

January 30, 1903.

[Public, No. 38.]

CHAP. 335.—An Act Providing that the circuit court of appeals of the fifth judicial circuit of the United States shall hold at least one term of said court annually in the city of Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, on the first Monday in September in each year.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the circuit court of appeals of the fifth judicial circuit of the United States is hereby authorized and required to hold one term of said court in the city of Montgomery, in the State of Alabama, on the first Monday in September in each year.

United States courts.
Circuit court of ap-
peals, fifth circuit.
Additional term,
Montgomery, Ala.

Appeals, writs of
error, etc.

Proviso.
Injunctions, etc.

Other terms.

Vol. 26, p. 826,
amended.

Transportation ex-
penses.

Expenses of clerk.

SEC. 2. That all appeals, writs of error, and other appellate proceedings which may, after the date of this Act, be taken or prosecuted from the circuit or district courts of the United States in the State of Alabama to the court of appeals of the fifth circuit shall be heard and disposed of by the said court of appeals at the terms of the court held in Montgomery in pursuance of this Act: *Provided,* That nothing herein contained shall prevent the court from hearing appeals or writs of error wherever the said court shall sit, in cases of injunctions and in all other cases which under the statutes and the rules, or in the opinion of the court, are entitled to be brought to a speedy hearing.

SEC. 3. That this Act shall not operate to prevent the said court from holding other terms in the city of Montgomery or in such other places in the said fifth judicial circuit as said court may from time to time designate.

SEC. 4. That chapter five hundred and seventeen of Twenty-sixth United States Statutes at Large is hereby amended in accordance with the provisions of this Act.

SEC. 5. That the clerk of said court is authorized and permitted to pay out of the fees and emoluments of his office (first) the expenses incurred by him in transporting from his office in New Orleans, Louisiana, to Montgomery, Alabama, and in transporting from Montgomery, Alabama, to New Orleans, Louisiana, the records, books, papers, files, dockets, and supplies necessary for the use of the court at its terms to be held in Montgomery, Alabama; (second) an allowance for actual expenses not exceeding ten dollars per day to cover travel and subsistence for each day he may be required to be present at Montgomery, Alabama, on business connected with his said office, such expenses and allowance to be approved and allowed by the senior circuit judge of the fifth judicial circuit.

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CHAP. 336.—An Act To incorporate the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That George M. Sternberg, of the District of Columbia; Presley Marion Rixey, of the District of Columbia; Walter Wyman, of the District of Columbia; Nicholas Senn, of Illinois; Jefferson Davis Griffith, of Missouri; John Van Rensselaer Hoff, of New York; Robert A. Blood, of Massachusetts; Leonard B. Almy, of Connecticut; Nelson H. Henry, of New York; J. Francis Calef, of Connecticut; George Henderson, of the District of Columbia; Charles F. W. Myers, of New Jersey; John V. Shoemaker, of Pennsylvania; Angelo Fistorazzi, of Alabama; Edmund C. Brush, of Ohio; Frederick W. Byers, of Wisconsin; James T. Priestley, of Iowa; James Evelyn Pilcher, of Pennsylvania; Marshall O. Terry, of New York;

District of Columbia.
Association of Military
Surgeons of the
United States incor-
porated.
Incorporators.

Winslow Anderson, of California; Charles H. Alden, of Pennsylvania; William W. Grant, of Colorado; Robert Harvey Reed, of Wyoming; Thomas C. Clark, of Minnesota; Robert A. Marmion, of the District of Columbia; Miles Standish, of Massachusetts; John C. Wise, of Maryland; George T. Vaughan, of Virginia; Albert H. Briggs, of New York; William C. Borden, of New York; Otis H. Marion, of Massachusetts, and their associates and successors, are hereby created a body corporate and politic in the District of Columbia, by the name of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, for the purpose of advancing the knowledge of military surgery, medicine, and sanitation in the medical departments of the Army, the Navy, and the Marine-Hospital Service of the United States and of the militia of the different States, and to increase the efficiency of the different services by mutual association and the consideration of matters pertaining to the medico-military service of the United States in peace and in war.

Purpose.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, the Surgeon-General of the Army, the Surgeon-General of the Navy, and the Surgeon-General of the Marine-Hospital Service shall be ex officio members of the Association of Military Surgeons of the United States, and, with the president of the association, shall act as an advisory board to the said association.

Ex officio members.

Advisory board.

SEC. 3. That said association is authorized to hold real and personal estate in the United States, so far only as may be necessary to its lawful ends, to an amount not exceeding one hundred thousand dollars, and may adopt a constitution and make by-laws not inconsistent with law, and may adopt a seal and an insignia which may be worn by its members.

Limit of property holdings, etc.

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CHAP. 337.—An Act To amend section fourteen of an Act entitled "An Act to divide the State of Texas into four judicial districts."

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[Public, No. 40.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section fourteen of an Act entitled "An Act to divide the State of Texas into four judicial districts," passed at the first session of the Fifty-seventh Congress, approved March eleventh, nineteen hundred and two, and known as chapter one hundred and eighty-three, be so amended as that said section fourteen shall hereafter read as follows:

Texas, western judicial district.

"SEC. 14. That the United States circuit and district courts for the western district of Texas shall be held in each year at the times and places as follows:

Terms.
Ante, p. 69, amended.

"At Austin, in the county of Travis, on the fourth Monday of January and the second Monday of June.

Austin.

"At Waco, in the county of McLennan, on the second Monday of November and the fourth Monday of February.

Waco.

"At San Antonio, in the county of Bexar, on the third Monday of December and the first Monday of May.

San Antonio.

"At El Paso, in the county of El Paso, on the first Monday of October and the first Monday of April."

El Paso.

SEC. 2. That this Act shall take effect on the thirty-first day of March, anno Domini nineteen hundred and three.

In effect March 31, 1903.

Approved, January 30, 1903.