United States and included within the military reservation at Cape Disappointment, in Washington Territory; this to be in full of all claims for compensation and damages arising out of the appropriation of petitioner's property by the United States.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 135.—An act for the relief of Second Lieutenant Thomas T. Knox, regimental quartermaster First Cavalry.

March 1, 1879.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress ascembled, That the proper accounting-officers in the Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to allow Second Lieutenant Thomas T. Knox, regimental quartermaster First Cavalry United States Army, a credit upon settlement of his accounts for the sum of one hundred and forty-seven dollars and twenty-two cents, the amount claimed to have been stolen from his safe, and being moneys received by him for sale of subsistence stores.

T.T.Knox. Credit in accounts.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 136.—An act granting relief to John T. Neale, an employee of the Provost-Marshal-General's Department in eighteen hundred and sixty-one, for injuries sustained in the line of his duties.

March 1, 1879.

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 unto John T. Neale, late an employee of Brigadier-General Andrew Porter, provost-marshal of the District of Columbia, (by whom said John T. Neale was assigned to duty as a special detective police-officer, and sustained an injury while engaged in said service, which resulted in making him a cripple for life,) out of any moneys in the public treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sum equal in amount to that which he would have been entitled to had said John T. Neale been an enlisted man in the Army, for a permanent specific disability, to wit, the loss of one leg below the knee-joint; and that said amount be computed in accordance with the present allowance for such disability, to date from the eleventh day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

J. T. Neale. Payment to.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 137.—An act for the relief of Josephine C. Owen, postmaster at Randolph, New York.

March 1, 1879.

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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Josephine C. Owen, postmaster at Randolph, in the State of New York, the sum of eight hundred and fifteen dollars, to reimburse her for the loss of postage-stamps and money belonging to said post-office, which were stolen from the vault of the bank in Randolph, where they had been deposited for safe-keeping, without negligence on the part of the said postmaster.

Josephine C. Owen. Payment to.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 138.—An act for the relief of William F. Wheeler.

March 1, 1879.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accountingofficers of the Treasury, in adjusting accounts for expenses of courts ren-

W. F. Wheeler. Credit in accounts.