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LEGS OF THE UNITED STATES.

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se who are blind. For effecting which, the ribals aforesaid shall have power, and are elly required, to appoint one or more assists in each city and county in their respective tests and territories, residents of such city or mity for which they shall be appointed, and ill assign to each of the said assistants a certain ision of territory, which division shall not resist, in any case, of more than one county, when the county is the said assistants as certain the county of the said assistants as certain the county. may mentide one or more towns, townships, de, hundreds, precients, or parishes, and de plainly and distinctly bounded, the said mention shall be made by as actual inquiry such Marshals or assistants, at every dwelfaces, or by personal inquiry, of the head very family. The marshals and their assissiall, respectively, before entering on the brunance of their duty under this act, take squirerbe as oath or affirmation, before subscribe an oath or affirmation, before Judge or Justice of the Peace, resident their respective districts or territories, for that no formance of the control of the affirmation of the Marshal of the District (or itory) of do solemnly swear, (or m) that I will truly and faithfully cause to be le, a full and perfect same rest. le, a full and perfect enumeration and de-ption of all persons resident within my Dis-t, (or Territory) and return the same to the t, (or Territory) and return the matter of state, agreeably to the directions of not of Congress, entitled 'An act to provide taking the fifth Census or commeration of the abitages of the United States,' according to best of my ability." The oath or affirmation in assistant shall be as follows: "I, A, B, or of a consistent to the Marshal of the triet (or Territor;) of do solemnly ar, (or affirm) that I will make a just, faithful, I perfect caumeration and description of all sons, resident within the division assigned to for that a ways.

for that purpose, by the Marshal of the Dis-t (or Territory) of and make return thereof to the said Marshal, agreeto the directions of an act of Congress, en-An act to provide for taking the fifth tates,' according to the best of my shiftand that I will take the said enumeration and cription, by actual inquiry at every dwelling ne within said division, or personal inquiry of head of every family, and not otherwise." commercial shall commence on the first in June, in the year one thousand eight hund and thirty, and shall be completed and clowithin six calender months thereafter; several assistants shall, within the said six ohs, and on or before the first day of Decem-one thousand eight hundred and thirty, de-to the Marshal, by whom they shall be ap-ned, paymanically the article that the shall be apnied, respectively, two copies of the accurate mas, of all persons, except Indians not taxed, senumerated, as aforesaid, within their rearea, of all persons, except Intians not taxen, as caumerated, as aforesaid, within their rective divisions, which returns shall be made schedule, the form of which is moraced to a set, and which shall distinguish, in each ant, and district, or parish, according to the cidivisions of the States or Territories respectly, the several families, by the name of their ter, mistress, steward, overseer, or other mipal persons therein.

[20] And be it farther enacted, That eveminant failing or neglecting to make a pro-

mant failing or neglecting to make a pro-turn, or making a false return, of the enu-ion, to the Marshal, within the time limi-thia act, shall forfeit the sum of two hunars recoverable in the manner pointed

in the next acction of this act.

a. 3. And be it further enacted, That the rehals shall file one copy of each of the severturns aforesaid, and, also, an attested coof the aggregate amount hereinafter directed, the aggregate amount hereinafter directed, transmitted by them respectively, to the ctary of State, with the clerks of their respec-buriet or Superior Courts, as the case may "be are hereby directed to receive, and carepetitely, shall, on or before the first day of brusty, in the year one thousand right hund and thirty-one, transmit to the Secretary of its one copy of the several returns received a cash assistant, and, also, the aggregate assistant of each description of persons within their petite Districts or Territories; and every rehalfalling to file the returns of his assistant, the returns of any of them, with the Clerks the respective Courts, as sloves of the aggregate form one copy of the several returns receitron each assistant, and, also, the aggregate count of each description of persons, in their sective Districts on Territories, as required by act, and as the same shall appear from returns, to the Secretary of State, within the limited by this act, shall, for every such attention, the section of the Districts or Territories where the offences shall be committed, or within the mit Courts held within the same, by setton of a information, or indistment; the one half information, or indistment; the one half information, to preserve, the same; and the Marshals stively, shall, on or before the first day o

