

March 12, 1872. CHAP. XLVII. — *An Act to provide for the Designation of a chief medical Purveyor.*

Chief medical purveyor of the army to be designated.

Pay not increased.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and hereby is, authorized to appoint by selection from the present assistant medical purveyors, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a chief medical purveyor of the army, to fill the vacancy now existing. Nothing herein shall be construed to increase the pay of the officers appointed to fill said vacancy.

APPROVED, March 12, 1872.

March 14, 1872. CHAP. XLIX. — *An Act to authorize the Sale of public Property at Houlton, Maine.*

Public property at Houlton, Me., to be sold, if, &c.

Reservation to the county of Aroostook;

limit.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to sell and convey the land and building belonging to the United States at Houlton, Maine, known as Hancock barracks, if, in his opinion, it shall be for the interest of the government to sell the same, reserving to the county of Aroostook so much of said land as shall be necessary for the monuments thereon erected, by the consent of the War Department, to establish a meridian line, which land shall be granted to said county: *Provided,* That the land so granted shall not exceed in value the sum of five hundred dollars.

APPROVED, March 14, 1872.

March 15, 1872. CHAP. LIII. — *An Act to issue an American Register to the Brig "A. L. Palmer."*

Register to be issued to the brig "A. L. Palmer."

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 is hereby directed to issue an American register to the British-built brig "A. L. Palmer," wrecked, and rebuilt by American citizens.

APPROVED, March 15, 1872.

March 16, 1872. CHAP. LIV. — *An Act authorizing the President of the United States to re-establish the Monroe Land District in the State of Louisiana.*

Monroe land district in Louisiana re-established.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized, if in his judgment the public interests would be subserved thereby, to re-establish the Monroe land district in the State of Louisiana, with the same boundaries that existed before the consolidation of said land district with the land district at New Orleans.

APPROVED, March 16, 1872.

March 16, 1872. CHAP. LV. — *An Act to continue in Force a Grant to the State of Nevada for College Purposes.*

Grant to Nevada for college purposes continued in force, provided, &c.
1866, ch. 166, § 3.
Vol. xiv. p. 85.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the grant made to the State of Nevada under section three of the act of July fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, entitled "An act concerning certain lands granted to the State of Nevada," shall not cease by reason of the failure of the said State to provide at least one college, as required by the several acts of Congress as a condition of said grant, but the same shall continue in full force: *Provided,* That all the conditions of law be complied with prior to the tenth of May, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven.

APPROVED, March 16, 1872.

March 18, 1872. CHAP. LVI. — *An Act to restore the Records of the United States Courts in the northern District of Illinois.*

In proceedings

States of America in Congress assembled, That in proceedings to restore