

Appropriation.

Proviso.

sale, or procure by condemnation, a suitable tract of ground in the city of Harrisburgh, Pennsylvania, for the erection thereon of a building for the accommodation of the post-office and other Government offices in said city; and the sum of one hundred and sixty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purchase of such tract of ground: *Provided*, That the sum hereby appropriated shall not be available until a valid title to the land shall be vested in the United States, and the State of Pennsylvania shall relinquish its jurisdiction over the same and all right to tax or assess the same while owned by the United States.

Approved, March 3, 1875.

March 3, 1875.

**CHAP. 164.**—An act authorizing the Secretary of War to deliver certain condemned ordnance to the Joseph Warren Monument Association of Boston, Massachusetts, for monumental purposes.

Joseph Warren Monument Association of Boston, Mass.

Condemned cannon to.

*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 is hereby, authorized to deliver to the Joseph Warren Monument Association of Boston, Massachusetts, ten pieces of condemned brass cannon, to be used in the erection of a statue of Joseph Warren, in Boston, Massachusetts, *Provided*, That the same can be done without detriment to the service.

Approved, March 3, 1875.

March 3, 1875.

**CHAP. 165.**—An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to use his discretion in the selection of material for the construction of a public building at Atlanta, Georgia—

Public building at Atlanta, Ga.

Selection of material for.

1873, c. 132, v. 17, p. 436.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to use his discretion in the selection of material for the construction of the public building authorized to be erected at Atlanta, Georgia, by act of Congress, approved February twelfth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three; and all acts, or parts thereof, inconsistent with the provisions of this act, are hereby repealed—

Approved, March 3, 1875.

March 3, 1875.

**CHAP. 166.**—An act to aid in the improvement of the Fox and Wisconsin Rivers, in the State of Wisconsin.

Improvement of Fox and Wisconsin Rivers.

Taking of lands and materials.

Flowage-dam-ages.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That whenever, in the prosecution and maintenance of the improvement of the Wisconsin and Fox Rivers in the State of Wisconsin, it becomes necessary or proper in the judgment of the Secretary of War to take possession of any lands, or the right of way over any lands, for canals and cut-offs, or to use any earth-quarries or other material lying adjacent or near to the line of said improvement and needful for its prosecution or maintenance, the officers in charge of said works may, in the name of the United States, take possession of and use the same, after first having paid or secured to be paid the value thereof, which may have been ascertained in the mode provided by the laws of the State wherein such property lies. In case any lands or other property is now or shall be flowed or injured by means of any part of the works of said improvement heretofore or hereafter constructed for which compensation is now