of the said railroad: And provided further, That if the said railroad shall not be completed within two years, or if, at any time after its completion, the said railroad be discontinued or abandoned, the grant shall cease and determine.

APPROVED, January 7, 1853.

Jan. 7, 1853.

born Cross.

CHAP. XI.—An Act for the Relief of Osborn Cross, of the United States Army.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Settlement of Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, in adjusting the accounts of Os- accounts of Osborn Cross, a quartermaster in the United States army, to give him credit for a sum equal to the amount of the Treasury notes of the United States of which he was robbed, in New Orleans, on the night of the eighth of October, A. D. eighteen hundred and forty-two, to wit: about the sum of six thousand six hundred and three dollars and ninety-two cents, after deducting the amount recovered from the robbers, to wit: about the sum of three thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars and forty-five cents, (\$3,338 45.)

Approved, January 7, 1853.

Jan. 7, 1853.

CHAP. XII. - An Act for the Relief of Margaret L. Worth.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the In-Margaret L. terior be directed to place the name of Margaret L. Worth, widow of the Worth, to be late Brevet Major-General Worth, on the pension roll, at the rate of placed on pen- fifty dellars a month from the seventh day of May, eighteen hundred sion roll at \$50 fifty dollars a month, from the seventh day of May, eighteen hundred per month from and forty-nine, for and during her natural life. May 7, 1849, for life.

APPROVED, January 7, 1853.

Jan. 13, 1853.

CHAP. XIII. - An Act for the Relief of John T. Sullivan.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Postmaster-General is hereby authorized and required to pay to John T. Sullivan, the sum John T. Sullivan to be paid of one thousand six hundred and seventy dollars, out of the funds of the \$1,670. Post-Office Department, for folding, cutting, and quarter-binding, seventeen thousand five hundred copies of laws and instructions to postmasters, under a contract made with him by the Postmaster-General, dated twenty-seventh of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine; and also for folding, stitching, and binding, other laws and regulations subsequent to said contract, and for the storage of said laws.

APPROVED, January 13, 1853.

to Leonie.

Jan. 13, 1858. CHAP. XIV. - An Act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to issue a new Register to the ship Prentice, and change her name to that of Leonie.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Register to is- Treasury be, and is hereby authorized to issue a new Register to the sue to the Pren- American-built ship "Prentice," of Charleston, South Carolina, and to tice and her change her name to that of Leonie, said vessel having been burned and rebuilt.

APPROVED, January 13, 1853.

CHAP. XV. - An Act for the Relief of William Speiden.

Jan. 13, 1853. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United William Spei- States of America in Congress assembled, That the accounting officers of den allowance to the Treasury be directed to allow to William Speiden two and a half