

CHAP. XCVII. — *An Act placing the Name of Theodore S. Comparet on the Pension Roll.* April 12, 1872.

*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 is hereby, directed to place on the pension roll the name of Theodore S. Comparet, late first lieutenant and quartermaster of the one hundred and forty-second Indiana volunteers, at the rate of twelve dollars and seventy-five cents per month, subject to the conditions and limitations of the pension laws, and to commence on the passage of this act.

Pension to Theodore S. Comparet.

APPROVED, April 12, 1872.

CHAP. XCVIII. — *An Act granting a Pension to Margaret Lee.* April 12, 1872.

*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 on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Margaret Lee, mother of David Lee, late a private in company B, fourteenth Ohio volunteers, and to pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Pension to Margaret Lee.

APPROVED, April 12, 1872.

CHAP. C. — *An Act for the Relief of Battelle and Evans.* April 15, 1872.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the court of claims is hereby authorized and directed to again take up, hear, and pass upon the claim of Battelle and Evans, for cattle and beef sold and delivered by them to the United States for the use of the army, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-two, which claim is in suit in said court; and said suit shall be adjudged upon its merits, and without respect to the lapse of six years since the cause of action accrued, but within six years since the final decision of the accounting officers thereon.

Court of claims to act upon the claim of Battelle and Evans.

APPROVED, April 15, 1872.

CHAP. CI. — *An Act for the Relief of F. B. Brayton.* April 16, 1872.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Postmaster General be and hereby is, authorized and directed to credit (as of the twenty-fourth day of May, anno Domini eighteen hundred and sixty-eight) to F. B. Brayton, postmaster of Mount Morris, Ogle county, in the State of Illinois, the sum of three hundred and fifteen dollars, in consideration of the loss of that amount in postage-stamps robbed from his post-office in Mount Morris, without his fault or negligence.

Credit to be allowed F. B. Brayton.

APPROVED, April 16, 1872.

CHAP. CV. — *An Act for the Relief of James T. Johnston, of Alexandria, Virginia.* April 17, 1872.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That to remedy an error of fact in a certain bill (H. R. No. 1867) for the relief of James T. Johnston, which heretofore passed both houses at the present session of Congress, and was returned April first, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, by the President of the United States, without his approval, on account of such error, the Secretary of the Treasury be authorized and directed to pay to James T. Johnston, of Alexandria, Virginia, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the amount of the proceeds of the sale for taxes due to the United States, without interest, of lot number one hundred and sixty-two, on Prince street, Alexandria, Virginia, less all taxes, costs,

Payment to James T. Johnston.