

to the State of South Dakota, as provided in this Act, and for the necessary expenses of appraising said lands as provided herein: *Provided*, That the money expended in appraising said lands shall be reimbursable and shall be deducted from the proceeds received from the sale thereof.

Proviso.

Reimbursement.

Regulations.

SEC. 5. That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby vested with full power and authority to make all needful rules and regulations as to manner of sale, notice of same, and other matters incident to the carrying out of the provisions of this Act, and with authority to reappraise said lands if deemed necessary from time to time, and to continue making sales of the same, in accordance with the provisions of this Act, until all of the lands shall have been disposed of: *Provided*, That all lands herein ceded and opened to settlement under this Act remaining undisposed of at the expiration of five years from the taking effect of this Act shall be sold and disposed of for cash, under rules and regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, not more than six hundred and forty acres to any one purchaser.

Proviso.

Cash sale of undisposed lands.

Restriction.

Nonresponsibility of the United States.

SEC. 6. That nothing in this Act contained shall in any manner bind the United States to purchase any portion of the land herein described, except sections sixteen and thirty-six or the equivalent in each township, or to dispose of said land except as provided herein; or to guarantee to find purchasers for said lands, or any portion thereof, it being the intention of this Act that the United States shall act as trustee for said Indians to dispose of said lands and to expend and pay over and expend the proceeds received from the sale thereof only as received, as herein provided.

Approved, April 21, 1906.

CHAP. 1646.—An Act To amend section nine of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section nine of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia is hereby amended by adding thereto the following:

“Any justice of the peace may at any time, including Sundays and legal holidays, on complaint under oath or actual view, issue warrants returnable to the police court against persons accused of crimes and offenses committed in the District of Columbia, and he shall make a record of his proceedings in every case in a book to be kept for that purpose. Such warrants shall be issued free of charge.”

Approved, April 21, 1906.

CHAP. 1647.—An Act Increasing the penalty for certain offenses in the District of Columbia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the first and last paragraphs of the Act of Congress approved July eighth, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, entitled “An Act to amend ‘An Act for the preservation of the public peace and protection of property in the District of Columbia,’ approved July twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and ninety-two,” be, and the same are hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

FIRST PARAGRAPH.

“That it shall not be lawful for any person or persons to wilfully or wantonly destroy, injure, disfigure, cut, chip, break, deface, or cover or rub with or otherwise place filth or excrement of any kind

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District of Columbia.
Code amendment.
Vol. 31, p. 1191,
amended.

Justices of the peace
may issue warrants
in criminal cases, etc.

Fees prohibited.

April 21, 1906.
[H. R. 11275.]

[Public, No. 115.]

District of Columbia.
Protection to prop-
erty, etc., in.
Vol. 30, p. 723.
Vol. 27, p. 322.

Wilful injury to
public, etc., property.
Vol. 30, p. 723,
amended.