

concerning which he may testify or produce evidence documentary or otherwise in such proceeding: *Provided*, That the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to expedite the hearing and determination of suits in equity pending or hereafter brought under the Act of July second, eighteen hundred and ninety, entitled 'An Act to protect trade and commerce against unlawful restraints and monopolies,' 'An Act to regulate commerce,' approved February fourth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, or any other Acts having a like purpose that may be hereafter enacted, approved February eleventh, nineteen hundred and three," shall apply to any case prosecuted under the direction of the Attorney-General in the name of the Interstate Commerce Commission.

*Proviso.*  
Precedence to be given cases.  
*Ante*, p. 823.

Vol. 26, p. 209.

Vol. 24, p. 379.

SEC. 4. That all Acts and parts of Acts in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed, but such repeal shall not affect causes now pending nor rights which have already accrued, but such causes shall be prosecuted to a conclusion and such rights enforced in a manner heretofore provided by law and as modified by the provisions of this Act.

Conflicting laws repealed.  
Pending cases not affected.

SEC. 5. That this Act shall take effect from its passage.

Effect.

Approved, February 19, 1903.

**CHAP. 709.**—An Act Providing for the holding of terms of the circuit and district courts of the United States at Kansas City, Kansas, and for other purposes.

February 19, 1903.

[Public, No. 104.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That terms of the circuit court and of the district court of the United States for the first division of the judicial district of Kansas in addition to those now provided by law shall be hereafter held at the city of Kansas City, Kansas, on the second Monday of January and first Monday of October of each year, but a jury shall not attend said October term excepting upon the order of the court, and a grand jury shall not attend either of said terms except upon the order of the district court.

United States courts.  
Kansas judicial district.

Terms, Kansas City.  
R. S., sec. 572, 658,  
pp. 99, 121.

Juries.

SEC. 2. That all Acts and parts of Acts so far as in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

Repeal.

Approved, February 19, 1903.

**CHAP. 710.**—An Act For the relief of the clerks of circuit and district courts of the United States.

February 19, 1903.

[Public, No. 105.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized and directed to reopen and restate the emolument accounts of the clerks of the circuit and district courts of the United States for the years eighteen hundred and ninety-one to nineteen hundred, inclusive, where a balance against said clerks has been created contrary to the decision of the Comptroller of the Treasury dated July twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and one, and the decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States cited therein, and to settle the same in accordance with said decisions; and upon satisfactory proof, which shall be made under oath, of any balance due any of said clerks, to certify and pay such balance to them out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

United States courts.  
Payment of balances due clerks of.

Proofs.

Approved, February 19, 1903.