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CHAP. CIX. — *An Act to establish an additional Land District in Iowa.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the sale of the public lands in the Territory of Iowa, an additional land district is hereby created, comprising all the lands lying between the line dividing townships seventy-five and seventy-six north, and the line dividing townships eighty-three and eighty-four north, which shall be called the Iowa District.

Additional land district in Iowa established.

Register and receiver to be appointed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, a register and a receiver of the public moneys for the said district, who shall respectively be required to reside at the site of said office, and who shall have the same powers, perform the same duties, and be entitled to the same compensation, as are or may be prescribed by law in relation to other land offices of the United States.

Compensation and duties.

Lands in that district to be exposed to sale.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the President is authorized to cause the public lands in the said district, with the exemption of sections numbered sixteen in each township, reserved for the use of schools, or such other lands as may be selected by law in lieu thereof, and of such other tracts as he may select for military or other purposes, to be exposed to sale in the same manner and upon the same terms and conditions as the other public lands of the United States.

Site of land office.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the President is hereby authorized to designate the site at which the said office shall be established, and to remove the same to any other place within said district, whenever, in his opinion, it may be deemed expedient.

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CHAP. CX. — *An Act to amend the Act approved second April, eighteen hundred and forty-four, entitled "An [Act] directing the Disposition of certain unclaimed Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, seized for being illegally imported into the United States."*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of the act entitled "An Act directing the Disposition of certain unclaimed Goods, Wares, or Merchandise, seized for being illegally imported into the United States," approved April second, eighteen hundred and forty-four, shall apply to all property of the appraised value of one hundred dollars or less, any thing contained in any other act to the contrary notwithstanding.

Disposition of certain unclaimed goods illegally imported.

1844, ch. 8.

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CHAP. CLXIX. — *An Act to enable the Secretary of the Navy to purchase the Right of using Mix's patent Manger-Stopper.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized to purchase of Mrs. Ann Mix, widow of M. P. Mix, late master commandant in the navy, the unlimited power to use a machine called a "manger-stopper," in all ships of war or other vessels belonging to the United States: *Provided*, An assignment thereof can be obtained at a cost not exceeding three thousand dollars, which sum is hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Secretary of the Navy authorized to purchase right of using Mix's patent manger-stopper.

Limitation of price.

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