

# PRIVATE ACTS OF THE FIFTIETH CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES,

*Passed at the second session, which was begun and held at the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the third day of December, 1888, and was adjourned without day on Saturday, the second day of March, 1889.*

GROVER CLEVELAND, President; JOHN J. INGALLS, President of the Senate *pro tempore*; JOHN G. CARLISLE, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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**CHAP. 5.**—An act for the relief of the legal representatives of Eliza M. Ferris.

December 17, 1888.

*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 pay, out of the proper appropriation for the payment of invalid pensions, to Reuben D. Smart, administrator of Eliza M. Ferris, deceased, the sum of money to which she would have been entitled by pension certificate two hundred and twenty thousand eight hundred and sixty and which was not issued until four days after her death.*

Reuben D. Smart.  
To be paid pension  
due Eliza M. Ferris.

Approved, December 17, 1888.

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**CHAP. 9.**—An act for the relief of George S. Thwing.

December 24, 1888.

*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 George S. Thwing, formerly of Company E, First Regiment New York Marine Artillery.*

George S. Thwing.  
Pension.

Approved, December 24, 1888.

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**CHAP. 10.**—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Ella M. Grover.

December 24, 1888.

*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. Ella M. Grover, widow of Cuvier Grover, late colonel of the First United States Cavalry, and pay her a pension at the rate of forty-five dollars a month in lieu of that she is now receiving.*

Ella M. Grover.  
Pension increased.

Approved, December 24, 1888.

December 24, 1888.

**CHAP. 11.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Louisa Ward.Louisa Ward.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Louisa Ward, mother of Edgar A. Ward, who served as a private in Company H, Twelfth Iowa Infantry.

Approved. December 24, 1888.

December 24, 1888.

**CHAP. 12.**—An act granting a pension to Lemuel S. Skinner.Lemuel S. Skinner.  
Pension.

*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 Lemuel S. Skinner, late of Company I, One hundred and twenty-third New York Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, December 24, 1888.

December 24, 1888.

**CHAP. 13.**—An act granting a pension to Nancy A. Hayes.Nancy A. Hayes.  
Pension.

*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 A. Hayes, widow of Josiah E. Hayes, late lieutenant-colonel of the Twelfth Regiment Kansas Volunteers.

Approved, December 24, 1888.

December 24, 1888.

**CHAP. 14.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Caroline M. McDougal.Caroline M. McDougal.  
Pension increased.

*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 Caroline M. McDougal, widow of the late Admiral David P. McDougal, United States Navy, at the rate of one hundred dollars per month on account of her total blindness and the necessity of constant personal attendance and assistance.

Approved, December 24, 1888.

December 24, 1888.

**CHAP. 15.**—An act for the relief of George W. Graham.George W. Graham.  
Pay and allowances  
to.

*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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sum as will cover the regulation pay and allowances of a second-lieutenant of infantry from June fifteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to November first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, and of a captain of infantry from November first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, to George

W. Graham, of Campbell County, Tennessee, in full satisfaction of his claim against the United States as a lieutenant and captain in the Eighth Tennessee Volunteer Infantry: *Provided, however*, That any sum he may have received as an enlisted man during the period he served as second lieutenant and as captain shall be deducted by the proper disbursing officer in making the payments provided for in this act.

*Proviso.*  
Sums heretofore received to be deducted.

Approved, December 24, 1888.

**CHAP. 16.**—An act granting a pension to Catherine Tate.

December 25, 1888.

*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 Catherine Tate, widow of John Tate, late of Company C, First Vermont Heavy Artillery.

Catherine Tate.  
Pension.

Received by the President December 13, 1888.

[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. 17.**—An act granting an increase of pension to William H. H. Welsh.

December 25, 1888.

*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. H. Welsh, late of Company F, Thirty-first Regiment Indiana Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

William H. H. Welsh.  
Pension increased.

Received by the President December 13, 1888.

[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. 23.**—An act granting a pension to Mary E. Johnston.

January 8, 1889.

*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 E. Johnston, dependent daughter of E. Johnston, late of Company A, Sixty-fourth Regiment Ohio Veteran Volunteer Infantry, and pay to her legally constituted guardian a pension of eighteen dollars per month.

Mary E. Johnston.  
Pension.

Approved, January 8, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 25.**—An act granting a pension to William H. Starr.William H. Starr.  
Pension.

*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 directed to place the name of William H. Starr late a private in Company D, Eighth Illinois Infantry Volunteers, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 26.**—An act granting a pension to Ephriam Nye.Ephriam Nye.  
Pension.

*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 Ephriam Nye late a private in Company A, Second Kansas Volunteer Cavalry.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 27** —An act granting a pension to John Lynn.John Lynn.  
Pension.

*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 Lynn, late of Company A, Forty-eighth Regiment Kentucky Volunteers.

Approved, January 15, 1889

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 28.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Ann Shook.Mary Ann Shook.  
Pension.

*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 on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mary Ann Shook, widow of Joseph G. W. Shook, late a private in the company of Daniel Hoke in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and to pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 29.**—An act granting a pension to Baker Saine.Baker Saine.  
Pension.

