

CHAP. 78.—An Act To provide for an extension of time of payment of all unpaid payments due from homesteaders on the Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation, as provided for under an Act of Congress approved June twenty-first, nineteen hundred and six.

April 15, 1912.
[H. R. 18661.]
[Public, No. 120.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That any person who has heretofore made a homestead entry for land which was formerly a part of the Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation, in the State of Idaho, authorized by the Act approved June twenty-first, nineteen hundred and six, may apply to the register and receiver of the land office in the district or districts in which the land is located for an extension of time within which to make payment of any amount that is about to become due, and upon the payment of interest for one year in advance, at five per centum per annum upon the amount due, such payment will be extended for a period of one year, and any payment so extended may annually thereafter be extended for a period of one year in the same manner: *Provided,* That the last payment and all other payments must be made within a period not exceeding one year after the last payment becomes due by the terms of the Act under which the entry was made; that all moneys paid for interest as herein provided shall be deposited in the Treasury to the credit of the Indians as a part of the proceeds received for the lands.

Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation, Idaho.
Homesteaders on ceded lands, allowed additional time for payment.
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Provido.
Time limit for payments.

Forfeiture for non-payment.

SEC. 2. That failure to make any payment that may be due, unless the same be extended, or to make any extended payment at or before the time to which such payment has been extended as herein provided, will forfeit the entry and the same shall be canceled, and any and all payments theretofore made shall be forfeited.

Valid adverse claims not affected.

SEC. 3. That nothing herein contained shall affect any valid adverse claim initiated prior to the passage of this Act.

Approved, April 15, 1912.

CHAP. 79.—An Act To extend the time for the construction of a dam across Rock River, Illinois.

April 15, 1912.
[H. R. 20190.]
[Public, No. 121.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the time for the commencement and completion of the construction of a dam across Rock River, Illinois, authorized by the Act entitled "An Act permitting the building of a dam across Rock River, near Byron, Illinois," approved February eighteenth, nineteen hundred and eleven, be extended for one and three years, respectively, from the date of the passage of this Act.

Rock River.
Time for damming, Byron, Ill., extended.
Vol. 36, p. 922.

Amendment.

SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, April 15, 1912.

CHAP. 80.—An Act Appropriating three hundred thousand dollars for the purpose of maintaining and protecting against the impending flood the levees on the Mississippi River and rivers tributary thereto.

April 16, 1912.
[H. R. 23246.]
[Public, No. 122.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of three hundred thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War in accordance with the plans, specifications, and recommendations of the Mississippi River Commission, as approved by the Chief of Engineers, for the purpose of maintaining and protecting against the impending flood the levees on the Mississippi River and rivers tributary thereto.

Mississippi River floods.
Appropriation for protecting levees against.
Amd. p. 78.
Post, pp. 218, 633.

Approved, April 16, 1912.

April 18, 1912.
[H. R. 9420.]

[Public, No. 123.]

Obsolete ordinance.
Donated to Jackson,
Miss., for park.

CHAP. 81.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of War to donate to the city of Jackson, Mississippi, carriage and cannon or fieldpieces.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to donate to the city of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi, the carriage for one three-inch wrought-iron gun and two bronze cannon or fieldpieces, with their carriages, not needed for present service, which are now and have been for a number of years mounted on either side of the Confederate Monument in one of the parks, called Confederate Veteran Park, in said city of Jackson, in the State of Mississippi.

Approved, April 18, 1912.

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[H. R. 20486.]

[Public, No. 124.]

Willamette River,
Yamhill and Marion
Counties may bridge,
at Newberg, Oreg.
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CHAP. 82.—An Act Authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Willamette River at or near Newberg, Oregon.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the consent of Congress be, and it is hereby, given to the construction and maintenance of a bridge and approaches thereto over the Willamette River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six. Such bridge may be constructed and maintained by the county of Yamhill, in the State of Oregon, by the county of Marion, in said State, or by said counties of Yamhill and Marion acting jointly.

Amendment.

SEC. 2. That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act is hereby expressly reserved.

Approved, April 18, 1912.

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[Public, No. 125.]

Osage Indians, Okla.
Payment of taxes
on inherited lands.
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Exchange of surplus allotments.

Property of deceased or incompetent allottees, subject to county courts.

CHAP. 83.—An Act Supplementary to and amendatory of the Act entitled "An Act for the division of the lands and funds of the Osage Nation of Indians in Oklahoma," approved June twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and six, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That until the inherited lands of the deceased members of the Osage Tribe of Indians shall be partitioned or sold the Secretary of the Interior be, and he hereby is, authorized to pay the taxes on said land out of any money due and payable to the heirs from the segregated decedent's funds in the Treasury of the United States.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he hereby is, authorized, where the same would be to the best interests of Osage allottees, and the same is submitted to the Osage council for recommendation and approved by it, to permit the exchange of surplus allotments, or any portions thereof, of Osage allottees under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe and upon such terms as he shall approve. The Secretary shall have authority to do any and all things necessary to make these exchanges effective.

SEC. 3. That the property of deceased and of orphan minor, insane, or other incompetent allottees of the Osage Tribe, such incompetency being determined by the laws of the State of Oklahoma, which are hereby extended for such purpose to the allottees of said tribe, shall, in probate matters, be subject to the jurisdiction of the county courts of the State of Oklahoma, but a copy of all papers filed in the county court shall be served on the superintendent of the Osage Agency at