

approval of the Secretary of the Interior, is hereby authorized to select other unoccupied, unreserved, nonmineral, nontimbered lands within said reservation, not exceeding two sections in any one township. The United States shall pay the Indians for the lands so granted \$5 per acre, and sufficient money is hereby appropriated out of the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated to pay for said school lands granted to the said State: *Provided*, That the mineral rights in said school lands are hereby reserved for the benefit of the Crow Tribe of Indians as herein authorized: *Provided further*, That the Crow Indian children shall be permitted to attend the public schools of said State on the same condition as the children of white citizens of said State.

SEC. 17. That the Secretary of the Interior (with the approval of the Crow Tribal Council) is authorized to set aside for administrative purposes (at the Crow Agency and at Pryor subagency) such tracts for town-site purposes as in his opinion may be required for the public interests, not to exceed eighty acres at each town site, and he may cause the same to be surveyed into lots and blocks and disposed of under such regulations as he may prescribe; and he is authorized also to set apart and reserve for school, park, and other public purposes not more than ten acres in said town sites; and patents shall be issued for the lands so set apart and reserved for school, park, and other purposes to the municipality or school district legally charged with the care and custody of lands donated for such purposes: *Provided, however*, That the present park at Crow Agency shall not be included in such town site or be subject to such disposition. The purchase price of all town lots sold in town sites shall be paid at such time as the Secretary of the Interior may direct and placed to the credit of the Crow Tribe of Indians.

SEC. 18. That the sum of \$10,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, of the tribal funds of the Crow Indians of the State of Montana, is hereby appropriated to pay the expenses of the general council, or councils, or business committee, in looking after the affairs of said tribe, including the actual and necessary expenses and the per diems paid its legislative committee when visiting Washington on tribal business at the request of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs or a committee of Congress, said sum and the actual and necessary expenses to be approved by and certified by the Secretary of the Interior, and when so approved and certified to be paid: *Provided*, That not to exceed \$2,500 shall be expended in any one fiscal year.

Approved, June 4, 1920.

CHAP. 225.—An Act Authorizing the Secretary of the Interior to issue a patent to John Zimmerman for certain lands in the Colorado National Forest upon the surrender of other lands of an equal acreage also located in the Colorado National Forest, Colorado.

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 to issue a patent to John Zimmerman for the following-described lands: The north half of the southwest quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-two; the south half of the southeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three, township nine north, range seventy-four west of the sixth principal meridian; and the north half of the north half of the northeast quarter of the northwest quarter of section four, township eight north, range seventy-four west of the sixth principal meridian, upon the transfer by the said John Zimmerman to the United States of the following-described lands: The northeast quarter of the north-

Appropriation for.

Provisos.
Mineral rights reserved.

Admission of Indian pupils.

Town sites.
Reservations authorized for public uses at.

Proviso.
Agency park excluded.
Proceeds to tribal credit.

Appropriation for council expenses, etc., from tribal funds.

Committee to Washington.

Proviso.
Limit.

June 4, 1920.
[H. R. 1024.]
[Public, No. 240.]

Colorado National Forest, Colo.
Exchange of lands with John Zimmerman.
Descriptions.

east quarter, and the north half of the north half of the southeast quarter of the northeast quarter, of section thirty-one, township nine north, range seventy-four west of the sixth principal meridian: *Provided*, That upon the reconveyance of the surrendered lands they will become part of the Colorado National Forest, Colorado.

Approved, June 4, 1920.

Proviso.
Conveyed lands added to National Forest.

June 4, 1920.
[H. R. 9392.]
[Public, No. 241.]

CHAP. 226.—An Act Regulating the disposition of lands formerly embraced in the grants to the Oregon and California Railroad Company and Coos Bay Wagon Road Company.

Public lands.
Oregon - California
Railroad and Coos Bay
Wagon Road lands,
Oreg.
Vol. 39, p. 218.
Vol. 40, p. 1179.
Sales of timber on
power sites on revested
lands.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in the administration of the Act approved June 9, 1916 (Thirty-ninth Statutes at Large, page 218), revesting title in the United States to the lands formerly granted to the Oregon and California Railroad Company remaining unsold July 1, 1913, and the Act approved February 26, 1919 (Fortieth Statutes at Large, page 1179), authorizing the United States to accept from the Southern Oregon Company a reconveyance of the lands granted to the State of Oregon by the Act approved March 3, 1869, the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized, in his discretion, to sell the timber on lands classified and withdrawn as power-site lands, in such manner and at such times as he is now authorized to sell the timber from lands classified as timberlands: *Provided*, That if a valid claim for a preferred right of homestead entry, in accordance with the terms of section 5 of said Act of June 9, 1916, or a preference right of purchase or entry under section 3 of said Act of February 26, 1919, is shown to exist for lands thus classified and withdrawn, it may be exercised therefor, as provided in section 2 hereof.

Proviso.
Preference rights recognized.
Vol. 39, p. 220.
Vol. 40, p. 1180.

Compensation for
overflow damages, etc.

SEC. 2. That the lands embraced in homestead entries or sales authorized by the proviso to section 1 hereof shall be subject to disposition as water-power sites upon the compensation of the owner of the land for actual damages sustained by the loss of his improvements thereon, through the use of the land for water-power purposes, such damages to be ascertained and awarded under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior; and the rights reserved under this section shall be expressly stated in the patent.

Coos Bay Wagon
Road grant lands.
Exchanges of lands
with private owners
of, authorized.
Vol. 40, p. 593.

SEC. 3. That the provisions of the Act of Congress approved May 31, 1918 (Fortieth Statutes at Large, page 593), "To authorize the Secretary of the Interior to exchange for lands in private ownership lands formerly embraced in the grant to the Oregon and California Railroad Company," as amended in section 4 of this Act, shall be extended to the lands reconveyed to the United States under the terms of said Act of February 26, 1919, and authorize the exchange of lands embraced therein, in like manner and for the same purpose.

Fees required.
Vol. 40, p. 593,
amended.

SEC. 4. That said Act of May 31, 1918, is hereby so amended as to require the applicant for exchange to pay a filing fee of \$1 each to the register and receiver for each one hundred and sixty acres or fraction thereof of the public lands embraced in proposed selections, whether now pending or hereafter tendered.

Rules, etc., to be
prescribed.

SEC. 5. That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to perform any and all acts and to make such rules and regulations as may be necessary and proper for the purpose of carrying the provisions of this Act into full force and effect.

Approved, June 4, 1920.