

Limit to grant. the necessary lands for depots, stations, side-tracks, and other needful uses in operating said road and a telegraph line, not exceeding twenty acres at any one place: *Provided*, That the location for depots, stations and side-tracks shall not exceed for the whole line of said road more than one location of twenty acres for every ten miles of the same, and when made upon surveyed lands shall conform to government surveys.

Plat of any section to be located within, &c., with register, &c.

Lands afterwards to be sold subject to such right of way.

Line, when to be located, and road completed.

Right of way through other lands than those of the United States.

Other roads through defiles, &c.

Power of territory to incorporate, &c.

Act may be altered, &c.

SEC. 2. That said company shall, within six months after the location of any section of twenty miles or more of their said road, if the same be upon surveyed land, and if upon unsurveyed land, then within six months after the survey thereof by the United States, file a plat of such located section, together with proof thereof, with a register of the land-office for the district wherein said located section may be situated, and upon approval thereof the same shall be noted upon the township plats in said office, and thereafter all lands over which the said line of road shall pass shall be sold, located, or disposed of by the United States, subject to such right of way so located as aforesaid: *Provided*, That the line of said road shall be located within one year after the passage of this act: *And provided further*, That said road shall be completed within ten years thereafter: *And provided also*, That when the route of said road shall pass through lands other than those of the United States, or when it may be necessary for said railroad company to take any lands other than those of the United States for any of the purposes herein mentioned, necessary to said right of way, such right of way through or title to such lands shall be secured in accordance with the laws of the State or territory in which they may be situated: *Provided also*, That the rights herein granted shall not preclude the construction of other roads through any cañon, defile, or pass on said route.

SEC. 3. That nothing herein shall be construed as affirming or denying the power of a territory to incorporate a railroad company.

SEC. 4. That Congress reserves to itself the right to alter, amend, or repeal this act, whenever in its judgment the interest of the people shall require it.

APPROVED, June 8, 1872.

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CHAP. CCCLXV.—*An Act authorizing the Secretary of War to expend certain Moneys for the Purpose of sinking an Artesian Well on the Fort D. A. Russell military Reservation, in Wyoming Territory.*

Artesian well on the Fort D. A. Russell military reservation.

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 to expend the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of sinking an artesian well on the Fort D. A. Russell military reservation, in the Territory of Wyoming.

APPROVED, June 8, 1872.

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CHAP. CCCLXVI.—*An Act to reimburse the State of Kansas for Moneys expended for the United States in enrolling, equipping, and provisioning Militia Forces to aid in suppressing the Rebellion.*

Appropriation to pay to Kansas the amount reported by commissioners as due to that State for certain expenses incurred, &c., in the suppression of the rebellion.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of three hundred and thirty-seven thousand and fifty-four dollars and thirty-eight cents is hereby appropriated, to reimburse the State of Kansas for moneys expended, amounts assumed, and disbursements made by said State in enrolling, equipping, arming, subsisting, transporting, and paying such troops as were called into service by order of the governor of said State, upon the requisition of Major-General Curtis, in eighteen hundred and sixty-four, to repel the invasion of the rebel forces of General Price, and to carry into effect the provisions of an act entitled "An act to reimburse the State of Kansas for moneys expended for the United States in enrol-

1871, ch. 33.
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