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silver coins of the United States of smaller denominations than one dollar, may, on presentation of the same in sums of twenty dollars, or any multiple thereof, at the office of the Treasurer or any assistant treasurer of the United States, receive therefor lawful money of the United States.

Redemption.

SEC. 2. The Treasurer or any assistant treasurer of the United States who may receive any coins under the provision of this act shall exchange the same in sums of twenty dollars, or any multiple thereof, for lawful money of the United States, on demand of any holder thereof.

Legal tender.

SEC. 3. That the present silver coins of the United States of smaller denominations than one dollar shall hereafter be a legal tender in all sums not exceeding ten dollars in full payment of all dues public and private.

Repeals.

SEC. 4. That all laws or parts of laws in conflict with this act be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Approved, June 9, 1879.

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CHAP. 13.—An act in relation to the accounts of the United States Entomological Commission.

Entomological Commission accounts.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the accounts of the salaries and disbursements of the United States Entomological Commission may be settled and allowed in the same manner and with the same effect as if the members and officers thereof had taken the oath required by law at the time they entered upon the performance of their duties: *Provided*, They shall have taken said oaths before the first day of July anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and seventy-nine.

Proviso.

Approved, June 9, 1879.

June 9, 1879.

CHAP. 14.—An act to authorize the Secretary of War to furnish condemned ordnance for the monument of Colonel Robert L. McCook, Ninth Ohio Volunteers, in Washington Park, in the city of Cincinnati, Ohio.

Condemned ordnance.

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 authorized to furnish to the proper parties, out of ordnance and ordnance stores, belonging to the United States, of patterns not now in use, the following to be used in the railing around the public monument erected to the memory of Colonel Robert L. McCook, of the Ninth Regiment Ohio Volunteers, in Washington Park, in the city of Cincinnati, to wit: One hundred and forty muskets and bayonets; four twelve inch smooth bore siege guns, or rifles of like size; four ten inch spherical shot or shell; twelve thirty-two pound shot or shell.

For monument to Col. R. L. McCook.

Approved, June 9, 1879.

June 10, 1879.

1879, ch. 181, 20 Stat., 364, 370.

CHAP. 15.—An act to amend an act entitled "An act making appropriations for the construction, repair, preservation, and completion of certain works on rivers and harbors and for other purposes", approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine.

River improvements.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That such parts of the monies heretofore appropriated by the act of which this is amendatory for the improvement of the Great Kanawha River in West Virginia and the Kentucky River in the State of Kentucky as may be necessary in the prosecution of said improvements as undertaken may be expended in the purchase, voluntary or by condemnation as the case may be, of such sites as are necessary in the prosecution of said improvements: *Provided*, That such expenditure shall be under the direction of the Secretary of

Great Kanawha River.

Kentucky River.

Purchase of land.

Proviso.