act of incorporation is hereby approved, subject to the modifications and conditions aforesaid.

APPROVED, June 28, 1838.

STATUTE II.

June 28, 1838.

CHAP. CLIII.—*An Act to provide for paying certain pensions at Tuscaloosa, in the State of Alabama.*

Sec. War authorized to establish a pension agency at Tuscaloosa.

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 hereby is, authorized and empowered to establish a pension agency at Tuscaloosa, in the State of Alabama, for the payment of pensioners of the United States resident in the counties of Pickens, Sumter, Green, Marengo, Perry, Bibb, Tuscaloosa, Jefferson, Walker, Fayette, Shelby, Randolph, and Talladega, in the State of Alabama: *Provided*, That no additional expense shall be incurred in the establishment of said pension agency.

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Sec. Treas. to make arrangement for said payment.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, authorized to make the necessary arrangements for the payment of said pensioners.

APPROVED, June 28, 1838.

STATUTE II.

July 5, 1838.

CHAP. CLIV.—*An Act to extend the charter of the Bank of Alexandria, in the city of Alexandria. (a)*

So much of act 25th Feb. 1836, ch. 40, as relates to the Bank of Alexandria, extended, &c.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That so much of the act entitled "An act to extend the charters of the Bank of Columbia, in Georgetown, and the Bank of Alexandria, in the city of Alexandria," approved the twenty-fifth February, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, as relates to the Bank of Alexandria in the city of Alexandria, be, and the same is hereby, extended in its duration to the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and forty-one.

APPROVED, July 5, 1838.

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CHAP. CLVII.—*An Act to grant to Cherokee county, Alabama, the tract of land on which the seat of justice of said county has been located.*

A tract of land on the Coosa river granted to

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be, and hereby is, granted to the county of Cherokee, in the State of Alabama,

(a) See notes to the act of May 31, 1838, chap. 91.

the tract of land lying on the Coosa river, whereon the town of Jefferson is situated, in said county, containing one hundred and fifty acres, according to the survey of S. R. Russell, county surveyor for the seat of justice of said county, instead of the quarter section allowed by law for the same purpose; the commissioners of said county paying for the same the minimum price as in other cases.

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Cherokee county, &c.

CHAP. CLVIII.—*An Act to modify the last clause of the fifth section of the deposit act of the twenty-third of June, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the last clause of the fifth section of the act entitled "An act to regulate the deposits of the public money," approved on the twenty-third day of June, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, declaring that the notes or bills of no bank shall be received in payment of any debt due to the United States, which shall, after the fourth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, issue any note or bill of a less denomination than five dollars, shall be, and the same is hereby, so far modified as that the interdiction as to the reception of the bills and notes shall not continue against any bank which has, since the said fourth day of July, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, issued bills or notes of a less denomination than five dollars, or which shall issue any such bills or notes prior to the first day of October, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, but that from and after the said last mentioned day, the bills or notes of no bank shall be received in payment of any debt due to the United States, which bank shall, after that date, issue, re-issue, or pay out any bill or note of a denomination less than five dollars.

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[Obsolete.]

Act of June 23, 1836, ch. 115, last clause, modified as to issues of notes under five dollars.

CHAP. CLIX.—*An Act to amend "An act authorizing the Secretary of War to establish a pension agency in the town of Decatur in the State of Alabama, and to provide for the payment of certain pensioners in the said town of Decatur."*

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, if in his opinion necessary, to remove and establish said pension agency in the town of Huntsville, Alabama; and, in the event of said removal, the pensioners described in said act shall be paid in Huntsville.

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Act of June 27, 1834, ch. 91.

Sec. War empowered to remove pension agency at Decatur to Huntsville Ala.

CHAP. CLX.—*An Act to authorize vessels bound for the ports of Mexico, and prevented from completing the voyages in consequence of the existing blockade of those ports, to enter and store their cargoes in the ports of the United States.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any vessel which may have been turned off from her port of destination in Mexico, by the blockading squadron, may land and store her cargo in any port of the United States into which she may first enter, to be kept under the custody of the custom-house, free from duty or any other charge except the usual storage: *Provided,* The said cargo be re-exported within twelve months from the time of its being so stored, and the provisions of the existing laws relating to the importation of goods, with the privilege of re-exportation without the payment of duty, or with the

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Vessels turned off from their destination in Mexico by the blockading squadron, may, &c.
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