

PRIVATE ACTS OF THE FORTY-FOURTH CONGRESS

OF THE

UNITED STATES,

Passed at the first session, which was begun and held at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the sixth day of December, 1875, and was adjourned without day on Tuesday, the fifteenth day of August, 1876.

ULYSSES S. GRANT, President. THOMAS W. FERRY was chosen President of the Senate *pro tempore* on the nineteenth of March, 1875, in special session, and continued to act as such until the termination of that session, and from the beginning of the regular session on the sixth of December, 1875, until its termination on the fifteenth of August, 1876. MICHAEL C. KERR was elected Speaker of the House of Representatives on the sixth of December, 1875, and continued to act as such until the first of May, 1876, when he authorized SAMUEL S. COX to act in his stead as Speaker *pro tempore*. On the twelfth of May, 1876, SAMUEL S. COX was elected Speaker *pro tempore*, and on the twenty-fourth of June, 1876, MILTON SAYLER was elected Speaker *pro tempore* and continued to act as such until the end of the session.

CHAP. 7.—An act to remove political disabilities of George S. Hawkins, of Florida Feb. 7, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein), That the political disabilities imposed by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States by reason of participation in the rebellion, be, and they are hereby, removed from George S. Hawkins, of the State of Florida.

Political disabilities of George S. Hawkins.

Approved, February 7, 1876.

CHAP. 8.—An act to authorize George P. Marsh to accept a certain present from the government of Switzerland, and a certain present from the government of Italy. Feb. 12, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That George P. Marsh, the minister of the United States to the Kingdom of Italy, be, and he hereby is, authorized and empowered to accept a chronometer tendered him by the Republic of Switzerland, and a table tendered him by the Kingdom of Italy, in recognition of his services to said governments as arbitrator in a disagreement between the same touching a question of boundary.

George P. Marsh may accept presents.

Approved, February 12, 1876.

CHAP. 16.—An act to remove the political disabilities of Daniel T. Chandler, of Baltimore, Maryland. March 2, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein,) That all political disabilities imposed upon Daniel T. Chandler, of Baltimore, Maryland, by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States, by reason of participation in the rebellion, are hereby removed.

Political disabilities of Daniel T. Chandler.

Approved, March 2, 1876.

March 13, 1876.

CHAP. 21.—An act legalizing the homestead entry of Mrs. Phoebe C. Oakley, of Bay County, Michigan

Homestead entry of Phoebe C. Oakley confirmed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the homestead entry of Mrs. Phoebe C. Oakley, of Bay County Michigan, number twenty-seven hundred and thirteen, embracing the east half of northwest quarter of section eighteen, in township number fourteen north, of range number three east, in the State of Michigan, be, and the same is hereby, declared to be as valid as though she was the head of the family within the meaning of the homestead laws, and upon the proofs of occupancy and improvement by herself and family in the time and manner as required by law, the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall cause to be issued to her a patent therefor

Approved, March 13, 1876.

March 13, 1876.

CHAP. 22.—An act granting a Pension to Elizabeth A. Neibling.

Pension to Elizabeth A. Neibling.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth A. Neibling, widow of James M. Neibling, late colonel of the Twenty-first regiment Ohio volunteers, and pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 13, 1876.

March 14, 1876.

CHAP. 24.—An act for the relief of Ezra B. Barnett, postmaster at Norwich, New York.

Appropriation, money-order account.

Credit in accounts of Ezra B. Barnett.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to place the sum of ninety-five dollars to the credit of the Postmaster-General, with the assistant treasurer of the United States at New York, on money-order account; whereupon the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post Office Department shall credit Ezra B. Barnett, postmaster at Norwich, New York, with said amount in his account as said postmaster, it being the amount of surplus money-order funds mailed by said postmaster September twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, for deposit with the postmaster at Binghamton, New York; said money having been burned and destroyed, with the mail-car containing it, on the route to Binghamton, without the fault of said postmaster.

Approved, March 14, 1876.

March 14, 1876.

CHAP. 25.—An act for the relief of S. K. Thompson.

Samuel K. Thompson to be appointed second lieutenant.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President is hereby authorized to appoint Samuel K. Thompson to the rank of second lieutenant in the Army, with benefits of, and credit for, length of service as a commissioned officer in the Army prior to August tenth, eighteen

hundred and seventy-four: *Provided*, That no pay be given him for the actual period he was out of the service.

MICHAEL C. KERR
Speaker of the House of Representatives
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President March 2, 1876.

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CHAP. 26.—An act to remove the political disabilities of Samuel Cooper Jr, of Virginia. March 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two thirds of each House concurring therein) That all political disabilities imposed by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States by reason of participation in the rebellion, be, and they are hereby, removed from Samuel Cooper, Jr. of the State of Virginia.

Political disabilities of Samuel Cooper, jr.

Approved, March 14, 1876.

CHAP. 32.—An act for the relief of C. H. Frederick, late a lieutenant-colonel in the Ninth Missouri Infantry. March 22, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of three hundred and eighty-eight dollars and twenty-four cents be, and is hereby, appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, being amount due the said C. H. Frederick from date of enlistment to date of muster.

Payment to C. H. Frederick.

MICHAEL C. KERR
Speaker of the House of Representatives
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 33.—An act granting six hundred and forty acres of land to the widow and heirs of James Sinclair, deceased. March 22, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the tract of land known as the Military Timber Reservation, in Walla Walla County, Washington Territory, containing six hundred and forty-one and sixty-four hundredths acres, situate partly in township seven north, of range thirty-six east, and partly in township seven north, of range thirty-seven east, of the Willamette meridian, be, and the same is hereby, granted as follows: The west half of the said tract to Mary Sinclair, widow of

Grant of land to widow and heirs of James Sinclair.

James Sinclair, deceased; and the east half to said Mary Sinclair and the heirs of the said James Sinclair, deceased. And it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of the General Land-Office, by and through the proper United States land-office in Washington Territory, to cause the said tract of land to be surveyed, and to issue a patent therefor to the said widow and heirs of James Sinclair, deceased, in accordance with the provisions of this act, and of the act of Congress approved the twenty-seventh day of September, eighteen hundred and fifty, entitled "An act to create the office of surveyor-general of the public lands in Oregon, and to provide for the survey, and make donations to settlers of the public lands.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

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March 23, 1876. **CHAP. 34.**—An act granting a pension to John G. Parr, of Kittanning, Pennsylvania.

Pension to John G. Parr.
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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of John G. Parr, late a lieutenant-colonel of the One hundred and thirty-ninth Regiment Pennsylvania volunteers, and pay him a pension as of the rank of lieutenant colonel.

Approved, March 23, 1876.

March 23, 1876. **CHAP. 35.**—An act granting a pension to Frances C. Elliott.

Pension to Frances C. Elliott.
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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Frances C. Elliott, widow of Commodore Jesse D. Elliott, late of the United States Navy, and pay her a pension of fifty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act; and this pension to be in lieu of that which she is now receiving.

Approved, March 23, 1876.

March 23, 1876. **CHAP. 36.**—An act for the relief of First Lieutenant Henry Jackson, Seventh Cavalry, United States Army.

Credit in accounts of Henry Jackson.
Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting-officers of the Treasury Department be, and hereby are, authorized and directed to credit First Lieutenant Henry Jackson, Seventh Cavalry, United States Army, property and disbursing officer in the signal-service, in his account with the United States, with the sum of one thousand two hundred and seventy-one dollars and thirty four cents; being the

amount paid by First Lieutenant Henry Jackson, property and disbursing officer in the signal-service, to Matt France and George M. Brown, citizens of Colorado Springs, Colorado Territory, on false vouchers, and to David H. Sackett, sergeant in the signal-service, United States Army, on false receipts presented by him.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President March 11, 1876.

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CHAP. 37.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth B. Dyer, widow of Alexander B. Dyer, late brigadier-general and Chief of Ordnance United States Army.

March 25, 1876.

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 Mrs. Elizabeth B. Dyer, widow of Alexander B. Dyer, late brigadier-general and Chief of Ordnance, United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Pension to Elizabeth B. Dyer.

Approved, March 25, 1876.

CHAP. 38.—An act to relieve the political disabilities of Robert Tansill, of Virginia

March 25, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (Two thirds of each House concurring therein,) That all the political disabilities under which Robert Tansill, of Prince William County, Virginia, lies, under and by force of the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States, be removed.

Political disabilities of Robert Tansill.

Approved, March 25, 1876.

CHAP. 39.—An act approving an act of the legislative assembly of Colorado Territory.

March 27, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the act entitled "An act for the relief of Jotham A. Draper," passed by the legislative assembly of Colorado Territory, approved February ninth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, be, and the same is hereby, approved.

Act of Colorado Territory for relief of Jotham A. Draper approved.

Approved, March 27, 1876.

CHAP. 41.—An act for the relief of Hibben and Company, of Chicago, Illinois.

March 30, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Hibben and Company, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of three thousand nine hundred

Payment to Hibben and Company.

and twelve dollars and sixteen cents, or so much thereof as the said Hibben and Company shall prove, to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, that they have expended in the purchase of revenue-stamps used by them to stamp manufactured tobacco, upon which a tax had been previously paid under the revenue-laws in force at the time of its manufacture and sale, but which was made liable to be stamped under the act of July twentieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, thus requiring a double tax on the same tobacco; said payment to be made out of any money in the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 30, 1876.

April 6, 1876.

CHAP. 48.—An act granting a pension to Ruth Ellen Greeland

Pension to Ruth
Ellen Greeland.

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 Ruth Ellen Greeland, widow of John H. Greeland, late a captain in the Army of the United States, the pension hereby granted to commence from and after the passage of the act.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President March 25, 1876.

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April 6, 1876.

CHAP. 49.—An act to relieve S. J. Gholson of Mississippi, of political disabilities imposed by the 14th Amendment of the Constitution.

Political disabili-
ties of S. J. Ghol-
son.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two thirds of each House concurring therein ;) That S. J. Gholson of Monroe County Mississippi, be, and is hereby relieved of all political disabilities imposed by third section of 14th article of Amendments to the Constitution of the United States.

Approved, April 6, 1876.

April 13, 1876.

CHAP. 57.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth B. Thomas, widow of General Lorenzo Thomas late of the United States Army.

Pension to Eliz-
abeth B. Thomas.

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 Elizabeth B. Thomas, widow of Lorenzo Thomas, late a brigadier-general of the Army of the United States, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, April 13, 1876.

CHAP. 58.—An act for the relief of the widow of L. H. Rousseau, deceased, late brigadier-general and brevet major-general of the United States Army.

April 13, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the pension heretofore granted to the widow of Lovell H. Rousseau, deceased, late a brigadier-general and brevet major-general in the Army of the United States, be, and the same is hereby, increased from the sum of thirty dollars to the sum of fifty dollars per month. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Pension to widow of Lovell H. Rousseau increased.

Approved, April 13, 1876.

CHAP. 59.—An act for the relief of Charles W. Mackey, late first lieutenant Tenth Regiment Pennsylvania Reserve Volunteer Corps.

April 13, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to correct the record of the dismissal of Charles W. Mackey, first lieutenant Company C, Tenth Regiment Pennsylvania Reserve Volunteer Corps, and grant him an honorable discharge from the Army, to date July eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

Dismissal of Charles W. Mackey corrected.

Approved, April 13, 1876.

CHAP. 60.—An act granting a pension to Seth W. Homestead.

April 13, 1876.

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 instructed to place the name of Seth W. Homestead, late a sergeant in Captain Seaton's company, (K,) First Regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Cavalry, on the pension rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, and pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Pension to Seth W. Homestead.

Approved, April 13, 1876.

CHAP. 61.—An act granting a pension to David J. Garrett.

April 13, 1876.

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 David J. Garrett, late a private in Company C. Ninth Iowa Cavalry.

Pension to David J. Garrett.

Approved, April 13, 1876.

CHAP. 68.—An act for the relief of Charles E. Hovey.

April 20, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to pay to Charles E. Hovey, out of moneys collected by said Hovey, under an alleged contract with the Secretary of the Treasury dated January sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, such sum as, in the opinion of the Secretary of the Treasury, is sufficient to reimburse said Hovey for expenses incurred, and to compensate him for information given and services per-

Payment to Charles E. Hovey.

Proviso.

formed, not to exceed the moiety of the moneys so collected: *Provided*, That if said funds have been covered into the Treasury, payment may be made out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro-tempore.

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April 20, 1876.

CHAP. 69.—An act granting a pension to Almon P. Graves.

Pension to Almon
P. Graves.

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 upon the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Almon P. Graves, late private in Company G, Third United States Artillery, of Alstead, in the State of New Hampshire, and pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

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April 20, 1876.

CHAP. 70.—An act granting a pension to Melville H Hudson.

Pension to Mel-
ville H. Hudson.

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-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws the name of Melville H Hudson, late drummer Company C, Third Regiment Kansas Volunteers.

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CHAP. 74.—An act granting a pension to Philip J. Shaw.

April 21, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Philip J. Shaw, late private company G, One hundred and twenty-sixth regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers.

Pension to Philip J. Shaw.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 75.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Jane Dulaney.

April 21, 1876.

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 Mrs. Jane Dulaney, widow of William Dulaney late colonel United States Marine Corps, and pay her a pension, at the rate of thirty dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Pension to Jane Dulaney.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 76.—An act for the relief of Hermann Kreismann, United States consul-general at Berlin.

April 21, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting officer be, and hereby is, directed to credit Hermann Kreismann, United States consul-general at Berlin, in his account, with the sum of three hundred and ninety-seven dollars and seventy-two cents, being in full for consular funds stolen from the consulate on the thirteenth day of February, eighteen hundred and seventy three, without fault or neglect on the part of said consul.

Credit in accounts of Hermann Kreismann.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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April 21, 1876.

CHAP. 77.—An act for the relief of James M. Coffinberry, of Cleveland, Ohio.

Claim of James M. Coffinberry for refund of taxes to be considered and decided.

1872, ch. 315, § 44,
17 Stat., 257.

Whereas, it appears that James M. Coffinberry, of the city of Cleveland, and State of Ohio, was lately a judge of the Court of common pleas within and for the fourth judicial district of the State of Ohio, and it is represented that, as such judge, he was assessed and paid income taxes on his salary for the period of five years, under the internal revenue laws of the United States, as then construed and executed; and whereas it is further represented that, by reason of the serious ill-health of said James M. Coffinberry, and his absence from home considerable periods of time consequent thereon since said assessments and payments, he was not informed that such assessments and payments had been held by the proper authorities to be illegal and that the same would be refunded by the Treasury Department in time to prepare and present his claims therefor within the period required by section forty-four of the act approved June sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, as by that act said claims should have been presented by June sixth eighteen hundred and seventy-three, but were not, as is alleged, presented until the following month of November: Therefore, *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the accounting officers of the Treasury Department be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to examine said claims of said James M. Coffinberry, when presented for that purpose in the manner heretofore prescribed by the Treasury Department for the presentation of the like claims, and to reject said claims or to refund said taxes, the same as if said claims had been presented within the period fixed by section forty-four of the act approved June sixth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two aforesaid.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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April 25, 1876.

CHAP. 81.—An act for the relief of Caroline M. Purviance and Francis Wyeth.

Payment to Caroline M. Purviance and Francis Wyeth.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Caroline M. Purviance and Francis Wyeth, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars, the same to be in full satisfaction to them, and all persons claiming under them, for the use and occupation of, and destruction to, their property by the military authorities of the United States in Saint Joseph, State of Missouri, in the years eighteen hundred and sixty-one, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 82.—An act for the relief of William L. Nance.

April 25, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of six thousand dollars, in full compensation for certain property of said William L. Nance, taken for the use of the Government of the United States during the late rebellion.

Payment to William L. Nance.

MICHAEL C. KERR
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 87.—An act to enable Harvey Lull, of Hoboken, New Jersey, to make application to the Commissioner of Patents for extension of letters-patent for a self-locking shutter-hinge.

April 29, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the petition of Harvey Lull, of Hoboken, New Jersey, for the extension of letters-patent for a self-locking shutter-hinge, granted January second, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, numbered ten thousand four hundred and seventy-seven, and extended by the Commissioner of Patents for seven years from the second day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, which term expired the second day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, be, and the same hereby is, referred to the Commissioner of Patents, with full power and authority to hear and determine the same upon the principles prescribed by the acts of Congress of July fourth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and the amendments thereof governing and granting extensions; and if, after hearing the said petition, upon due notice to the public, according to the practice of the Patent-Office in cases of extension, the said Commissioner should decide that the said petition ought to be granted, he is hereby authorized and empowered to extend said letters-patent to the said Harvey Lull for seven years from and after the passage of this act: *Provided,* That no damages shall be collected of any person for an infringement of said patent between the time of the expiration of said patent and the time of the renewal of the same.

Patent to Harvey Lull may be extended.

1836, ch. 357,
5 Stat., 117.

Proviso.

Approved, April 29, 1876.

CHAP. 92.—An act to remove the political disabilities of James E. Slaughter, of Alabama.

May 8, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein,) That the political disabilities imposed by the fourteenth article of amendment to the Constitution of the United States be, and they are hereby, removed from James E. Slaughter, of Alabama.

Political disabilities of James E. Slaughter.

Approved, May 8, 1876.

May 16, 1876.

CHAP. 97.—An act for the relief of John T Burchell, of Knoxville, Tennessee, for services rendered the Government in a small-pox hospital.

Payment to John
T. Burchell.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Paymaster General of the Army of the United States, out of any money in his hands for the payment of the Army, is hereby authorized and directed to pay to John T Burchell the sum of one hundred and thirty-five dollars, the balance due him for services rendered at the small-pox hospital at Knoxville, Tennessee, from December tenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to January twelfth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President May 4, 1876.

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May 18, 1876.

CHAP. 98.—An act granting a pension to Nancy True.

Pension to Nancy
True.

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 Nancy True, dependent mother of Samuel F. True, late lieutenant and quartermaster in the Fourteenth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, to date from September first, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

SAMUEL S. COX

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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May 18, 1876.

CHAP. 99.—An act granting a pension to Elmira E. Cravath.

Pension to Elmi-
ra E. Cravath.

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 Elmira E. Cravath, widow of Isaac M. Cravath, late captain in the twelfth Michigan Volunteer Infantry, and pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act.

SAMUEL S. COX.

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 100.—An act granting a pension to James Eli Butts and Malinda Frances Butts.

May 18, 1876.

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 James Eli Butts and Malinda Frances Butts, minor heirs of Joseph Butts, late a private in Company G, Seventh Regiment Maryland Volunteers.

Pension to James Eli and Malinda Frances Butts.

SAMUEL S. COX
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President May 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 107.—An act making appropriations for the payment of claims reported to Congress, under section two of the act approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, by the Secretary of the Treasury.

May 23, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the several persons in this act named, the several sums mentioned herein, the same being in full for, and the receipt of the same to be taken and accepted in each case as a full and final discharge of, the several claims examined and allowed by the proper accounting officers since June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and embraced in the schedule of claims reported by the Secretary of the Treasury at the commencement of the second session of the Forty-third Congress, under the second section of the act of Congress approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, namely :

1874, ch. 285, § 2,
 18 Stat., 75.

Payment of claims allowed by accounting officers of Treasury to persons in—

OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

Alabama ;

To Christopher Shaw, two hundred and fifty dollars.

OF THE TERRITORY OF COLORADO.

Colorado ;

To Samuel Monk, administrator of the estate of Sallie McDonald, deceased, eight hundred and seventy-five dollars.

OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

Dist. of Col.

To S. M. Golden, seven hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.
 To Philip Hawkins, one thousand three hundred and two dollars and twenty-five cents.

District of Columbia, continued.

- To John Hoover, seven hundred and seventy-six dollars.
- To Henry Martin, four hundred and eighty-two dollars and seventy five cents.
- To Clark Mills, four hundred and eighty-four dollars and eighty cents.
- To John P. Phelps, two hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty cents.
- To William Sayer, fifty dollars.

Illinois;

OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

- To Alfred W. Bull, one hundred dollars.
- To Solomon T. Cravens, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Mary Howard, administratrix de bonis non of the estate of H. C. Howard, deceased, four hundred dollars.

Indiana;

OF THE STATE OF INDIANA.

- To John Batzner, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Kansas;

OF THE STATE OF KANSAS.

- To Joseph A. Bartles, ninety dollars.
- To J. C. Christie, three hundred and ninety dollars.
- To Cornelius B. Erskine, one hundred and fifty-five dollars and sixty-five cents.
- To Philip Krieger, two hundred dollars.
- To John R. Skeen, four hundred and ninety dollars.
- To Richmond Wallace, seventy dollars.
- To Sylvester Wilcox, two thousand six hundred dollars.

Kentucky;

OF THE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

- To Francis Abell, seven hundred and eighty-two dollars and thirty cents.
- To J. G. Abell and J. A. Raley, administrators of the estate of Calistus Abell, deceased, nine hundred and thirteen dollars and seventy-five cents.
- To Conrad Ackermann, one hundred and seventy-eight dollars and seventy cents.
- To Samuel Bales, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To C. H. Bennett, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Harvey S. Brewer, eighty five dollars.
- To James Bricon, three hundred and seventy-two dollars.
- To James Brumfield, seven hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Philip H. Buckner, five hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents.
- To W. L. Caldwell, twenty-seven dollars and seventy-five cents.
- To Jesse Campbell, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Thomas Christian, three hundred and five dollars.
- To Pinckney D. Compton, one hundred and five dollars.
- To Harrison Cox, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To James T. Cox, one hundred dollars.
- To George W. Carrell, ten dollars.
- To Francis P. Clay, nine hundred dollars.
- To Jacob Demmen, two hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Andrew Divine, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Frank Divine, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To A. J. Dorsey, six hundred and thirty-six dollars and forty-eight cents.
- To L. L. Dorsey, Junior, two hundred and thirty-eight dollars.
- To M. H. Dougherty, fifty-five-dollars and twenty cents.