*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 Baker Saine, of Fort Seneca, Seneca County, Ohio, late a private in Company K, Forty-ninth Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 30.**—An act granting a pension to Henry Sommers.

January 15, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to increase to thirty dollars per month the pension of Henry Sommers, late of Company H, Fifth Regiment United States Artillery, for loss of left arm incurred while an employee of the Quartermaster's Department, under Colonel A. J. Donaldson, United States Army.

Henry Sommers.  
Pension.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 31.**—An act granting a pension to Anthony Shafer

January 15, 1889.

*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 the name of Anthony Shafer, of Liberty, Adams County, Illinois, late private of Company D, One hundred and first Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, subject to the provisions of law.

Anthony Shafer.  
Pension.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 32.**—An act granting a pension to Martha Giddings, formerly Martha Priest.

January 15, 1889.

*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 authorized and directed to put upon the pension-roll the name of Martha Giddings, formerly Martha Priest, widow of Nathaniel Priest, of Company H, Fourteenth Vermont Volunteers.

Martha Giddings,  
formerly Priest.  
Pension.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 33.**—An act granting a pension to Jemima Sterling

January 15, 1889.

*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 Jemima Sterling, mother of James Goldsmith, deceased late of Company I, One hundred and third Illinois Volunteers.

Jemima Sterling.  
Pension.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 34.**—An act granting a pension to Daniel Tanner.

January 15, 1889.

*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 Daniel Tanner, father of Russell J. Tanner, deceased, late of Company C, One hundred and third Illinois Volunteers.

Daniel Tanner.  
Pension.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 35.**—An act granting a pension to Micah French.Micah French.  
Pension increased.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, at the rate of thirty dollars a month, the name of Micah French, formerly a private in Captain S. Clark's company, New York Militia, of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve; the pension hereby granted to be in lieu of all other pensions.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 36.**—An act granting a pension to Fredericka Liesegang.Fredericka Liese-  
gang.  
Pension.

*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 Fredericka Liesegang, widow of Ernest Christian Liesegang, late of Company H, Seventy-eighth Regiment New York Volunteers.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 37.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Louise M. Humphrey.Louise M. Hum-  
phrey.  
Pension.

*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 Mrs. Louise M. Humphrey on the pension-roll of the United States, she being the widow of the late Colonel George Humphrey, of the Eighty-eighth Indiana Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 38.**—An act for the relief of Louisa McLain.Louisa McLain.  
Pension.

*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 Louisa McLain, dependent mother of John S. McLain, as stated in application numbered two hundred and sixty thousand one hundred and forty-two in the Pension Office.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 39.**—An act for the relief of Ida M. Howell.Ida M. Howell.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized to place on the pension-roll the name of Ida M. Howell, the dependent sister of the late Lieutenant-Colonel Judd M. Mott, Sixteenth Michigan Regiment, Company I, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, as if she was the widow instead of the sister of the said Judd M. Mott.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 40.**—An act for the relief of John Sweeney.

January 15, 1889.

*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 is hereby directed to place the name of John Sweeney, late a seaman in the United States Navy, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

John Sweeney.  
Pension.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 41.**—An act for the relief Motier Howe.

January 15, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there be, and is hereby, granted, relinquished, and confirmed unto Motier Howe, of Oregon, his heirs and assigns, the interest of the United States in and to the west half of the northwest quarter and northeast quarter of the Northwest quarter, and northwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section twenty-two, in township twelve south, of range twenty-three east, of Willamette meridian, in the State of Oregon.

Motier Howe.  
Lands in Oregon released to.

SEC 2. That in accordance herewith the Secretary of the Interior is hereby directed and authorized to issue to said Motier Howe a patent in due form to said lands.

Patent to issue.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 42.**—An act for the relief of William R. Rodgers.

January 15, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to increase the rate of pension now allowed to William R. Rodgers, late a private of Company F, of the Twenty-seventh Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Infantry, war of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, under certificate numbered two hundred and fifty-two thousand four hundred and four, from the sum of eight dollars per month to the sum of fifty dollars per month.

William R. Rodgers.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 43.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Francis De Freitas.

January 15, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to all the conditions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Francis De Freitas, who was a private in Company G, One hundred and fourteenth Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of forty-five dollars per month from and after the passage of this act in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Francis De Freitas.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 44.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Laura L. Wallen.

Laura L. Wallen.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension to Laura L. Wallen, widow of Henry D. Wallen, late colonel of the Second Infantry, United States Army, to the sum of fifty dollars per month.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 45.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Jesse J. Clark.

Jesse J. Clark.  
Pension increased.

*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 Jesse J. Clark, late a private of Company I, Thirty-first Regiment Indiana Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll at the rate of twenty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension of four dollars per month which he is now drawing.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 46.**—An act increasing the pension of Miss Sarah Mary Carroll.

Sarah Mary Carroll.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Miss Sarah Mary Carroll, late an Army nurse, from twelve dollars and fifty cents to twenty-five dollars a month, to date from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, January 15, 1889.

January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 51.**—An act to grant an increase of pension to William E. Prince.

William E. Prince.  
Pension increased.

