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Secretary of State.
Salary of, reduced.
Vol. 34, p. 993, amended.
*Post*, p. 861.

**CHAP. 137.**—An Act In relation to the salary of the Secretary of State.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That section four of the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and eight, and for other purposes," approved February twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and seven, fixing the annual compensation of heads of executive departments, be, and the same is hereby, repealed in so far as the same relates to the annual compensation of the Secretary of State; and the annual compensation of the Secretary of State shall be at the rate of eight thousand dollars.

Emoluments limited.

SEC. 2. That on and after March fourth, nineteen hundred and nine, there shall be no emoluments attached to the office of Secretary of State other than those which by the law in force on the first day of May, nineteen hundred and four, belonged and were then attached to said office.

Effect.

SEC. 3. That this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after March fourth, nineteen hundred and nine.

Approved, February 17, 1909.

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University of Idaho.
Sale of land within Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation to, authorized.

**CHAP. 138.**—An Act Authorizing sales of land within the Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation to the Northern Idaho Insane Asylum and to the University of Idaho.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to sell to the regents of the University of the State of Idaho, for the use of said university, land not to exceed six hundred and forty acres in area, to be selected by the said regents of the said university within the limits of the Coeur d'Alene Indian Reservation, upon the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, said regents to pay therefor, upon receiving a grant thereof, such price as shall be fixed by the Secretary of the Interior but which shall not be less than two dollars and fifty cents per acre.

Minimum price per acre.
Deposit of proceeds.

The moneys derived from said sale shall be deposited in the Treasury of the United States for the benefit of the Indians of said reservation.

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[Public, No. 237.]

Calaveras Bigtree National Forest, Cal.
Creation of, authorized.

**CHAP. 143.**—An Act To create the Calaveras Bigtree National Forest, and for other purposes.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of Agriculture, to secure and protect for all time the big trees scientifically known as Sequoia washingtoniana, is hereby empowered, in his discretion, to obtain for the United States the complete title to any or all of the following-described lands in the State of California: In township four north, range fifteen east, Mount Diablo meridian, the northeast quarter of section one; in township four north, range sixteen east, Mount Diablo meridian, the north half of section six; in township five north, range fifteen east, Mount Diablo meridian, the southwest quarter of section fourteen, south half of section fifteen, north half of section twenty-two, northwest quarter of section twenty-three, and southeast quarter of section thirty-six, and in township five north, range sixteen east, Mount Diablo meridian, the west half of section twenty-eight, the east half and southwest quarter of section twenty-nine, the southeast quarter of section thirty, all of sections thirty-

Description.