

Present limit to govern.  
lands, Wisconsin.

SEC. 2. That the commissioners and officers of the United States Government having charge of the purchase of a site are authorized and required to be governed by the limitation hereby prescribed.

Approved, January 21, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 99.**—An act to amend an act entitled “An act declaring that certain water reserve lands in the State of Wisconsin are and have been subject to the provisions of the act of Congress entitled ‘An act granting to railroads the right of way through the public lands of the United States,’ approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,” approved September tenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight.

Water reserve  
lands, Wisconsin.

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Ante, p. 473.

Date of proclamation corrected.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That an act entitled “An act declaring that certain water reserve lands in the State of Wisconsin are and have been subject to the provisions of the act of Congress entitled ‘An act granting to railroads the right of way through the public lands of the United States,’ approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-five,” approved September tenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, be amended by striking out the words “November twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one,” where they occur in said act, and inserting in lieu thereof the words “February twentieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.”

Approved, January 30, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 100.**—An act to increase the maximum amount of international money-orders from fifty to one hundred dollars.

International money-  
orders.  
R. S., sec. 4028, p.  
777, amended.

Maximum amount  
raised to one hundred  
dollars.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That section four thousand and twenty-eight of the Revised Statutes of the United States (second edition, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight), be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

“SEC. 4028. The Postmaster-General may conclude arrangements with the post departments of foreign governments with which postal conventions have been or may be concluded for the exchange, by means of postal orders, of small sums of money, not exceeding one hundred dollars in amount, at such rates of exchange and compensation to postmasters and under such rules and regulations as he may deem expedient; and the expenses of establishing and conducting such systems of exchange may be paid out of the proceeds of the money-order business.”

Effect.

SEC. 2. That this act shall take effect within six months from the date of its approval by the President.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

February 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 111.**—An act to authorize the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to permit the temporary occupation and crossing of certain streets in the city of Washington and District of Columbia by the tracks of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, to meet the demands of increased travel incident to the inaugural ceremonies on the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine.

Washington, D. C.  
Baltimore and Ohio  
Railroad Company  
permitted to lay temporary  
tracks.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia are hereby authorized and directed to issue to the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company a permit to lay and use, for a period commencing February twentieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, and extending to and including

March tenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, temporary tracks on the following streets and avenues:

First. Commencing at the east side of North Capitol street, and crossing said North Capitol street to D street, and down the bed of D street, occupying it with two tracks to its intersection with New Jersey avenue.

Locations.

Second. Commencing at the south side of Massachusetts avenue, and extending in a southerly direction across E street at or about the building line into square six hundred and eighty-one, the property of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company, and running parallel with the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company's freight warehouse to North Capitol street.

Third. To cross the unnamed street running north and south through square six hundred and seventy-eight, between F and G streets with five tracks, being the extension of the five tracks now in use in the southeast portion of square six hundred and seventy-eight, with the privilege of closing this street to travel from the first to the sixth of March, inclusive.

Approved, February 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 113.**—An act to abolish circuit court powers of certain district courts of the United States, and to provide for writs of error in capital cases, and for other purposes.

February 6, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there shall be, and is hereby, established a circuit court of the United States in and for the western district of Arkansas, for the northern district of Mississippi, and for the western district of South Carolina, respectively, as the said districts are now constituted by law. And terms of said circuit courts, respectively, shall be held at the times and places now provided by law for the holding of the district courts in said districts, respectively, and terms of the circuit court shall be held also at Helena, in the eastern district of Arkansas, at the same times the district court is now required by law to be held; and also at the times and places in West Virginia, where the district court is now provided by law to be held.

Circuit courts established in Arkansas, Mississippi, and South Carolina.  
R. S., sec. 571, p. 97.  
R. S., sec. 572, pp. 98, 101, amended.  
Terms.

**SEC. 2.** That said circuit courts, respectively, shall have and exercise, within their respective districts, the same original and appellate jurisdiction as is or may be conferred by law upon the other circuit courts of the United States; and all suits, causes, and proceedings now pending in the said several respective district courts, and also in the district court of the district of West Virginia, and also in the district court of the eastern district of Arkansas, held at Helena, in and concerning which the said district courts exercise circuit court powers, shall be transferred to and belong to the jurisdiction of said circuit courts, respectively, and shall be proceeded with accordingly.

Jurisdiction.

Pending causes.

**SEC. 3.** That there shall be appointed for each of said circuits courts in this act mentioned, by the circuit court judge of the circuit in which said districts are respectively embraced, a clerk, who shall take the oath and give the bond required by law for clerks of circuit courts, who shall discharge all the duties and be entitled to all the fees and emoluments prescribed by general law. And the marshals of the United States in and for said respective districts shall act as marshals of said circuit courts, and the district attorneys of the United States in and for said respective districts shall discharge the duties of district attorneys in said circuit courts. Hereafter all appointments of clerks of circuit courts of the United States shall be made by the circuit judges of the respective circuits in which such circuit courts are

Clerks.

Marshals.

Appointment of circuit court clerks.  
R. S., sec. 619, p. 106, amended.  
Vol. 20, p. 204.