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said corporations: *Provided*, That said connection shall not interfere with the free navigation of said river; and in case of any litigation arising from an obstruction, or alleged obstruction, to the free navigation thereof, caused, or alleged to be caused, by said connection of their water-pipes or hydraulic connections, the case may be tried before the district court of the United States for the western district of Texas: *And provided, also*, That Congress reserves the right to withdraw the power and authority conferred by this act in case the free navigation of the river shall at any time be substantially or materially obstructed by said connections or pipes, or for any other reasons, and to direct the removal of said pipes or connections, or necessary modifications thereof, at the cost and expense of the owners of said pipes or connections, and Congress may at any time alter, repeal, or amend this act: *And provided further*, That the consent of the Mexican State of Coahuila and of the proper authorities of the Republic of Mexico shall have been obtained before the establishment of said pipes and connections.

Provisos.
Unobstructed navigation.
Litigation.
Jurisdiction.
Removal of pipes, etc.
Amendment, etc.
Consent of Mexican authorities.

Approved, September 30, 1890.

CHAP. 1123.—An act to repeal sections thirty-nine hundred and fifty-two and thirty-nine hundred and fifty-three of Revised Statutes of the United States.

September 30, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That sections thirty-nine hundred and fifty-two and thirty-nine hundred and fifty-three of the Revised Statutes of the United States be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Postal service.
Release of bidder for mail carrying.
R. S., secs. 3952-3, p. 766, repealed.

Approved, September 30, 1890.

CHAP. 1124.—An act to provide for the disposal of a portion of the United States military reservation at Baton Rouge, Louisiana.

September 30, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That whatever title may remain in the United States to a parcel of ground in the United States reservation or garrison grounds in the city of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, and heretofore used as a grave-yard or burial ground by the Roman Catholic congregation of Saint Joseph's Church of said city, in the parish of East Baton Rouge, which is not included in any of the lots or streets of said city, but lying on North street and between Uncle Sam street and the lot or private property of H. E. Hansey, measuring two hundred and fourteen and five-tenths feet American measure, on line of said Hansey, running north, by a depth of four hundred and ninety-seven feet, more or less, running east to west line of Uncle Sam street, between parallel lines, and containing about two and forty-five one hundredths acres, be, and the same is hereby, relinquished and granted unto the Roman Catholic congregation of Saint Joseph's Church of the city of Baton Rouge, Parish of East Baton Rouge, State of Louisiana, in trust for the sole use and benefit of the aforesaid congregation, so long as the same shall be used for cemetery, purposes, unless hereafter required by the Secretary of War for the use of the United States for military purposes.

Baton Rouge, La.
Part of reservation in, granted to Saint Joseph's Church.
Description.
Grant.
Limitations.

SEC. 2. That all laws or part of laws in conflict with the provision of this act be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Repeal.

Approved, September 30, 1890.