

existing laws, to any sum not exceeding five hundred thousand dollars, notwithstanding the limit heretofore fixed in its original articles of association and determined by the Comptroller of the Currency; and the Comptroller of the Currency is hereby authorized to fix the limit of increase of the capital stock of the First National Bank of Fort Worth, Texas, at the amount of five hundred thousand dollars.

Approved, January 29th, 1884.

Jan. 31, 1884.

CHAP. 4.—An act providing for the removal of the remains of the late Major General Edward O. C. Ord, United States Army from Havana, Cuba, to Washington, District of Columbia.

Major-General Edward O. C. Ord; removal of remains of the late.

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 and directed to cause the remains of the late Major General Edward O. C. Ord, United States Army to be transported from Havana, Cuba, to Washington, District of Columbia and to pay the necessary expense of said transportation and of interment of the remains out of the appropriation for contingencies of the Army.

Approved, January 31st, 1884.

Feb. 14, 1884.

CHAP. 6.—An act making appropriations to supply deficiencies on account of the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, in regard to rebate of tax on tobacco, and to provide for the expenses of the meeting of the Legislature of the Territory of New Mexico, and for other purposes.

Deficiency appropriations.

Rebate claims on tobacco, snuff, cigars, &c., 22 Stat., 489.

Payment of employes in Bureau of Internal Revenue, etc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the objects hereinafter stated, namely:

For the purpose of paying the rebate claims as provided by section four of the act of March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act to reduce internal-revenue taxation, and for other purposes," three million seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the purpose of reimbursing to the appropriation for the Bureau of Engraving and Printing for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, the sum of eight thousand one hundred and thirty-seven dollars and sixty-two cents, expended by said Bureau in payment of persons employed in the Bureau of Internal Revenue in and about the work of counting, canceling and redeeming internal-revenue checks and proprietary stamps, during the months of July, August, September, October and November, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, and for the payment of such persons as the Commissioner of Internal Revenue shall necessarily employ in his office in and about the work of counting, canceling, and redeeming internal-revenue checks and proprietary stamps, the pay for such labor to be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury, at rates not exceeding the rates usually paid for such work, twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: *Provided,* That the whole sum appropriated by this paragraph shall not exceed twenty thousand dollars.

Proviso.

New Mexico; payment of legislative expenses of.

For the legislative expenses of the Territory of New Mexico, namely: For per diem of members and officers of the legislative assembly, mileage of members, printing, incidental expenses, including secretary's office, and eight hundred dollars for translating bills, laws, and journals of the legislative assembly, twenty-one thousand nine hundred and sixty-five dollars: *Provided,* That the legislative proceedings, records, and laws of said Territory shall be printed in the English language.

Proviso.

That the members elected to the Territorial Legislature of New Mexico, in November anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and all vacancies legally filled since that time, if any, are hereby declared to be the legal members of the legislature hereby authorized, subject to all valid contests. The said Territorial Legislature shall convene on the third Monday in February, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and shall not continue in session exceeding forty legislative days. The next Territorial Legislature of New Mexico shall convene in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-six, at such time as may be fixed by the Legislature at the session hereby authorized.

Territorial legislature of New Mexico, term of, for 1884 and for 1886.

Approved, February 14th, 1884.

CHAP. 7.—An act to change the name of "The National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce" to that of "The National La Fayette Bank.

Feb. 21, 1884.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the name of "The National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce," a corporation transacting business in the city of Cincinnati, County of Hamilton and State of Ohio, shall be changed to "The National La Fayette Bank," whenever the board of directors of said bank shall accept the new name by resolution of said board, and cause a copy of said resolution, duly authenticated, to be filed with the Comptroller of the Currency: *Provided,* That such acceptance be made within six months after the passage of this act, and that all the expenses incident to such change, including engraving, shall be borne and paid by said bank.

National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce.

New name.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. That the debts, liabilities, rights, privileges, and powers of the said National La Fayette and Bank of Commerce shall devolve upon and inure to the said National La Fayette Bank whenever such change of name is effected.

Liabilities, etc., to follow change.

SEC. 3. That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as in any manner to release the said bank from any liability, or affect any action or proceeding in law in which said bank may be or become a party or interested.

Not to release liability.

Approved, February 21st, 1884.

CHAP. 8.—An act to fix the times for holding the terms of the Circuit and District Courts of the United States in the Northern District of Iowa

Feb. 23, 1884.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sessions of the Circuit and District Courts of the United States in the Northern District of Iowa shall begin and be held as follows: At Dubuque, on the First Tuesday in April and Third Tuesday in November of each year; at Fort Dodge, on the Third Tuesdays in January and June of each year; and at Sioux City, on the Second Tuesday of May and First Tuesday in October of each year.

Iowa; terms of circuit and district courts for northern district of.

SEC. 2. That all acts and parts of acts inconsistent herewith are hereby repealed.

Repeal.

Approved, February twenty third, 1884.

CHAP. 9.—An act making all public roads and highways post routes.

Mar. 1, 1884.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all public roads and highways while kept up and maintained as such are hereby declared to be post routes.

Public roads, etc., declared post routes.

Approved, March 1st, 1884.