

in the city of New York, in the State of New York, or such place as may be designated by the common council of the town of Sitka, the place of payment to be mentioned in the bonds: *And provided further*, That each and every such bond shall have the written signature of the mayor and clerk of the said town of Sitka and also bear the seal of said town.

SEC. 5. That no part of the funds arising from the sale of said bonds shall be used for any purpose other than specified in this Act. Said bonds shall be sold only in such amounts as the common council shall direct, and the proceeds thereof shall be disbursed for the purposes hereinbefore mentioned and under the order and direction of said common council from time to time as the same may be required for said purposes.

Approved, February 9, 1925.

Signatures and seal required.

Use of funds restricted.

Sale of bonds.

CHAP. 166.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to pay certain funds to various Wisconsin Pottawatomi Indians.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the unexpended balance of approximately \$2,978.05 of the appropriation in the Act of March 2, 1917 (Thirty-ninth Statutes at Large, page 991), for the support and civilization of the Wisconsin Band of Pottawatomi Indians residing in the States of Wisconsin and Michigan, as reappropriated by the Act of February 14, 1920 (Forty-first Statutes at Large, page 432), may, in the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior, be paid proportionately to such of said Indians as have not received their full shares of the benefits of the appropriation.

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[H. R. 7239.]
[Public, No. 383.]

Wisconsin Band of Pottawatomes, Wis. and Mich.
Payment to members of, not receiving benefits of former appropriation.
Vol. 41, p. 432.

CHAP. 167.—An Act To diminish the number of appraisers at the port of Baltimore, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be at the port of Baltimore one appraiser of merchandise instead of two as now provided, and the said appraiser at Baltimore shall receive a salary of \$4,500 per annum, payable out of the appropriation for expenses of collecting the revenue from customs.

Such parts of the Act of August 24, 1912, chapter 355, section 1, Thirty-seventh Statutes, page 434, and the reorganization of the customs service made by the President thereunder as are inconsistent with the provisions of this Act and all other laws and parts of laws inconsistent with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

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[H. R. 7918.]
[Public, No. 384.]

Customs.
Appraiser at Baltimore, Md., limited to one.
Vol. 41, p. 883.

Inconsistent laws repealed.
Vol. 37, p. 434.

CHAP. 168.—An Act To amend the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the current and contingent expenses of the Bureau of Indian Affairs, for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes, and for other purposes, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1915," approved August 1, 1914.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 8 of the Act of August 1, 1914 (Thirty-eighth Statutes at Large, pages 582, 590), be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding after the

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[H. R. 8086.]
[Public, No. 385.]

Chippewa Indians, Minn.
White Earth high-school teachers to be paid from tribal fund of.

Vol. 38, p. 590, amended.
[H. R. 8965.]

word "reimbursable" occurring in the thirteenth line of said section 8, the words, "From tribal funds of the Chippewa Indians," so that said Act shall read in part: "For the payment of high-school teachers at the White Earth Indian School, Minnesota, for instruction of children of the Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota \$4,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, said sum to be reimbursable from tribal funds of the Chippewa Indians, to be used under rules prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior."

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[H. R. 8965.]

[Public, No. 386.]

Omaha Indians,
Nebr.
Per capita payment
to, under Court of
Claims judgment.

Vol. 10, p. 1043.

Vol. 36, p. 580.

Provisos.
Attorneys' fees de-
ducted.

Settlement in full.

Release of all claims.

CHAP. 169.—An Act For the relief of the Omaha Indians of Nebraska.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$374,465.02, which represents interest at 5 per centum on principal sums found due the Omaha Indians under the treaty of March 16, 1854 (Tenth Statutes at Large, page 1043), by decision of the Court of Claims rendered April 22, 1918, in the case of the Omaha Tribe of Indians against the United States, numbered 31002; and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to disburse the said amount pro rata to the members of the tribe entitled thereto, under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe: *Provided*, That \$5,000 shall be deducted therefrom and paid to the attorneys employed by the Omaha Tribe under contract approved by the Acting Secretary of the Interior July 30, 1921, in full payment for services rendered under such contract: *Provided further*, That the amount herein authorized to be appropriated shall be in full settlement of all claims of the Omaha Tribe of Indians against the United States. And a full and final release of any and all claims against the United States to date shall be executed by the Business Council of the Omaha Tribe and filed with the Indian Office.

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[H. R. 11956.]

[Public, No. 387.]

Philippine Islands.
Vol. 35, p. 615, amended.

Collection, etc., of
taxes imposed by legis-
lature, legalized, etc.

CHAP. 170.—An Act To amend the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909," approved February 9, 1909.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1909," approved February 9, 1909, is amended by adding after the end of the first paragraph under the title "War Department" a new paragraph to read as follows:

That the taxes imposed by the Philippine Legislature in act numbered 3065, approved March 16, 1923, and act numbered 3183, approved November 27, 1924, are hereby legalized and ratified, and the collection of all such taxes made under or by authority of said acts of the Philippine Legislature is hereby legalized, ratified, and confirmed as fully to all intents and purposes as if the same had by prior Act of Congress been specifically authorized and directed.

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