

Libel proceedings for condemnation and sale of seized property.

Jurisdiction of court.

Proceeds of sale.

Provido.
Delivery to War Department of condemned arms, etc.

"SEC. 4. Whenever the person making any seizure under this title (sections 238 to 245, inclusive, of chapter 5, title 22, United States Code) applies for and obtains a warrant for the detention of the property, and (a) upon the hearing and determination of the petition of the owner or claimant restoration is denied, or (b) the owner or claimant fails to file a petition for restoration within thirty days after the seizure, the United States attorney for the district wherein it was seized, upon direction of the Attorney General, shall institute libel proceedings in the United States district court or the district court of the Canal Zone or the court of first instance of the Philippine Islands having jurisdiction over the place wherein the seizure was made, against the property for condemnation; and if, after trial and hearing of the issues involved, the property is condemned, it shall be disposed of by sale, and the proceeds thereof, less the legal costs and charges, paid into the Treasury: *Provided*, That the court shall order any arms and munitions of war so condemned delivered to the War Department of the United States."

Approved, March 1, 1929.

March 1, 1929.
[H. R. 12351.]
[Public, No. 872.]

CHAP. 421.—An Act Amending section 72 of the Judicial Code, as amended (United States Code, title 28, section 145) by changing the boundaries of the divisions of the southern district of California and terms of court for each division.

United States courts.
Vol. 39, p. 122, amended.
U. S. Code, p. 878.

California judicial districts.

Southern district.
Northern division.

Central division.

Southern division.

Terms.

Northern district.

Northern division.

Southern division.

Terms.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 72 of the Judicial Code, as amended (United States Code, title 28, section 145), be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 72. The State of California is divided into two districts, to be known as the northern and southern districts of California. The southern district shall include the territory embraced on the 1st day of July, 1910, in the counties of Fresno, Inyo, Kern, Kings, Madera, Mariposa, Merced, and Tulare, which shall constitute the northern division of said district; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of Los Angeles, Orange, Riverside, San Bernardino, San Luis Obispo, Santa Barbara, and Ventura, which shall constitute the central division of said district; also, the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of San Diego and Imperial, which shall constitute the southern division of said district. Terms of the district court for the northern division shall be held at Fresno on the first Monday in April and the second Monday in October; and for the central division, at Los Angeles on the first Monday in February and the second Monday in September; and for the southern division, at San Diego on the second Monday in July and the second Monday in January. The northern district shall include the territory embraced on the 1st day of July, 1910, in the counties of Del Norte, Siskiyou, Modoc, Humboldt, Trinity, Shasta, Lassen, Tehama, Plumas, Mendocino, Lake, Colusa, Glenn, Butte, Sierra, Sutter, Yuba, Nevada, Sonoma, Napa, Yolo, Placer, Solano, Sacramento, El Dorado, San Joaquin, Amador, Calaveras, Stanislaus, Tuolumne, Alpine, and Mono, which shall constitute the northern division of said district; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of San Francisco, Marin, Contra Costa, Alameda, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Santa Cruz, Monterey, and San Benito, which shall constitute the southern division of said district. Terms of the district court for the northern division of the northern district shall be held at Sacramento on the second Monday in April and the first Monday in October, and at Eureka on the third Monday in July; and for the southern division of the northern district, at San

Francisco on the first Monday in March, the second Monday in July, and the first Monday in November. The clerk of the district court for the northern district shall maintain an office at Sacramento, in charge of himself or a deputy, which shall be kept open at all times for the transaction of the business of the court."

Approved, March 1, 1929.

Office at Sacramento.

CHAP. 422.—An Act To provide for the construction of a children's tuberculosis sanatorium.

March 1, 1929.

[H. R. 13762.]

[Public, No. 873.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia are authorized to acquire, by purchase, condemnation, or otherwise, a site, and to cause to be constructed thereon, in accordance with plans and specifications approved by such commissioners, suitable buildings and structures for use as a children's tuberculosis sanatorium, including necessary approaches and roadways, heating and ventilating apparatus, furniture, equipment, and accessories.

District of Columbia.
Children's tuberculosis sanatorium.
Acquisition of site, and construction of, authorized.

SEC. 2. There is authorized to be appropriated the sum of \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this Act, to be appropriated in like manner as other appropriations for the District of Columbia.

Sum authorized for.

Approved, March 1, 1929.

CHAP. 423.—An Act To amend the Act entitled "An Act for the relief of contractors and subcontractors for the post offices and other buildings and work under the supervision of the Treasury Department, and for other purposes," approved August 25, 1919, as amended.

March 1, 1929.

[H. R. 13857.]

[Public, No. 874.]

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 for the relief of contractors and subcontractors for the post offices and other buildings and work under the supervision of the Treasury Department, and for other purposes," approved August 25, 1919, as amended, is amended by adding the following new sentence: "That the date April 6, 1917, shall not apply to the aforesaid bid for the United States courthouse in the District of Columbia, said bid, in accordance with the circular letter from the office of the superintendent, United States Capitol Building and Grounds, dated March 17, 1917, having been delivered on the morning of April 7, 1917."

District of Columbia.
Building for courthouse.

Vol. 41, p. 281, amended.

Acceptance of date of bid for.

Approved, March 1, 1929.

CHAP. 424.—An Act To authorize appropriations for construction at military posts, and for other purposes.

March 1, 1929.

[H. R. 13931.]

[Public, No. 875.]

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 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, not to exceed \$50,000, to be expended for the construction and installation of barracks and the necessary utilities and appurtenances thereto at Ford Wadsworth, New York.

Army
Fort Wadsworth,
N. Y.
Sum authorized for barracks at.

SEC. 2. That there is hereby authorized to be appropriated not to exceed \$120,000 to be expended by the Secretary of War for the construction or purchase of three heavy sea-going Air Corps retrievers for use in Oahu, Philippine Islands, and Albrook Field, Canal Zone.

Air Corps.
Sum authorized for three heavy sea-going retrievers, Hawaii, Philippines, and Canal Zone.

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