- To John Downey, administrator of the estate of John Downey, deceased, one thousand two hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents. Kentucky, continued.
- To Samuel Drabelle, sixty dollars.
- To Robert M. Davis, four hundred and sixty-nine dollars.
- To Robert Duncan, executor of the estate of William Duncan, deceased, three hundred and ninety-one dollars and eighteen cents.
- To John Dixon, eleven dollars.
- To Joseph D. Eades, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To J. B. English, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To M. Ettlenger, five dollars.
- To William Floyd, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Lewis Franklin, one hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To J. G. Frazier, eighty-five dollars.
- To James W. Gardner, seventy-six dollars and fifty cents.
- To Joseph Glover, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To James I. Green, administrator of the estate of Alexander G. Green, deceased, fifty dollars.
- To Lewis H. Gruber, two hundred dollars.
- To Aaron Hall, one hundred dollars.
- To Henry Hall, thirty-five dollars.
- To James M. Harris, nineteen dollars and twenty-five cents.
- To R. H. Hayes, two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Samuel E. Hudson, eighty five dollars and thirty cents.
- To E. H. Hobson, administrator of the estate of R. L. Moore, deceased, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To J. J. Jeffrey, ninety dollars.
- To Evan Jones, two thousand and eighty dollars and fifty cents.
- To James Johnson, twenty-five dollars and seventeen cents.
- To J. G. Johnson, one hundred dollars.
- To Peter Keller, one hundred and seventy dollars.
- To J. J. Kerby, six hundred dollars.
- To Silas M. King, three hundred dollars.
- To John T. Knight, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Jacob Kyle, one thousand one hundred and three dollars and forty cents.
- To Alonzo C. Kirmison, two hundred and forty five dollars.
- To Joseph Lloyd, thirty-two dollars and sixty-six cents.
- To A. W. Lockwood, three hundred dollars.
- To James M. Lyne, thirty-five dollars.
- To John McDougal, seven hundred and twenty-six dollars and fifty cents.
- To John W. McKnight, surviving partner of the firm of M. Cook and John W. McKnight, one thousand seven hundred and twelve dollars and forty-six cents.
- To John M. McRoberts, two hundred and twenty-two dollars and forty cents.
- To Edmund Massey, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To J. M. Miller, two hundred and two dollars.
- To Susan E Miller, thirty eight dollars.
- To Martha Morgan, one hundred dollars.
- To William B. Morris, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To Hiram B. Morton, two hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To Thomas Murphey, two hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.
- To Thomas McCoin, one hundred and fifty-five dollars.
- To H. C. Middleton, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Joseph H. Oldham, one hundred dollars.
- To Phebe Patton, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Henry Potter, seven hundred and fifty eight dollars and twenty five cents.
- To Nathan Preston, four hundred dollars.
- To O. H. Perry, administrator of the estate of Mary Scott, deceased, five thousand and forty-three dollars and twenty-eight cents.

Kentucky, con-
tinued.

- To John Rich, six hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty cents.
- To Jane Richardson, thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents.
- To Frederick M. Rush, sixty dollars.
- To John Scott, six hundred and sixteen dollars and forty cents.
- To William M. Smith, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To John Spalding, fifty four dollars and seventy cents.
- To William Spilman administrator of the estate of Jane Spilman sixty five dollars.
- To James W. Strode, forty five dollars.
- To C. M. Stuart, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Morton Scott, executor of the estate of R. S. Scott, deceased, and Mary A. Roberts, four thousand one hundred and thirty eight dollars and sixty two cents.
- To James H. Tucker, Junior, eight hundred and fifty dollars.
- To William Vannetter, one hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To William Vanzant, one hundred thirty dollars.
- To James Vaughan, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To A. B. Vernon, one thousand three hundred and eighty-four dollars and sixty-five cents.
- To J. R. Vanarsdall, three hundred and eighty three dollars.
- To George W. Walker, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
- To J. R. Warren, one hundred and thirty two dollars.
- To John M. Wilkison, two hundred and ten dollars.
- To Marida Wilson, thirty-nine dollars.
- To William Womack, one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.
- To William Woodcock, sixty eight dollars and forty cents.
- To Newton Williams two hundred and sixty seven dollars and sixty-eight cents.

Maryland;

OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

- To James W. Anderson, administrator of the estate of John W. Anderson, deceased, six hundred and seventy dollars.
- To A. M. Bantz, eighty five dollars and forty four cents.
- To John F Coby, two hundred and twenty-eight dollars and sixty cents.
- To Oliver P. Coblentz six hundred dollars.
- To Josiah Crampton, two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To John Crampton, two thousand three hundred and forty-three dollars.
- To John C. Duvall, administrator of the estate of William T. Duvall, deceased, twenty-eight dollars.
- To Jacob, Easterday, fifty eight dollars and seventy cents.
- To Isaac Heldebrand, three hundred and thirty six dollars and forty five cents.
- To Jacob Houpt, seventy-five dollars.
- To William Hendley, two hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Solom Hoover, two hundred and eighty five dollars.
- To Thomas Kelley, three hundred and seventy two dollars.
- To Susan H. Kennedy, six hundred and seventy four dollars and forty-nine cents.
- To William J. Long, three hundred and ninety six dollars and fifty cents
- To Joseph R. Long, one hundred and eleven dollars and twenty one cents.
- To David R. Miller, one hundred dollars.
- To John G. Miller, thirty six dollars.
- To John W. Miller, five hundred and forty four dollars.
- To William Miller, twenty-six dollars.
- To James McCauley, one hundred and thirty five dollars.
- To David W. Naill, ninety seven dollars and fifty five cents.
- To Henry F. Neikirk seventy dollars.

Maryland, continued.

- To Philip Pry, four hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Joseph Price, one hundred and ten dollars and twenty cents.
- To William H. Ramsburg, two hundred and seventy dollars and sixty cents.
- To James A. Rowe, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To Daniel Rudy, senior, five hundred and ninety seven dollars.
- To John F. Simmons, twenty one dollars and twenty five cents.
- To Lavinia Schindel, fifty six dollars
- To George Shiffler, five hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To Alfred Stauffer, two hundred and ninety four dollars and sixty seven cents.
- To John Strite, twenty five dollars and eighty cents.
- To Christian Thomas, thirty dollars.
- To Daniel Zittle, two hundred and twenty seven dollars and thirty cents.

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI.

Missouri;

- To Lucy Acock, eighteen dollars.
- To Moses M. Barnes, sixty dollars.
- To William Baskett, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To William T. Bryant, two hundred and forty dollars.
- To James T. Blackford, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
- To Francis M. Carr, forty five dollars.
- To W. K. Clay one hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To Chester C Cousins eighty dollars.
- To John C. Cox, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Samuel J Crowe, administrator of the estate of Eliza C. Jones, deceased, seventy-five dollars.
- To Achilles Easley, one thousand three hundred and fifty-five dollars.
- To Daniel Flanagan, two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To William Flentge, eighty seven dollars and thirty-five cents.
- To Charles Galloway, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Zadock Hook, administrator of the estate of Thomas Ansell, deceased, one hundred and thirty nine dollars and ninety five cents.
- To Anderson Harper, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
- To Peter Kelley, one hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Isham Majors, eight hundred dollars.
- To Y. T. McGirk, administrator of the estate of J. T. McGirk, deceased, twenty-five dollars.
- To Samuel Ralston, two thousand five hundred and seventy-seven dollars.
- To Elizabeth Robinson administratrix of the estate of Jessee Robinson, deceased, four hundred dollars.
- To John R. Sechrest, three hundred and eighty two dollars and fifty cents.
- To Martha Stone, one hundred and two dollars and fifty cents.
- To Joseph Thomasson, seventy-five dollars.
- To William E Thomson, nine hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Benjamin Tindall, four hundred and eighty dollars.
- To John W Vincout, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Addison A Walker, nine hundred and thirty-five dollars and one cent.
- To Enoch Williams one hundred and four dollars.
- To S. W. Walcott, forty-eight dollars.
- To J B Woods, twenty-five dollars.

OF THE STATE OF OHIO.

Ohio;

- To Daniel K Harvey, two hundred and fifty dollars.

Pennsylvania;

OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

To Andrew B Rankin, three hundred and twenty-one dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Henry Sheeley, twenty-seven dollars.

To Jacob Weikert, forty-five dollars.

Tennessee;

OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE.

To David Adair, thirteen dollars.

To Barnabas Alder, six hundred and sixteen dollars.

To Abigail Alexander, eighty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Jesse Applewhite, four thousand four hundred dollars.

To Jacob Barnes, two hundred and forty-eight dollars and ninety-one cents.

To Joseph M Bratton, administrator of the estate of H. B. Holland, deceased, fifty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To A. Brown, two hundred and eighty-four dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Nathaniel Brewer, one hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To M. T. Byrn, seven hundred and sixty dollars.

To Henry Burnett, one hundred and twenty-one dollars.

To D. B. Carlisle, administrator of the estate of Henrietta L. Cleardy, deceased, two hundred and twenty dollars.

To Alfred Carr, two hundred and one dollar and twenty-five cents.

To Calvin Chandler, four hundred and twenty-seven dollars and forty cents.

To Alexander Cleage, eight hundred and eighty dollars.

To Moses F. Cunningham, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Levi B Dodson, three hundred and five dollars.

To Augustus Dauriack, two hundred and fifteen dollars

To Jerry W Davis, fifty dollars.

To George Dixon, administrator of the estate of Sally H. Dixon, deceased, ten thousand dollars.

To John Edmundson, senior, seven hundred and fifty-nine dollars and sixty-three cents.

To T. M. Edwards, three hundred dollars.

To Nancy Gilbert, administratrix de bonis non, with the will annexed, of Samuel Gilbert, deceased, two thousand five hundred and eleven dollars and sixty-three cents.

To David Herbert, ninety-eight dollars and twenty-five cents.

To William G Harwood, one thousand and seven dollars and fifty cents.

To William Y. Hooper, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars and fifty cents.

To George W. Inman, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To William Inman, two hundred and sixty-eight dollars and fifty cents.

To Josiah Jeanes, seven hundred sixty-six dollars and ten cents.

To William A. Jones, four hundred and twenty dollars.

To Pleasant Johnson, seventy-three dollars.

To Henry M. James, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To John Jones, six hundred and nineteen dollars and fifty cents.

To James J Killey, three hundred and sixty dollars.

To Daniel Knox, two hundred and forty dollars.

To Abraham Lane, one hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty cents.

To George W Lewis, three hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Walter Lynch, ninety-four dollars.

To T. J. Latham, eighty-five dollars and sixty cents.

To John Morrison, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

- To Penina Mays, administratrix of the estate of John P Pegram, deceased, ninety-four dollars and fifty cents. Tennessee, continued.
- To Peyton Moulden, thirty dollars.
- To Calvin B. Nance, three hundred and sixteen dollars and fifty cents.
- To Josiah Newsom, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Lea Nipper, thirty-two dollars.
- To Margaret A. Pegg, administratrix of the estate of P. K. Pegg, deceased, twenty-one dollars.
- To A. W. Price, one hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents.
- To Jane Price, sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents.
- To R. C. Patterson, ninety dollars.
- To William Pryor, seven hundred and thirty dollars and twenty-five cents.
- To Stephen Pledger, four hundred and sixty dollars.
- To A P. Ramsey, two hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents.
- To U. S. Ray and Felix G. Phillips, executors of George Phillips, deceased, five hundred and twenty-eight dollars and eighty-five cents.
- To William R. Reed, one hundred and fifty-five dollars.
- To T. J. Rutherford, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To John Ramsey, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To William T. Rice, two hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To William B. Seaton, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To David Sevier, four hundred and fifty-nine dollars and forty-three cents.
- To Henry W. Shields, three hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Patrick A. Shirley, two hundred and thirty-five dollars and sixty cents.
- To George Shultz, fifty dollars.
- To Andrew J. Smith, seventy-one dollars.
- To Benjamin F. Smith, three hundred and seventy-eight dollars.
- To Henry Spitzer, two hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To William Stephens, two hundred and eight dollars.
- To Samuel Shields, executor of C. Haley, deceased, nine hundred and thirty-nine dollars and twenty cents.
- To John B Shepherd, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To John M. Simpkins, four hundred and fourteen dollars.
- To Madison Stubblefield, administrator of the estate of John L. Young, deceased, six hundred and sixty-five dollars.
- To Henry Simpson, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Mary Tedder, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars and eighty-seven cents.
- To Isaac G. Thomas, three hundred and eight dollars and fifty cents.
- To Joel Triplett, six dollars.
- To Allen Walker, one hundred and eighty-five dollars.
- To T. J. Walker, one hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To Lucinda Watley, administratrix of the estate of Walton Watley, deceased, one hundred dollars.
- To William Whittenburg, eighty-three dollars and fifty cents.
- To James S. Worwalk, twenty-five dollars.
- To James R. Wray, three thousand five hundred and seventeen dollars and twenty cents.
- To Archibald Young, one hundred and forty-five dollars.

OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

West Virginia;

- To Jacob Alt, senior, one hundred dollars.
- To McAger Anderson, one thousand four hundred and twenty-eight dollars.
- To Matilda Barber, one hundred dollars.
- To William L. Colerider, fifty-one dollars.

West Virginia,
continued.

To James C Gilkerson, two hundred and eighty dollars.
To Ezra Herring, nine hundred and forty-six dollars and thirty cents.
To George Lewis, one hundred dollars.
To Jacob Morningstar, three hundred and twenty-two dollars.
To Jacob Ours, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
To W. C. Rodgers, eight hundred and sixty-six dollars and sixty cents.
To James B. Wilson, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
Approved, May 23, 1876.

May 23, 1876.

CHAP. 109.—An act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to allow Mrs. Minnie Sherman Fitch to receive free from duties a wedding present from the Khedive of Egypt.

Present to Mrs.
Minnie Sherman
Fitch free of duty.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to deliver free from duties, to Mrs Minnie Sherman Fitch, wife of Thomas W. Fitch, engineer of the United States Navy, a wedding present from the Khedive of Egypt, authorized by joint resolution of Congress February eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

1875, Res. No. 4,
18 Stat., 681.

Approved, May 23, 1876.

May 23, 1876.

CHAP. 110.—An act to remove the political disabilities of William L. Maury, of New York.

Political disabili-
ties of William L.
Maury.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein,) That all political disabilities imposed by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States, by reason of participation in the rebellion, be, and they are hereby, removed from William L. Maury, now a resident of Suffolk County, New York.

Approved, May 23, 1876.

May 23, 1876.

CHAP. 111.—An act to authorize the Exchange National Bank of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, to improve certain real estate.

Exchange Na-
tional Bank of
Pittsburgh, may
improve certain
real estate.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Exchange National Bank of Pittsburgh shall have power and authority to hold, improve, and lease that certain lot or piece of ground situate on Fifth avenue and Diamond street, in the city of Pittsburgh, State of Pennsylvania, adjoining the property owned and used by said corporation as its banking-house; the said lot, the improvement of which is hereby authorized, having been owned by said institution during its existence under a State charter, and since its organization as a national bank: *Provided,* That no funds of the said bank except its surplus beyond the amount required to be retained by section 5199 of the Revised Statutes of the United States shall be applied to said improvement.

Proviso.

R. S., 5199, p.
1012.

Approved, May 23, 1876.

May 24, 1876.

CHAP. 113.—An act for the relief of the estate of the late paymaster Major John S. Walker, United States Army.

Credit to Major
John S. Walker.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper officers of the Treasury be, and are hereby, directed to credit the accounts of the late

John S. Walker, paymaster, (who was lost while in the discharge of his official duty on the steamer George S. Wright, which was lost at sea near Cape Caution, on the coast of Alaska, in February, eighteen hundred and seventy-three,) with the sum of two thousand one hundred and twenty-four dollars and ninety-eight cents, which he had in his possession, and was lost with him, and also the further sum of four hundred and twenty-seven dollars and seventy-three cents, of balances charged to his account, which, on account of loss of papers, cannot now be explained.

Approved, May 24, 1876.

CHAP. 115.—An act for the relief of G. B. Tyler and E. H. Lockett, assignees of William T. Cheatham. May 26, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay to G. B. Tyler and E. H. Lockett, assignees of William T. Cheatham, the sum of one hundred and sixty-four dollars, in full for moneys wrongfully collected from said Cheatham by the internal-revenue collector for the second district of the State of Kentucky in eighteen hundred and seventy, as a tax for keeper of bonded warehouse in December, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and January, eighteen hundred and seventy.

Payment to G. B. Tyler and E. H. Lockett, assignees of Wm. T. Cheatham.

MICHAEL C KERR
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES
May 20, 1876

The President of the United States having returned to the Senate, in which it originated, the bill entitled "An act for the relief of G. B. Tyler and E. H. Lockett, assignees of William T. Cheatham," with his objections thereto, the Senate proceeded, in pursuance of the Constitution, to reconsider the same; and,

Resolved, That the said bill do pass, two-thirds of the Senate agreeing to pass the same.

Attest:

GEO C GORHAM
Secretary.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,
May 26th, 1876.

The House of Representatives having proceeded, in pursuance of the Constitution, to reconsider the bill entitled "An act for the relief of G. B. Tyler and E. H. Lockett, assignees of William T. Cheatham," returned to the Senate by the President of the United States, with his objections, and sent by the Senate to the House of Representatives with the message of the President returning the bill:

Resolved, That this bill do pass, two-thirds of the House of Representatives agreeing to pass the same.

Attest.

GEO. M. ADAMS *Clerk.*

June 1, 1876.

CHAP. 116.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Eliza Potter, widow of Lorenzo T. Potter deceased late of Charleston, South Carolina.Payment to Mrs.
Eliza Potter.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be, and hereby is, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty thousand dollars to Mrs Eliza Potter, widow of Lorenzo T. Potter, deceased, late of Charleston, South Carolina.

SAMUEL S. COX,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President May 20, 1876.

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June 1, 1876.

CHAP. 117.—An act for the relief of the legal representatives of George Schwartz, deceased, late a private in Company F, Fifth Regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.Charge of deser-
tion against Geo.
Schwartz removed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to amend the record of George Schwartz, late a private in Company F, Fifth Regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, by causing the charge of desertion to be removed. Sec. 2. That the legal representatives of said George Schwartz shall be treated in respect to claims for pay, allowances, bounty, and pension the same as if the death of said Schwartz had been proved to have taken place in the line of his duty and in the military service of the United States.

Claims for pay,
etc., of.

SAMUEL S. COX,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President May 20, 1876.

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June 7, 1876.

CHAP. 121.—An act for the relief of John M. English of North Carolina.Duplicate check
to be issued to John
M. English.

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, instructed to direct the pension-agent at Raleigh, North Carolina, to issue duplicate check numbered eight thousand four hundred and twenty-four, for one thousand three hundred and thirty-four dollars, in favor of John M. English, for one lost in the mail on May eighteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five: *Provided,* That the Secretary of the Interior be satisfied that the same has not been paid: *And provided further,* That said English shall first execute a bond with good and sufficient sureties to be approved by the Secretary of the Interior to hold the United States harmless against the double payment of said check.

Proviso.

Proviso.

Approved, June 7, 1876.

CHAP. 124.—An act to refund and remit certain duties to Peter Wright and Sons.

June 12, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to refund to Peter Wright and Sons, of Philadelphia, the amount of duties paid by them upon the entry of three thousand and fifty bags of potato-farina, imported per ships "Vaderland" and "Nederland," in the mouths of April and June, eighteen hundred and seventy four, and to remit any claim on the part of the United States for duties upon three hundred bags of the same, entered by said parties in December, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and February, eighteen hundred and seventy four, which had been admitted to entry free of duty: *Provided,* That from the amount of duties paid there shall be deducted an amount equal to all the profits which had been realized by said Peter Wright and Sons upon the sale of the article so imported, to be ascertained as the said Secretary shall direct.

Refund and remission of duties to Peter Wright and Sons.

Proviso.

Approved, June 12, 1876.

CHAP. 125.—An act for the relief of Jackson T. Sorrells

June 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Jackson T. Sorrells the sum of fifty-three dollars and eighty cents for carrying the United States mails in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-five, between Asheville and Franklin, North Carolina.

Payment to Jackson T. Sorrells.

MICHAEL C KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President June 2, 1876.

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CHAP. 126.—An act for the relief of Theodore F. Miller, late private Company G, Third Regiment Iowa Cavalry, Volunteers.

June 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting-officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, directed to allow and pay to Theodore F. Miller, late private Company G, Third Regiment Iowa Cavalry Volunteers, the bounty to which he would have been entitled under the law if he had been regularly mustered out and discharged with his regiment.

Payment to Theodore F. Miller.

MICHAEL C KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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June 15, 1876.

CHAP. 127.—An act granting a pension to John Pierson.

Pension to John
Pierson.

