

Surrendered lands made part of reservation.

That in case the exchange herein contemplated shall be perfected the lands so surrendered by the State shall be held to be a part of the present Pine Ridge Reservation and subject to the laws enacted for or applicable to the said reservation.

Approved, March 1, 1921.

March 1, 1921.  
[H. R. 1430.]  
[Public, No. 341.]

**CHAP. 92.**—An Act To authorize the addition of certain lands to the Weiser National Forest, Idaho.

Weiser National Forest, Idaho.  
Lands added to.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That any lands within the following-described areas found after examination by the Secretary of Agriculture to be chiefly valuable for the production of timber or the protection of stream flow may, with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, be included within and made a part of the Weiser National Forest by proclamation of the President, said lands to be thereafter subject to all laws affecting national forests:

Description.

Sections six, seven, eighteen, thirty, and thirty-one, township fourteen north, range four west; sections one, twelve, thirteen, twenty-three, twenty-four, twenty-five, twenty-six (the south half and the northeast quarter of section twenty-seven), sections thirty-four and thirty-five, township fourteen north, range five west; sections one to twelve, inclusive, township thirteen north, range five west; sections one and two, township thirteen north, range six west; all of the Boise meridian and base, Idaho.

Approved, March 1, 1921.

March 1, 1921.  
[H. R. 2946.]  
[Public, No. 342.]

**CHAP. 93.**—An Act To amend acts to permit the use of the right of way through the public lands for tramroads, canals, and reservoirs, and for other purposes.

Public lands. Easements adjoining irrigation rights of way, etc., permitted for administration work.  
Vol. 26, p. 1101.  
Vol. 30, p. 404.  
Vol. 39, p. 1197.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That in addition to the rights of way granted by sections 18, 19, 20, and 21 of the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to repeal timber-culture laws, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1891 (Twenty-sixth Statutes, page 1095), as amended by the Act of Congress entitled "An Act to amend the Irrigation Act of March 3, 1891 (Twenty-sixth Statutes, page 1095, section 18), and to amend section 2 of the Act of May 11, 1898 (Thirtieth Statutes, page 404)," approved March 4, 1917 (Thirty-ninth Statutes, page 1197), and, subject to the conditions and restrictions therein contained, the Secretary of the Interior is authorized to grant permits or easements for not to exceed five acres of ground adjoining the right of way at each of the locations, to be determined by the Secretary of the Interior, to be used for the erection thereon of dwellings or other buildings or corrals for the convenience of those engaged in the care and management of the works provided for by said Acts: *Provided,* That this Act shall not apply to lands within national forests.

Approved, March 1, 1921.

*Proviso.*  
Not applicable to national forests.

March 1, 1921.  
[H. R. 5416.]  
[Public, No. 343.]

**CHAP. 94.**—An Act To authorize corporations organized in the District of Columbia to change their names.

District of Columbia Code Amendment.  
Vol. 31, p. 1288, amended.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Code of Law for the District of Columbia be, and the same is hereby, amended by inserting

another section, to be known as section 639a, which shall read as follows:

"SEC. 639a. That any corporation organized under the laws of the District of Columbia may change its name in the manner following:

"The board of directors shall pass a resolution declaring that such change is advisable and calling a meeting of the stockholders to take action thereon. Such a meeting shall be called upon such notice as the by-laws provide, and in the absence of such provision upon ten days' notice given personally to each stockholder as his address is contained in the records of such corporation, a notice deposited in the United States mail, postage prepaid, at least ten days prior to such meeting to be considered sufficient notice under this Act. If two-thirds in interest of each class of stockholders having voting powers and of other persons having like powers shall vote in favor of such a change, a certificate thereof shall be signed by the president and secretary, under the corporate seal, and acknowledged as in the case of deeds of real estate, and such certificate shall be filed in the office of the recorder of deeds of the District of Columbia, and upon the filing of the same the certificate of incorporation shall be deemed to be amended and the name changed accordingly; and the filing of said certificate in conformity with this Act shall have the same force and effect as to all future proceedings as if said certificate of incorporation or organization had been originally drafted in conformity with the amendment so made.

"That a certified copy of such certificate shall be taken and accepted as evidence in all courts and places of all matters legally stated therein; and the recorder of deeds shall keep an index in his office showing the new name and the change from the old name, and the old name showing the change to the new name; and no fees shall be required by the recorder of deeds for filing and recording any such certificate, except that ordinarily required for deeds of real estate of like length.

"That a corporation under its new name shall have the same rights, powers, and privileges, and shall be subject to the same duties, obligations, and liabilities as before, and may sue and be sued by its new name, but no action brought against it or by it under its former name shall be abated on that account, and on motion of either party the new name may be substituted therefor in the action.

"That upon the filing of said certificate for record a copy thereof shall be inserted, by the corporation whose name has been changed as hereinabove provided, once each week for four consecutive weeks, in two daily papers published in the District of Columbia."

Approved, March 1, 1921.

**CHAP. 95.**—An Act To provide for the redistribution of general taxes and special assessments due and payable on real estate in the District of Columbia, in cases of subdivision or sales of land therein.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the first paragraph of section 5 of "An Act making appropriations to provide for the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1903, and for other purposes," approved July 1, 1902, is hereby amended following the word "and" in the fourth line thereof, by substituting the following for the remaining six lines of that paragraph, namely:

"Whenever a subdivision of any lot or parcel of land in the District of Columbia, or any portion of any such lot or parcel is made during the months of July, August, September, October, November, or December, the general tax due and payable upon such lot or parcel

Corporations.

Proceedings for change of name.

Meetings of stockholders.

Certificate of favorable action to be filed with recorder of deeds.

Effect of filing.

Certified copy of certificate accepted as evidence.

Rights, etc., transferred.

Publication required.

March 1, 1921.  
[H. R. 8535.]  
[Public, No. 344.]

District of Columbia. Taxes on real estate. Vol. 32, p. 616, amended.

Payment if subdivision made during first half of fiscal year.