triets or territories, may make such further allowance to the assistants, in such divisions, as shall be deeped an adequate compensation: Provided, The same does not exceed one dollar and seventy-five cents for every fifty persons by them returned: Previded, further. That, before any assistant, as aforesaid, shall, in any case, be cutilled to receive said compensation, he shall take and subscribe the following asth or affirmation, before some Judge or Justice of the Pesce, authorized to administer the same, to wit: "I, do solemnly seem for affirm that the authorized to administer the same, to wit: "I, A. II., do solemnly swear, (or affirm) that the number of persons set forth in the return made by me, agreeably to the provisions of the act, entitled 'An act to provide for taking the fifth Census or enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States,' have been sucertained by an actual inquiry at every dwelling-house, or a personal inquiry of the head of every tamily, in exact conformity with the provisions of said act, and that I have, in every respect, fulfilled the duties re-I have, in every respect, fulfilled the duties required of me by and act to the best of my shill ties; and that the return aforesaid is correct and true, according to the best of my knowledge and belief." The compensation of the several Marshala shall be as follows:

The Marshal of the District of Maine, three undred dollars. The Marshal of the District of New Hamp hire, three hundred dollars.
The Marshal of the District of Massach ree hundred and fifty dollars.
The Marshal of the District of Rhode Island

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The Marshal of the District of Vermont, three hundred dollars.

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The Marshal of the Southern District

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The Marshal of the Western District of Virginia, three hundred dollars.

The Marshal of the District of Kentucky,

theer hundred and fifty dollars. The Marshal of the District of North Carolina, three hundred and fifty dollars. The Marshal of the District of South Carolina, hree handred and fifty dollars. The Marshal of the District of Georgia, three

bundred and fifty dollars.
The Marshal of the District of East Tennessee The Marshal of the District of Cast Tennessee, two hundred dollars.

The Marshal of the District of West Tennessee, two hundred dollars.

The Marshal of the District of Ohio, four hundred dollars.

red dollars.
The Marshal of the District of Indiana, two aundred and fifty dollars.
The Marshal of the District of Illinois, two The Marshal of the District of Mississippi,

vo hundred dollars.

The Marshals of the Districts of Louisians, oue hundred and twenty-five dollars each. The Marshal of the District of Alabama, two hundred and fifty dollars.

The Marshal of the District of Missouri, two hundred dollars.

The Marshal of the District of Columbia, one authred dollars.
The Murshal of the Michigan Territory, one

undred and fifty dollars.

The Marshal of the Arkansas Territory, one hundred and fifty dollars.
The Marshals of the Territory of Florida, respectively, one hundred dullars.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That every person whose assual place of abode shall be in any family, on the said first day in June, one thousand eight hundred and thirty, shall be re-turned as of such family; and the name of every person who shall be an inhabitant of any District or Territory, without a settled place of resi-dence, shall be inserted in the column of the achedule which is allotted for the heads of funilies, in the division where he or she shall be, on the said first day in June; and every person ouensionally absent at the time of enumeration, as belonging to the place in which he or she usu-ally resides in the United States.

Sec. 5. And be it further enacted, That each and every free person, more than sixteen years of age, whether heads of families or not, helonging to any family within any division, district or Territory, made or established within the United States, shall be, and hereby is obliged to render to the assistant of the civision, if required, a true account, to the best of his or her knowledge, of every person belonging to such family, respectively, according to the several descriptions aforesaid, on pain of forfeiting twenty dollars, to be sued for and recovered, in any action of debt, by such assistant; the one half to his own use, and the other half to the use of the United States.

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See. 7. And be it further enacted. That each and every assistant, previous to making his return to the Marshal, shall cause a correct copy, signed by himself, of the schedule containing the number of inhabitants within his division, to be set up at two of the most public places within the same, there to remain for the inspestion of all concerned; for each of which c pies, the said assistant shall be entitled to receive five dollars: Provided, Proof of the schedule having been set up, shall be transmitted to the Marshal, with the return of the number of persons, and, in case any assistant shall fail to make such proof to the Marshal, with the return of the number of persons, as aloreraid, he shall forfeit the compensation allowed him by this act.

See, 8. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of State shall be, and hereby, ic, authorized and required to transmit, to the Marshals of the several Districts and Territories, regulations and instructions, pursuant to this regulations and instructions, pursuant to this act, for carrying the same into effect; and, also, the forms contained therein, of the schedule to the forms contain be returned, and such other forms as may be

necessary in carrying this act into execution, and proper interrogatories, to be administered

lars for every fifty persons by them returned; and sheet any such county or parish shall exceed forty miles square, and the number of inhabitants in the same shall not exceed three thousand, a like allowance shall be made, n. to exceed six dollars for every fifty persons to returned.

