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Sale of condemned projectiles.

SEC. 2. That from and after the passage of this act, the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be sold, in such manner and at such times and places, and in such quantities as shall most conduce to the interests of the United States, all obsolete and condemned projectiles for heavy ordnance now on hand and stored in the various arsenals of the United States, and to cause the net proceeds of such sales, after paying the necessary expenses attending the same, to be covered into the Treasury of the United States, with full account of said expenses.

Approved, June 20, 1876.

June 20, 1876.

CHAP. 136.—An act relating to the execution of custom-house bonds.

Duty-bonds by partnerships, how may be executed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That when any bond is required by law to be executed by any firm or partnership for the payment of duties upon goods, wares or merchandise, imported into the United States by such firm or partnership, the execution of such bond by any member of such firm or partnership, in the name of said firm or partnership, shall bind the other members or partners thereof, in like manner and to the same extent, as if such other members or partners had personally executed the same. And any action or suit may be instituted on such bond against all the members or partners of such firm, as if all of the members or partners had executed the same.

Approved, June 20, 1876.

June 20, 1876.

CHAP. 137.—An act establishing Cheboygan, in the State of Michigan, a port of delivery.

Cheboygan a port of delivery.

Deputy collector's office.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Cheboygan, in the State of Michigan, being within the collection district of Michigan, be, and the same hereby is, declared a port of delivery instead of Duncan City; and the office of deputy collector now located at Duncan City be, and the same is hereby, removed to Cheboygan. And all acts and parts of acts declaring Duncan City a port of entry are hereby repealed.

Approved, June 20, 1876.

June 26, 1876.

CHAP. 144.—An act authorizing the retirement of Col. W. H. Emory with the rank and pay of a brigadier general.

W. H. Emory may be retired as a brigadier general.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in view of the long and faithful services of Colonel and Brevet Major-General W. H. Emory, colonel of the Fifth Cavalry, before and during the late war, and the fact that for nearly ten years he has discharged the duties of brigadier and major general, the President is hereby authorized to place that officer on the retired-list of the Army, after forty-three years' active service, as brigadier-general, with the pay and emoluments of a retired officer of that grade.

Approved, June 26, 1876.