

wit: The southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section twelve, in township fifteen north, of range one east of the Black Hills meridian, in the county of Butte and State of South Dakota, containing an area of ten acres of land, said patent to contain the provision that said land shall be used for cemetery purposes only: *Provided*, That the said association pay one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre therefor.

Approved, April 19, 1906.

Description.

*Proviso.*  
Price.

**CHAP. 1640.**—An Act Providing for the establishment of a life-saving station at or near Neah Bay, in the State of Washington, and for the construction of a first-class ocean-going tug to be used in connection therewith, for life-saving purposes in the vicinity of the north Pacific coast of the United States, and so forth.

April 19, 1906.  
[S. 5025.]

[Public, No. 111.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized to establish a life-saving station at or near Neah Bay, in the State of Washington, at such point as the general superintendent of the Life-Saving Service may recommend, said station, in addition to the usual equipment, to be supplied with two self-righting and self-bailing lifeboats, at a cost not to exceed thirty thousand dollars.

Life-Saving Service.  
Station established  
near Neah Bay, Wash.

Maximum cost.

SEC. 2. That there shall be constructed, for and under the supervision of the Revenue-Cutter Service, a first-class ocean-going tug, for service in saving life and property in the vicinity of the north Pacific coast of the United States, which said tug shall be equipped with wireless-telegraph apparatus, surfboats, and such other modern life and property saving appliances as may be deemed useful in assisting vessels and rescuing persons and property from the perils of the sea at a cost not to exceed one hundred and seventy thousand dollars.

First-class ocean-  
going tug.  
*Post*, p. 702.

Maximum cost.

SEC. 3. That said tug shall be manned and operated by the Revenue-Cutter Service, and, under such regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury may prescribe, shall cooperate with the life-saving station hereby authorized to be established.

Regulations.

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**CHAP. 1641.**—An Act To provide for the establishment of a public crematorium in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.

April 20, 1906.  
[H. R. 14578.]

[Public, No. 112.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That whenever the dead body of any person who has died from smallpox, Asiatic cholera, typhus fever, the plague, leprosy, glanders, scarlet fever, diphtheria, or epidemic cerebro-spinal meningitis comes into the custody of any officer, employee, or agent of the District of Columbia to be disposed of at public expense, the said officer, employee, or agent shall cause said body to be incinerated.

District of Columbia.  
Crematorium estab-  
lished.

Location.

SEC. 2. That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to erect and operate on reservation thirteen, commonly known as the Washington Asylum grounds, in the city of Washington, in said District, a crematorium of size sufficient for the incineration of all bodies that can not, except at public expense, be disposed of within a reasonable time after death, and for the incineration of such other bodies as may be presented for that purpose by the persons having custody thereof. Said Commissioners are hereby authorized to make and enforce all rules necessary for the proper maintenance and operation of said crematorium, and to prescribe and collect for the incineration of bodies not necessarily disposed

Enforcement of reg-  
ulations.

Fees for incinera-  
tion.

*Proviso.*  
Waiver or reduction  
of charges allowed.

Receipts.

Law for "promotion  
of anatomical science,  
etc.," not affected.  
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Appropriation.

One-half from Dis-  
trict revenues.

of at public expense fees in such amounts as may be required to defray the cost of incineration: *Provided*, That in any case the Commissioners may, by special order, waive or reduce the usual charges whenever, in the opinion of said Commissioners, to enforce such charges would be burdensome or oppressive upon the person or persons responsible for the disposal of the remains. All fees collected under the provisions of this Act shall be paid to the collector of taxes of the District of Columbia, and be deposited by him in the Treasury of the United States, one-half to the credit of the United States and one-half to the credit of the District of Columbia.

SEC. 3. That nothing in this Act shall be construed as repealing or in any way modifying any of the provisions of an Act entitled "An Act for the promotion of anatomical science and to prevent the desecration of graves in the District of Columbia," approved April twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and two.

SEC. 4. That for the construction of a crematorium on reservation thirteen, in the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, and of all necessary approaches thereto, and for all necessary grading and fencing, for the equipment of said crematorium, and for the maintenance and operation of said crematorium until the thirtieth day of June next following its completion, there be, and is hereby, appropriated the sum of fifteen thousand dollars out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, one-half payable out of the funds of the United States and one-half out of the funds of the District of Columbia.

Approved, April 20, 1906.

April 21, 1906.  
[S. 980.]

[Public, No. 113.]

Lower Brule Indian  
Reservation, S. Dak.  
Sale of portion of,  
authorized.  
Description.

*Provisos.*  
Lands reserved for  
school purposes.

Indians may ex-  
change allotments for  
other lands.

Appraisalment, etc.

Proclamation.

CHAP. 1645.—An Act To authorize the sale of a portion of the Lower Brule Indian Reservation in South Dakota, and for other purposes.

*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, as hereinafter provided, to sell or dispose of the west half of townships one hundred and six, one hundred and seven, one hundred and eight, one hundred and nine, and one hundred and ten north, range seventy-seven west of the fifth principal meridian, and fractional townships one hundred and six, one hundred and seven, one hundred and eight, one hundred and nine, and one hundred and ten north, range seventy-eight west of the fifth principal meridian, and fractional township one hundred and ten north, range seventy-nine west of the fifth principal meridian, the same being the western portion of the Lower Brule Indian Reservation in South Dakota, comprising approximately fifty-six thousand five hundred and sixty acres: *Provided*, That sections sixteen and thirty-six of the lands in each township shall not be disposed of, but shall be reserved for the use of the common schools and paid for by the United States at one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, and the same are hereby granted to the State of South Dakota for such purpose: *Provided further*, That any Indians to whom allotments have been made on the tract to be ceded may, in case they desire to do so before said lands are offered for sale, relinquish same and select allotments in lieu thereof on the diminished reservation.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior shall cause said lands, except sections sixteen and thirty-six in each township, to be appraised by legal subdivisions, and when all of said lands have been appraised the same shall be disposed of under the general provisions of the homestead laws of the United States, and shall be opened to settlement and entry at not less than their appraised value by proclamation of the