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 John Pierson, late captain of Company H, Tenth Regiment of Michigan Infantry, to take effect from and after the passage of this act

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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June 15, 1876.

CHAP. 128.—An act for the relief of Alvis Smith.

Payment to Alvis
Smith.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Alvis Smith, late of Company L, Second Arkansas Cavalry, out of any money appropriated, or which may hereafter be appropriated, for the pay of the Army, a sum equal to the pay and emoluments of a second lieutenant of cavalry, from the tenth of October, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to the eighth of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, deducting whatever pay he may have received for that period as an enlisted man.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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June 15, 1876.

CHAP. 129.—An act granting a pension to Urial Bundy.

Pension to Urial
Bundy.

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 Urial Bundy, late a private in Company F of the Seventh Vermont Regiment, and pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 130.—An act granting a pension to Julia Scroggin.

June 15, 1876.

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 Julia Scroggin, widow of Humphrey Scroggin, late private in Captain L. Worthy's company of Georgia militia in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Pension to Julia Scroggin.

MICHAEL C. KERR
Speaker of the House of Representatives
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 131.—An act granting a pension to Abraham Ellis.

June 15, 1876.

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 Abraham Ellis, with the rank of first lieutenant, to take effect from the passage of this act.

Pension to Abraham Ellis.

MICHAEL C. KERR
Speaker of the House of Representatives
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 132.—An act to remove the political disabilities of Francis T. Nicholls, of Louisiana

June 16, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein,) That all the political disabilities imposed upon Francis T. Nicholls, of Louisiana, by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States, by reason of his participation in the rebellion, are hereby removed.

Political disabilities of Francis T. Nicholls.

Approved, June 16, 1876.

CHAP. 138.—An act for the relief of F. M. Blount, of Chicago, Illinois

June 20, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay to F. M. Blount, a

Payment to F. M. Blount.

clerk in the office of the assistant treasurer of the United States at Chicago, Illinois, the sum of five hundred dollars, to re-imburse him for a like sum paid by him into the Treasury of the United States out of his own private means, and so paid by him to make good a loss to the Treasury caused by his having taken, in the discharge of his duties as such clerk, a counterfeit five-hundred-dollar United States Treasury note.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President June 8, 1876.

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June 20, 1876.

CHAP. 139.—An act granting a pension to John H. Garrison

Pension to John
H. Garrison.

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 John H. Garrison late a corporal in Company B, One hundred and thirty-ninth Regiment of New York Volunteers.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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June 20, 1876.

CHAP. 140.—An act granting a pension to John McIntire.

Pension to John
McIntire.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of John McIntire, private soldier in Company A, Fourteenth Regiment Kentucky Cavalry

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Speaker of the House of Representatives

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 141.—An act granting a pension to Francis Bernard.

June 20, 1876.

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 Francis Bernard, late a private in Company K of the Forty-ninth Regiment Ohio Volunteers, and pay him a pension from the passage of this act.

Pension to Francis Bernard.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 142.—An act granting an additional pension to Mary P. Abeel.

June 20, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mary P. Abeel, widow of James S. Abeel, late ordnance-storekeeper in the United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month as though the said James S. Abeel had held the rank of captain in the Army of the United States; this act to take effect from its passage, and the pension hereby granted to be in lieu of that which she is now receiving.

Pension to Mary P. Abeel

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T. W. FERRY

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CHAP. 143.—An act for the relief of lieutenant James B. Sinclair United States Army.

June 21, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to restore James B. Sinclair, first lieutenant, United States Army, retired, to the rank of captain of infantry, as held by him December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy; and that his name be placed upon the retired list of the Army as of the rank he held at that date.

James B. Sinclair to be restored to rank of captain in Army.

Approved, June 21, 1876.

June 26, 1876.

CHAP. 148.—An act to remove the political disabilities of W. H. Jenifer, late first lieutenant Second Cavalry United States Army.

Political disabilities of W. H. Jenifer.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two thirds of each House concurring therein) That all political disabilities imposed upon W. H. Jenifer, late first lieutenant Second Cavalry United States Army, by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States, by reason of participation in the rebellion, are hereby removed.

Approved, June 26, 1876.

June 26, 1876.

CHAP. 149.—An act for the relief of A. F. McMillen, late captain First United States Heavy Artillery.

Payment to A. F. McMillen.

1865, ch. 81,
13 Stat., 497.1866, ch. 299,
14 Stat., 332.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to A. F. McMillen, late captain First Colored United States Heavy Artillery, the sum of one hundred and eighty dollars, the amount of three months' pay proper, as provided by the acts approved March third, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, and July twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

SAMUEL S. COX

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President June 14, 1876.

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June 26, 1876.

CHAP. 150.—An act granting a pension to Fannie S. White.

Pension to Fannie S. White.

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 Fannie S. White, widow of Chester B. White, a captain in the United States Army, at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

SAMUEL S. COX

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

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CHAP. 151.—An act granting a pension to Thomas F. Wildes, late lieutenant colonel One hundred and sixteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteers.

June 26, 1876.

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 Thomas F. Wildes, late lieutenant-colonel of the One hundred and sixteenth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers.

Pension to Thomas F. Wildes.

SAMUEL S. COX,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

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CHAP. 152.—An act to release any title of the United States to a certain tract of land in Braxton County West Virginia, to Sarah Wilson.

June 26, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That whatever title the United States may have in a tract of land of about one hundred acres in Braxton County, West Virginia, which was conveyed by George Wilson to Levi Woodbury, Secretary of the Treasury of the United States, by George Wilson by deed dated September tenth eighteen hundred and thirty-six, be, and hereby is, released to Sarah Wilson, her heirs and assigns.

Title of United States in certain land released to Sarah Wilson.

MICHAEL C. KERR

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 153.—An act for the relief of Kendrick and Avis, Kuner Zisemann and Zott, Kuner and Zott, all of Saint Louis, Missouri, and Nachtrieb and Co. of Galion, Ohio.

June 28, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to remit so much of the following internal revenue taxes upon low wines produced in the manufacture of vinegar, to-wit nine thousand seven hundred and ninety-two dollars, assessed by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue on the twenty first day of September, one thousand eight hundred and seventy five, against Crawford M. Kendrick and William H. Avis, doing business at said Saint Louis, in the State of Missouri, under the firm, name, and style of Kendrick and Avis, and entered upon the August list of said year for the first district of Missouri; two thousand and seven dollars,

Remission of internal-revenue tax on low wines to Kendrick & Avis; Kuner, Zisemann & Zott; Kuner & Zott; and Nachtrieb & Co

assessed by said Commissioner on the second day of August, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-five, against Max Kuner, John F. Zisemann, and Armin Zott, doing business at said Saint Louis under the firm, name, and style, of Kuner, Zisemann and Zott, and entered upon the June list of said year for said district; two thousand one hundred and thirty five dollars, assessed by said Commissioner, on said second day of August, against Max Kuner and Armin Zott, former partners in business at said Saint Louis, under the firm, name and style of Kuner and Zott, and entered upon the list last above mentioned; and five hundred and six dollars and forty cents, assessed by said Commissioner on the twenty seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and seventy five, against C. Nachtrieb, J. F. Nachtrieb C. E. Kopp, and F. A. Burch, doing business at Galion in the ninth district of Ohio under the firm, name and style of Nachtrieb and Company, and entered upon the November list of said year for the district aforesaid, as in his opinion, justice and equity may require: *Provided*, he shall be satisfied that the parties named are entirely free from any intention to violate the internal-revenue laws in the manufacture of vinegar as aforesaid.

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SAMUEL S. COX,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President June 16, 1876.

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June 29, 1876.

CHAP. 155.—An act for the relief of William Rule, postmaster at Knoxville, Tennessee.

Credit in money-order account of William Rule.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, directed, out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to place to the credit of the fund for the Post-Office Department on money-order account, the sum of six hundred dollars; and the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Department is directed to place the like sum to the credit of William Rule in his account as post-master at Knoxville, Tennessee, it being the amount of surplus money-order funds mailed by said postmaster August first, eighteen hundred and seventy-four for deposit with the postmaster at Cincinnati; said money having been burned and destroyed with the steamboat "Pat Rodgers" while en route to Cincinnati.

Approved, June 29, 1876.

July 1, 1876.

CHAP. 161.—An act for the relief of Judson S. Post, of Missouri, late disbursing-officer of the United States Navy.

Payment to Judson S. Post.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to refund to Judson S. Post, late a disbursing-officer of the United States Navy, out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred and two dollars and fifty-nine cents, the said sum being the amount of interest on a principal amounting to four hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-four cents, and which latter amount was a portion of seven hundred and eighty-four dollars and fourteen

cents, claimed to have been due from him to the United States, and paid by him upon the final settlement of his accounts as a disbursing-officer of the United States Navy; and upon said sum of four hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-four cents he also paid interest to the United States, amounting to two hundred and two dollars and fifty-nine cents; and as said sum of four hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-four cents, the same being a portion of the principal claimed to be due the United States as aforesaid, was refunded and paid to him by the Secretary of the Treasury, he prays that the interest he paid upon said four hundred and fifty dollars and twenty-four cents, amounting to two hundred and two dollars and fifty-nine cents, may be refunded him by act of Congress authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to him said amount out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, July 1, 1876.

CHAP. 170.—An act for the relief of Joseph Wilson, of Bourbon county, Kentucky.

July 6, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Joseph Wilson, of Bourbon county, in the State of Kentucky, the sum of fifteen thousand three hundred dollars, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated; which sum shall be in full compensation for ninety mules captured from him by rebels at Beltsville, in the State of Maryland, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-four, which mules were presented at the picket-lines of the defenses around Washington, District of Columbia, in part fulfilment of a contract to deliver in said city five hundred mules.

Payment to Joseph Wilson.

Approved, July 6, 1876.

CHAP. 171.—An act for the relief of Ariel K. Eaton and James D. Jenkins.

July 7, 1876.

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 required to allow and pay to Ariel K. Eaton, of Osage, Iowa, late receiver of the United States land-office at Decorah and Osage, in the State of Iowa, the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars, on account of money paid out and expended by said Ariel K. Eaton as such receiver, for clerks in his said office, during the time he was the incumbent thereof.

Payment to Ariel K. Eaton and James D. Jenkins.

SEC. 2. That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to allow and pay to James D. Jenkins, of Osage, Iowa, late register of the United States land-office at Decorah and Osage, Iowa, aforesaid, the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars, on account of money paid out and expended by said James D. Jenkins as such register for clerks in his said office, during the time he was the incumbent thereof.

SEC. 3. That to enable the Secretary of the Interior to make the payments hereinbefore required, there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seven thousand two hundred dollars; and the amounts hereinbefore allowed to said Ariel K. Eaton and James D. Jenkins respectively shall be received by them in full satisfaction and settlement of all claims or demands against the Government for the clerical or other expenses of their said offices.

Approved, July 7, 1876.

July 8, 1876.

CHAP. 173.—An act to reimburse B. F. West and Company of Martin's Ferry, Ohio, for internal-revenue stamps stolen from Cambridge, Ohio, post-office.

Payment to B. F.
West & Co.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized to pay to B. F. West and Company, of Martin's Ferry, Ohio, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three hundred and fifty-seven dollars, to reimburse said B. F. West and Company for revenue stamps purchased by them of the collector of internal revenue of the sixteenth district of Ohio, on the fourth of May, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and stolen from the post-office at Cambridge, Ohio, on the night of said fourth of May, eighteen hundred and seventy-one.

SAMUEL S. COX.

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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July 8, 1876.

CHAP. 174.—An act granting a pension to Robert Cavanaugh.

Pension to Rob-
ert Cavanaugh.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Robert Cavanaugh, late a private in Company D, Ninety-eighth regiment Ohio Infantry Volunteers.

SAMUEL S. COX.

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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July 8, 1876.

CHAP. 175.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Martha R. Robinson, of Portsmouth, Ohio.

Pension to Mar-
tha R. Robinson.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Martha R. Robinson, widow of Major Joshua V. Robinson, late of the Thirty-third Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

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CHAP. 176.—An act for the relief of the mail-contractors on route No 19319, in Tennessee.

July 8, 1876.

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 to put mail-service on the McMinnville and Manchester Rail Road from Tullahoma to McMinnville in the State of Tennessee, in the same manner as now provided by law for railroad-mail transportation, and that the earnings for said service shall not be withheld on account of any claim due or alleged to be due, from the old corporation of the McMinnville and Manchester Rail Road Company to the United States; but the provisions of this act shall in no wise interfere with, impair, or destroy or affect any claim, lien, or right, legal or equitable, the United States may have against said McMinnville and Manchester Railroad or its property, or the property purchased by the Memphis and Charleston Railroad Company; nor shall it in any wise affect, embarrass, or interfere with any suit the United States may have commenced, or may hereafter commence, to enforce any contract, right, or lien they have against said railroad-companies, or either of them, or their property, or that of either. This act to take effect from and after its passage.

Mail-service on McMinnville and Manchester Railroad.

Approved, July 8, 1876.

CHAP. 178.—An act to fix the retired pay of Surgeon-General Clement A. Finley, retired.

July 10, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the retired-pay of Surgeon-General Clement A. Finley, on the retired-list of the Army, shall, from and after the passage of this act, be the retired pay now allowed by law for the grade of the Surgeon-General of the Army as fixed by the act of June twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, re-organizing the several staff corps of the Army.

Retired-pay of Surgeon-General Clement A. Finley.

1874, ch. 458,
18 Stat., 244.

Approved, July 10, 1876.

CHAP. 188.—An act for the relief of the sureties of J. W. P. Huntington, deceased, late superintendent of Indian affairs in Oregon.

July 12, 1876.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in the settlement of the accounts of J. W. P. Huntington, deceased, late superintendent of Indian affairs in Oregon, the proper accounting-officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to allow a credit of ten thousand dollars, Indian funds, charged to him and lost by the wreck of the steamer Brother Jonathan, off the coast of California, on the thirtieth day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-five; also a credit of five hundred dollars, for that sum transmitted by said Huntington, on or about the fifteenth day of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, to William Logan, deceased, late Indian agent, in charge of the Warm Spring Indian Agency in Oregon, for which no vouchers were returned before the death of the said Logan: *Provided, That no credit shall be allowed for the said sums until satisfactory proof shall be made of the loss of said ten thousand dollars by the wreck of the said steamer Brother Jonathan and of the transmission of said five hundred dollars to the said William Logan.**

Allowance in accounts of J. W. P. Huntington.

Approved, July 12, 1876.

July 12, 1876.

CHAP. 189.—An act for the relief of Benjamin L. Cornish, late second lieutenant of the Thirty-second Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

Payment to B. L. Cornish.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Paymaster-General of the United States Army be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money appropriated or hereafter to be appropriated for the payment of the Army, to Benjamin L. Cornish, late second lieutenant in the Thirty-second Regiment of Wisconsin Volunteers, the pay and emoluments of a second lieutenant of infantry, from the eleventh day of November, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, to the twelfth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, during which time he actually performed duty and was regularly commissioned as such second lieutenant, but was not mustered in: *Provided,* That whatever amount, if any, shall have been paid to the said Benjamin L. Cornish for his services in the Army during the time above specified, shall be deducted from the amount of the pay and emoluments of a second lieutenant, and the balance only paid to him.

Approved, July 12, 1876.

July 12, 1876.

CHAP. 190.—An act for the relief of Maria W. Sanders.

Pension to Maria W. Sanders.

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 Maria W. Sanders, of Pittsburgh, in the State of Pennsylvania, upon the list of pensioners, as the widow of Brevet Major John Sanders, at the rate of thirty dollars per month, to continue during her widowhood.

SAMUEL S. COX.

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President June 30, 1876.

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The foregoing act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 193.—An act to appropriate one thousand dollars to remove the remains of Honorable E. Rumsey Wing, late minister to Ecuador, from Quito to the cemetery at Owensboro, Kentucky.

Removal of remains of E. R. Wing.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of one thousand dollars be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be used, under the direction of the Secretary of State, in removing the remains of Honorable E. Rumsey Wing, late minister to Ecuador, from Quito to the cemetery at Owensboro, Kentucky.

Approved, July 18, 1876.

July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 194.—An act granting a pension to Clara Brosch, mother of Joseph Brosch, junior, late private Company H, Twenty-fourth Regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers.

Pension to Clara Brosch.

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 Clara Brosch, mother of Joseph Brosch, junior, late private Company H, Twenty-fourth Regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.
T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 195.—An act granting a pension to Niram W. Pratt.

July 18, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Niram W. Pratt, late a private in Captain A. J. Millard's independent Company of Sioux City Iowa Cavalry

Pension to N. W. Pratt.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

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CHAP. 196.—An act granting a pension to Emanuel B. Herr.

July 18, 1876.

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 Emanuel B. Herr, late a private in Company K, One hundred and ninety-fifth Regiment Pennsylvania volunteers.

Pension to E. B. Herr.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 197.—An act granting a pension to Nancy H. Blacknall, widow of Thomas Y. Blacknall, late private Company L, Seventh Tennessee Cavalry.

July 18, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Nancy H. Blacknall, wife of Thomas Y. Blacknall, late

Pension to Nancy H. Blacknall.

private of Company L, Seventh Tennessee Cavalry and to pension her from and after the passage of this act

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 198.—An act granting a pension to Samuel D. Falls, late unassigned recruit Ninth Regiment Minnesota Volunteers

Pension to S. D. Falls.

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 Samuel D. Falls, sometime unassigned recruit Ninth Minnesota Volunteers.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 199.—An act granting a pension to John L. Bartley.

Pension to J. L. Bartley.

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 John L. Bartley, late a private in Company C, Second North Carolina Mounted Infantry.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives, pro tempore.
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 200.—An act granting a pension to Margaret E. Cogburn.

Pension to Margaret E. Cogburn.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Margaret E. Cogburn, widow of Hiram J. Cogburn,

late a private in company F, of the Second regiment of Tennessee volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month, and two dollars per month in addition thereto for each minor child of said Hiram J. and Margaret E. Cogburn, until they arrive at the age of sixteen years respectively.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 201.—An act granting a pension to William R. Duncan.

July 18, 1876.

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 William R. Duncan, late a private in Company G, Third Regiment of Tennessee Infantry Volunteers, and pay him a pension from the twenty-third day of July, anno Domini eighteen hundred and seventy-three, the date at which he was dropped from the pension-roll.

Pension to W. R. Duncan.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 202.—An act granting a pension to William McLay, late a private in Company G, Twelfth Illinois Infantry Volunteers

July 18, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of William McLay, late a private in Company G, in the Twelfth Regiment of Illinois Infantry Volunteers

Pension to W. McLay.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 203.—An act granting a pension to Harriet C. Dunham, widow of Charles A. Dunham, late private company A, One hundred and eighteenth regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Pension to Harriet C. Dunham.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Harriet C. Dunham, widow of Charles A. Dunham, late private company A, One hundred and eighteenth regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 204.—An act granting a pension to Mary S. Greenlee.

Pension to Mary S. Greenlee.

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 Mary S. Greenlee, widow of George W. Greenlee, deceased, late a Union soldier in company B. Eighth Tennessee Cavalry.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 205.—An act granting a pension to Jane Bertholf.

Pension to Jane Bertholf.

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 Jane Bertholf, widow of William Bertholf.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 206.—An act granting a pension to Abigail S. Dawney.

July 18, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Abigail S. Dawney, dependent mother of Nathan U. Dawney, late a private of Company G of the One hundredth and forty-fifth Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, deceased, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Pension to Abigail S. Dawney.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 207.—An act granting a pension to Henry H. Wharff, of Company C, Eighteenth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers.

July 18, 1876.

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 Henry H. Wharff, late a private of Company C, Eighteenth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension-laws.

Pension to H. H. Wharff.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 208.—An act granting a pension to Sarah Emmons.

July 18, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Sarah Emmons; widow of Charles E. Emmons, late a private in company H, Sixth Michigan Cavalry Volunteers.

Pension to Sarah Emmons.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.
T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 209.—An act for the relief of Mrs Susan E Rhea, widow of Dr. J. Burrows Gardiner.

Payment to Susan E. Rhea.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting-officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Susan E. Rhea, who was the widow of J. Burrows Gardiner, a surgeon in the navy of Texas at the time of the annexation of said republic to the United States, the compensation which he would have received had he been living at the date of the passage of the act of Congress of March third, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven: *Provided,* That the acceptance of the provisions of this act shall be a full relinquishment of all claims on the part of the said Gardiner, or any other person or persons, for further compensation in this behalf from the Government of the United States.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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July 18, 1876.

CHAP. 210.—An act granting a pension to Mary B. Hook.

Pension to Mary B. Hook.

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 Mary B. Hook, widow of Lieutenant Colonel James H. Hook, late of the United States Army, from and after the passage of this act.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 6, 1876.

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CHAP. 211.—An act to supply an omission in the enrolment of the deficiency bill approved March third, 1875.

July 19, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting officers of the Treasury, in settling and adjusting the revenue, disbursing, and other accounts of James Atkins, late collector of internal revenue for the fourth district of Georgia, are hereby directed to credit said Atkins with the sum of fourteen thousand eight hundred and nineteen dollars and thirty-three cents, on account of loss of that amount by default of deputies in his employ, the amount being lost without neglect or fault of said Atkins.

Credit in accounts of James Atkins.

Approved, July 19, 1876.

