

resources of the country; it being provided that the number of said inquiries, exclusive of the enumeration, shall not exceed one hundred, and that the expense incurred in preparing and printing said forms and schedules shall not exceed ten thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the said board shall have power to appoint a secretary, whose remuneration shall be determined by Congress, upon the completion of the duties assigned to the board.

Said board to appoint a secretary.

APPROVED, March 3, 1849.

CHAP. CXVIII. — *An Act concerning the Selection of Jurors in certain Courts of the United States.*

March 3, 1849.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the act of Congress approved March nineteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-two, (chap. vii.,) be suspended in its operation until further legislation in the premises; and that, in the mean time, jurors may be selected for the courts of the United States in Pennsylvania, (under the direction of the proper district judge,) agreeably to the practice and usage which prevailed before the enactment of the act approved July twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty, (chap. xlvi.)

Act of 19 M'ch, 1842, ch. 7, in relation to jurors in Pennsylvania, suspended.

1842, ch. 7.

How jurors may be selected in Pennsylvania. 1840, ch. 47.

APPROVED, March 3, 1849.

CHAP. CXX. — *An Act to authorize the Judge of the Courts of the United States of the fifth Circuit to hold the Circuit Court for the District of Kentucky.*

March 3, 1849.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That hereafter it shall be lawful for the judge of the fifth circuit of the courts of the United States to hold the Circuit Court for the district of Kentucky in the absence of the judge of the eighth circuit.

Judge of the fifth circuit to hold court for district of Kentucky, in absence of judge of eighth circuit.

APPROVED, March 3, 1849.

CHAP. CXXI. — *An Act to establish the Territorial Government of Minnesota.*

March 3, 1849.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That from and after the passage of this act, all that part of the territory of the United States which lies within the following limits, to wit: Beginning in the Mississippi River, at the point where the line of forty-three degrees and thirty minutes of north latitude crosses the same, thence running due west on said line, which is the northern boundary of the State of Iowa, to the north-west corner of the said State of Iowa, thence southerly along the western boundary of said State to the point where said boundary strikes the Missouri River, thence up the middle of the main channel of the Missouri River to the mouth of the White-earth River, thence up the middle of the main channel of the White-earth River to the boundary line between the possessions of the United States and Great Britain; thence east and south of east along the boundary line between the possessions of the United States and Great Britain to Lake Superior; thence in a straight line to the northernmost point of the State of Wisconsin in Lake Superior; thence along the western boundary line of said State of Wisconsin to the Mississippi River; thence down the main channel of said river to the place of beginning, be, and

1851, ch. 9.

Temporary government for Territory of Minnesota established. Boundaries.