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lots six and seven and that part of lots four and five in section fifteen described as follows: Beginning at a point one hundred and forty and eight-tenths feet west of the southeast corner of lot five and running thence due north one thousand three hundred and sixty feet, thence in a northeast direction eight hundred feet into lot four to a point one hundred and fifty feet due south of the center of the Washita River, thence due north one hundred and fifty feet to the center of said river, thence up said river on a meandering line to a point where said line intersects the west boundary of said lot five, thence south along said boundary one thousand one hundred and fifty feet, thence east along the boundary line between said lot five and the town-site of Anadarko to the place of beginning; also the fractional west half of the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter, of section fifteen, lying north of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway; lots eight, nine, ten, eleven, twelve, and thirteen, and the west half of the northeast quarter and the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, and the fractional northeast quarter of the southeast quarter lying north of the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway, in section sixteen; all in township seven north, range ten west of the Indian meridian and south of the Washita River, containing four hundred and sixty-four and thirty-two one-hundredths acres of land, more or less, situate in the county of Caddo and the State of Oklahoma, except a tract to be designated by the Secretary of the Interior to include the Indian cemetery now located within said tract: *Provided*, That the sale shall be made upon such terms and conditions as to deferred payments as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior, with the limitation that not less than twenty per centum of the purchase price shall be paid in cash at the time of sale: *And provided further*, That the said city of Anadarko shall have sixty days from the approval of said appraisement to purchase said tract, and in the event that the same shall not be purchased by said city within said time the Anadarko Commercial Club may make the purchase under the terms described herein, within sixty days from the expiration of the time allowed the city of Anadarko to make such purchase.

Indian cemetery excepted.

Provisos.
Terms, etc.

Option to Anadarko Commercial Club.

SEC. 3. That an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States in all suits affecting the allotted lands within the eastern district of Oklahoma or on demurrers in such suits appealed to the United States circuit court of appeals, eighth circuit, is hereby authorized to be made by any of the parties thereto, including appeals from orders reversing judgments of the trial court.

Oklahoma eastern district.
Appeals to court of appeals in allotment cases.

Approved, June 25, 1910.

CHAP. 409.—An Act To amend section fourteen of "An Act to provide for the bringing of suits against the Government of the United States," approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

June 25, 1910.
[H. R. 19287.]
[Public, No. 291.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section fourteen of the Act of March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An Act to provide for the bringing of suits against the Government of the United States," be, and the same is hereby, amended by adding at the end thereof the words "together with such conclusions as shall be sufficient to inform Congress of the nature and character of the demand, either as a claim, legal or equitable, or as a gratuity, against the United States," so that when amended it shall read as follows:

Tucker Act claims.
Vol. 24, p. 508, amended.

"SEC. 14. That whenever any bill, except for a pension, shall be pending in either House of Congress providing for the payment of a claim against the United States, legal or equitable, or for a grant, gift, or bounty to any person, the House in which such bill is pending may refer the same to the Court of Claims, who shall proceed with the same in accordance with the provisions of the Act approved March

Reference to Court of Claims of claims pending in Congress.
Post, p. 1138.

Proceedings.
Vol. 22, p. 485.

third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled 'An Act to afford assistance and relief to Congress and the Executive Departments in the investigation of claims and demands against the Government,' and report to such House the facts in the case and the amount, where the same can be liquidated, including any facts bearing upon the question whether there has been delay or laches in presenting such claim, or applying for such grant, gift, or bounty, and any facts bearing upon the question whether the bar of any statute of limitation should be removed, or which shall be claimed to excuse the claimant for not having resorted to any established legal remedy, together with such conclusions as shall be sufficient to inform Congress of the nature and character of the demand, either as a claim, legal or equitable, or as a gratuity, against the United States and the amount if any legally or equitably due from the United States to the claimant."

Report of facts to Congress.

Conclusions, etc., added.

Approved, June 25, 1910.

June 25, 1910.
[H. R. 20148.]
[Public, No. 292.]

CHAP. 410.—An Act To provide for an additional judge of the district court for the eastern district of New York.

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, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, shall appoint an additional judge of the district court of the United States for the eastern district of New York, who shall reside in said district, and who shall possess the same powers, perform the same duties, and receive the same compensation as the present district judge of said eastern district.

New York eastern judicial district.
Additional judge authorized for.
Post, p. 1087.

R. S., sec. 551, p. 93.

SEC. 2. That this Act shall take effect immediately.

Approved, June 25, 1910.

June 25, 1910.
[H. R. 20367.]
[Public, No. 293.]

CHAP. 411.—An Act Providing for an increase of salary for the United States marshal for the eastern district of Louisiana.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, commencing with the fiscal year beginning July first, nineteen hundred and ten, the salary of the United States marshal for the eastern district of Louisiana be fixed at the rate of four thousand dollars per annum.

Louisiana eastern judicial district.
Marshal's salary increased.
Vol. 29, p. 181, amended.

Approved, June 25, 1910.

June 25, 1910.
[H. R. 20575.]
[Public, No. 294.]

CHAP. 412.—An Act To amend an Act entitled "An Act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved July first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, as amended by an Act approved February fifth, nineteen hundred and three, and as further amended by an Act approved June fifteenth, nineteen hundred and six.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That clause five of section two of the Act entitled "An Act to establish a uniform system of bankruptcy throughout the United States," approved July first, eighteen hundred and ninety-eight, as amended by an Act approved February fifth, nineteen hundred and three, and as further amended by an Act approved June fifteenth, nineteen hundred and six, be, and the same hereby is, amended so as to read as follows:

Bankruptcy act amendments.
Vol. 30, p. 546.
Vol. 32, p. 797.
Vol. 34, p. 267.

"Authorize the business of bankrupts to be conducted for limited periods by receivers, the marshals, or trustees, if necessary in the best interests of the estates, and allow such officers additional compensation for such services, as provided in section forty-eight of this Act."

Receivers, etc.
Extra allowance for continuing business.
Vol. 32, p. 797, amended.
Post, p. 840.