An Act declaring the consent of the Legislature of
the State of California to the purchase by the United States of cer-
tain lands that have, or may hereafter be purchased by the United
States, in the State of California, and to vest the jurisdiction over
the same in the United States, for the purpose herein specified.

[Approved April 29, 1861.]

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and
Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The consent of the State of California is hereby
given to the purchase by the United States of certain tracts, or
parcels, of land, situated in the counties of Marin, Mendocino,
Humboldt, and Klamath, for the purpose of erecting and main-
taining thereon such light-houses, beacons, fog-guns, ear-signals,
and all other structures that may be deemed necessary for the
use of the government of the United States.

SEC. 2. The title and interest of the State of California to, and
in, such portions of the counties named in the preceding section
as are, or may be, purchased by the United States, for the pur-
poses named in the preceding section, and the jurisdiction of
such lands and the overflowed portion thereof, is hereby ceded
by the State of California to the United States, for the purposes
aforesaid; provided, that the consent to the purchase and the
grant and relinquishment of title by this State to the United
States, in this act contained, shall not be construed in aid, or sup-
port, directly, or impliedly, of any conveyance, or bond, for title
to the United States of the same lands heretofore made, or which
may hereafter be made, by any person, or persons, company, or
corporations, or as a recognition on the part of the State of Cali-
ifornia, of any claim, title, or grant, heretofore asserted, or set
up, or which may hereafter be asserted, or set up, by any person,
or persons, company, or corporation.

SEC. 3. The jurisdiction ceded to the United States in the last
section is upon the express condition that the State
of California shall retain a concurrent jurisdiction with the Uni-
ited States in, and over, the said tract of land so far as that civil
process in all cases, and such criminal process as may issue under
the authority of the State of California, against any person, or
persons, charged with crime committed within, or without, said
tracts of land, may be executed therein in the same way and
manner as if this jurisdiction had not been ceded, and all the
lands and tenements within the limits aforesaid shall be, and con-
tinue forever hereafter, exonerated and discharged from all taxes,
assessments, and other charges, which may be imposed by au-
thority of this State.

SEC. 4. The relinquishment made, the jurisdiction ceded, and
the exemption from taxation, granted by this act, shall continue
so long as the premises herein specified shall remain in the occu-
pancy of the above United States of America, for the purposes
mentioned in the first section of this act, and no longer.

SEC. 5. The road leading from Bearding's Store, in Humboldt
County, south by Cape Mendocino, is herein declared a public
highway, as far south as Singley's Creek. Nothing contained in
this act shall prevent the United States from altering said road wherever it runs through any land that may be purchased by the United States.

CHAP. CCLVI.—An Act to organize a Board of Supervisors in and for the County of Tehama, and to district said County.

[Approved April 29, 1861.]

The People of the State of California, represented in Senate and Assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. The county of Tehama is hereby divided into three Supervisor Districts, to be called District Number One, District Number Two, and District Number Three, as follows: District Number One shall be composed of all of said county on the west side of Sacramento River, lying south of the northern boundary line of the township of Red Bluff, and north of Red Bank Creek; District Number Two shall be composed of all of said county on the west side of Sacramento River, lying south of Red Bank Creek, and all of said county on the east side of said river, lying south of Mill Creek; District Number Three shall be composed of all of said county on the east side of the Sacramento River, lying north of Mill Creek, and all on the west side of said river, lying north of the township of Red Bluff.

SEC. 2. The Board of Supervisors of said county shall, from and after the first Monday in October, A. D. eighteen hundred and sixty-one, be composed of five Supervisors, who shall have the same powers and duties as are now prescribed by law, of whom two shall be elected in, and be residents of, District Number One, two in District Number Two, and one in District Number Three. Their term of office shall be two years, from and after the first Monday in the month succeeding their election, and until their successors shall be elected and qualified, except as otherwise provided in this section. At the general election in eighteen hundred and sixty-one, two Supervisors shall be elected in District Number One, one of whom shall be for a term of one year, and one for a term of two years; and one Supervisor shall be elected in said district at the general election in each year after eighteen hundred and sixty-one. At the general election in eighteen hundred and sixty-one, one Supervisor shall be elected in District Number Two, for a term of two years, and one Supervisor shall be elected in said district at the general election in each year after eighteen hundred and sixty-one; and A. G. Toomes, present Supervisor of said county, shall be a member of the Board created by this act, and his term of office shall extend until the qualification of his successor to be elected in eighteen hundred and sixty-two; for District Number Three, J. M. Shackleford, present Supervisor, shall be a member of said Board, and his term of office shall extend until the qualification of his successor, to be elected in eighteen hundred and sixty-three; and a Supervisor shall be elected in said district at the general election every two years thereafter.