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CHAP. 176.—An Act To authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the State of Maine into the Union.

May 10, 1920.
[H. R. 12460.]
[Public, No. 199.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, as soon as practicable, and in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the State of Maine into the Union as a State, there shall be coined at the mints of the United States silver 50-cent pieces to the number of one hundred thousand, such 50-cent pieces to be of the standard troy weight, composition, diameter, device, and design as shall be fixed by the Director of the Mint, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, and said 50-cent pieces shall be legal tender in any payment to the amount of their face value.

Maine centennial.
Silver 50-cent pieces to be coined in commemoration of.
Number.
Legal tender.

SEC. 2. That all laws now in force relating to the subsidiary silver coins of the United States and the coining or striking of the same, regulating and guarding the process of coinage, providing for the purchase of material, and for the transportation, distribution, and redemption of the coins, for the prevention of debasement or counterfeiting, for security of the coin, or for any other purpose, whether said laws are penal or otherwise, shall, so far as applicable, apply to the coinage herein authorized: *Provided*, That the Government shall not be subject to the expense of making the necessary dies and other preparations for this coinage.

Coinage laws applicable.
Proviso.
No expense for dies, etc.

Approved, May 10, 1920.

CHAP. 177.—An Act To authorize the coinage of 50-cent pieces in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the State of Alabama into the Union.

May 10, 1920.
[H. R. 12824.]
[Public, No. 200.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That as soon as practicable, and in commemoration of the one hundredth anniversary of the admission of the State of Alabama into the Union as a State, there shall be coined at the mints of the United States silver 50-cent pieces to the number of one hundred thousand, such 50-cent pieces to be of the standard troy weight, composition, diameter, device, and design as shall be fixed by the Director of the Mint, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, and said 50-cent pieces shall be legal tender in any payment to the amount of their face value.

Alabama centennial.
Silver 50-cent pieces to be coined in commemoration of.
Number.
Legal tender.

SEC. 2. That all laws now in force relating to the subsidiary silver coins of the United States and the coining or striking of the same, regulating and guarding the process of coinage, providing for the purchase of material, and for the transportation, distribution, and redemption of the coins, for the prevention of debasement or counterfeiting, for security of the coin, or for any other purpose, whether said laws are penal or otherwise, shall, so far as applicable, apply to the coinage herein authorized: *Provided*, That the Government shall not be subject to the expense of making the necessary dies and other preparations for this coinage.

Coinage laws applicable.
Proviso.
No expense for dies, etc.

Approved, May 10, 1920.

CHAP. 178.—An Act For the sale of isolated tracts in the former Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, North Dakota.

May 10, 1920.
[H. R. 13139.]
[Public, No. 201.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of section 2455 of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended by the Act of March 28, 1912 (Thirty-seventh Statutes at Large, page 77),

Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, N. Dak.
Sale of isolated tracts in former, authorized.
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relating to the sale at public auction of isolated tracts of the public domain, be, and the same are hereby, extended and made applicable to lands within the portion of the Fort Berthold Indian Reservation, North Dakota, opened under the Act of June 1, 1910 (Thirty-sixth Statutes at Large, page 455): *Provided*, That the provisions of this Act shall not apply to lands which are not subject to homestead entry: *Provided further*, That purchasers of land under this Act shall pay for the lands not less than the price fixed in the law opening such lands to homestead entry.

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Provisos.
Lands affected.
Minimum price.

Approved, May 10, 1920.

May 10, 1920.
[H. J. Res. 80.]
[Pub. Res., No. 41.]

CHAP. 179.—Joint Resolution To correct an error in the wording of the appropriation of $71,000 made in the Act approved July 9, 1918, and to authorize the Secretary of War to pay said sum to respective parties entitled thereto.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to pay or cause to be paid out of the $71,000 heretofore appropriated by the Act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1919," approved July 9, 1918, the sum of $42,000 to the heirs, executors, or representatives, or parties entitled to receive same for the deaths of those ascertained and reported by the commission appointed under the terms of joint resolution of August 9, 1912, and that he be further directed to pay out of said $71,000 so appropriated the remaining sum of $29,000 to those wounded, or to their heirs or proper legal representatives, the said sums of $42,000 and $29,000 to be paid to the proper parties in the respective amounts as found and reported and set forth on page 20 of said House Document Numbered 1168, Sixty-second Congress, third session.

Mexican border disturbances, 1911.
Payment to heirs, etc., of American persons killed by.
Vol. 40, p. 865, amended.
Vol. 37, p. 641.
Allotment to wounded persons, etc.

Approved, May 10, 1920.

May 12, 1920.
[S. 2528.]
[Public, No. 202.]

CHAP. 181.—An Act To grant certain lands to the city of Pocatello, State of Idaho, for conserving and protecting the source of its water supply.

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 be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to convey to the city of Pocatello, in the county of Bannock, and State of Idaho, certain adjacent public lands described as west half of section two and all of sections three, four, nine, and ten, or such portions thereof as said city may select, in township seven south, range thirty-four east, Boise meridian, in said county and State, containing two thousand eight hundred and eighty acres, upon the payment of $1.25 per acre for the land selected, to have and to hold said lands for the conservation and protection of the source of the water supply of said city: *Provided*, That the grant hereby made is, and patent issued thereunder shall be, subject to all legal rights heretofore acquired by any person or persons in or to the above-described premises or any part thereof and now existing under and by virtue of the laws of the United States: *And provided further*, That there shall be reserved to the United States all oil, coal, and other mineral deposits that may be found in the lands so granted and all necessary use of the lands for extracting the same; and that the lands hereby authorized to be conveyed as hereinbefore set forth and all portions thereof shall be held and used by or for the said grantee for the purpose herein specified; and if the said lands shall cease to be so used they shall revert to the United States, and this condition shall be

Public lands.
Grant to Pocatello, Idaho, to protect water supply.
Description.
Price.
Provisos.
Legal rights protected.
Mineral deposits reserved.
Use restricted.
Reversion for nonuse.