

pany for the moneys expended by them in the construction of said locks and canal as herein provided.

APPROVED, July 1, 1864.

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1862, ch. 86, § 10.
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[No. 60.] *A Resolution explanatory of the Tenth Section of "An Act to reduce the Expenses of the Survey and Sale of the Public Lands in the United States, approved, May 30, 1862."*

Deposits for ex-
penses of surveys
of public lands.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the tenth section of an act entitled "An act to reduce the expenses of the survey and sale of the public lands in the United States," approved the thirtieth day of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, providing for the deposit of money in a proper United States depository to pay for the survey of public lands, shall be construed to be an appropriation of the sums so deposited for the objects contemplated in the said tenth section, and the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to cause the sums deposited under the said section to be placed to the credit of the proper appropriations for the surveying service: *Provided,* That any excesses in the sums so deposited, over and above the actual cost of the surveys, comprising all expenses incident thereto, for which they were severally deposited, shall be repaid to the depositors respectively.

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[No. 61.] *A Resolution to authorize the Acquisition of certain Land for the Use of the Government Hospital for the Insane.*

Land to be
deeded to John
Perkins in ex-
change for lands
of his for the
hospital for the
insane.
Provisos.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to deed to John Perkins a portion of the extreme south point or angle of the farm of the government hospital for the insane, in exchange for two acres of land, more or less, now owned and occupied by the said Perkins, and situated near the middle of that side of the hospital farm which fronts upon the public roads: *Provided,* That not more than three acres is given for one contained in the last-described piece of land belonging to the said Perkins: *And provided, further,* That the said Perkins is able to give, and does give, to the United States a good and sufficient title to the piece of land now owned and occupied by him.

Certain ex-
penses provided
for.

[SEC. 2.] *And be it further resolved,* That the Secretary of the Interior is further authorized to defray the expense of moving the dwelling-house on the present Perkins' tract to the tract exchanged for it, and of digging and walling a well, out of any appropriation already made, or that may be made, for inclosing the grounds of the hospital.

APPROVED, July 1, 1864.

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[No. 62.] *A Resolution regulating the Investment of the Naval-Pension Fund.*

Moneys belong-
ing to the naval
pension fund
how to be in-
vested.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy, as trustee of the naval pension fund, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be invested in the registered securities of the United States, on the first day of January and the first day of July of each year, so much of the said fund then in the treasury of the United States as may not be required for the payment of naval pensions for the then current fiscal year; and upon the requisition of the said secretary, so much of the said fund as may not be required for such payment of pensions accruing during the current fiscal year, shall be held in the treasury on the days aforesaid in each year, subject to his order for the purpose of such immediate investment; and the interest payable in coin upon the said securities in