priated, to Benneville Y. Shelley, thirteen hundred and fifteen dollars, in full for all claims of said Shelley against the government of the United States for his "claim" and improvements thereon, which were taken from him by the United States for the Omaha reservation, in Nebraska Territory, in the year eighteen hundred and fifty-five.

APPROVED, June 20, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXI. - An Act granting a Pension to Lawrence P. N. Landrum, of Taylor County, Kentucky.

July 2, 1862.

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 to place the name of Law- to Lawrence P. rence P. N. Landrum, of Taylor County, State of Kentucky, on the roll N. Landrum. of invalid pensions of the United States, and pay to him the sum of ninety-six dollars per annum, to be computed from the twenty-third day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two.

Invalid pension

APPROVED, July 2, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXII. - An Act for the Relief of the President and Directors of the Panama July 2, 1862. Railroad Company.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treas-road Company, ury be instructed to pay to the President and Directors of the Panama payment of Railroad Company the sum of seven thousand four hundred and seventy. \$7,475 to. five dollars, in full of all claims of said company on the United States for the transportation of certain persons from Panama to New York by agreement with Commodore Mervine.

APPROVED, July 2, 1862.

CHAP. CXXXVI. - An Act for the Relief of J. W. Nye.

July 5, 1862.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the payment to, for Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay unto J. horses, &c., for W. Nye, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, 28th Congress. the sum of fourteen hundred and fifty-four dollars and eighty-four cents. for balance due for furnishing horses and carryalls, and hauling boxes and other articles, for the use of the House of Representatives for the twenty-eighth Congress, under a written contract with the postmaster of the House of Representatives, dated January the fifth, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, and approved by said House of Representatives.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Treasury be further authorized and required to pay unto J. W. Nye, out of any for determination money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three thou- of a lease. sand four hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty-four cents, for balance due for inprovements made on the botanical garden lot, and for damages sustained by said J. W. Nye in being deprived of the use and occupation of the lot according to the terms and conditions contained in a certain lease from the President of the United States to said J. W. Nye.

For damages

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed and required, on payment of the sums hereinbefore given in full. named, to take receipts from said J. W. Nye, in full satisfaction of all claims for services or damages arising from the aforesaid contracts.

Receipts to be

APPROVED, July 5, 1862.