See 41. And be it further enocted. That, when the aforeused to the office of the Secretary of Sinte, by the Marshals of the Sixtenand Territories, he shall direct the printers to Conserves.

tion, for the appointment of such assistant to discharge the daties required of such assistant ander this act, or shall retain from such assistant and any portion of the compensation allowed to the assistant by this act, the said Marshal shall be described with act, the said Marshal shall be deemed guilty of a missermeanor in office, and shall tories and pay the amount of five hundred dollars, for each officace, to be recovered by suit or indictment in any Circuit or District Court in the United States, or the Territories thereof, one half to the use of the Go-vernment, and the other half to the informer. scriment, and the other half to the informer; and all contracts which may be need in violation of this law, shall be void, and all sums of money or property paid, may be recovered back by the party paying the same, in any court having jurisdiction of the same.

See, 12 And be it further enacted, That there shall be allowed and paid to the Marshala of the

shall be allowed and paid to the marshall be recall States. Territories, and the District of Columbia, the amount of postage by them respectively paid on letters relating to their duties under this set.

Sec. 13. And be at fin they engoted, That the

President of the United States is hereby author-ized to cause to be made a careful revision of the statements heretofore transmitted to Con gress, of all former enumerations of the population of the United States and their Territories, and to eause an abstract of the aggregate amount of population in each State and Territories. designating the number of inhabitants of each description, by counties or parishes, to the number of two thousand copies, which said copies shall be distributed as Congress shall hereafter direct, and for that purpose, the sum after direct, and for that purpose, the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby apropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Who are blind.

Who are deaf and dumb of the age of twenty-five and upwards. Who are deaf and dumb of the age of fourteen and nuder twenty-five. teen years of age. ALIENS, -Foreigners not naturalized and upwards. Who are deaf and demb of the age fourteen and under twenty-five. Who are deal and dumb under four teen years of age. Of fifty-five and under one hundred. Of thirty-six and ouder fitty-five. Of twenty-four and under thirty-six. Of ten and under twenty-four. Under ten years of age, Of one handred and upwards, Of fity-five and under one hundred. Ot thirty-six and ander lifty-five. Of twenty-four and under thirty-aix. Of ten and under twenty-tours Under ten years of age. Of one linidered and spwards. Of fifty-five and under one hundred Of thirty-six and under fifty-five. Of twenty-four and under thirty-six. Of ten and under twenty-four. Under ten years of age. Of one hundred and upwards. Of fifty-five and under one hundred Of thirty-six and under fifty-five. Of twenty-lour and under thirty-six Of ten and under twenty-four-Under ton years of age.

Of one handred and upwards. Of ninety and under one hundred. Of eighty and under ninety. Of seventy and under eighty. Of sixty and under seventy. Of fifty and under sixty. Of forty and under fifty. Of thirty and under forty Of twenty and under thirty. Of filteen and under twenty, Of ten and underfifteen. Of five and under ten. Under five years of age. Of one hundred and upwards.

Of ninety and under one hundred. Of eighty and under usuety. Of seventy and under eighty. Of sixty and under seventy. Of fifty and under sixty. Of forty and under fitty.

Of thirty and under forty. Of twenty and under thirty. Of fifteen and under twenty, Of ten and under fitteen. Of five and under ten. Under five years of age. Names of Heads of Families.

Name of County, City, Ward, Town, Township, Parish, Precinct, Hundred, or District,

A. STEVENSON. Speaker of the House of Representatives.

J. C. CALHOUN,

Vice-President of the United States, and

President of the Senate. Approved, March 23, 1830

ANDREW JACKSON

up James River, in the State of Virginia.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Reresentatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, from and after the

o set, to continue in tope or a corrain soldiers in the late war the bounty lands drawn by them, others in lieu thereof, and for oil Be it enacted by the Senate and chemistries of the United States in serian soldiers in the late war to successive bounty lands drawn by them, and to locate oil in lieu thereof," he, and the same is hereby of tinued in force for the term of five years, the provisions of the above recited set shall and are hereby, extended to those having claims in the States of Illino's and Missouri. Approved, March 23, 1830.