CHAP. 215.—An act for the relief of the family of the late John T. King and of L. B. Cutler.

July 19, 1876.

Whereas John T. King, lately employed as a carpenter and cabinet-maker about the Capitol, while in the discharge of his duties, was killed by an explosion of gas in the closet under the eastern stairway of the Senate, leaving a wife, three children, two grandchildren, and a mother-in-law without any means of support; and

Preamble.

Whereas L. B. Cutler, principal assistant in the folding-room of the Senate, was so injured, at the same time and under the same circumstances, as to be disabled for life, leaving a wife without means of support, and a mother to whose support he has partly contributed: Therefore,

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of three thousand dollars for the aid and support of the family of the late John T. King, and the further sum of three thousand dollars for the aid and support of L. B. Cutler, is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be paid to the Secretary of the Interior in trust for the above mentioned purposes, who may, at his discretion, pay the same to the respective parties in annual installments, or all in one payment, or invest the same for their use and benefit, as he may think most expedient.

Appropriation for aid to family of John T. King and L. B. Cutler.

Approved, July 19, 1876.

CHAP. 216.—An act for the relief of Anderson J. Smith

July 19, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Paymaster-General of the Army be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Anderson J. Smith late of Company A, one hundred and thirtieth regiment of Illinois Volunteer Infantry, the pay and allowances of an assistant surgeon in the Army from May sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty four, to the date of his muster-out of service, on the seventeenth day of June eighteen hundred and sixty-five, deducting whatever pay he received for said term as sergeant; and that such payment shall be made out of any money appropriated for the pay of the Army.

Payment to A. J. Smith.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President July 7, 1876.

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and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

July 19, 1876.

CHAP. 217.—An act for the allowance of certain claims reported by the accounting-officers of the Treasury Department.

1864, ch. 240,
13 Stat., 381.
Payment of
claims allowed by
accounting-officers
of Treasury to per-
sons in—

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the several persons in this act named the several sums mentioned herein; the same being in full for, and the receipt of the same to be taken and accepted in each case as a full and final discharge of, the several claims examined and allowed by the proper accounting-officers under the provisions of the act of July fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, since December seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, namely:

New Mexico.

OF THE TERRITORY OF NEW MEXICO.

To Antanacio and Antonio Abeite, six hundred dollars.

Tennessee.

OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE.

To Charles R. Abbott, Fayette County, two hundred and forty dollars and eighty-three cents.

To Thomas G. Allison, Davidson County, twenty-one dollars and twenty-five cents.

To John F. Anderson, Franklin County, one hundred and fifty-nine dollars.

To Philip Anthony, Junior, Wilson County, four hundred dollars.

To J. H. Atchley, Sevier County, forty-five dollars.

To Claiborne W. Ault, Knox County, seven hundred and twenty-three dollars and fifty cents.

To Julia C. Bailey, executrix of Sylvester Bailey, deceased, late of Shelby County, three hundred and fifty dollars.

To Nathaniel Bird, Knox County, one hundred and fifteen dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Kinchen Burnett, Davidson County, seventy dollars.

To David Beard, Wilson County, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Daniel L. Bettis, Jefferson County, one hundred and forty-eight dollars and sixty cents.

To Henry Biggs, Lafayette County, one thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Elias Bowman, Campbell County, twenty-three dollars and five cents.

To James S. Boyd, Knox County, three thousand five hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To James Brassel, Morgan County, one hundred and eighty-four dollars.

To John Bettes, Jefferson County, thirty-eight dollars.

To E. W. Caldwell, Shelby County, three thousand four hundred and fifty-nine dollars and seventy-five cents.

To E. J. Carr, Shelby County, one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and fifty cents.

To James R. Chavoos, Robertson County, three hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.

To Joel B. Chitwood, Scott County, one hundred and fifty-two dollars.

To John Clendenning, administrator of the estate of Sallie Frazier, deceased, Sumner County, one hundred and ninety-two dollars and fifty cents. Tennessee, continued.

To Joseph A. Cooper, Campbell County, one hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To Samuel E. Cottrell, administrator of the estate of David C. Cottrell, deceased, Claiborne County, eighty-five dollars and eighty cents.

To James Clift, Warren County, thirty dollars.

To George W. Corn, Franklin County, one hundred and ninety-six dollars and eighty-seven cents.

To Carter Dalton, Grainger County, seventy dollars.

To James A. Darwin, Rhea County, forty-three dollars.

To McKinney Dooley, Maury County, six hundred and sixty-five dollars.

To J. W. Doherty and C. A. Boyd, administrators, with the will annexed, of Litle Choate, deceased, Wayne County, forty-four dollars and eighty-six cents.

To Alfred Dorsett, Campbell County, one hundred and seventy-five dollars and forty-two cents.

To William E. Ezell, Davidson County, thirty-eight dollars and forty cents.

To Jacob Fisher, Smith County, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Edward Francis, Marion County, two hundred and forty-seven dollars and twenty-five cents.

To John R. Gaines, Monroe County, forty dollars and twenty cents.

To Michael Gallagher, Humphreys County, two hundred and seventy-three dollars and sixty cents.

To James W. Gleaves, Wilson County, one hundred dollars.

To J. F. Gracy, Maury County, one hundred and twenty dollars.

To John Graham, McNairy County, forty-three dollars and five cents.

To Evander Melver, executor of Daniel Graham, deceased, Davidson County, nine hundred and eighty-five dollars and forty-nine cents.

To William M. Gaines, Lauderdale County, one hundred and forty dollars.

To Louis Hanauer, Shelby County, five hundred dollars.

To Newitt Harris, Fayette County, one thousand seven hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Thomas Hartman, administrator of the estate of John Hartman, deceased, Hamilton County, three hundred dollars.

To William S. Haynes, Marion County, four hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

To Samuel Henry, Jefferson County, two hundred and seventy-one dollars.

To J. W. Hill, Tipton County, two hundred and twenty dollars.

To Henry Hinchey, Jefferson County, one hundred and ten dollars.

To A. B. Holliday, Franklin County, seventy-five dollars.

To William Hughes, Hamilton County, three hundred and forty dollars.

To Jonathan Jackson, Hamilton County, forty-eight dollars.

To Willie B. Jones, Fayette County, eight thousand one hundred and forty-one dollars and seventy-five cents.

To John Krider, Fayette County, eight hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Leaty Lambdin, administratrix of the estate of Samuel Lambdin, deceased, late of Union County, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To J. P. Lively, Warren County, fifty dollars.

To Thomas A. Lockhart, Simpson County, one hundred and thirty dollars.

To A. F. Loughmiller, Franklin County, seventy-five dollars.

To David Lyons, Franklin County, two hundred and ninety-three dollars.

Tennessee, con-
tinued.

To J. H. McLellan, Memphis, five thousand three hundred and eleven dollars.

To Thomas McCulloch, Wilson County, eight hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To Malcolm McNabb, Coccoe County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To F. P. McNew, Campbell County, one hundred and eighty-two dollars and eighty cents.

To J. S. Maddox, Warren County, sixty-two dollars and ninety cents.

To Buckner W. Matthews, Dickson County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Carlton Mathis, Gibson County, forty dollars.

To Valentine Mattox, Sevier County, seventy-five dollars and nineteen cents.

To Henry Mayes, Monroe County, two hundred and ten dollars.

To James G. Moore, executor of Statira Moore, deceased, Shelby County, seven thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Samuel Moore, Anderson County, thirteen dollars and fifty cents.

To V. V. Moore and J. J. Thorp, executors of R. R. Moore, deceased, Fayette County, seven hundred and forty dollars.

To William Moore, Robertson County, one hundred and eighty-six dollars.

To William Moore, Hawkins County, two hundred and fifty dollars.

To John Mort, Jefferson County, two hundred and thirty-six dollars and seventy-five cents.

To George W. Mabry, Knox County, one hundred and fifty-nine dollars and twenty cents.

To D. D. McFall, Maury County, seventy dollars.

To William Manning, Smith County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Patsey Montgomery, Hamilton County, eighty dollars.

To Thomas G. Neal, Shelby County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To John C. Newman, Jefferson County, three hundred and twenty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Isaac M. Newman, Jefferson County, two hundred and forty-five dollars.

To William Nuckolls, Hardeman County, six thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven dollars and twenty-four cents.

To Allen Parker, Hamilton County, one thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars.

To Alexander Ramsey, Hardeman County, four hundred and eighteen dollars.

To Thomas Robert, Hamilton County, one thousand and fifty dollars.

To Alexander Rumage, Maury County, eighty dollars.

To Carroll B. Rush, Lauderdale County, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To William B. Scott, Hamilton County, ninety-five dollars and sixty-two cents.

To Christian Sharp, Claiborne County, seventy-one dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Levi Slagle, Carter County, ninety dollars.

To Irvin H. Taffe, Shelby County, nine hundred dollars.

To Jacob Tarwater, Knox County, ninety dollars.

To Christian Teufel, administrator of Joseph Teufel, deceased, Shelby County, two hundred and sixty dollars.

To R. Thornburgh, administrator of Augustine Gooch, deceased, Grainger County, one hundred and twenty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

To W. S. Thornton, administrator of W. H. Thornton, deceased, Fayette County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To the heirs-at-law of Thomas Tittsworth, deceased, Jefferson County, seven hundred and seven dollars and sixteen cents.

To James Vance, Jefferson County, one hundred and seventy-two dollars. Tennessee, continued.

To Jesse Webster, Hawkins County, fifty-nine dollars and eighty cents.

To Joseph West, Grainger County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To William M. Wilson, Obion County, two hundred and twenty dollars.

To the estate of Lewis Williams, deceased, Davidson County, nine hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents.

To Lewis E. Williams, Knox County, ninety-six dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Henry Wetter, Shelby County, seven hundred dollars.

To E. M. H. Wright, Wilson County, two hundred and fifty dollars.

To Joseph Worley, Hamblen County, two hundred and twenty-eight dollars.

To William S. Wilson, Shelby County, five hundred and ten dollars.

To T. H. Williamson, administrator of H. G. Williamson, deceased, Davidson County, thirty-six dollars and five cents.

OF THE STATE OF MISSOURI

Missouri.

To Darwin J. Adkins, Clay County, two hundred and fifty dollars.

To John Bynum, Jackson County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Salome Boeger, Franklin County, forty-four dollars.

To Frederick Brauer, Pettis County, seventy-five dollars.

To J. G. Bruton, administrator of R. T. Roberts, deceased, Boone County, one hundred and ten dollars.

To Samuel W. Chinn and Company, Marion County, one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and sixty-eight cents.

To Green Cline, Vernon County, four hundred and five dollars.

To Wilkins Crawford, Ralls County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To James F. Edwards, administrator of Thomas B. English deceased, Cape Girardeau County, sixty three dollars.

To Alexander Feeley, E. H. Wheeler, and H. E. Hiler, Bates County, one thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Beal Green, Jackson County, six hundred and thirty dollars.

To James Hampton, Harrison County, one hundred dollars.

To James F Harrell, McDonald County, thirty dollars.

To Joseph P. Helm, Lawrence County, seventeen dollars and fifty cents.

To Malcolm Hunter, Wright County, eight dollars.

To Jonas L. King, Polk County, ninety dollars.

To Samuel Kimsey, Jackson County, four dollars.

To Norman Lackland, Audrain County, three hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To James W. McElwain, Webster County, six hundred and eighty-two dollars.

To William Massey, Green County, four hundred and twenty eight dollars.

To William J. Morrow, Macon County, one hundred and sixty dollars.

To Joseph M Pilkinton Pettis County, three hundred and forty two dollars.

To C. B. L Rowland, Wayne County, one hundred and seventy five dollars and twenty six cents.

To William Ryland, Randolph County, fifty five dollars and twelve cents.

To Mary A. Robinson, administratrix of A. B. Robinson, deceased, Clair County, one hundred dollars.

To Aley A. Rasor, Madison County, twelve dollars and fifty cents.

To John Seism, Stoddard County, thirty dollars and fifty six cents.

Missouri, contin-
ued.

- To A. K. Sittington, Lafayette County, sixty dollars.
- To James A. Stewart, Chariton County, one hundred dollars.
- To George R. Smith, Pettis County, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To A. B. Thornton, Cole County, one hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Abner and Montney Thurman, Warren County, three hundred and seventy-five dollars and fifty cents
- To William B. Toler, Madison County, ninety dollars.
- To Joseph Tuck, Green County, one hundred dollars.
- To Thomas Waters Jackson County, six hundred and sixty seven dollars and fifty cents
- To A. J. Williams, Saint Francis County, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Andrew C. Wooley, Stone County, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Ira L. Wood, Madison County, one hundred and fifty five dollars.
- To John B. Woods, Lawrence County, twenty dollars and seventy two cents.

Indiana.

OF THE STATE OF INDIANA.

- To Jackson Applegate, and Joseph Booker, Clinton County, two hundred dollars.

Kentucky.

OF THE STATE OF KENTUCKY.

- To W. P. Ashby Henry County, thirteen dollars and twenty nine cents.
- To Lysander Ball, Lincoln County, twelve dollars and seventy five cents.
- To Lambert Bauta, Hart County, sixty eight dollars and eighty cents.
- To Julius Bedoit, Kenton County, three hundred dollars.
- To John L. Black, Henry County, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Samuel Black, Laurel County, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To James H. Boling, administrator of William Boling, deceased, Boyle County, three dollars.
- To V. S. Boisseau, administrator of P. H. Boisseau, deceased, Simpson County, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To G. L. Bourland, Hopkins County, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To James Bradshaw, Christian County, one hundred and fifty five dollars.
- To the estate of William H. Branham, deceased, Hardin County, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Archibald Brittain Knox County, thirteen dollars.
- To Hardin Butler, Hart County, one hundred and eighty two dollars and fifty cents.
- To S. D. Brooks, administrator of David L. Brooks, deceased, Bullitt County, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Moses Capps, administrator of Allen Capps, deceased, Cumberland County, seventy five dollars.
- To Nelson Carns, Knox County, three dollars.
- To Killinham Carns, Knox County, two dollars and fifty cents.
- To William Cash, Caldwell County, fifty five dollars and fifty cents.
- To Abel Chaney, Pike County, two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To John A. Clark, Bullitt County, one hundred and sixty two dollars and fifty cents.
- To James P. Coleman, Warren County, four hundred and eighty dollars.
- To W. F. Coombs Hardin County, one hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty cents.
- To Joshua H. Crump, Hart County, two hundred dollars.
- To John E. Carson, Lincoln County, fifty seven dollars and fifty eight cents.
- To Henry C. Dickenson, Lee County, eighty nine dollars and ninety eight cents
- To Edmund Duff, Barren County one hundred and thirteen dollars.

To Sallie A. Dunn, Garrard County, five hundred and ninety four dollars Kentucky, con-
tinued.

To G. S. Early, Pulaski County, nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and eighty eight cents.

To Henry Enders, McCracken County, one thousand and fifty-six dollars and fifty six cents.

To Peyton G. Edwards, Todd County, two hundred and seventy dollars

To Robert Floyd and George Anderson, partners, trading under the name of Floyd and Anderson, Jefferson County fifty two dollars.

To Martin Ford, Carroll County, one hundred dollars.

To H. R. and H. W. Gardner, administrators of J. H. Gardner, deceased, Estill County, two hundred and ten dollars.

To John Garman, Cumberland County, six dollars and fifty cents.

To William J. George, Floyd County, one thousand and ninety three dollars and twenty cents.

To John Gilliland Jefferson County, eighty dollars.

To John H. Graham, president of the Knob. City Land Company, Jefferson County, one thousand and six hundred dollars.

To James M. Grace, McCracken County, five thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars.

To Catharine Haessig, administratrix of F. Haessig, deceased, McCracken County, one hundred and forty dollars.

To Jacob. Hackney, Laurel County, twenty one dollars and thirty seven cents.

To Fayette Harrison, McCracken County, one hundred dollars.

To Henderson Fair Company, Henderson County, six thousand two hundred and sixteen dollars.

To Henry Horttman, Keuton County, two hundred and seventy eight dollars.

To James Houk, Rockcastle County, seventy five dollars.

To Liter Humphreys Jefferson County, thirty two dollars and fifty cents.

To James Haggard, administrator of Albert Capps, deceased, Cumberland County, seventy dollars.

To Shelton B. Jeffries, Hardin County, one hundred dollars.

To Lucy A. Johns, Lawrence County, five hundred dollars.

To Hillory S. Johnson, La Rue County, one hundred and thirty dollars.

To J. S. Jordan, administrator of T. F. Smith, deceased Barren County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To John Killian, Laurel County, ten dollars.

To John A. Kindrick Pulaski County, twenty five dollars.

To A. C. King, Whitley County, four hundred and forty six dollars and eighty two cents.

To William T. King, Whitley County, two hundred and twenty five dollars and sixty cents.

To Miles Kelley, Warren County, four thousand eight hundred and fifty six dollars and fifty cents.

To George W. Lawson, Whitley County, five dollars and twenty cents.

To David McCord Christian County, thirty six dollars.

To Arthur McTee, Knox County, eighty one dollars.

To P. H. Mayhall, Franklin County, thirty two dollars and fifty cents.

To John Moris, Christian County, one hundred and forty five dollars.

To W. F. Owsley, Cumberland County, two hundred dollars.

To William W. Page, Adair County, one hundred and sixteen dollars and fifty cents.

To W. B. Parker, Hoptins County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Emanuel Pfaff, Knox County, forty five dollars.

To Annie R. Phillips Bullitt County, two hundred and eighty dollars.

To Nannie B. Prather, Mercer County, six hundred and thirty six dollars.

To S. T. Price, Grant County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

Kentucky, con-
tinued.

- To Garrett Parsons, Marion County, two hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty cents.
 To Madison Raines Knox County, forty one dollars and sixty cents.
 To Nancy Ramsey, and Nancy Ramsey administratrix of Freeman Ramsey deceased, Taylor County three hundred and forty three dollars.
 To Austin Reid, Laurel County, one hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Camden Riley, administrator of John Hathaway, deceased, Daviess County, two hundred dollars.
 To J. H. Ritchie Cumberland County, eighty six dollars and forty cents.
 To Lawrence Roberts, Boone County, one hundred and fifty five dollars.
 To R. D. Salmons, Simpson County, eighty four dollars.
 To Jacob. Shickner, Kenton County, twenty five dollars.
 To Benjamin Sherley, administrator of George A. Estes, deceased, Metcalfe County, one hundred dollars.
 To Lucy Smith, Rockcastle County, twenty six dollars, and twenty-five cents
 To Robert S. Smith, Cumberland County, seventy dollars.
 To B. M. D. Snyder, Hardin County, one hundred and fifteen dollars.
 To D. G. Stark, Warren County, six hundred and sixteen dollars and twenty cents.
 To James C. Sympson, Taylor County, twenty five dollars.
 To W. Thomas Smedley, Marshall County, nine hundred and sixty dollars.
 To F. W. Talbott Clinton County, forty five dollars and ninety cents.
 To John J. Taylor Marion County, two hundred and thirty three dollars.
 To John H. Tucker, Harrison County, four hundred and ninety five dollars.
 To Fielding Vaughn, Green County, seventy-nine dollars and seventy-five cents.
 To Delila Wagoner, Cumberland County, two hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Nancy Walker, Knox County, three dollars.
 To William Webb, Clay County, twenty five dollars.
 To William Wells, Junior, Barren County, two hundred and fifty dollars.
 To John West, Pulaski County, fifty-one dollars.
 To Harmon K. Wilson, Knox County, eighty-five dollars.
 To Barnett Williams, Washington County, one hundred dollars.
 To Jacob. J. Williams Rockcastle County, sixty seven dollars and fifty cents.
 To Lemuel A. Williams Barren County forty dollars
 To Charles M. Whitaker, Harrison County, one hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Mary Whipple, Jefferson County, seventy-five dollars.
 To William M. Winlock, Barren County, five hundred and thirty dollars.
 To Henry J. Wilson, Bourbon County, one hundred and thirty dollars.
 To William Woodcock, Pulaski County, thirty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents.
 To Benoni West, Boyle County, four hundred and eighty dollars.
 To J. H. Younger, Christian County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

West Virginia.

OF THE STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA.

- To David Bassel, Harrison County, two hundred dollars.
 To George Christian, Berkeley County, eleven dollars and fifty cents.
 To Arnold Cunningham, Pendleton County, one hundred and forty-five dollars.

West Virginia,
continued.

To Frances Davis, Harrison County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Henry Dickenson, Pendleton County, five hundred and nineteen dollars.

To William Ewing, Ohio County, forty dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Hanning Foggy, Randolph County, two hundred and twenty dollars.

To Catharine Hart, Harrison County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To David Hedrick, Greenbrier County, one thousand one hundred and seventy-four dollars.

To Cynthia Hedrick, Pendleton County, one hundred and eight dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Robert F. Hiatt, administrator of Isaac Vanosdall, deceased, Hampshire County, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Elijah Huffman, executor of George High, deceased, Hampshire County, two hundred dollars.

To Zadoc Joliff, Marion County, four hundred and ten dollars.

To Lewis G. Kemp, Jefferson County, ninety-six dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Elizabeth Long, Mineral County, one hundred and thirty dollars and fifty cents.

To Francis Ludington, Greenbrier County, one hundred and five dollars.

To B. H. Lurty, Harrison County, two hundred and fifty dollars.

