

CHAP. 132.—An Act To authorize the Great Northern Railway Company to construct a bridge across the Missouri River in the State of North Dakota.

May 27, 1912.
[S. 6160.]

[Public, No. 164.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Great Northern Railway Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota, its successors and assigns, be, and they are hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Missouri River, at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, at or near the mouth of the Little Missouri River, and not farther south than the south line of township one hundred and forty-seven north or farther north than the north line of township one hundred and forty-eight north, of the fifth principal meridian, in the State of North Dakota, in accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

Missouri River.
Great Northern
Railway Company
may bridge, in North
Dakota.

Location.

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Amendment.

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

Approved, May 27, 1912.

CHAP. 133.—An Act To authorize the Great Northern Railway Company to construct a bridge across the Yellowstone River, in the county of Dawson, State of Montana.

May 27, 1912.
[S. 6161.]

[Public, No. 165.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Great Northern Railway Company, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Minnesota, its successors and assigns, be, and they are hereby, authorized to construct, maintain, and operate a bridge and approaches thereto across the Yellowstone River at a point suitable to the interests of navigation, to be selected by the said company and approved by the Secretary of War, either in Mackenzie County, North Dakota, or Dawson County, Montana, in accordance with the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act to regulate the construction of bridges over navigable waters," approved March twenty-third, nineteen hundred and six.

Yellowstone River.
Great Northern
Railway Company
may bridge in North
Dakota or Montana.

Location.

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Amendment.

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

Approved, May 27, 1912.

CHAP. 134.—An Act To authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to sell certain land to the First Baptist Church of Plymouth, Massachusetts.

May 27, 1912.
[S. 6472.]

[Public, No. 166.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to grant, relinquish, and convey, by quitclaim deed, for and in consideration of one hundred dollars cash, to the First Baptist Church of Plymouth, Massachusetts, that portion of the Burn's lot included in the Federal building site in said city, to the south of the continuation of the southerly boundary line of the next adjacent property conveyed to the United States by said First Baptist Church, and to deposit the proceeds of such sale in the Treasury as a miscellaneous receipt.

Plymouth, Mass.
Sale of part of public
building site, to First
Baptist Church.

Proceeds.

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[H. R. 14052.]
[Public, No. 167.]

Cotton statistics.
Report July 1st of
acres in cultivation.

Estimate of total
production to be is-
sued.

Inconsistent laws
repealed.

CHAP. 135.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of Agriculture to issue certain reports relating to cotton.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of Agriculture be directed to cause the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture to issue a report, on or about the first Monday in July of each year, showing by States and in total the number of acres of cotton then in cultivation in the United States.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of Agriculture shall cause the Bureau of Statistics of the Department of Agriculture to issue each year, immediately following the publication of the ginning report of the Census Bureau of December first, an estimate of the total production of cotton in the United States for the current crop year.

SEC. 3. That all Acts or parts of Acts inconsistent with the foregoing provisions be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

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May 27, 1912.
[H. R. 19288.]
[Public, No. 168.]

United States courts.
Vol. 36, p. 1116,
amended.
Ann., p. 59.

Mississippi judicial
districts.

Northern district,
Eastern division.

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ated.

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dale.

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Southern division.

CHAP. 136.—An Act To amend section ninety of the Act entitled "An Act to codify, revise, and amend the laws relating to the judiciary," approved March third, nineteen hundred and eleven, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section ninety of an Act entitled "An Act to codify, revise, and amend the laws relating to the judiciary," approved March third, nineteen hundred and eleven, be, and the same is hereby, amended so as to read as follows:

"SEC. 90. The State of Mississippi is divided into two judicial districts, to be known as the northern and southern districts of Mississippi. The northern district shall include the territory embraced on the first day of July, nineteen hundred and ten, in the counties of Alcorn, Attala, Chickasaw, Choctaw, Clay, Itawamba, Lee, Lowndes, Monroe, Oktibbeha, Pontotoc, Prentiss, Tishomingo, and Winston, which shall constitute the eastern division of said district; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of Benton, Calhoun, Carroll, De Soto, Grenada, Lafayette, Marshall, Montgomery, Panola, Tate, Tippah, Union, Webster, and Yalobusha, which shall constitute the western division of said district; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of Bolivar, Coahoma, Leflore, Quitman, Sunflower, Tallahatchie, and Tunica, which shall constitute the Delta division of said district. The terms of the district court for the eastern division shall be held at Aberdeen on the first Mondays in April and October; and for the western division, at Oxford on the first Mondays in June and December; and for the Delta division, at Clarksdale on the fourth Mondays in January and July: *Provided,* That suitable rooms and accommodations for holding court at Clarksdale are furnished free of expense to the United States. The southern district shall include the territory embraced on the first day of July, nineteen hundred and ten, in the counties of Adams, Amite, Copiah, Covington, Franklin, Hinds, Holmes, Jefferson, Jefferson Davis, Lawrence, Lincoln, Madison, Pike, Rankin, Simpson, Smith, Scott, Wilkinson, and Yazoo, which shall constitute the Jackson division; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of Claiborne, Issaquena, Sharkey, Warren, and Washington, which shall constitute the western division; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of Clarke, Jones, Jasper, Kemper, Lauderdale, Leake, Neshoba, Newton, Noxubee, and Wayne, which shall constitute the eastern division; also the territory embraced on the date last mentioned in the counties of