AUTHENTICATED
U.S. GOVERNMENT
INFORMATION
GPO

CHAP. 306.—An act to provide for the survey of certain historic grounds, locations, and military works. May 24, 1888.

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be made, by an officer of the Engineer Corps, in co-operation with the Maumee Valley Monumental Association, an examination and inspection of each of the following-named historic grounds, locations, and military works, to wit: Survey of historic grounds, etc.

The burial-place on Put-in-Bay Island of the sailors of the Navy in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve. Put-in-Bay.

Fort Industry, at the mouth of Swan Creek, on the Maumee River. Fort Industry.

Fort Miami, on the north and west side of the Maumee River, seven miles above Fort Industry. Fort Miami.

Fort Meigs, and the burial grounds of the soldiers of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, near the same, on the south and east bank of the Maumee River, ten miles above the mouth of Swan Creek. Fort Meigs.

A suitable portion of the battle-field of Fallen Timber, on the north and west bank of the Maumee River, four miles above Fort Meigs, where Anthony Wayne defeated the allied Indian nations under Turkey Foot, August twentieth, seventeen hundred and ninety-four. Fallen Timber battle-ground.

Fort Defiance, at the confluence of the Auglaize and Maumee Rivers, erected by General Wayne in August, seventeen hundred and ninety-four. Fort Defiance.

Fort Wayne, at Fort Wayne, Indiana, at the confluence of the Saint Joe and Saint Mary's Rivers, which was erected by General Wayne in October, seventeen hundred and ninety-four. Fort Wayne.

And he shall cause to be made a survey and full report to Congress of the location, situation, and condition of the same, and the amount of grounds necessary for the proper protection and improvement of the aforesaid works, forts, battle-fields, and burial places in and near the same, as well as the probable cost thereof; and the said report shall be accompanied with the necessary maps and drawings. Report to Congress.

SEC. 2. That the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the expense of the examination and inspection provided for in this act. Appropriation.

Approved, May 24, 1888.

CHAP. 307.—An act authorizing the President of the United States to arrange a conference between the United States of America and the Republics of Mexico, Central and South America, Hayti, San Domingo, and the Empire of Brazil. May 24, 1888.

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, requested and authorized to invite the several Governments of the Republics of Mexico, Central and South America, Hayti, San Domingo, and the Empire of Brazil to join the United States in a conference to be held at Washington, in the United States, at such time as he may deem proper, in the year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, for the purpose of discussing and recommending for adoption to their respective Governments some plan of arbitration for the settlement of disagreements and disputes that may hereafter arise between them, and for considering questions relating to the improvement of business intercourse and means of direct communication between said countries, and to encourage such reciprocal commercial relations as will be beneficial to all and secure more extensive markets for the products of each of said countries. International conference of American nations.