To L. McAleer, Hampshire County, four thousand nine hundred and nineteen dollars and sixty-seven cents.

To Allen J. Moses, Greenbrier County, twenty-two dollars and ninety-six cents.

To Richard and James Sloan, surviving partners of the firm of George Sloan and Brothers, Mineral County, forty-six dollars.

To John L. Smith, Wood County, one hundred and forty dollars.

To Jacob W. Stalnaker, Randolph County, one thousand four hundred and ninety-seven dollars and sixty cents.

To William B. Stump, Hampshire County, six hundred and forty-one dollars and twenty-five cents.

To William B. Stump Hampshire County, three hundred and eighty-eight dollars.

To Betty Walker, Raleigh County, four hundred and ninety two dollars and fifty cents.

To A. Werninger, Harrison County, one thousand and twenty-three dollars and nineteen cents.

To Bassel Wolf, administrator of P. H. Wolf, deceased, Harrison County, one hundred and twenty five dollars.

OF THE STATE OF MARYLAND.

Maryland.

To William H. Bowman, Montgomery County, two hundred and five dollars.

To William Boyer, Washington County, eighteen dollars.

To James Chambers, Washington County, one hundred and twenty dollars and seventeen cents.

To John H. Clagett, Washington County, three hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty cents.

To Z. S. Claggett, executor, and Mayberry C. Beeler, executrix of Peter Beeler, deceased, Washington County, four hundred and sixty-five dollars and three cents.

To Margaret A. and Joseph F. Davis, executrix and executor of E. Davis, deceased, Washington County, seven hundred and sixty-three dollars and ten cents.

To Jacob Eakle, Washington County, eight hundred and fifty-nine dollars.

Maryland, con-
tinued.

To Andrew J. Eyler, Washington County, three hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To Eliza Fisher, Montgomery County, one thousand five hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Peter Gray, Washington County, fifteen dollars.

To Josiah H. Green, administrator of Barbara A. Green, deceased, Washington County, three hundred and nine dollars and twenty cents.

To A. H. Hager, Washington County, four hundred and fifteen dollars.

To David C. Hammond, and S. Armstrong, Washington County, three hundred and ninety-eight dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Thomas H. Harrington, Montgomery County, three hundred and thirty-four dollars.

To John Heeter, Montgomery County, seventy-seven dollars and seventy cents.

To John Heeter, Montgomery County, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars.

To John Heflebower, Washington County, ten dollars.

To William M. Hill, administrator and Henrietta Hill, administratrix of David Spong, deceased, Washington County, eighty-five dollars and sixty-two cents.

To S. G. K. Hunter, administrator of Thomas Hunter, deceased, Montgomery County, two thousand one hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

To Leonidas Jones, Montgomery County, one thousand six hundred and seventy-nine dollars and five cents.

To Magdalena Jones, Washington County, one hundred and forty-seven dollars and twenty cents.

To Richard W. Jones, Montgomery County, one hundred dollars.

To Jacob Knafe, Washington County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars and twenty cents.

To Lafayette Square Association, Baltimore, four hundred and nineteen dollars and eighty-four cents.

To Joseph Laing, Alleghany County, two hundred and twenty-five dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Jesse Moore, Washington County, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Jacob F. Miller, Washington County, seven hundred and seventy-eight dollars and twenty-five cents.

To John Otto, Washington County, eight hundred and ninety-three dollars and eighty-five cents.

To Henry Piper, Washington County, nine hundred and thirteen dollars.

To Samuel Queen, Charles County, three hundred dollars.

To Ann S. Robertson, Montgomery County, three hundred and seventy-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Henry B. Rohrback, Washington County, one thousand five hundred and twenty-seven dollars and seventy-four cents.

To Lavinia Schindel, Washington County, three hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To B. F. Shafer, Washington County, one hundred and forty-three dollars.

To Henry Schamel, Washington County, sixty dollars.

To Alfred Showman, Washington County, one thousand two hundred and six dollars.

To Charles W. Shreve, Montgomery County, two thousand two hundred and forty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Susan A. Spielman, Washington County, five hundred and forty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Lewis H. Steiner, Frederick County, two hundred and ninety-two dollars and sixty cents.

To Christian Stotler, Washington County, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To Michael Spilane, Baltimore, Maryland, forty dollars and sixty-two cents. Maryland, continued.

To Maria L. Swann, executrix of Edward Swann, deceased, Baltimore, one thousand one hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To George Shafer, Frederick County, one hundred and fifty-seven dollars and thirty-five cents.

To Richard T. Tubman, Charles County, forty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Samuel Wagoner, Washington County, one thousand and twenty-one dollars.

To William Watkins, Montgomery County, fifty-five dollars and sixty-five cents.

To David Wolf, Washington County, one hundred and eighty dollars.

To Benjamin Witmer, Washington County, twenty dollars.

To John Zimmerman, Washington County, thirty-eight dollars and twenty-five cents.

OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

District of Columbia.

To Charles Bradley, in his own right, and Charles Bradley, administrator of Caroline Magruder, deceased, Washington County, four thousand five hundred and ninety-six dollars and sixty-four cents.

To Mary E. Brown, executrix of Thomas Brown, deceased, one thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars.

To Emily Beale, Washington County, seventy-nine dollars and thirty three cents.

To Ellen J. King, executrix of J. H. King, deceased, Washington County, seven hundred and thirty-five dollars and thirty-five cents.

To Alexander McCormack, Washington County, two hundred and ninety seven dollars, and fifty cents.

To John R. Norton, Georgetown, two hundred dollars.

To Joshua A. Ritchie, Washington County, one hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty cents.

OF THE STATE OF ILLINOIS.

Illinois.

To William C. Brady, Cass County, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To Levi Glenn, Hamilton County, one hundred and forty-five dollars.

To Emma C. McGhee, administratrix of Andrew J. McGhee, deceased, White County, one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents

OF THE STATE OF IOWA.

Iowa.

To William Cooper, Lee County, two hundred and seventy dollars.

OF THE STATE OF OHIO.

Ohio.

To Rollin L. Curtis, surviving partner of McLaughlin and Curtis, Washington County, ninety-seven dollars and seventeen cents.

OF THE STATE OF PENNSYLVANIA.

Pennsylvania.

To Elden and Walter, Franklin County, two hundred and eighty three dollars.

To S. J. Wetz, Adams County, twenty-two dollars and eighty nine cents.

OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

North Carolina.

To Benjamin Emmert, Rowan County, three hundred and ninety-six dollars and twenty-five cents.

Kansas.

OF THE STATE OF KANSAS.

To William R. Chitwood, Jefferson County, twenty-six dollars and eighty-four cents.

To H. V. Faris, administrator of Irwin Faris, deceased, five hundred and thirty-eight dollars.

To Calvin Hardy, Linn County, one hundred and thirty-two dollars.

To Henry Ross, Jefferson County, one hundred and seventy-three dollars and four cents.

New York.

OF THE STATE OF NEW YORK.

To Mary V. B. Smith, New York City, one thousand seven hundred and thirty dollars.

Texas.

OF THE STATE OF TEXAS.

To Edward W. Wilson, Grayson County, six dollars.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 7, 1876.

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The foregoing act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

 July 19, 1876.

CHAP. 218.—An act for the relief of John S. Dickson, late captain of paroled prisoners.

Payment to J. S. Dickson.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay to John S. Dickson late captain of company B, paroled prisoners of Wisconsin Volunteers, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the full pay and allowances of a captain of infantry for the period of nine months and twenty days, the same being the time he served as captain of company B, paroled prisoners, deducting therefrom the amount of pay received by said John S. Dickson as sergeant of company C, Eighteenth regiment Wisconsin Volunteers.

Approved, July 19, 1876.

 July 20, 1876.

CHAP. 219.—An act for the relief of Martha J. Coston.

Payment to Martha J. Coston.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of thirteen thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Martha J. Coston, in full of all claim and demand of the said Martha J. Coston upon the Government of the United States for the use of the Coston signal-light, and the manufacture by her of the same.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 8, 1876.

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The foregoing act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

CHAP. 229.—An act to remove the political disabilities of G. T. Beauregard, of New Orleans, Louisiana.

July 24, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (Two-thirds of each House concurring therein) That all political disabilities imposed upon G. T. Beauregard, of New Orleans, Louisiana, by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States, by reason of participation in the rebellion, are hereby removed.

Political disabilities of G. T. Beauregard.

Approved, July 24 1876.

CHAP. 230.—An act for the relief of George T. Olmstead junior.

July 24, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and hereby is, authorized to reappoint George T. Olmstead, junior, late a captain of the second regiment of artillery, United States Army, a captain in the Army, and to duly commission him as the same.

George T. Olmstead, jr., may be reappointed a captain in the Army.

SEC. 2. That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to authorize said Olmstead to receive any pay or allowances for any time that he has not been in the actual service of the United States.

Approved, July 24, 1876.

CHAP. 231.—An act for the relief of H. P. Jones and Company.

July 25, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and instructed to pay to H. P. Jones, P. B. Ruffin, and James F. Cain, trading as H. P. Jones and Company, the sum of two hundred dollars and ten cents, being the amount of drawback of tax due to them on certain tobacco exported by them.

Payment to H. P. Jones, P. B. Ruffin, and James F. Cain.

SEC. 2. That this act shall be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, July 25, 1876.

CHAP. 232.—An act for the relief of Albert W. Preston

July 25, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Albert W. Preston, who was, on December fifteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, duly retired from the active service, and placed upon the list of retired officers of the United States Army, with the full rank of colonel, on account of wounds received in battle while performing the duties of colonel in command of his regiment, be, and hereby is, excepted and relieved from the operations of the act of Congress entitled "An act for the relief of General Samuel W. Crawford, and to fix the rank and pay of retired officers of the Army," approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, solely because the injuries received by him in battle are more severe, dangerous, and disabling, and more fully incapacitate and disqualify him for any service, than the loss of an arm or leg, or the permanent disability of an arm or leg by resection and is hereby restored upon the list of retired officers of the Army, to the full rank of colonel, held by him from the date of his retirement, up to March third eighteen hundred and seventy-five, with the pay of such rank from the date of the passage of this act, and shall hereafter hold and receive the rank and pay of colonel upon the list of retired officers of the Army.

Albert W. Preston restored to rank of colonel on the retired-list of Army.

1875, ch. 178, 18 Stat., 512.

Approved, July 25, 1876.

July 25, 1876.

CHAP. 233.—An act for the relief of Major Foster A. Hixon, late a paymaster in the Army.

Claim of Foster
A. Hixon for credit
in accounts re-
ferred.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claim of Major Foster A. Hixon, late a paymaster in the Army of the United States, to be credited in the settlement of his accounts with the sum of ten thousand dollars, which he claims was stolen from him at Charleston, South Carolina, on the first of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, shall be, and hereby is, referred to the proper accounting officers of the Treasury Department, with directions to examine the same; and if they shall be satisfied from the evidence presented that he suffered such loss, without any negligence on his part, and that it is equitable and just the said amount should be allowed to him, they shall allow him the amount as a credit in the settlement of his accounts.

Approved, July 25, 1876.

July 27, 1876.

CHAP. 235.—An act for the relief of Randall Brown, of Nashville, Tennessee.

Payment to Ran-
dall Brown.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Randall Brown, of Nashville, Tennessee, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, for property taken by the rebel forces while the same was being used by the Government of the United States, to be shown upon proofs and vouchers.

Approved, July 27, 1876.

July 27, 1876.

CHAP. 236.—An act for the relief of E. D. Franz.

Payment to E. D.
Franz, on lost
check.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to E. D. Franz the sum of two thousand and nineteen dollars and eighty-two cents, in lieu of check numbered two thousand five hundred and ten, drawn on the United States assistant treasurer at San Francisco, California, payable to the order of one Daniel Hazard, and endorsed by said Hazard to L and H. Huning, and by said L. and H. Huning to the said E. D. Franz, said check being signed by J. J. Dana, major and quartermaster, United States Army; which said check, it is claimed, was lost on being sent by said L. and H. Huning to the said E. D. Franz, and was never received by said E. D. Franz: *Provided,* That before the payment hereinbefore authorized the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that said check has not been paid, and further that the said E. D. Franz shall execute a bond of indemnity to the United States, with sufficient sureties, against the claim of the payee in said draft, or the claim of any person in possession of or claiming the same, and also to fully indemnify the United States against all loss and damages in the premises.

Proviso

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 17, 1876.

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The foregoing act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

CHAP. 237.—An act for the relief of Louis Rosenbaum.

July 27, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Louis Rosenbaum the sum of one thousand four hundred and twenty four dollars and thirty-seven cents in lieu of check numbered A twenty seven thousand and eighteen, on the assistant treasurer of the United States at New York, dated the fifth day of January, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, payable to the order of said Louis Rosenbaum, and signed by M. P. Small brevet-brigadier general and commissary of subsistence; which said check, it is claimed, has been lost, and was never received by the said Louis Rosenbaum: *Provided,* That before the payment hereinafore authorized, the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that said check has not been paid, and, further, that the said Louis Rosenbaum shall execute a bond of indemnity to the United States, with sufficient sureties, against the claim of the payee in said draft or the claim of any person or persons in possession of or claiming the same; and also to fully indemnify the United States against all loss and damages in the premises.

Payment to Louis Rosenbaum on lost check.

Proviso.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President July 17, 1876.

[NOTE BY THE DEPARTMENT OF STATE.—The foregoing act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the house of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

CHAP. 238.—An act for the relief of Daniel Wormer, of Albany New York.

July 27, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Daniel Wormer, of Albany, New York, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two thousand dollars, in full compensation for expenses incurred in carrying-out a contract, with the United States to furnish one thousand two hundred cavalry horses.

Payment to Daniel Wormer.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 240.—An act to remove the political disabilities of George Jackson, a citizen of West Virginia.

July 29, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein) That all political disabilities imposed by the fourteenth amendment to the Constitution of the United States on George Jackson, a citizen of the State of West Virginia, be, and the same are hereby, removed.

Political disabilities of George Jackson.

Approved, July 29, 1876.

July 29, 1876.

CHAP. 241.—An act for the relief of Anthony Lawson, surviving partner of the firm of Lawson and Brewis, of Alexandria, Va.

Payment to Anthony Lawson.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, out of any money not otherwise appropriated by law, to pay to Anthony Lawson, the surviving partner of Lawson and Brewis, or to his assignee or personal representative, without interest, the amount of the proceeds of sale for direct taxes due the United States, as aforesaid, of the lot of land on Commerce and West streets, in the City of Alexandria, and State of Virginia, sold to L. E. Chittenden, and evidenced by direct-tax-sale certificate numbered fifty-seven, dated February first, eighteen hundred and sixty-five; also, of a lot in the same city, on Washington street, numbered thirty-nine, sold to Peter G. Henderson, and evidenced by a like certificate, numbered fifty-eight, and of same date with the previous one; also, of a lot in the same city, on Royal street, numbered forty-five, sold to Henry F. Davis, and evidenced by a like certificate, numbered fifty-nine, and of same date with the previous one; also, of a lot in the same city, on Cameron street, on which are erected two houses, numbered sixty-seven and sixty-nine, sold to Henry F. Davis, and evidenced by a like certificate, numbered sixty, and of same date with the previous one; also, of a lot in the same city, on Commerce street, extending back to Payne street, sold to C. W. Campbell, and evidenced by a like certificate, numbered sixty-two, and of same date with the previous one; less, in each case, all the taxes, costs, and legal charges accrued by reason of the sale thereof, as aforesaid: *Provided, however,* That upon the payment of the several sums hereby authorized and directed to be paid as aforesaid, the said Anthony Lawson, his assignee, or personal representatives, shall execute and deliver to any person or persons claiming title under the said sale for the non-payment of direct taxes under the laws aforesaid, a valid deed of quit-claim or release of all title, right, claim, or demand, by reason of the previous ownership of said property by the said firm of Lawson and Brewis, and shall produce the evidence thereof and file the same with the Secretary of the Treasury, unless the same shall be rendered unnecessary by the title being revested in the said Lawson and Brewis, or either of them, by deed or otherwise, from those so claiming under the said tax-sale.

Proviso.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 19, 1876.

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July 29, 1876.

CHAP. 242.—An act for the relief of James F. Buckner.

Credit in accounts of James F. Buckner.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting-officers of the Treasury Department be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed, in the settlement of the accounts of James F. Buckner, collector of internal revenue for the fifth district of Kentucky, to credit and allow such amounts as are shown to have been stolen or embezzled by his late deputy collector and cashier, George N. Jackson, it being first proved to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury that such embezzlement or larceny did not occur through any fault or negli-

gence of said Buckner: *Provided*, That the said Buckner shall assign and transfer to the United States, and for their benefit, any bond or other security, lien by judgment, or otherwise, against the said Jackson or others, and the right to prosecute all suit or suits thereon or for the enforcement thereof, and the exclusive benefit of all such shall inure to the United States.

Proviso.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

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CHAP. 243.—An act making an appropriation to pay the claim of Butler, Miller and Company.

July 29, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of seven thousand two hundred and twenty-four dollars and eighty-eight cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Butler, Miller and Company, for cotton taken at Nashville, Tennessee, in eighteen hundred and sixty-three, by the United States Army, and in full satisfaction and discharge of the claim of said Butler, Miller and Company, for such cotton.

Payment to Butler, Miller & Co.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President July 19, 1876.

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CHAP. 244.—An act for the relief of James W. Love, postmaster at Patriot Indiana.

July 29, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, directed to place to the credit of the Post Office fund, on money order account, the sum of twenty-six dollars; and the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post Office Department is directed to credit James W. Love, postmaster at Patriot, Indiana, in his account as such postmaster, twenty-six dollars, being for the loss of a like sum, money-order funds, remitted by him to the post-office at Cincinnati for deposit, and destroyed while enroute by the burning of the mail-boat "Pat Rogers," on the Ohio River, August fifth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

Credit in money-order account of James W. Love.

MILTON SAYLER,
Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.
 T. W. FERRY
President of the Senate pro tempore.

Received by the President July 19, 1876.

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July 29, 1876.

CHAP. 245.—An act for the relief of Philip S. Wales, medical inspector in the United States Navy.

Philip S. Wales to be placed on prize-list of steamer Pensacola, with rank of surgeon.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the prize-list of the United States steamship Pensacola the name of Philip S. Wales, with the rank of surgeon in the Navy, as being entitled to receive his share of the proceeds of the prize-money awarded to the fleet under command of Admiral Farragut, to which fleet Surgeon Wales was attached during the operations resulting in the capture of New Orleans in the month of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore.

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore

Received by the President July 19, 1876.

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July 31, 1876.

CHAP. 247.—An act for the relief of Nelson Tiffany

Charge of desertion removed from Nelson Tiffany.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to remove the charge of desertion from Nelson Tiffany, late a private in Company H, Twenty-fifth Massachusetts Volunteers, and grant said Tiffany an honorable discharge.

MILTON SAYLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives pro tempore

T. W. FERRY

President of the Senate pro tempore.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.

July 28th, 1876

The President of the United States having returned to the House of Representatives, in which it originated, the bill entitled "An act for the relief of Nelson Tiffany," with his objections thereto, the House of Representatives proceeded in pursuance of the Constitution to reconsider the same; and *Resolved*, That the said bill do pass, two-thirds of the House of Representatives agreeing to pass the same.

Attest

GEO. M. ADAMS

Clerk.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

July 31, 1876

The Senate having proceeded in pursuance of the Constitution, to reconsider the bill entitled "An act for the relief of Nelson Tiffany," returned to the House of Representatives by the President of the United

States, with his objections, and sent by the House of Representatives to the Senate, with the message of the President returning the bill:

Resolved, That the bill do pass, two-thirds of the Senate agreeing to pass the same.

Attest:

GEO O GORHAM
Secretary.

CHAP. 252.—An act to remove the political disabilities of Samuel Jones, of Virginia

Aug. 2, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein) That all political disabilities imposed upon Samuel Jones, of Virginia, by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States, by reason of participation in the rebellion, are hereby removed.

Political disabilities of Samuel Jones removed.

Approved, August 2, 1876.

CHAP. 257.—An act to remove the political disabilities of Thomas H. Williams, of Maryland.

Aug. 9, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein) That Thomas H. Williams, of the State of Maryland, be, and is hereby, relieved of all political disabilities imposed by the third section of the fourteenth article of amendments to the Constitution of the United States.

Political disabilities of Thomas H. Williams removed.

Approved, August 9, 1876.

CHAP. 275.—An act making appropriations for the payment of claims reported allowed by the Commissioners of claims under the act of Congress of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and for other purposes.

Aug. 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the several persons in this act named, the several sums mentioned therein, the same being in full for, and the receipt of the same to be taken and accepted in each case as a full and final discharge of, the several claims presented by such persons to the Commissioners of Claims under the act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and reported to the House of Representatives under the said act; that is to say:

1871, ch. 116, § 2, 15 Stat., 524.

Appropriation for payment of claims allowed by Southern Claims Commission to persons in—

OF THE STATE OF ALABAMA.

Alabama.

To Samuel Aaron, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Mial S. Abernathy, two hundred and ten dollars.

To Miles J. Abernathy, six hundred and eighty-six dollars and fifty cents.

To James S. Armstrong, two hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To William Baker, three hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To Nancy Beard, one hundred and ten dollars.

To William W. Beard, two hundred and fifty-one dollars.