An Act, making appropriations to carry into elfect curtain Indian Treaties.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled. That the following sume be, and the same are hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, viz.

For payment for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty, of the permanent annuity provided for by the second article of the treaty concluded at Prairie do Chien, the twenty-mink July, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, with the Chippewa, Ottawa, and Pottawatamie Indians, aixteen thousand dollars.

For the purchase of goods, stipulated by the For the purchase of goods, stipulated he said article to be delivered to the said In-

we've thousand dollars.

For the purchase of fifty barrels of salt, for an thousand eight hundred and thirty, stipulated the said article, one hundred and twenty-first

and expense of provisions at the delivery of the one thousand dollars.
the payment of claims provided for by the the said treaty, eleven thousa x hundred and one cottors.

For the expense of surveying the boundaries of serveying the boundaries of serveying the boundaries of serveying the boundaries of the servey two thousand

For the payment, for the year one thouseight hundred and thirty, of the limited ann eight hundred and thirty, of the limited simulty provided by the second article of the treaty made at Prairie du Chien, the second August, one thousand eight hundred and twenty nine, with the Winnebago Indians, eighteen thousand dellars.

For purchasing goods to be delivered at the treaty as stipulated by the said second article, thirty thousand dellars.

For purchasing three thousand pounds of to-bacco, per same article, for one thousand eight hundred and thirty, three hundred dellars.

For transportation of the same, sixty dellars.

For purchasing fifty barrels of salt, per said second article, one hundred and twenty-five dellars.

Por transportation of the same, one hundred ding pay of smiths, and assistants, also, tools, iron, steel, &c. for the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty, as per third article of said

For the purchase of two yoke of oxen and a cast, and for the services of a man at the portage of Wisconsin and Fox rivers, for one thousand of Wiscossin and Fox rivers, for one housened eight hundred and thirty, as per same article, five hundred and thirty-five dollars.

For the payment of sundry claims against the Winnebagoes, as provided for by the fourth ar-ticle of said treaty, twenty-three thousand five hundred and thirty-two dollars.

On the morning of the 24th of February, the Helan McGregor stopped at Memphis to deliver freight and land a number of passengers, who resided in that section of Tennessee. The time occupied in so doing could not have exceeded three quarters of an hour. When the boat landed, I went ashore to see a gentleman with whom I had some business. I found him on the beach; and, after a short conversation, returned to the boat. I recollect looking at my watch as I passed the gangway. It was half past eight o'clock. A great number of persons were stand-A great number of persons were standing on what is called the boiler deck, being that part of the upper deck situated immediately over the boilers. It was crowded to excess, and presented one dense mass of human bodies. In a few minutes we sat down to breakfast in the cabin. The table, although extending the whole length of the cabin, was completely filled, there being upwards of sixty cabin passengers, among whom were several ladies and children. The number of passengers on board, deck to wait uptil it could be close naticular. Verted into steam, and the nues, not being sufficiently large to carry it off as quickly as it was generated, nor the boiler head of a strength capable of resisting its action, the explosion was a matural result.

I assume this proposition to be cornamber of passengers on board, deck and cabin united, was between four and five hundred. I had almost finished my breakfast when the pilot rung his boil piece of artillery—the report was perhaps londer than usual in such cases—
for an exclamation was half uttered by me to the effect that the gun was well loaded, when the rushing sound of steam and the rattling of glass in some of the cabin windows checked my speech, and told too well what had occurred. I aland the rattling of glass in some of the cabin windows checked my speech, and told too well what had occurred. I almost involuntarily bent my head and body down to the floor—a vague idea scened to shoot across my mind that more than one boiler might burst, and that, by assuming this posture, the destroying matter might pass over without touching me.—The general cry of man has brought to his ately after the amputation.

