

benefits of the Act and shall be credited with the amount of accumulated sick leave and vacation time which was due him on the date of his appointment as postmaster: *Provided further*, That all laws and parts of laws inconsistent with this Act are hereby repealed.

Approved, June 8, 1940.

Repeal of inconsistent laws.

[CHAPTER 282]

AN ACT

To repeal the prohibition against the filling of a vacancy in the office of district judge for the southern district of New York.

June 8, 1940
[H. R. 5906]
[Public, No. 571]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provision of subsection (d) of section 4 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the appointment of additional judges for certain United States district courts, circuit courts of appeals, and certain courts of the United States for the District of Columbia", approved May 31, 1938 (52 Stat. 585; U. S. C., title 28, sec. 4j-1), which reads: "*Provided*, That the first vacancy occurring in the office of district judge for the southern district of New York by the retirement, disqualification, resignation, or death of judges in office on the date of enactment of this Act shall not be filled", be, and it is hereby, repealed.

United States courts.
28 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 4j-1.

New York southern district.
Filling of vacancy.

Approved, June 8, 1940.

[CHAPTER 283]

AN ACT

Granting to the regents of the University of New Mexico the right to alienate certain lands conveyed to them under authority of the Act of Congress, approved August 19, 1935 (49 Stat. 659), in exchange for an equivalent amount of land more expediently situated.

June 8, 1940
[H. R. 5961]
[Public, No. 572]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the regents of the University of New Mexico be, and they are hereby, authorized to convey to the Santa Ana Pueblo that certain portion of the lands patented to them under authority of the Act of Congress, approved August 19, 1935 (Public, Numbered 284, Seventy-fourth Congress), described as follows:

University of New Mexico.
Conveyance of certain lands by, to Santa Ana Pueblo, authorized.
49 Stat. 659.

A strip of land one hundred feet wide extending along the north and west boundaries of the northwest quarter section 30, and a strip of land one hundred feet wide extending along the north boundary of lot 7, section 30, all in township 13 north, range 4 east, New Mexico principal meridian, New Mexico, these tracts comprising thirteen and three-tenths acres, more or less;

Description.

That the pueblo of Santa Ana, a community of Pueblo Indians residing in New Mexico, with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, is hereby authorized to convey to the regents of the University of New Mexico and the said regents of the University of New Mexico are hereby authorized to accept from the said Santa Ana Pueblo in exchange for the aforesaid lands, lots 3 and 6 and that portion of lot 2, section 30, township 13 north, range 4 east, New Mexico principal meridian, New Mexico, lying south of a line beginning at a point on the west boundary of lot 2, north eight degrees fifty minutes east six hundred and ninety-two and eight-tenths feet from angle point one on the west boundary of the El Ranchito grant and bearing south sixty-three degrees forty minutes east to the west bank of the Rio Grande, containing a total area of

Conveyance of Santa Ana Pueblo lands.

Description.

Proviso.
Legal status of lands
conveyed to pueblo
of Santa Ana.

eleven and eight-tenths acres, more or less: *Provided*, That any lands conveyed to the pueblo of Santa Ana pursuant to the provisions of this Act shall acquire the same legal status as those lands now owned by the pueblo, which may be conveyed to the regents of the University of New Mexico pursuant hereto.

Approved, June 8, 1940.

[CHAPTER 284]

AN ACT

To repeal certain laws with respect to manifests and vessel permits.

June 8, 1940
[H. R. 6751]
[Public, No. 573]

Shipping.
Manifests and per-
mits, repeal of certain
laws relating to.
19 Stat. 90.
46 U. S. C. §§ 294-
305.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That sections 4349, 4350, 4351, 4352, 4353, 4354, 4355, 4356, 4357, 4359, and 4360 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, and the Act of July 12, 1876 (U. S. C., 1934 edition, title 46, sec. 302), are hereby repealed.

Approved, June 8, 1940.

[CHAPTER 285]

AN ACT

To set aside certain lands for the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe in the State of Minnesota, and for other purposes.

June 8, 1940
[H. R. 7833]
[Public, No. 574]

Minnesota Chip-
pewa Tribe.
Lands permanently
reserved for use of.

Description.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That subject to the payments prescribed by section 2 hereof the following-described lands are hereby eliminated from the Chippewa National Forest and permanently reserved for the use of the Minnesota Chippewa Tribe without in any manner affecting existing reserves for church, cemetery, and other purposes, or individual rights or interest in said lands: South half northwest quarter southwest quarter, southeast quarter southwest quarter, section 12; northwest quarter northwest quarter, west half northeast quarter northwest quarter, south half northwest quarter, west half southwest quarter, lots 2, 4, 5, and 6, section 13; northeast quarter southeast quarter, section 14; lots 11, 12, 13, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, and 9, section 24, township 142 north, range 31 west, fifth principal meridian, Minnesota, excepting a tract containing approximately one and ninety one-hundredths acres, being that portion of lot 4, section 13, township 142 north, range 31 west, beginning at angle point 1, lot 5, section 13, township 142 north, range 31 west; thence north thirty-three degrees forty-two minutes east one hundred and twenty-nine and five-tenths feet; thence south eighty-nine degrees forty-eight minutes east two hundred and thirty-one and four-tenths feet; thence south one degree fifty-four minutes west eighty-five and two-tenths feet; thence south nine degrees thirty-one minutes east two hundred and five and two-tenths feet; thence south nine degrees no minutes west eighty and four-tenths feet; thence south forty-one degrees nineteen minutes west one hundred and nineteen and four-tenths feet to angle point 4, lot 5; thence along the boundary of lot 5, north fifty-one degrees no minutes west one hundred and twenty and one-tenth feet to angle point 5, lot 5, north thirty-seven degrees forty-five minutes east one hundred and twenty and one-tenth feet to angle point 6, lot 5, north fifty-one degrees no minutes west two hundred and eighty-seven and one-tenth feet to angle point 1, lot 5, and point of beginning.

Payment for land,
etc., from tribal funds.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to withdraw from the Minnesota Chippewa tribal fund now held in trust in the Treasury of the United States a sufficient sum to reim-