To James T. Bell, two hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty cents.

To Joseph Benton, four hundred and ninety dollars.

To John H. Berry, five hundred and eighty-one dollars.

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tinued.

- To Ezekiel Bird, two hundred and fourteen dollars and fifty cents.
 To Jeremiah Blackburn, five hundred and twenty dollars.
 To Catharine Bowen, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars and sixty cents.
 To John M. Brown, twelve thousand four hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents; Caroline W. Almour, one thousand and seventeen dollars; Matilda H. Johnson, administratrix of the estate of William H. Johnson, deceased, one thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars and fifty cents.
 To John Burrow, two thousand two hundred and fifty-two dollars.
 To Alexander Carmichael, one hundred and forty dollars.
 To John Carrithers, two hundred and sixty dollars.
 To Bryant Cobb, two hundred and five dollars.
 To John W. Cobb, two hundred and sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.
 To Absalom Coffey, four hundred and seventeen dollars.
 To John A. Conner, one hundred and ninety-seven dollars.
 To George Coward, one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.
 To Larkin M. Cox; two hundred and four dollars.
 To Frances J. Crawford, ninety-one dollars.
 To Jackson Daniel, thirty-six dollars.
 To Joel Dendy, three hundred and twenty-one dollars.
 To Felix Devane, two hundred and thirty-seven dollars.
 To Mary Dougherty, eight hundred and five dollars.
 To John B. Findley, one hundred and forty dollars.
 To William C. Ford, ninety-two dollars and seventy cents.
 To Caroline Friend, administratrix of the estate of Jackson Donald, deceased, one hundred and forty dollars.
 To Joseph Garland, one thousand two hundred and fifteen dollars.
 To Frederick L. Goza, four hundred and twenty-seven dollars and sixteen cents.
 To Elias Glenn, one hundred and forty-nine dollars.
 To William Goode, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Nancy A. Graham, five hundred and fifty-five dollars and fifty cents.
 To Samuel Greenhill, two hundred and twenty dollars.
 To Green M. Haley, seven hundred and ten dollars.
 To Henry Hall, three hundred and seventy-five dollars.
 To Ellen Hampton, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.
 To Thompson Hannah, three hundred and three dollars and fifty cents.
 To Elizabeth Hardin, three hundred and seventy dollars.
 To Jasper Harper, two hundred and sixty dollars.
 To William Hightower, two hundred and forty dollars.
 To William H. Hill, four hundred and sixty-five dollars.
 To Maria L. Howard, four hundred and eleven dollars.
 To Edward Hurst, one hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Moses L. Johnson, one hundred and forty dollars.
 To Jehu Lawler, administrator of the estate of William J. Lawler, deceased, three hundred dollars.
 To Thomas N. McCarley, one hundred and one dollars.
 To John A. McClintock, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To William McCorkle, one hundred and twenty dollars.
 To Thomas McFarland, two thousand seven hundred and forty-eight dollars and forty cents.
 To Henry McNutt, fifty-six dollars.
 To Winston McNutt, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Moses Maples, four thousand six hundred and eighty-eight dollars.
 To James R. Martin, two hundred and twenty dollars.
 To Lyman W. Martin, administrator of the estate of William Brooks, deceased, two thousand one hundred and ninety-five dollars.
 To Thomas M. Martin, two hundred and forty-five dollars.
 To Martin Middleton, seven hundred and sixty dollars and fifty cents.
 To Elizabeth Miller, eighty-seven dollars and seventy cents.

To Rhoda Miller, widow of John Miller, deceased, one hundred and fifty-five dollars.

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tinued.

To Edmond Moss, one hundred and forty-four dollars.

To Joshua Mullens, six hundred and sixty three dollars and fifty cents.

To John N. Nesmith, four hundred and ten dollars.

To John Oliver, three hundred and forty-six dollars.

To Harriet Owens, three hundred and eighty nine dollars, and fifty cents.

To Sarah Reed, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Cherry E. Rice, one hundred and eighty-two dollars.

To Ephraim N. Robbins, three hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To John B. Robbins, one hundred dollars.

To Jere Roden, two hundred and ninety-three dollars.

To Walton W. Roden, one hundred and ninety-seven dollars.

To Thomas W. Roe, one hundred and seventy-one dollars.

To John Row, four hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To William A. Rush, two hundred and seventeen dollars.

To Jesse C. Russell, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To John Scott, two hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To John N. Selby, one hundred and twenty dollars.

To Walter Selby, four hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents.

To John Shugart, one hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty cents.

To William Stacks, two hundred and fifty-two dollars.

To John Steward, three hundred dollars.

To David Stringer, five hundred and forty-four dollars.

To Robert Tharp, junior, one hundred dollars.

To Meredith Thompson, two hundred and eighty dollars.

To Levi Tramel, five hundred and forty dollars.

To Charles Tucker, one hundred and twenty four dollars.

To Nelson Turner, one hundred dollars.

To William M. Underwood, one hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To James Vanderford, two hundred and eighty-one dollars.

To John C. Waite, four hundred and twenty-two dollars and forty cents.

To John Wallace, one hundred and twelve dollars.

To Reuben R. Ward, two hundred and forty-seven dollars.

To Calvin M. Wheeler, five hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To Sarah A. Woodard, one hundred and forty dollars.

To Elizabeth A. Wright, administratrix of the estate of Matthew Culbert, deceased, three hundred and eighty-four dollars.

OF THE STATE OF ARKANSAS.

Arkansas.

To Alfred Aldridge, five hundred and forty-five dollars.

To Milton Aldridge, four hundred and sixty-five dollars.

To Cæsar Bean, one hundred dollars.

To Hiram Bowen, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Jane Bowlin, one hundred dollars.

To Archibald Briggs, two hundred and twenty-nine dollars.

To Lafayette Brooks, one hundred and twenty dollars.

To Jackson Brown, two hundred and forty dollars.

To Thomas T. Brown, one hundred dollars.

To Thomas T. Brown, guardian of Mary L. Jones and agent for Gilbert Jones, three hundred dollars.

To William W. Campbell, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To James Chambers, one hundred and forty dollars.

To John B. Claiborne, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Morrison Cotner, five hundred and fifty dollars.

To Riley Cowan, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Robert Cowan, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Theresa Cox, three hundred dollars and fifty cents.

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tinued.

- To Naomi Daugherty, three hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Mrs. Hamilton R. Davis, administratrix of the state of John A Davis, deceased, one thousand dollars.
- To Thornsby Davis, one hundred dollars.
- To Josephine Decker, two hundred and four dollars.
- To Wesley Dodson, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Clarissa Dotson, three hundred and sixty-five dollars.
- To Frances Dunlap, eighty dollars.
- To William R. Dye, two hundred and forty dollars.
- To Thomas Edmondson, eighty-five dollars.
- To William R. Garrison, three hundred and sixty dollars.
- To William Gossett, four hundred and ten dollars.
- To Oliver Grangeone, four hundred and forty-five dollars.
- To Michael Grape, three hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Martha J. Graves, one hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Isaac L. Green, three hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To Isaac Haddox, one thousand and eighty-two dollars.
- To Joseph Hamm, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Samuel Haney, two hundred and forty dollars.
- To George Harrison, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To William D. Harton, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Benjamin C. Hawkins, seven hundred dollars.
- To Charles H. Hill, two hundred dollars.
- To Hansel Hodges, sixty-nine dollars.
- To Eli F. Holt, two hundred and fifty-five dollars.
- To Willis Horton, one hundred and five dollars.
- To Robert Houston, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
- To Henry M. Ivy, one thousand three hundred and eighty-five dollars.
- To James Ivy, five hundred and sixteen dollars and fifty cents.
- To William R. Ivy, one hundred dollars.
- To Daniel B. Jobe, seven hundred and forty-one dollars.
- To Martin Johnson, two hundred dollars.
- To Noah Johnson, two hundred dollars.
- To Robert B. Johnson, three hundred and seventy dollars.
- To James T. Jones, four hundred and seventy dollars.
- To James Kendall, one hundred dollars.
- To Edward F. Krickel, one thousand two hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To Helen M. Kyle, widow, Gayle H. Kyle, junior, James S. Kyle, and William P. Kyle, heirs of Gayle H. Kyle, senior, deceased, seven hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Nancy Lear, two hundred dollars.
- To Harvey C. Ledbetter, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To George W. Lewis, senior, one hundred dollars.
- To Rebecca Lewis, one hundred dollars.
- To Violet Lewis, two hundred and twenty-six dollars.
- To Nacy H. Locke, three hundred and fifty-seven dollars.
- To John C. Long, guardian of Benjamin F., Francis M., and Elizabeth H. Snodgrass, heirs of Joseph Snodgrass, deceased, two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Patrick McCabe, five hundred dollars.
- To Henry S. Marshall, ten dollars.
- To George W. Martin, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To George W. Matlock, two hundred and twenty dollars and eighty cents.
- To William Z. Mayes, three hundred and forty-four dollars.
- To Valentine M. McGehee, administrator of Joseph Merriweather, deceased, the sum of two hundred dollars; and to Mrs. Ira McL. Barton, the sum of four hundred dollars; and to Sarah and Mary Merriweather, heirs of Joseph Merriweather, deceased, the sum of one thousand four hundred and seventy dollars.
- To John A. Mildham, five hundred and sixty dollars.

To Daniel Miller, nine hundred and seven dollars.
 To Elizabeth Mitchell, one hundred and ten dollars.
 To Martha Moody, three hundred and eighty dollars.
 To Lovet Moore, three hundred and fifty-three dollars.
 To Job Muzick, one thousand six hundred and nine dollars.
 To John Nevils, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six dollars.
 To Aley and John Nidiffer, three hundred and seventy-five dollars.
 To Jesse Overton, four hundred and forty-two dollars.
 To Elizabeth Pardue, one hundred and sixty dollars.
 To Edward Peer, ninety dollars.
 To Jacob Peer, ninety dollars.
 To Esther Peerson, one hundred and forty dollars and twenty-five cents.

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 tinued.

To Thomas Phillips, two hundred and fifty dollars.
 To James Powell, eighty-four dollars.
 To Jasper N. Qualls, fifty-two dollars and fifty cents.
 To James Rainwaters, one hundred and eighty-four dollars.
 To Elizabeth Reed, two hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Lewis F. Riddle, two hundred dollars.
 To John A. Rutherford, two hundred and ten dollars.
 To William H. Sherrod, two hundred and seventy-five dollars.
 To Sarah Simco, widow of Thomas Simco, deceased, five hundred and six dollars.

To John B. Simpson, eighty dollars.
 To William R. Siveley, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Jonathan Smith, two hundred and fifty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Robert J. Smith, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Jonas B. Spiva, six hundred and twenty-three dollars and fifty cents.

To Mary E. Spiva, administratrix of the estate of William J. Spiva, deceased, for the use and benefit of Ella J., H. D., Oudellas L., and William R. Spiva, six hundred and five dollars.

To William Springston, three hundred dollars.
 To Jesse Steward, one hundred dollars.
 To William Stotts, two hundred and sixty dollars.
 To Vincent Tapp, one thousand seven hundred and twenty-three dollars and fifty cents.

To Miles W. Vansickle, two hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Green B. Walker, six hundred and seventy dollars.
 To Marion J. Watts, two hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Matilda Wilson, forty-five dollars.
 To Thomas Wood, six hundred and seventy dollars.
 To William B. Worsham, two thousand and forty-eight dollars.

OF THE STATE OF FLORIDA.

Florida.

To John Campbell, administrator of the estate of Stephen S. Springer, deceased, nine thousand, two hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Bethel Mattox, two hundred and eighty dollars.
 To John S. Sammis, six hundred and thirty five dollars and fifty cents.
 To Mark Wilcox, one hundred and forty dollars.

OF THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

Georgia.

To Richard Anderson, two hundred and ninety-six dollars.
 To William Anderson, twenty-eight dollars.
 To Baless G. Atkins, three hundred and seventy-five dollars.
 To Lydia Baker, fifty-five dollars.
 To Alfred Barnard, one hundred and eighty-three dollars.
 To Henry and Polly Beedles, two hundred and seventy-two dollars.
 To Samuel Biddenback, one hundred and eighty-nine dollars.

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ued.

To Sarah Ann Black, one hundred and thirty three dollars and seventy five cents.

To Allen Blanks, seven hundred and forty dollars.

To Benjamin F. Bolding, seven hundred and seventy-eight dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Peter Bolton, two hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To Elizabeth Bullard, widow of William Bullard, deceased, two hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty cents.

To Patsey Campbell, one hundred dollars

To Elias Carell, two hundred and sixty-three dollars and fifty cents.

To Joe Clark, eight hundred and five dollars.

To Rebecca S. Cleghorn, two thousand dollars.

To Elisha Cochran, two hundred and eighty-three dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Jeremiah Cordell, one hundred and ten dollars.

To John Crawford, twenty-six dollars.

To Prince Cummings, ninety-five dollars.

To Richard Cummings, one hundred and ten dollars.

To Gary Davis, eight hundred and twenty-nine dollars.

To William S. Dickert, eight hundred dollars.

To Constantine M. Dodson, four hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Toney Elliott, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Hannah Ellison, two hundred dollars.

To A. A. Fletcher, executor of the estate of Henry G. Cole, deceased, four thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Mary Geil, widow and administratrix of the estate of Jacob Geil, deceased, two hundred and eighty four dollars.

To William W. Gilbert, one hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To William M. Glover, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Mary Gordon, one thousand two hundred and thirty-three dollars and sixty cents.

To Henry Gore, six hundred and fifty dollars.

To William M. Graham, eight hundred and ninety-six dollars.

To Meshach Green, seven hundred and forty-five dollars.

To Churchwell O. Hale, six hundred and forty-four dollars.

To William Harpe, one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

To John Hawkins, seven hundred and eighty-nine dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Stephen Haywood, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Jephtha Head, two hundred and nine dollars.

To Thomas G. Healy, one thousand one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Hartford Henly, seven hundred and eighty-seven dollars.

To Thomas M. Hogan, thirty dollars.

To Thomas Hollis, one hundred and eighty dollars.

To Hosea Hopkins, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Pinckney F. Howell, six hundred and thirty dollars.

To James Hunsecker, five hundred and thirty-three dollars.

To Oato Jackson, fifty dollars, balance due him on award on first report.

To Cæsar Johnson, one hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To Naomi Johnson, four hundred and thirty-three dollars.

To Rosanna Jones, seventy-six dollars and fifty cents.

To Elisha Kelly, one thousand and seven dollars.

To Julia McCoy, widow of Francis K. McCoy, deceased, three hundred and fourteen dollars.

To Lucy Melver, eighty-five dollars.

To Price McNair, two hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To James Maxwell, sixty-five dollars.

To Simon Middleton, one hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty cents.

To James Mifflin, one hundred dollars.

To Elizabeth, Matilda, Nancy, and Samuel Milwee, heirs of John Milwee, deceased, one thousand one hundred and thirty-two dollars. Georgia, continued.

To James B. Nevill, seven hundred and seven dollars.

To George Ott, seven hundred and forty-four dollars.

Elijah Palmer, one hundred dollars.

To William C. Parker, guardian for Martha F. and William H. Ferguson, heirs of William H. Ferguson, deceased, two hundred and forty dollars.

To Charles R. Pate, two hundred and fifty-seven dollars.

To Prince Ponder, six hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Plenty Porter, ninety-five dollars.

To Sanford Prince, six hundred and seventy dollars.

To Green Puckett, three hundred and nine dollars.

To Charlotte Quarterman, seventy-five dollars and fifty cents.

To Eleanor Rawlings, one hundred dollars.

To Lewis Richardson, eighty dollars.

To Harry Ripley, one hundred and seventeen dollars.

To James M. Shields, three hundred and eighty-six dollars.

To Allen Smith, forty dollars.

To Morris Thompson, one hundred dollars.

To Caleb Tompkins, one thousand three hundred and forty-two dollars, and eighty-six cents.

To Daniel C. Wacaser, forty-five dollars and fifty cents.

To James M. Wellborn, two hundred and seventy dollars.

To William W. West, three hundred and five dollars.

To Albert Wilson, one hundred and two dollars and fifty cents.

To Benjamin C. Yates, four hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.

OF THE STATE OF LOUISIANA.

Louisiana.

To Joseph Balque, eight hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To Laura J., and her daughters Belle, Elizabeth, and Mattie Bemiss, twenty-seven thousand three hundred and ten dollars.

To Nancy Bills, widow of Elisha T. Bills, deceased, five hundred dollars.

To Louisa Bour, widow of Louis Bour, deceased, three hundred dollars.

To Louis Bush, three hundred and forty-five dollars.

To Hilaire Chenier, three hundred and eighty dollars.

To Stephania M. Chotard, thirteen thousand and eight hundred dollars.

To John W. Clarke, two thousand and seventy-three dollars.

To Mary C. Daigre, ten thousand nine hundred and thirty dollars.

To Alexander Fournier, six hundred and ninety dollars.

To Maria L. Haurut, seven thousand and ten dollars.

To Emilie Kirkland, one thousand six hundred and ninety five dollars.

To Francis H. Neal, two thousand and thirty-five dollars.

To Richard Merity, one hundred and thirty dollars.

To Victor Rachal, five thousand six hundred and eighty dollars.

To Samuel O. Scruggs, seven thousand four hundred and fifty dollars.

To Nancy Short, seven hundred and twenty dollars.

To Ellen Smith, administratrix of the estate of William Jay, deceased, five hundred dollars.

To Robert Thompson, one hundred and ten dollars.

OF THE STATE OF MISSISSIPPI.

Mississippi.

To James H. Allen, one hundred and sixty-seven dollars and fifty cents.

To Lewis D. Allen, twenty-seven dollars and fifty-eight cents.

Mississippi, con-
tinued.

- To Henry Anderson, three hundred dollars.
- To Samuel P. Beatty, three hundred and sixty-two dollars.
- To Jacob Becker, four hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Andrew Black, two hundred and ninety-nine dollars.
- To William J. Blunt, two hundred dollars.
- To John B. Bowen, two hundred and fourteen dollars.
- To Nace Bradford, two hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Thomas Bradshaw, two hundred and sixty five dollars.
- To Elizabeth Brown, widow of William A. Brown, deceased, two hundred dollars.
- To Joseph J. Burt, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To James Canady, one hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Elijah Cantwell, four hundred and eighty-four dollars.
- To James M. Coleman, three hundred and seventy five dollars.
- To Martha Crane, guardian of Anna R., Catharine M., and Clara Crane, heirs of Robert F. Crane, deceased, one thousand and three hundred dollars.
- To Daniel Dexter, one thousand two hundred and forty five dollars.
- To Elizabeth and Edward J. Dooley, one hundred dollars.
- To Anna de N. Evans, six thousand seven hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Nelson Finly, two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Hiram Fisher, one thousand, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Uriah G. Flowers, six thousand nine hundred and thirty-one dollars.
- To Huldah L. Gonde, eight hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Ben Gorman, one hundred and two dollars.
- To Cato Govan, five hundred dollars.
- To William Green, one hundred dollars.
- To William Hardeman, three hundred and fifty dollars.
- To William Hays, nine hundred and fifty-nine dollars.
- To James O. Hendricks, one hundred and sixty-nine dollars.
- To Elijah Hooker, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Thomas Hunt, three hundred and twenty-one dollars.
- To Minerva Jones, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To E. F. Jordan, seven hundred and sixteen dollars.
- To John Kirchner, two hundred and seventy dollars.
- To N. V. Lane, executor of the estate of John W. King, senior, deceased, for the use and benefit of John W. King, junior, two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Olive Lee, two hundred dollars.
- To Elizabeth Mackin, three hundred and thirty dollars and fifty cents.
- To Stephen D. Marshall and George M. Miller, executors of the estate of Levin R. Marshall, deceased, twelve thousand six hundred and ninety-five dollars.
- To John W. Morgan, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Henry Morris, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To George J. Mortimer, guardian of Hopsie B. Cocke, three thousand two hundred and sixty five dollars.
- To Sina D. Nabors, two hundred dollars.
- To Elizabeth O. Norfleet, one thousand nine hundred and ten dollars.
- To George W. L. Ozbirn, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars.
- To George Paine, one hundred and eighty-six dollars.
- To Martha Patton, one hundred and forty-two dollars.
- To Judith N. Perkins, two thousand and fifty-nine dollars.
- To Terrel B. Phillips, three hundred and sixty three dollars.
- To Abner Pierce, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To Patrick Redmon guardian of minor children of Thomas Lanagan, deceased, two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To George W. Sanders, three hundred and ninety dollars.
- To William Sanders, seven hundred and ten dollars.

- To Margaret A. Shope, nine hundred and fifty-six dollars and fifty cents. Mississippi, continued.
- To John W. Skinner, four hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Ebenezer Smith, one thousand four hundred and forty-seven dollars and five cents.
- To Mary Smith, one hundred dollars.
- To Wilbourn Thrash, five hundred and sixty-one dollars.
- To Calvin Walker, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To John Walker, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Eser H. Whitehurst, three hundred and twenty dollars.
- To H. S. Whiteside, four hundred dollars.
- To Michael Wohner, one hundred and thirteen dollars.
- To William Wright, one hundred and three dollars.

OF THE STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA.

North Carolina.

