

Withdrawal of Federal recognition.

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Chief, National Guard Bureau. Eligibility to succeed himself.

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Caretakers. Number.

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United States in the same or lower grade. When Federal recognition is withdrawn from any officer or warrant officer of the National Guard of any State, Territory, or the District of Columbia, as provided in section 76 of this Act or upon reaching the age of sixty-four years, he shall thereupon cease to be a member thereof and shall be given a discharge certificate therefrom by the official authorized to appoint such officer."

SEC. 5. That section 81 of said Act be, and the same is hereby amended, by striking out after the words "and shall" in the third sentence of said section the word "not."

SEC. 6. That section 90 of said Act be, and the same is hereby amended, following the word "provided" so as to read: "That the caretakers hereby authorized to be employed shall not exceed five for any one organization, except heavier-than-air squadrons, for each of which a maximum of thirteen is authorized, who shall be paid by the United States disbursing officer for each State, Territory, and the District of Columbia.

"The compensation paid to caretakers who belong to the National Guard, as herein authorized, shall be in addition to any compensation authorized for members of the National Guard under any of the provisions of the National Defense Act.

"Under such regulations as the Secretary of War shall prescribe, the material, animals, armament, and equipment, or any part thereof, of the National Guard of any State, Territory, or the District of Columbia or organizations thereof, may be put into a common pool for care, maintenance, and storage; and the employment of caretakers therefor, not to exceed fifteen for any one pool, is hereby authorized.

"Caretakers heretofore detailed or employed in pools shall be deemed to have been regularly detailed or employed as such under the law and regulations; and all payments heretofore or hereafter made therefor are hereby validated and authorized.

"Commissioned officers of the National Guard shall not be employed as caretakers, except that one such officer not above the grade of captain for each heavier-than-air squadron may be employed. Either enlisted men or civilians may be employed as caretakers, but if there are as many as two caretakers in any organization, one of them shall be an enlisted man.

"The Secretary of War shall, by regulations, fix the salaries of all caretakers hereby authorized to be employed and shall also designate by whom they shall be employed."

SEC. 7. That section 111 of said Act be, and is hereby amended, by striking out after the words "any or all units and" in the first sentence of said section, the words "the members thereof" and inserting in lieu thereof the word "members".

Approved, June 19, 1935.

[CHAPTER 278.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Requesting the President to proclaim October 9 as Leif Erikson Day.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States is hereby authorized and requested to issue a proclamation designating October 9, 1935, as Leif Erikson Day and calling upon officials of the Government to display the flag of the United States on all Government buildings on said date and inviting the people of the United States to observe the day in schools and churches, or other suitable places, with appropriate ceremonies.

Approved, June 19, 1935.

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Leif Erikson Day.
October 9, 1935, designated as.

[CHAPTER 281.]

AN ACT

To reserve eighty acres on the public domain for the use and benefit of the Kanosh Band of Indians in the State of Utah.

June 20, 1935.
[S. 380.]
[Public, No. 155.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the west half southwest quarter section 10, township 23 south, range 5 west, Salt Lake meridian, Utah, be, and the same is hereby, reserved for the sole use and occupancy of the Kanosh Band of Indians of Utah: *Provided,* That the rights and claims of any bona fide settler initiated under the public-land laws prior to the approval hereof shall not be affected by this Act.

Public lands.
Reserved for Kanosh
Band of Indians, Utah.

Proviso.
Rights of bona fide
settlers not affected.

Approved, June 20, 1935.

[CHAPTER 282.]

AN ACT

Transferring certain national-forest lands to the Zuni Indian Reservation, New Mexico.

June 20, 1935.
[S. 1831.]
[Public, No. 156.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the lands in townships 8 and 9 north, ranges 16 and 17 west, of the New Mexico principal meridian, New Mexico, comprising the Miller Division of the Cibola National Forest, are hereby eliminated from the Cibola National Forest and withdrawn as an addition to the Zuni Indian Reservation, subject to any valid existing rights of any persons thereto.

Zuni Indian Reserva-
tion, N. Mex.
Designated forest
lands transferred to.

Approved, June 20, 1935.

[CHAPTER 283.]

AN ACT

To provide for the establishment of the Big Bend National Park in the State of Texas, and for other purposes.

June 20, 1935.
[S. 2131.]
[Public, No. 157.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That when title to such lands as may be determined by the Secretary of the Interior as necessary for recreational park purposes within the boundaries to be determined by him within the area of approximately one million five hundred thousand acres, in the counties of Brewster and Presidio, in the State of Texas, known as the "Big Bend" area, shall have been vested in the United States, such lands shall be, and are hereby, established, dedicated, and set apart as a public park for the benefit and enjoyment of the people and shall be known as the "Big Bend National Park": *Provided,* That the United States shall not purchase by appropriation of public moneys any land within the afore-said area, but such lands shall be secured by the United States only by public and private donations.

Big Bend National
Park, Tex.
Establishment.

Area, location, etc.

Proviso.
Lands secured by do-
nation only.

Acceptance of title.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized, in his discretion and upon submission of evidence of title satisfactory to him, to accept, on behalf of the United States, title to the lands referred to in the previous section hereof as may be deemed by him necessary or desirable for national-park purposes: *Provided,* That no land for said park shall be accepted until exclusive jurisdiction over the entire area, in form satisfactory to the Secretary of the Interior, shall have been ceded by the State of Texas to the United States.

Proviso.
Exclusive jurisdic-
tion required.