So soon as I was relieved from attention and the cabin, I went to gate of his dungeou, was permitted examine that part of the boat where the boiler had burst. It was a complete wreck—a picture of destruction. It here at day for Jackson. After at the power which the ingenuity of man has brought to his grudent, the poor woman was turned leading her two infant children weeping bitterly. From some credit.

which lay more towards the stern of the boat. All regard to order or deference to sex seemed to be lost in the alrugue for which should be first not furthest removed from the dreaded boilers. The danger had already passed on, carrying one or men in its month. Beveral dead the chair on which I had been previously sitting. Only one person or two staid in the cabin with me. As yet not more than balf a minute had clapsed since the explosion; but, in that brief space how had the scene changed. In that apparently, there was no expedicitly the points of the points ord a general race to the ladies' cabin, der how had the scene changed! In that spparently, there was no sensibili "drop of time" what confusion, distress, maining. The body must have and dismay! An instant before, and thrown from the bailer deck, a distant

I advanced from my position to one of the exbin doors for the purpose of inquiring who were injured, when, just as I reached it, a man entered at the opposite one, both his bands covering his face, and exclaiming "Oh God! oh God! I am lost! I am ruined!" He immediately began to tear off his clothes. When stripped, he presented a most shocking and afflicting spectacle: his shocking and afflicting spectacle: his face was entirely black—his body without a particle of skin. He had been flaved alive. He gave me his name, and place of shock—then sunk in a state of exhaustion and agony on the floor. I assisted in placing him on a mattrass taken from one of the births, floor. I assisted in placing him on a been accertained; that however, though mattrass taken from one of the births, it had been attempted, would, under and covered him with blankets. He the circumstances, have been next to impossible. complained of heat and cold as at once oppressing him. He bore his torments with a manly fortitude, yet a convulsive shrick would occasionally burst were his constant theme; it was hard to die without seeing them-"it was hard to go without bidding them one farewell!" Oil and cotton were applied to his wounds; but he soon became in-

fur the engineer to put the machinery in I could not take my gaze from his face shall be proved.

—there all was coolness and resigna
A Cabin Pa off, I was in the act of raising my cup to tion. No word or gesture indicative my lip, the tingling of the pilot bell yet of impatience escaped him. He peron my ear, when I heard an explosion, ceived by my loud and, perhaps, augry resembling the discharge of a small tone of voice, how much I was excited

and dismay! An instant before, and all were in the quiet repose of security—another, and they were overwhelmed with alarm and consternation. It is but justice to say that in this scene of terror the tadies exhibited a degree of firmness worthy of all praise. No screaming, no fainting, their fears, when attered, were for their husbands and children, and for themselves.

Ladranced from my position to one I advanced from my position to one the arm down to the tips of the fingers

Judging from the crowd which I saw on the boiler deck immediately before the explusion, and the statement which from him. Itis wife, his children, I received as to the number of those who succeeded in swimming out af ter they were cast into the river, I am inclined to believe that between forty and fifty must have pershed.

The cabin passengers escaped owing to the peculiar construction of the boat. sensible to earthly misery. Before I had done attending to him, the whole floor of the cabin was covered with unfortunate sufferers. Some hore up ander the horrors of their situation with a degree of resolution amounting to hence the horrors of their situation with a degree of resolution amounting to hence the horrors of their situation with a degree of resolution amounting to hence and two inches in thickness. One degree of resolution amounting to heroism. Others were wholly overcome by the sense of pain, the suddenness of the fatal disaster, and the near approach of death, which even to them was evident—whose pangs they already felt. Some implored us, as an act of humanity, to complete the work of destruction, and free them from present suffering. One entreated the presence of a clergyman to pray by him, declaring he was not fit to die. Linguis arcusted by the icon research arcusted by the icon research arcusted by the icon research. claring he was not fit to die. I inquire structed by the iron post must have ed; none could be had. On every side made a clear sweep of those who were were to be heard groans and mingled scated at the table.

of Wisconsin and Fox vivers, for one housand eight hundred and thirty, as per same article, the hundred and thirty, as per same article, the hundred and thirty five dollars.

For the payment of sandry claims against the Winnehagoes, as provided for by the fourth article of said treaty, twenty-three thousand five hundred and thirty-two dollars.

For expense of surveying the boundaries of the territory couled by the said treaty, one thousand seven hundred and furty dollars.

Approved, March 25, 1830.

We are indebted to an intelligent gentleman, a passenger on brard the Helen WGregor, for the following interesting narrative:

U. S. Telegraph.

On the morning of the 24th of Febru-

engaged in hauling the boat.

I knew, and he knew, that delay bursts it is fair to infer that it proceed was death—that life was fast ebbing. ded from neglect, until the contrary.

all be proved.

A Cabin Passenger on board the

Hellen McGregor. Washington City, 26th March, 1850.

Bolivar, Ten. March 6. in adversity, has ever hovered near the gate of his dungeou, was permitted enter his Cell and take a last farewe