

Appropriation from  
immigrant fund.

SEC. 2. That the sum of seventy thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for the erection of said building, which sum shall be paid from the immigrant fund, said sum to include heating and ventilating apparatus, elevators, and approaches.

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March 4, 1907.  
[S. 8012.]

**CHAP. 2926.**—An Act To erect a monument on the Tippecanoe battle ground in Tippecanoe County, Indiana.

[Public, No. 261.]

Tippecanoe battle-  
field, Ind.  
Appropriation for  
monument.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended with the sum hereinafter named, under the direction of the Secretary of War, in procuring and erecting a monument upon Tippecanoe battle ground in Tippecanoe County, Indiana, in honor of General William Henry Harrison and the soldiers who composed the American army in the battle of Tippecanoe on the seventh day of November, eighteen hundred and eleven: *Provided,* That this appropriation is made upon the condition that the State of Indiana shall provide a like sum, to be expended for said purpose under the direction of the Secretary of War, in connection with the sum herein appropriated; and no part of the sum herein appropriated shall be available until said sum to be provided by the State of Indiana shall have been placed at the disposal of the Secretary of War.

*Proviso.*  
State to provide like  
amount.

Appointment of  
commission.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of War shall appoint one person who, with the governor of the State of Indiana and the president of the Tippecanoe Battle Ground Memorial Association, a voluntary association in Tippecanoe County, Indiana, shall constitute a commission, whose duty it shall be to select a suitable design for said monument, with such emblems and inscriptions as will properly commemorate the valor and sacrifices of the American army at the battle of Tippecanoe, subject to the approval of the Secretary of War.

Selection of design.

Selection of site, etc.

SEC. 3. That it shall be the duty of said commission to select a site for said monument, which shall be on the battle ground, to superintend the erection thereof, and to make all necessary and proper arrangements for the unveiling and dedication of the same when it shall have been completed. Said commissioners shall serve without compensation, and the State of Indiana shall make due provision for the protection and preservation of said monument without expense to the Government of the United States.

Service without  
compensation.  
Protection and pres-  
ervation.

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[S. 8119.]

**CHAP. 2927.**—An Act To readjust the boundaries of the naval reservations in Porto Rico established in pursuance of the Act of July first, nineteen hundred and two.

[Public, No. 262.]

Porto Rico.  
Exchange of lands  
with.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered by proclamation giving specific description thereof by metes and bounds or otherwise, to cede, transfer, and convey to the government of Porto Rico, to be held and disposed of for the use and benefit of the people of said island, such portions as are not needed for naval purposes of the tract of eighty acres of public land lying along the Caguas road, city of San Juan, Porto Rico, heretofore, by paragraph marked one of the Executive proclamation of June twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and three,

reserved for the use of the United States in pursuance of the provisions of the Act of July first, nineteen hundred and two: *Provided*, That before such cession shall be made the government of Porto Rico shall, by proper authority, cede, convey, release, and transfer to the United States the following tracts of land, together with all buildings and improvements thereon: That tract or parcel of land containing about eleven acres, extending east from the new wireless station, between the north line of the survey heretofore made by the Navy Department and the south line of the military reservation, to the tract of four and fifty-nine hundredths acres belonging to and reserved by the insular government for jail or penitentiary purposes; also, that triangular tract or parcel of land containing seven-tenths of an acre, lying to the northward of the western portion of the present naval hospital reservation, extending to the army reservation line, also, all public lands of Porto Rico south of the scarp wall on the Barrio de la Puntilla.

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*Proviso.*  
Conveyance of land to the United States for naval reservation.

Description.

**CHAP. 2928.**—An Act Providing for the completion by the Secretary of War of a monument to the memory of the American soldiers who fell in the battle of New Orleans at Chalmette, Louisiana, and making the necessary appropriation therefor.

March 4, 1907.  
[S. 8292.]

[Public, No. 263.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, or so much thereof as may be necessary, out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, for the completion of a monument to the memory of the soldiers who fell in the battle of New Orleans in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, said monument to be completed under the direction and approval of the Secretary of War: *Provided*, That the State of Louisiana shall cede and transfer its jurisdiction to the property on which said monument is to be completed in accordance with the provisions of act numbered forty-one of the legislature of that State, approved July nineteenth, nineteen hundred and two: *Provided further*, That when said monument is completed the responsibility of maintaining the same and keeping the grounds surrounding it shall remain with the United Daughters of Seventeen hundred and seventy-six and Eighteen hundred and twelve, free of any expense or responsibility on the part of the Government of the United States.

Chalmette, La.  
Appropriation for monument at, to soldiers who fell at battle of New Orleans.

*Provisos.*  
State to furnish site.

Maintenance, etc.

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**CHAP. 2929.**—An Act To confer certain civic rights on the Metlakahtla Indians of Alaska.

March 4, 1907.  
[S. 8299.]

[Public, No. 264.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That all Indians of the Tsimpsian or Haida tribe of the full or mixed blood who emigrated from British Columbia and settled at Metlakahtla on Annette Island, in southeastern Alaska, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-seven and subsequent years, as well as all descendants of such Indians, and all other Indians who have since become and remained bona fide residents of said Metlakahtla, Alaska, shall, if otherwise qualified, be entitled to receive and obtain licenses as masters, pilots, and engineers, as the case may be, of any and all steamboats and other craft, and also licenses as operators of motor boats and other craft, subject to the provisions of the Act of Congress approved May sixteenth, nineteen

Alaska.  
Certain civic rights conferred on the Metlakahtla Indians of.

May be licensed as masters, pilots, etc.

*Ante*, p. 194.