

"National Park Service, donations", which transfer the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to make upon request by the council of said band approved by the Secretary of the Interior. Funds so transferred shall be available for national park and monument uses, including the acquisition of lands for inclusion in the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. All lands purchased or otherwise acquired for the Eastern Band of Cherokee Indians under authority contained in this Act shall constitute a part of the Cherokee Indian Reservation in North Carolina, shall be held by the United States in trust for said band, and shall be nontaxable, nonalienable to the same extent as other lands within said reservation.

Approved, June 11, 1940.

Availability of transferred funds.

Inclusion of acquired lands in Reservation.

[CHAPTER 319]

AN ACT

To amend the service pension Acts pertaining to the War with Spain, Philippine Insurrection, and the China Relief Expedition to include certain continuous service.

June 11, 1940
[H. R. 7147]
[Public, No. 594]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in determining the period of active service for the purpose of the Act of May 1, 1926 (Public Law Numbered 166, Sixty-ninth Congress), the Act of June 2, 1930 (Public Law Numbered 299, Seventy-first Congress), and the Act of May 24, 1938 (Public Law Numbered 541, Seventy-fifth Congress), granting service pensions to veterans and dependents of deceased veterans of the War with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, or the China Relief Expedition, continuous active service entered into during the War with Spain, the Philippine Insurrection, or the China Relief Expedition shall be included although part of such continuous service extended into either the Philippine Insurrection or the China Relief Expedition. Payments of benefits under the provisions of this Act shall be effective the date of enactment thereof as to those persons on the rolls and as to claims pending on the date of enactment of this Act. In all other cases awards of pension authorized hereunder shall be effective from date of application therefor after the date of enactment of this Act.

Pensions.
Determination of period of active service of certain veterans.
44 Stat. 382; 46 Stat. 492; 52 Stat. 440.
38 U. S. C. §§ 364-365h; Supp. V, §§ 364c, 365, 365a, 365d, 370-370d.

Payments, effective date.

Approved, June 11, 1940.

[CHAPTER 320]

AN ACT

To transfer the site and buildings of the Tomah Indian School to the State of Wisconsin.

June 11, 1940
[H. R. 7530]
[Public, No. 595]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to transfer to the State of Wisconsin, upon such terms and in such manner as may be mutually agreed upon, for institutional or other public use, title to all or any part of the property known and designated as the Tomah Indian School located at Tomah, Wisconsin.

Tomah Indian School, Wis.
Transfer to State of Wisconsin of title to property.

Approved, June 11, 1940.

[CHAPTER 321]

AN ACT

To establish the Hot Springs division of the Western Judicial District of Arkansas.

June 11, 1940
[H. R. 7811]
[Public, No. 596]

Judicial Code,
amendments.
Ante, p. 109.

Arkansas judicial
districts.

Western district.
Divisions.
Texarkana.

El Dorado.

Fort Smith.

Harrison.

Fayetteville.

Hot Springs.

Terms of courts.

Provisos.
Accommodations at
Fayetteville and Hot
Springs.

Use of Federal build-
ings, etc.

Referee in bank-
ruptcy, Hot Springs
division, appointment.

Offices of clerk.

Eastern district.
Divisions.
Eastern.

Northern.

Jonesboro.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That subsections (a), (b), (c), (d), (e), (f), and (g) of section 71 of the Judicial Code, as amended (U. S. C., 1934 edition, title 28, sec. 144), are amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 71. (a) The State of Arkansas is divided into two districts, to be known as the western and eastern districts of Arkansas.

"(b) The western district shall include six divisions constituted as follows: The Texarkana division, which shall include the territory embraced on July 1, 1920, in the counties of Sevier, Howard, Little River, Hempstead, Miller, Lafayette, and Nevada; the El Dorado division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Columbia, Ouachita, Union, Ashley, Bradley, and Calhoun; the Fort Smith division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Polk, Scott, Logan, Sebastian, Franklin, Crawford, and Johnson; the Harrison division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Baxter, Boone, Carroll, Marion, Newton, and Searcy; the Fayetteville division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Benton, Madison, and Washington; and the Hot Springs division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Pike, Clark, Garland, Hot Spring, and Montgomery.

"(c) Terms of the district court for the Texarkana division shall be held at Texarkana on the second Mondays in May and November; for the El Dorado division, at El Dorado on the third Mondays in April and October; for the Fort Smith division, at Fort Smith on the second Mondays in January and June; for the Harrison division, at Harrison on the first Mondays in April and October; for the Fayetteville division at Fayetteville on the second Mondays in March and October and for the Hot Springs division at Hot Springs on the third Mondays in March and September: *Provided*, That suitable rooms and accommodations for holding court at Fayetteville and Hot Springs are furnished without expense to the United States: *Provided further*, That nothing in this section shall be construed to prevent the provision of quarters for the officers of said court and appropriate courtrooms for the holding of the sessions of said court in any new Federal building or addition or annex thereto which may be constructed in Fayetteville or Hot Springs: *Provided further*, That the referee in bankruptcy of the western division of the eastern district may be appointed by the judge of the western district as referee in bankruptcy for the division herein created at Hot Springs.

"(d) The clerk of the court for the western district shall maintain an office in charge of himself or a deputy at Texarkana, Fort Smith, El Dorado, Harrison, and Hot Springs. Such offices shall be kept open at all times for the transaction of the business of the court.

"(e) The eastern district shall include four divisions constituted as follows: The eastern division, which shall include the territory embraced on July 1, 1920, in the counties of Desha, Lee, Phillips, Saint Francis, Cross, Monroe, and Woodruff; the northern division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Fulton, Independence, Cleburne, Stone, IZard, Sharp, and Jackson; the Jonesboro division, which shall include the territory embraced on such date in the counties of Crittenden, Clay, Craighead, Greene,