

# PUBLIC ACTS OF THE SIXTY-SECOND CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES

*Passed at the second session, which was begun and held at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the fourth day of December, 1911, and was adjourned without day on Monday, the twenty-sixth day of August, 1912.*

WILLIAM HOWARD TAFT, President; JAMES SCHOOLCRAFT SHERMAN, Vice President; CHARLES CURTIS, President of the Senate *pro tempore*, December 5 to 12, 1911; AUGUSTUS O. BACON, President of the Senate *pro tempore*, January 15 to 17, March 11 and 12, April 8, May 10, 30, and 31, June 1 to 3, June 13 to July 5, August 1 to 10, and from end of session to December 16, 1912; JACOB H. GALLINGER, President of the Senate *pro tempore*, February 12, 13, and 14, April 26 and 27, May 7, July 6 to 31, and August 12 to end of session; FRANK B. BRANDEGEE, President of the Senate *pro tempore*, March 25 and 26, 1912; HENRY CABOT LODGE, President of the Senate *pro tempore*, May 25, 1912; CHAMP CLARK, Speaker of the House of Representatives; JOSHUA W. ALEXANDER, Speaker of the House of Representatives *pro tempore*, July 1, 1912.

**CHAP. 1.**—An Act To provide a suitable memorial to the memory of the North American Indian.

December 8, 1911.  
[H. R. 1671.]

[Public, No. 46.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there may be erected, without expense to the United States Government, by Mr. Rodman Wanamaker, of New York City, and others, on a United States reservation, in the harbor of New York, in the State of New York, and upon a site to be selected by the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy, a suitable memorial to the memory of the North American Indian.

North American Indian.  
Memorial to, authorized in New York Harbor.

**SEC. 2.** That for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this Act a commission, consisting of the chairman of the Committee on the Library of the United States Senate, the chairman of the Committee on the Library of House of Representatives, the Secretary of War, and the Secretary of the Navy, and Mr. Robert C. Ogden, of the city of New York, shall be created, with full authority to select a suitable design, and to contract for and superintend the construction of the said memorial, the design of the memorial to be subject to the approval of the Commission of Fine Arts.

Commission created.  
Composition, etc.

Approved, December 8, 1911.

**CHAP. 2.**—An Act Providing for the punishment of persons in possession of stolen property in the District of Columbia, having stolen the same in any other State or Territory.

December 21, 1911.  
[S. 1081.]

[Public, No. 47.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That Subchapter II, Chapter XIX, of the Code of Law for the District of Columbia be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding thereto a new section, to be known as section eight hundred and thirty-six a, which shall read as follows:

District of Columbia Code.  
Vol. 31, p. 1325, amended.

“**SEC. 836 a.** Any person who by the commission outside of the District of Columbia of any act which, if committed within the District of Columbia, would be a criminal offense under the laws of said District, thereby obtains any property or other thing of value, and is

Punishment for bringing stolen property into the District.