- To Sarah A. Bailey, ninety-seven dollars.
- To Joseph E. Brinn, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To John A. Brockett, one hundred and thirty-six dollars.
- To James W. Buck, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Green Y. Burgess, two hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To Hugh Cale, two hundred and forty dollars.
- To Jeremiah Cole, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To Eli C. Copeland, one hundred and sixty dollars.
- To John M. Crisp, one hundred dollars.
- To James Dale, two hundred dollars.
- To Sarah Dalton, one thousand two hundred and forty-four dollars and seventy-five cents.
- To Ferry Daniel, fifty-seven dollars and fifty-cents.
- To George Deanes, four hundred and forty-three dollars.
- To Fanny S. Dockery, and minor children, and heirs of John W. Covington, deceased, eight thousand three hundred and seven dollars.
- To Lewis Dupree, seven hundred and forty dollars.
- To Robert Edwards, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To John Fink, one hundred dollars.
- To Joseph Fisher, two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Susan Flora, seventy-five dollars.
- To Joel Flowers, three hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To C. F. Fulcher, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To Elihu Gallop, eighty dollars.
- To William C. Godwin, four hundred and twenty-three dollars.
- To Isaac Griffin, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To John H. Haddock, one hundred and ninety dollars.
- To William H. Haithecock, two hundred and sixty-eight dollars.
- To George W. Hampton, one hundred dollars.
- To Isaac Harrison, one hundred dollars.
- To Margaret E. Hauser, two hundred and ninety-two dollars and twenty-five cents.
- Everett Hays, seventy-five dollars.
- To Joseph A. Hendrix, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Henry A. Howell, two hundred and eighty-two dollars.
- To Alexander Hutchins, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- Tandy Kiser, two hundred and ninety five dollars.
- To Elisha Lamb, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Tounsand Lamb, one hundred dollars.
- To Braxton Lankford, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Thomas B. Lash, two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Timothy F. Lee, two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Marshall Leviner, fifty-three dollars and twenty cents.
- To Charles Long, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Duncan McPherson, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To Henry Malloby, one hundred and sixty-seven dollars.

North Carolina,
continued.

- To Lewis S. Mann, four hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Luke Mason, two hundred dollars.
- To Mary Merrell, administratrix of the estate of Alexander Merrell, deceased, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To George M. Misenheimer, one hundred and forty-four dollars.
- To James B. Roberts, nine hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Bryant A. Scott, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To Bryant Simmons, one hundred and forty-one dollars and fifty cents.
- To Christian Smith, one hundred and twenty-two dollars.
- To Daniel B. Squires, one hundred dollars.
- To Cecelia Stanton, one hundred and sixty-one dollars.
- To Samuel Sullivan, two hundred and sixteen dollars.
- To John R. Thompson, one thousand five hundred and one dollars and twenty-five cents.
- To Baker Ward, one hundred and ten dollars.
- To Isaac Wells, two hundred and ninety dollars.
- To Susan V. Whitehead, seven thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars.
- To Walter Williams, two hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Thomas E. Winslow, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To James A. Woodard, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Micajah Wright, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To Nelson Walls, six hundred and eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents.

South Carolina.

OF THE STATE OF SOUTH CAROLINA.

- To Thomas W. Ashford, one thousand one hundred eighty-eight dollars and fifty cents.
- To Nancy Bass, two hundred and thirty-seven dollars.
- To Martha Ann Blume, administratrix of the estate of Darling P. Blume, deceased, for the use and benefit of Mary A. F. Smoke, William P., Ann Elizabeth, and Martha P. Blume, five hundred and fifty-eight dollars.
- To Edward Broady, one hundred dollars.
- To Edward Brown, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To James Brutus, one hundred dollars.
- To Sillas Cook, ninety-nine dollars.
- To Essex Dargan, forty dollars.
- To Thomas David, two hundred and forty-four dollars.
- To Betty Deese, thirty-eight dollars.
- To William Drayton, one hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Samuel Fuller, fifty one dollars.
- To George Hollon, two hundred and eighty-four dollars.
- To Pompey Lewis, forty dollars.
- To James McQueen, fourteen dollars.
- To Napoleon Prince twenty dollars.
- To Priscilla Prince, sixty dollars.
- To Allan Quick, one hundred dollars.
- To William M. Shannon, trustee of Joseph C. McWillie, two thousand seven hundred and thirty-three dollars and fifty cents.
- To Joseph Shumpert, three hundred and twenty-seven dollars.
- To John Sweeney, thirty-five dollars.
- To John Thomson, seven thousand and sixty-seven dollars.
- To Crawford Turnage, ninety-five dollars.
- To Mack Duff Williams, one hundred and thirty dollars.

Tennessee.

OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE.

- To Jane Alderson, two hundred and ninety dollars.
- To John F. Anderson, one thousand five hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To Aaron Ballinger, two hundred dollars.

Tennessee, continued.

- To Abraham Bates, one hundred dollars.
- To Sallie E. Baugh, seventy-five dollars.
- To Andrew J. Best, two hundred and twenty-three dollars.
- To John Blackburn, five hundred and forty-six dollars and fifty cents.
- To Hugh E. F., and William W. Blair, eight hundred dollars.
- To Thomas J. Brimer, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Vineyard Brimer, three hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To David Bromley, one hundred and fourteen dollars.
- To Elijah Bull, two hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To Andrew Campbell, administrator of the estate of Thomas P. Tillery, deceased, four hundred and forty dollars.
- To Mary E. Campbell, two hundred and fifty-five dollars and fifty cents.
- To Lee Cannon, one hundred and thirty-one dollars.
- To Robert H. Carden, one hundred and eighty-five dollars.
- To Eli M. Cleveland, six hundred and eighty five dollars and eighty-two cents.
- To William Click, one hundred and fifty dollars.
- To William Clift, four hundred and eleven dollars.
- To Martha Coatney, one hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Daniel W. Cobb, two hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Benjamin C. Coleman, administrator of the estate of William B. Gray, deceased, two hundred dollars.
- To James E. Collins, administrator of the estate of Jacob Zeigler, deceased, seventy dollars.
- To George S. Cook, one hundred and forty-dollars.
- To Thomas C. Copping, seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- To Mary Costner, one hundred and seventy-seven dollars.
- To Sarah Cox, one hundred and twenty dollars.
- To William H. Craigmiles, two hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Catharine W. Crockett, one thousand seven hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents.
- To Henry Daley, one hundred and one dollars.
- To James M. Darwin, nine hundred and ten dollars.
- To Patrick Doherty, one thousand five hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Thomas W. Fain, two hundred and seventy-nine dollars and twenty-five cents.
- To Poleman Farr, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
- To Rebecca Felts, administratrix of the estate of James Felts, deceased, five hundred and eighty-five dollars.
- To Elijah Fitzgearald, one hundred and fifty-seven dollars.
- To James Gamble, one hundred and fifty-five dollars.
- To Robert L. Gamble, four hundred and one dollars.
- To Preston Gann, guardian of Louisa, Martha, and James P. Smith, heirs of Allen K. Smith, deceased, two hundred and fifty-six dollars and sixty cents.
- To James M. Giles, one hundred and forty-four dollars.
- To Joseph Gragg, three hundred dollars.
- To Hamilton Gray, one hundred and forty-three dollars.
- To Frederick Grider, two hundred and fifty-five dollars.
- To Jacob Gross, sixty dollars.
- To James A. P. Guthrie, administrator of the estate of George B. F. Guthrie, deceased, two hundred dollars.
- To Lavicy Hall, four hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To John M. Heiskell, administrator of the estate of Sanders M. Leeper, deceased, one hundred and eight dollars and sixty-one cents.
- To William Henderson, one hundred and sixty-eight dollars.
- To William A. Hickman, four hundred and nine dollars.
- To Henry G. Hixson, administrator of the estate of Thomas J. Siveley, deceased, six hundred and eighty-nine dollars.
- To Washington Hixson, administrator of the estate of Joseph Vandergriff, deceased, six hundred and six dollars and sixty cents.

Tennessee, con-
tinued.

- To Wilson Hixon, two hundred and seven dollars.
 To William R. Hogan, administrator of the estate of J. W. Crow deceased, for the use and benefit of Mrs. Henry, James Crow, and William Oiesier, seventy nine dollars and ninety cents.
 To John Hooker, two hundred and seventy dollars.
 To John R. Howard, three hundred and ninety two dollars.
 To Daniel Huffine, two hundred and sixty dollars and eighty cents.
 To Ephraim D. Huffine, three hundred and seventy eight dollars.
 To Alfred C. Humphreys, ninety dollars.
 To John Humphreys, three hundred and fifteen dollars.
 To William Hurst, three hundred and nine dollars and fifty cents.
 To James J. Jackson, four hundred and thirty five dollars.
 To Jonathan Jackson, four hundred and fifty-five dollars and ninety cents.
 To Daniel S. Jones, fifty two dollars and fifty cents.
 To Hannah Jones, two hundred and ninety-five dollars.
 To Jerome B. Jones, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.
 To Mary Jones, one hundred and fifty eight dollars.
 To G. D. Joyner, eighty dollars.
 To Charles M. Keith, two hundred and forty nine dollars
 To John Lamon, two hundred and eighty dollars.
 To Mary A. Lewis, widow of Charles Lewis, deceased, one thousand and forty five dollars.
 To George Levi, six hundred and eleven dollars.
 To David M. Lindsey, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
 To William H. Linn, one hundred and ten dollars.
 To Franklin Locke, one thousand and eighty seven dollars and thirty cents.
 To James W. Locke, three hundred and fifty dollars.
 To John Long, two hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Robert Long, five hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents
 To Lewis Lopp, one thousand and fifty dollars.
 To Elizabeth McCampbell, eighty five dollars.
 To Jacob L. McClary, five hundred dollars.
 To Nicey Ann McDermott, widow and administratrix of the estate of Albert McDermott, deceased, one hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Marion J. McGee, two hundred and forty dollars.
 To Charles J. McKinney, two thousand six hundred and twenty-four dollars.
 To Bartley R. McMurray, two hundred and seventy-two dollars.
 To Stephen McReynolds, two hundred and twenty-four dollars.
 To David McWilliams, three hundred and ninety three dollars.
 To William Mahan, four hundred and eight dollars.
 To Thomas E. Marsh, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.
 To W. S. Marshall, administrator of the estate of Uriah Redman, deceased, three hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty cents.
 To Samuel H. Miller, three hundred and ninety six dollars and twenty five cents.
 To Hanceel Mitchell, two hundred and sixty five dollars.
 To Peter Mounger, administrator of the estate of William Stone, deceased, four hundred and twenty-one dollars.
 To John J. Neely, three hundred and one dollars.
 To Andrew Pair, four hundred dollars.
 To Priestley E. Parker, five hundred and seventeen dollars and fifty cents.
 To Lewis Parkes, five hundred and sixty eight dollars.
 To Raffael Patty, three hundred and sixty six dollars.
 To George W. Penney, three hundred and fifty one dollars.
 To John Pesterfield, one hundred dollars.
 To James Pierce, one hundred and sixty two dollars.
 To Charles H. Primm, five hundred and seventy dollars.
 To Jessee S. Ragan, three hundred and five dollars.

- To Elizabeth C. Rankin, fifty dollars
- To Wesley R. Reavis, administrator of the estate of Rutha Parham, deceased, for the use and benefit of the loyal heirs Louisa Sparr, Emeline Parham, Unity A. Steel, Elizabeth Reavis, Mary A. Parham, and Edward E. Parham, two hundred dollars. Tennessee, continued.
- To Hugh J. Reed, one hundred and ninety two dollars.
- To Robert W. Reed, two hundred dollars.
- To Emerson Roberts, two hundred and eighty two dollars.
- To Elisha D. Robinson, three hundred and eight dollars.
- To Henry Rogers, eight hundred and sixty nine dollars and seventy five cents.
- To James W. Rogers, two hundred and fifteen dollars.
- To John C. Rogers, one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.
- To William H. Rogers, two hundred and forty dollars.
- To Mitchell Rose, three hundred and one dollars.
- To George W. Runnions, two hundred and ninety five dollars.
- To William M. Russell, two hundred and twenty-six dollars.
- To Julian F. Scott, five hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Rufus Shadrick one hundred and sixty seven dollars.
- To Henry C. Sinclair, seven hundred and forty nine dollars
- To Duke W. Smalling one hundred and seventy dollars.
- To Cassandra Smith, three hundred and twenty four dollars.
- To William A. Steele, two hundred dollars.
- To William H. Stone, junior, administrator of the estate of William H. Stone, senior, deceased, for the use and benefit of the four loyal heirs, four hundred and thirty-four dollars and forty-six cents.
- To Wiley B. Tallent, four hundred and five dollars.
- To Aaron Thomas, one hundred and sixty-six dollars and twenty-five cents.
- To Benjamin C. Thornburgh, two hundred and twenty seven dollars.
- To John B. Tipton, one thousand four hundred and thirty five dollars.
- To Madison Varner, two hundred and thirty dollars.
- To Turner Vaughan, three hundred and one dollars.
- To John E. Vincent, three hundred and seventy two dollars and twenty five cents.
- To Mary and Robert Watkins, six hundred and eighty six dollars.
- To Robert Watkins, guardian of Alexander McDonald, two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Samuel W. Webb, administrator of the estate of George K. Wood, deceased, one hundred and sixty five dollars.
- To Aaron Wendel, three hundred and seventy dollars.
- To John J. West, six hundred and eighty-eight dollars.
- To Charles T. White, nine hundred and twenty six dollars.
- To James M. White, administrator of the estate of William C. White, deceased, one thousand two hundred and thirty-five dollars.
- To Sherwood Whitlock, two hundred and forty dollars.
- To Nat Witt, one hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Thomas Wooten, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

OF THE STATE OF VIRGINIA.

Virginia.

- To Alexander W. Albin, two hundred and fifteen dollars and seventy-five cents.
- To Mary C. Alder, widow of Albert Alder deceased, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Robert Alford, two hundred and five dollars.
- To Thomas Appel, five hundred and twenty five dollars and fifty cents.
- To L. E. Babcock, three hundred and thirty five dollars.
- Patterson Barksley, three hundred and ninety dollars.
- To Andrew J. Baugher, four hundred and twenty four dollars and seventy-five cents.

Virginia, contin-
ued.

To Cornelia Beall, Virginia Brady, Emma Clapp, Enoch Edmonston, and Marcella Waters heirs of Mary Follin, deceased, two hundred and forty-one dollars and sixty seven cents.

To Uriah Beans, one hundred and ninety three dollars.

To Henry D. Biggs, one hundred and twenty three dollars.

To Henry and Randolph Birch, executors of the estate of John Birch deceased, one thousand four hundred and thirty dollars.

To John T. Birch, six hundred and twelve dollars.

To Mary Blackburn, three hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To Ann C. Brandt, guardian of Mary and Randolph Brandt, one thousand nine hundred and twenty five dollars.

To Nicholas Breeden, three hundred dollars.

To Michael Brislin, one hundred and thirty eight dollars

To Josiah R. Brockwell, thirty dollars.

To Ham Brown, one thousand one hundred and two dollars.

To William Brown, forty eight dollars.

To Mary Ann Burke, one thousand and eight dollars and sixty-one cents.

To James Byram, five hundred and fifty-one dollars and seventy five cents.

To William Carder, fifty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Margaret E. Carter, widow of William E. Carter, sixty dollars.

To Nathaniel G. Carter, one hundred and twenty dollars.

To Robert Carter, one hundred and forty three dollars and fifty cents.

To James Cator, one hundred and twenty dollars.

To Miranda Chappel, one hundred and twenty dollars.

To Jonas Clark, three hundred and thirty six dollars.

To Julia F. Caggett, three thousand and ninety one dollars.

To Samuel Coffman, one hundred and thirty two dollars.

To John Coleman, two hundred dollars.

To Moses A. Commins, one thousand seven hundred and twenty one dollars and forty cents.

To Emeline Cooper, two hundred and forty dollars.

To George Cooper, of G, five hundred and seventy-two dollars.

To George T. Cooper, six hundred and thirty dollars.

To John Cooper of P., four hundred and seventy three dollars and sixty cents.

To Peter Couse, two thousand two hundred and twenty three dollars.

To John Cornwell, seven hundred and sixty dollars.

To Francis Corvin, one hundred dollars.

To John Cross, eight hundred and seventy dollars.

To William Davidson, ninety three dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Lydia Deans, fifty dollars.

To Thomas Devers sixty dollars.

To Sarah Dickinson, one hundred and five dollars.

To Malcolm Douglass, one thousand three hundred and seventy three dollars and forty cents.

To James Duke, eight hundred and seventy five dollars.

To Joseph L. Edwards, two hundred and five dollars and fifty cents.

To Perry Elliott four hundred and ninety dollars.

To George Everhart, administrator of the estate of Elizabeth Everhart, deceased, three hundred and thirty seven dollars and fifteen cents.

To Joseph Everhart, fifty dollars.

To Richard J. Faulkner, one hundred and twenty-six dollars.

To James Fields and Franklin Young, six hundred dollars.

To David M. Firestone, two hundred and fifty dollars.

To Edwin C. Fitzhugh, five hundred and seventy six dollars.

To Thaddeus N. Fletcher, administrator de bonis non of the estate of Elizabeth P. Blackwell, deceased, one thousand one hundred and eleven dollars.

To William H. Fletcher, one hundred and twenty five dollars.

To John Flory, nine hundred and twenty-four dollars and twenty cents. Virginia, continued.

To Mary Foley, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To Richard H. Follin, one hundred and forty four dollars

To Joseph B. Ficklin, executor of the estate of Joseph B. Ficklin, deceased, eight thousand two hundred and two dollars and forty two cents.

To Gustavus Gaines, one hundred and sixty dollars.

To Joel Garber, six hundred and ten dollars.

To Nathaniel Gaskins, three hundred and twenty seven dollars and fifty cents.

To Adam R. Gladden, two hundred and seventy dollars.

To Bushrod R. Gore, four hundred and forty two dollars.

To Robert Hamilton and John McCarter, surviving administrators of Joseph E. Edsall, deceased, six thousand three hundred and forty-nine dollars.

To James W. Green, two hundred and twenty five dollars.

To Ebenezer Grubb, eighty two dollars.

To Samuel N. Grubb, one thousand two hundred and forty seven dollars and fifty cents.

To William H. Hailey two hundred dollars.

To William J. Harding, two thousand three hundred and seventy-seven dollars and seventy-five cents.

To Joseph S. Hart, two hundred and seventy dollars and fifty two cents.

To Electy Hayes, administratrix of the estate of John Hayes, deceased, one hundred and seventy two dollars.

To Robert Henderson, eighty dollars.

To Horace B. Hewitt one thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

To Gustavus R. B. Horner, one thousand nine hundred and four dollars.

To Amasa Hough, junior six hundred and twenty four dollars and fifty cents.

To Amasa, junior, Ellen H., Joseph B., William T., Warwick C. Hough, Deborah B. Birdsall, and Elizabeth Steer, heirs of Amasa Hough, senior, deceased, eight hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.

To Elias Hudlow, one hundred dollars.

To Westward Hudnall, eight hundred and thirteen dollars.

To Ada C., Joseph L., Lewis W., Virginia P., and William Jennings heirs of Joseph L. Jennings, deceased, one thousand nine hundred and six dollars and fourteen cents.

To Court H. Johnson, one hundred and thirty-two dollars and forty-six cents.

To Joseph N. Joliffe, four hundred and three dollars and four cents.

To Milford Jones, seventy nine dollars and sixty eight cents.

To George W. Joy, one hundred dollars.

To William Kern, two hundred and eighty-two dollars.

To Charles W. Kitchen, one hundred and forty seven dollars.

To John S. Knox, junior, guardian of George Somerville, two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars.

To Mary Knoxville, seventy three dollars and fifty cents.

To William F. Kyger, administrator of the estate of Alexander Kyger, deceased, eight hundred and eighty-two dollars.

To Richard Lancaster, two hundred dollars.

To Littleton L. Lee, one thousand five hundred and eighty two dollars.

To William B. and Margaret A. Lewis, two hundred and ninety dollars.

To Absalom McGee, six hundred and twenty nine dollars and fifty cents.

To James McWilliams, three hundred and ninety dollars.

To Anderson Malone, two hundred and forty dollars.

To Peyton Malone, one hundred and five dollars.

To T. M. Manchester, six hundred and sixty dollars and fifty cents.

Virginia, contin-
ued.

