

stores having been destroyed by fire on the seventh day of January, anno Domini eighteen hundred and ninety, namely :

Clothing, camp and garrison equipage: Fifty woolen blankets, forty-eight blouses, forty-five forage caps, forty-one uniform dress coats, fifty-seven cork helmets, twenty-nine overcoats, forty-one trousers, two tenor drums, two pairs tenor drumsticks, five Upton's Tactics, revised.

Clothing, camp and garrison equipage.

Ordnance and ordnance stores: Three arm chests; one thousand ball cartridges, caliber forty-five; sixty-one bayonets for Springfield breech-loading rifles, caliber forty-five; fifty-two bayonets for Springfield cadet rifle; one hundred and nine steel bayonet scabbards; one hundred and eight McKeever cartridge boxes; fifty-six gun slings; ninety-four knapsacks; five artillery sabers; six artillery saber belts and plates; fifty-six Springfield breech-loading rifles, caliber forty-five; forty-nine Springfield breech-loading cadet rifles, caliber forty-five; one hundred and thirty waist belts; one hundred and thirty-two waist-belt plates; one six-pounder brass cannon; one carriage for six-pounder brass cannon; one limber for six-pounder brass cannon; two rammers and swabs for six-pounder brass cannon; one trail handspike for six-pounder brass cannon; two iron tar-buckets, four sets wheel harnesses, four sets lead harnesses, five riding saddles, three leg guards, twenty saddle blankets, four bridles, five whips, three gunners haversacks, three worms and staves, one primer pouch, one lanyard, one Gatling gun (five barrels), one carriage for Gatling gun, one thumb stall, one priming wire pouch, one pole strap, two tow hooks.

Ordnance and ordnance stores.

Approved, May 14, 1890.

CHAP. 211.—An act to submit the location of the county seat of Shoshone County, Idaho Territory, to a vote of the people of said county.

May 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the location of the county seat of Shoshone County, Idaho Territory, be submitted to a vote of the legal voters of said county at the next general election which shall be held in said county.

County seat of Shoshone County, Idaho. Location of, submitted to vote of people.

SEC. 2. That such town as receives a majority of all the votes cast at said election, for the location of the county seat, shall be the county seat of said county until otherwise changed by law.

Determination of election.

SEC. 3. That said election for the location of the county seat shall be governed in all respects the same as all other general elections in Idaho, are governed

Governance of election.

Approved, May 15, 1890.

CHAP. 213.—An act to provide for the purchase of a site and the erection of a public building thereon, at La Fayette, in the State of Indiana.

May 16, 1890.

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 and directed to acquire, by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, a site, and cause to be erected thereon a suitable building, including fire-proof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches, for the use and accommodation of the United States post-office and other Government offices in the city of La Fayette and State of Indiana, the cost of said site and building, including said vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches, complete, not to exceed the sum of eighty thousand dollars.

La Fayette, Ind. Public building, etc.

Site.

Building.

Cost.

Proposals for the sale of land suitable for said site shall be invited by public advertisement in one or more of the newspapers of said

Proposals to be advertised for.

city of largest circulation for at least twenty days prior to the date specified in said advertisement for the opening of said proposals.

Responses.

Proposals made in response to said advertisement shall be addressed and mailed to the Secretary of the Treasury, who shall then cause the said proposed sites, and such others as he may think proper to designate, to be examined in person by an agent of the Treasury Department, who shall make written report to said Secretary of the results of said examination, and of his recommendation thereon, and the reasons therefor, which shall be accompanied by the original proposals and all maps, plats, and statements which shall have come into his possession relating to the said proposed sites.

Examination, etc., by Treasury agent.

If, upon consideration of said report and accompanying papers, the Secretary of the Treasury shall deem further investigation necessary, he may appoint a commission of not more than three persons, one of whom shall be an officer of the Treasury Department, which commission shall also examine the said proposed sites, and such others as the Secretary of the Treasury may designate, and grant such hearings in relation thereto as they shall deem necessary; and said commission shall, within thirty days after such examination, make to the Secretary of the Treasury written report of their conclusion in the premises, accompanied by all statements, maps, plats, or documents taken by or submitted to them, in like manner as hereinbefore provided in regard to the proceedings of said agent of the Treasury Department; and the Secretary of the Treasury shall thereupon finally determine the location of the building to be erected.

Appointment of commission.

Hearings. Examination and report.

Determination of location.

Compensation of commissioners.

The compensation of said commissioners shall be fixed by the Secretary of the Treasury, but the same shall not exceed six dollars per day and actual traveling expenses: *Provided, however,* That the member of said commission appointed from the Treasury Department shall be paid only his actual traveling expenses.

Proviso. Treasury member.

No expenditure until valid title and jurisdiction, *ass.*

No money shall be used or applied for the purposes mentioned until a valid title to the site for said building shall be vested in the United States, nor until the State of Indiana shall have ceded to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the same, during the time the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof, for all purposes except the administration of the criminal laws of said State and the service of civil process therein.

Payment for site.

After the said site shall have been paid for, and the sketch-plans and detailed estimates for the building shall have been prepared by the Supervising Architect, and approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of the Interior and the Postmaster-General, the balance of said appropriation shall be available for the erection and completion of the building, including fire-proof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches.

Available balance for building.

Open space.

The building shall be unexposed to danger from fire by an open space of at least forty feet, on each side, including streets and alleys.

Approved, May 16, 1890.

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CHAP. 214.—An act for the erection of a public building at Chester, Pennsylvania.

Chester, Pa.
Public building, etc.

Site.
Building.

Cost.

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 hereby is, authorized and directed to acquire, by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, a site, and cause to be erected thereon a suitable building, including fire-proof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches, for the use of the United States Government offices in the city of Chester and State of Pennsylvania; the cost of said site and building complete not to exceed the sum of eighty thousand dollars.