- To George Mars, two hundred and twenty dollars and eighty cents.
 To James Maynard, three hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Archibald Merchant, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
 To Jacob Miller, one hundred and thirty dollars and fifty cents.
 To Silas E. Mills, three hundred and fifty six dollars.
 To John R. Minor, seven hundred and forty three dollars and thirty five cents.
 To Benjamin T. Mooman, thirty five dollars.
 To Gersham P. Morse, seven hundred dollars.
 To Fannie E. Morton and Mary E. Young, three hundred and thirty seven dollars and seventy five cents.
 To Alfred Murphy, six hundred and forty dollars.
 To Leroy Newcome, four hundred and ten dollars.
 To Christian Nisewaner, administrator of the estate of John Nisewaner, deceased, one thousand one hundred and sixty three dollars and fifteen cents.
 To Waller Odor, one hundred and fifty dollars.
 To John W. Orrison, one hundred dollars.
 To Charles J. Osmun, administrator of the estate of Little C. Osmun, deceased, two thousand seven hundred and thirty three dollars.
 To Moses Parker, one hundred and eight dollars.
 To Catharine Payne, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
 To Henry L. Payne, three hundred and twelve dollars and forty cents.
 To William W. Phillips, two thousand five hundred and twenty eight dollars.
 To Mary F. E. Purcell, widow of William F. Purcell, deceased, eight hundred and five dollars.
 To William Purks, four hundred and thirty two dollars and fifty cents.
 To Henry Quigg, five hundred and one dollars and ninety cents.
 To Gustavus Reid, one hundred and two dollars.
 To Ransom Riley, eighty five dollars.
 To George S. Rinker, one thousand and eleven dollars.
 To Barcelius Roberson, four hundred and thirty dollars.
 To Ruth Roberson one hundred and seventy five dollars.
 To Sanford Robison, one hundred and thirty dollars.
 To Tobias Roby two hundred and fifty one dollars.
 To Alexander, George W., Peter, and Phebe Roseberry, and Mary Crockett, two hundred and thirty six dollars.
 To Samuel Ruebush, four hundred and thirteen dollars.
 To Robert Ryan, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
 To William Semans, one hundred and ninety-nine dollars.
 To Thomas Settle, five hundred and twenty five dollars.
 To Joseph W. Sewell, one thousand two hundred and sixty five dollars.
 To Abraham Shank, one thousand and ninety five dollars.
 To William Sherwood, one hundred and eighty dollars.
 To James Simpson twelve dollars.
 To Augustus and Frederick Scheider, one thousand six hundred and forty-five dollars.
 To Daniel D. Sines seven hundred and fifty dollars.
 To Thomas E. Slater, administrator of George Slater, deceased, one hundred and ninety dollars.
 To Anne, George A., James P., and Jane F. Slight, heirs of Robert Slight, deceased, nine hundred and eighty dollars.
 To Mary J. Smith, two hundred and nineteen dollars.
 To Lemos J. Spence, eight hundred and fifty two dollars and fifty cents.
 To George W. Steele, one hundred and seventy five dollars.
 To John W. Stewart, and Charles H. Swain, administrators of the estate of Samuel Stewart, deceased, for the use and benefit of Mrs. John W. Hough, and Mrs. Charles H. Swain, loyal heirs six hundred and thirty five dollars.

- To William F. Stolle, four hundred and sixty-six dollars.
- To Ann Elizabeth and Ann Louisa Stone, three hundred dollars.
- To James A. Stoutenburgh, three hundred and sixty eight dollars.
- To Philip D. Swisher, one hundred and fifty two dollars.
- To Samuel H. Swisher, one hundred and sixty five dollars.
- To Randall G. Tate, one hundred and seventy-six dollars.
- To Burgess Taylor, three hundred and twenty dollars.
- To Catharine E. Taylor, administratrix of the estate of John H. Taylor, deceased, eighty six dollars and seventy cents.
- To Elizabeth, Fairfax, Charles W., and Manadier Taylor, heirs of William P. Taylor, deceased, four hundred and forty seven dollars.
- To Talmadge Thorn, administrator of the estate of Abner and William D. Pierce, deceased, two hundred and seventy nine dollars.
- To John N. Torreyson, ninety six dollars.
- To John Utz, three hundred and three dollars
- To Gilbert Vanderwerken, sixteen thousand four hundred and fourteen dollars and thirty-five cents
- To David Veney, one hundred and forty dollars.
- To Virginia Virts administratrix of the estate of Henry Virts deceased, for the use and benefit of Mrs. William F. Beans, Lizzie A., Orra J., Mary L., Roselle V., Clara H. A., and Henry J. J. Virts, loyal heirs two hundred and sixty dollars.
- To William Walker, three hundred and eleven dollars.
- To George A. Walter, one hundred and twenty five dollars.
- To James W. Watts, two hundred dollars.
- To James P. Wells, one hundred and ninety seven dollars and fifty cents.
- To Richard West, administrator of the estate of William West, deceased, six hundred and thirty-six dollars.
- To Elijah Williams two hundred and eighty dollars.
- To Harrison Williams, one thousand three hundred and sixty dollars.
- To Charles H. Wilson, four hundred and twenty five dollars.
- To Elizabeth Wingfield seventy five dollars.
- To Peter Wire, three hundred and eighty seven dollars.
- To Arthur F. Woodyard, five hundred and forty dollars.
- To John N. Wyckoff, junior, one thousand eight hundred and thirty nine dollars.
- To Henry Yancy, two hundred and one dollars.

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West Virginia.

- To John H. Boltz eight hundred and twelve dollars and forty cents.
- To John W. Hill, two hundred and seventeen dollars.
- To Dangerfield, Lloyd, five hundred and eighty nine dollars.
- To Logan Osburn, executor of the estate of Mary Osburn, deceased, seventy-eight dollars.
- To Anthony Turner, two hundred and forty dollars.

SEC. 2. That the cases of Robert S. Lacey, Hampton N. Webb, William H. Brisby David R. Godwin, and Robert Hoodenpyle be, and they are hereby, referred to the Commissioners of Claims for re-examination and report; and the said Commissioners of Claims shall have full jurisdiction and authority to re-open, examine, and consider the said cases, and to make report thereon to Congress as in cases provided for in the second section of the act authorizing the appointment of the said commissioners, approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-one.

Certain claims referred to commission for re-examination.

1871, ch. 116, § 2, 15 Stat., 524.

SEC. 3. That before paying to any person in this act named the sum herein appropriated to him, it shall be the duty of the proper accounting officers of the Treasury to ascertain whether such person is indebted or in arrears in any manner to the United States and there shall be paid to such person only such part of the sum in this act appropriated to him as is in excess of such liability or indebtedness

Balance, after deducting any amount due to United States, only to be paid.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 276.—An act for the relief of Elisha E. Rice.

Payment to E. E. Rice.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the accounting-officers of the Treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized to allow and pay to E. E. Rice, late United States consul at Hakodadi, Japan, out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five hundred and eighty-five dollars and forty-one cents, being ten per centum of his salary as consul at said port from July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, to November third, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, that being the usual allowance for rent of that consulate.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 277.—An act for the relief of Berthold Loewenthal, of Chicago Illinois.

Payment to B. Loewenthal.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Berthold Loewenthal, of Chicago, Illinois, the sum of fourteen thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as the said Loewenthal shall prove to the satisfaction of the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, that he has expended in the purchase of revenue-stamps used by him to stamp manufactured tobacco and snuff, upon which a tax had previously been paid, under the revenue-law in force at the time of their manufacture and sale, but which were made liable to be stamped under the act of July twentieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, thus requiring a double tax on the same tobacco and snuff; said payment to be made out of any money in the United States Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

1868, ch. 186, § 61,
15 Stat., 153.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 278.—An act for the relief of Harry E. Eastman, late lieutenant-colonel Second Regiment Wisconsin Cavalry Volunteers.

Payment to H. E. Eastman.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Harry E. Eastman, of Green Bay, Wisconsin, the sum of six hundred and thirty-nine dollars and eight cents, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated; the same being in full satisfaction of his claim for pay as lieutenant-colonel of the Second Wisconsin Cavalry Volunteers.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 279.—An act for the relief of James W. Harvey and James Livesey, of the firm of Harvey and Livesey, of Wisconsin.

Claim of Harvey and Livesey, referred to Court of Claims.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claim of James W. Harvey and James Livesey for alleged labor done and materials furnished under their contract with the United States for the building of the masonry work for the piers and abutments of the bridge across the Mississippi river from Rock Island to Davenport, Iowa, bearing date June first eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, be, and the same is hereby, referred to the Court of Claims, for hearing and adjudication; and to that end jurisdiction is hereby conferred on said court to proceed in the adjustment of the accounts between said claimants and the United States, as a court of equity jurisdiction, and may, if according to the rules and principles of equity jurisprudence, in its judicial discretion reform said contract and render such judgment as justice and right between the claimants and the said Government may require.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

CHAP. 280.—An act for the relief of R. H. Buckner

Aug. 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Richard H. Buckner, a citizen of Virginia, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three thousand four hundred and seventy dollars and eighty three cents; said amount being the proceeds of certain real estate of said Buckner sold for taxes by the Government of the United States in February, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, less the amount of tax, penalty, interest, and costs: *Provided,* That before said payment is made, the said Richard H. Buckner, or his legal representatives, shall make and execute a valid quitclaim and deed of conveyance of all the right, title, claim, or interest of said Buckner to said property to and in favor of the purchaser of said property at said tax sale, her heirs and assigns, without interest.

Payment to R. H. Buckner.

Proviso.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

CHAP. 281.—An act for the relief of John R. Harrington.

Aug. 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That John R. Harrington of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, have leave to make application to the Commissioner of Patents for an extension of letters-patent granted to him April first, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, as re-issued December eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty six, for improvements in carpet-lining, for the term of seven years; and upon such application so filed, the Commissioner of Patents shall be authorized to consider and determine the same in the same manner and upon giving the same notice as if the application had been duly filed within the time prescribed by law: *Provided,* That such application to the Commissioner of Patents be made within ninety days after the passage of this act: *And provided further,* That no person shall be held liable for the infringement of said patent, if extended, for making use of said invention since the expiration of the original term of said patent, and prior to the date of extension.

Patent of J. R. Harrington may be extended.

Proviso.

Proviso.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

CHAP. 282.—An act for the relief of Jonathan White.

Aug. 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Jonathan White, of Minnesota, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifty-five dollars and forty cents, the same having been illegally paid to the United States land-office at Redwood Falls, Minnesota, under a wrong construction of the tree-culture act.

Payment to J. White.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

CHAP. 283.—An act for the relief of J. E. Pankey of Fulton County Kentucky.

Aug. 14, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay to J. E. Pankey, the sum of one thousand and twenty-nine dollars and twelve cents, for unused and uncanceled (tobacco) revenue-stamps, which have been returned to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, and are now on file in his office.

Payment to J. E. Pankey.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 284.—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Hannah W. Sumner, widow of Major General Edwin V. Sumner.

Pension to Hannah W. Sumner.

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 Mrs. Hannah W. Sumner, widow of the late Major-General Edwin V. Sumner, who died March twenty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, while in command of the Department of the West, at the rate of fifty dollars per month, to commence from the passage of this act, and to continue during her widowhood, and to be in lieu of the pension heretofore granted to the said Hannah W. Sumner under the provisions of the general pension-laws.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 285.—An act granting a Pension to Thomas I Fox, late a private of Company C, Fifty-second Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Pension to T. I. Fox.

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 Thomas I Fox, of Clinton County, Pennsylvania, late a private in Company C, Fifty-second Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, and pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 14, 1876.

CHAP. 286.—An act for the relief of Gilderoy M. Hardy.

Duplicate check to G. M. Hardy.

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, instructed to direct the pension-agent at Indianapolis, Indiana, to issue duplicate check numbered one hundred and three thousand six hundred and thirty-four, for one thousand four hundred and three dollars and eighty seven cents, in favor of Gilderoy M. Hardy, in the place of one lost August seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-five: *Provided,* That the Secretary of the Interior be satisfied the same has not been paid: *And provided further* That said Hardy shall first execute a bond with sureties to be approved by the Secretary of the Interior, in due form, to save the United States harmless against any loss or injury by reason of such duplicate check or the payment of the original

Approved, August 14, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 309.—An act for the relief of Robert N. Eddy.

Payment to R. N. Eddy.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Paymaster-General of the United States Army is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Robert N. Eddy, late second lieutenant Company K, One hundred and fourteenth Regiment New York State Volunteer Infantry, the full pay and emoluments of a second lieutenant, from the thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to the twenty-eighth day of August, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, deducting therefrom all pay he may have received from the Government as first sergeant for that period.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 310.—An act for the relief of Norman H. Ryan.

Aug. 15, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Norman H. Ryan, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seven hundred and thirty-six dollars, in full for services as storekeeper of the bonded warehouse of E. W. Dutcher, at Amboy, Illinois, from the eighteenth day of April eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, to the fifteenth day of October eighteen hundred and sixty-eight.

Payment to N. H. Ryan.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 311.—An act for the relief of Lizzie Irons, sister of Lieut. Joseph F. Irons, late of the First United States Artillery.

Aug. 15, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Lizzie Irons, sister of Lieutenant Joseph F. Irons, late of the First Regiment United States Artillery, the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars and fifty cents, being the amount of pay withheld from the said Lieutenant Joseph F. Irons on account of commissary funds stolen by his clerk while said Irons was acting as assistant quartermaster, at Fort Adams, Rhode Island.

Payment to Lizzie Irons.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 312.—An act for the relief of Emerick W. Hansell.

Aug. 15, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to pay to Emerick W. Hansell, of the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of two thousand dollars, on account of injuries received by said Hansell while in attendance upon the late William H. Seward, former Secretary of State, on the occasion of the attempted assassination of said Seward.

Payment to E. W. Hansell.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 313.—An act for the relief of William H. French, Jr. U. S. A. late Indian agent at Crow Creek, Dakota.

Aug. 15, 1876.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting officer of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to adjust and settle the property-accounts of Wm. H. French, Junior, late Indian agent at Crow Creek, Dakota Territory, and if it shall be made clearly to appear that John A. Morrow, who was a contractor for furnishing supplies of beef-cattle to the Indian agencies, has delivered to Henry F. Livingston, agent at Crow Creek, beef-cattle in lieu of four hundred and twenty-two thousand one hundred pounds, which he delivered to Wm. H. French, agent, on ninth November, eighteen hundred and seventy, at Crow Creek, and for which said Morrow afterwards got receipts from said Livingston, and collected from the Government on both, then said accounting officer shall be authorized to give said French credit in his settlement accordingly.

Credit in account of W. H. French.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 314.—An act for the relief of Floyd C. Babcock.

Payment to F. C. Babcock. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Floyd C. Babcock, of Oconomowoc, Wisconsin the sum of three hundred and thirty two dollars and sixty five cents, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to compensate the said Babcock for services rendered by him while acting as deputy United States marshal, in the Indian country, in arresting and transporting four murderers to Fort Smith, Arkansas.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 315.—An act removing the political disabilities of Stephen D. Lee, of the State of Mississippi, and others.

Political disabilities of S. D. Lee, C. M. Wilcox, and J. G. Walker removed. *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, (two-thirds of each House concurring therein)* That all the political disabilities imposed by the fourteenth amendment of the Constitution of the United States on Stephen D. Lee, of the State of Mississippi, C. M. Wilcox of the State of Maryland, and John G. Walker of the State of Texas, be, and the same are hereby, removed.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 316.—An act granting a pension to Mary M. J. Frank.

Pension to Mary M. J. Frank. *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 Mary M. J. Frank, widow of Paul Frank, late colonel Fifty-second Regiment New York Volunteers, to take effect from the passage of this act.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 317.—An act granting a pension to Harris B. Lovell, late a private in Company C, One hundred and twenty-second Illinois Infantry Volunteers

Pension to H. B. Lovell. *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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Harris B. Lovell, late a private in Company C, of the One hundred and twenty-second Regiment of Illinois Infantry Volunteers in the late war of the rebellion; this act to take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 318.—An act granting a pension to Levi D. Hayward.

Pension to L. D. Hayward. *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 Levi D Hayward, late a private in Company B, Thirty-first Regiment Iowa Infantry Volunteers.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 319.—An act granting a pension to Lovina Adeline Bowker.

Aug. 15, 1876.

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 Lovina Adeline Bowker, step-mother of Wilbur F. Bowker, late a private in company H, Eighth Regiment of Vermont Volunteers, and cause to be paid to her the same pension which she would be entitled to if the said Wilbur F. Bowker were born of her body.

Pension to Lovina A. Bowker.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 320.—An act granting a pension to Edward F. Eddy.

Aug. 15, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Edward F. Eddy, who, at the time he was wounded, was second lieutenant company G, Sixteenth regiment Michigan volunteers, and who, when discharged, was lieutenant Colonel Twenty-ninth regiment Michigan infantry

Pension to E. F. Eddy.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 321.—An act granting a pension to Emily E. Weiss.

Aug. 15, 1876.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Emily E. Weiss, widow of Charles N. Weiss, to be paid from the date of the death of said Charles N. Weiss.

Pension to Emily E. Weiss.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 322.—An act granting a pension to John J. Partillo, of Gratoit County, Michigan.

Aug. 15, 1876.

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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll, the name of John J. Partillo, late a private in Company H, Sixteenth Regiment of Michigan Infantry Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension-laws.

Pension to J. J. Partillo.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 323.—An act granting a pension to Thomas Galloway, late captain of Company C, First Maryland Cavalry Volunteers.

Aug. 15, 1876.

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 Thomas Galloway, some time captain of Company C, First Maryland Cavalry Volunteers.

Pension to T. Galloway.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

CHAP. 324.—An act granting a pension to Andrew Evarts.

Aug. 15, 1876.

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,

Pension to A. Evarts.

the name of Andrew Evarts, private in Company B, Fourth Ohio Volunteers, at the rate of eight dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 16, 1876.

CHAP. 325.—An act granting a pension to F. M. Bruner.

Pension to F. M. Bruner.

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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of F. M. Bruner, late captain of company A, seventh regiment United States colored Infantry.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 326.—An act for the relief of the heirs of William Stevens

Preamble.

Whereas, one William Stevens made settlement and pre-emption on a certain tract of land hereinafter mentioned, and prior to the survey thereof was driven off by Indians, returned and died on said land before perfecting his claim thereto under the then existing laws: Therefore,

Heirs of William Stevens may enter land.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the heirs of William Stevens are hereby authorized to enter at the United States land office at Sioux Falls, Dakota Territory, the southeast quarter of section numbered sixteen, in township numbered one hundred and one, in range forty-nine, upon the payment of one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre therefor; and when said entry shall have been made and returned to the Commissioner of the General Land-Office, a patent shall issue therefor as in other cases of pre-emption entries.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 327.—An act for the relief of Mrs James K. Polk of Nashville Tennessee.

Payment to Mrs. James K. Polk.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars to Mrs James K. Polk, widow of the late President of the United States, in full satisfaction of her claim for property supplied the United States Army in Yalabusha County, Mississippi.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 328.—An act granting a Pension to Eliza Jane Blumer.

Pension to Eliza J. Blumer.

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 Eliza Jane Blumer widow of Henry A. Blumer, a private of Company B. forty-seventh Regiment, Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

Aug. 15, 1876.

CHAP. 329.—An act granting a pension to William H. Harrison

Pension to W. H. Harrison.

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 William H. Harrison, late a private in Company F, Seventy-fourth Regiment Pennsylvania Infantry Volunteers, and pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, August 15, 1876.

RESOLUTIONS.

[No. 1.] Joint resolution authorizing G. Harris Heap, United States consul at Tunis, to accept the trust of commissioner of the Bey of Tunis. Feb. 12, 1876.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That G. Harris Heap, consul of the United States at Tunis, be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept the trust of commissioner of the Bey of Tunis at the Centennial Exhibition at Philadelphia in eighteen hundred and seventy-six: Provided, That during his absence from his post he shall receive no compensation from the United States.

G. H. Heap may accept commissioner-ship of Tunis to Centennial Exposition.

Approved, February 12, 1876.

[No. 2.] Joint resolution authorizing and requesting the President of the United States to present the medal made for William H. H. Nash, to his widow, Mrs Keturah J Nash. March 3, 1876.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States is hereby authorized and requested to present the medal made by authority of Congress by Joint Resolution approved February twenty fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, for William H. H. Nash, for gallant services, in connection with others, in saving the lives of thirty two persons from the wreck of the steamer "Metis", on the waters of Long Island Sound, on the thirty first day of August, eighteen hundred, and seventy two, to his surviving widow, Mrs Keturah J Nash.

Medal made for W. H. H. Nash, to be presented to his widow.
1873, Res. 2,
17 Stat., 637.

Approved, March 3, 1876.

[No. 5.] Joint resolution authorizing Edwin James, consular agent at San José, to accept a piece of plate from the Queen of Great Britain. March 23, 1876.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Edwin James, United States consular agent at San José, be, and he is hereby, authorized to accept from Her Majesty, the Queen of Great Britain, a piece of plate which she desires to present to him as a recognition of his courageous and efficient services rendered in support of J. Magee, the British vice-consul, when his life was threatened by the commandant of San José.

Edwin James may accept piece of plate.

Approved, March 23, 1876.

[No. 7.] Joint resolution granting the rights and benefits of the Soldiers Home to John News. April 6, 1876.

Be it resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the commissioners of the Soldiers' Home be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to admit John News to the rights and benefits of said Soldiers' Home: Provided, That it shall satisfactorily appear to said commissioners that said News has not incurred any of the disqualifications named in section forty eight hundred and twenty two of the Revised Statutes of the United States.

Benefits of Soldiers' Home to John News.

R. S. 4822, p. 943.

Approved, April 6, 1876.

July 7, 1876.

[No. 14.] Joint resolution, for the relief of Edward O'M. Condon.

Preamble.

Whereas, Edward O'M. Condon, a citizen of the United States, is now, and has been for some time closely confined in prison under the sentence of a British court; and whereas an earnest and profound desire, evidenced by resolutions of State legislatures, and petitions numerously signed and addressed to Congress, is entertained by a large and respectable portion of the people of the United States that he should be speedily released; therefore,

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, requested to take such steps as in his judgment may tend to obtain the pardon or release of the said Edward O'M. Condon from imprisonment.

Approved, July 7, 1876.

President requested to take steps to secure the pardon of Edward O'M. Condon.