*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 is authorized and hereby directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of William E. Prince, late a private of Company I, Twenty-third Regiment of Missouri Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of forty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Received by the President January 4, 1889.

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January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 52.**—An act granting a pension to Carter W. Tiller.

Carter W. Tiller.  
Pension.

*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 Carter W. Tiller, dependent father of G W Tiller, late



a private in Company A, Twenty-eighth Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Received by the President January 4, 1889.

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**CHAP. 53.**—An act granting a pension to Emma F. Read.

January 16, 1889.

*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 Emma F. Read, the blind daughter of Captain John Read, of the Falls Church, Virginia, Home Guards, upon the United States pension-roll, and pay to her a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month, during her life-time, subject to the provisions and limitations of the general law.

Emma F. Read.  
Pension.

Received by the President January 4, 1889.

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**CHAP. 54.**—An act for the relief of Nancy E. Sawyer.

January 16, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Nancy E. Sawyer, widow of the late James F. Sawyer, late of Company K, Twenty-first Regiment Wisconsin Volunteers.

Nancy E. Sawyer.  
Pension.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 55.**—An act for the relief of William E Springstein

January 16, 1889.

*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 is directed to put on the pension roll the name of William E Springstein, of Company G Fourteenth Regiment of Michigan Volunteers, at the rate of forty five dollars per month.

William E. Spring-  
stein.  
Pension.

Approved January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 56.**—An act for the relief of Leaman L. Bowers.

January 16, 1889.

*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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place the name of Leaman L. Bowers, late second sergeant of Company H, of the Tenth Regiment of Pennsylvania Reserves, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Leaman L. Bowers.  
Pension.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 57.**—An act granting a pension to John M. Krunk.John M. Krunk.  
Pension.

*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 M. Krunk, late a private of Company C, Thirty-fifth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteers.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 58.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Jane Jelly.Mary Jane Jelly.  
Pension.

*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 limitations and restrictions of the pension laws, the name of Mary Jane Jelly, widow of Frank Trask, late a private in Company F, Eighth Regiment Connecticut Volunteers.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 59.**—An act granting a pension to Ira E. Baldwin.Ira E. Baldwin.  
Pension.

*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 Ira E. Baldwin, of Ada, Kansas, dependent father of Alphonso Baldwin, late of Company I, Eighth Vermont Infantry Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the general pension laws.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 60.**—An act granting a pension to John W. Ellis.John W. Ellis.  
Pension.

*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 W. Ellis, of Sierra County, New Mexico late an Indian scout, in the service of the United States Government in the Territory of New Mexico.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 61.**—An act granting a pension to Emelia Mumm.Emelia Mumm.  
Pension.

*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 Emelia Mumm, widow of Nicholas Mumm, late a private in Company G, Fifteenth New York Heavy Artillery.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 62.**—An act granting a pension to Anna Boppell.

January 16, 1889.

*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 directed to place upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Anna Boppell, widow of Martin Boppell, late of Company E, One hundred and fifty-third Regiment New York State Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Anna Boppell.  
Pension.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 63.**—An act granting a pension to Jesse Spencer.

January 16, 1889.

*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 Jesse Spencer, late a private of Company M, Second Regiment of Pennsylvania Cavalry.

Jesse Spencer.  
Pension.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 64.**—An act for the relief of A. P. Swineford.

January 16, 1889.

*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. P. Swineford, governor of Alaska, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of six hundred and eleven dollars and thirty-eight cents, amount of salary from July first to September thirteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five.

A. P. Swineford.  
Payment of salary  
to.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 65.**—An act to increase the pension of William Gallagher.

January 16, 1889.

*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 increase the pension of William Gallagher, late a private in Company D, Twenty-eight Regiment Kentucky Infantry Volunteers to eighteen dollars per month.

William Gallagher.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 67.**—An act granting a pension to Henrietta Waldron.

January 17, 1889.

*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 Henrietta Waldron, of Wakeman, Huron County, Ohio at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Henrietta Waldron.  
Pension.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 68.**—An act granting a pension to Samuel M. Reese.

Samuel M. Reese.  
Pension.

*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 Samuel M. Reese, late private Company B, One hundred and fiftieth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 69.**—An act granting a pension to Ann Bryan.

Ann Bryan.  
Pension.

*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 Ann Bryan, widow of William Bryan, late of Forty-sixth Regiment of Illinois Infantry Volunteers.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 70.**—An act granting a pension to Mary A. McCool.

Mary A. McCool.  
Pension.

*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 A. McCool, mother of John Stanton, late a private in Company I, of the Twenty-fifth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 71.**—An act granting a pension to Jane Jackson.

Jane Jackson.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Jane Jackson, widow of Nathan Jackson, late a private of Company B, Fifth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 72.**—An act granting a pension to Captain William J. Duley.

William J. Duley.  
Pension.

*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 J. Duley, chief of scouts, with the rank of captain, in the Army of the Northwest, Major-General John Pope commanding.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 73.**—An act granting a pension to John Wallace.

January 17, 1889.

*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 Wallace, father of Robert Wallace, deceased, late of Company C, Ninety-third Regiment of New York Infantry Volunteers.

John Wallace.  
Pension.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 74.**—An act granting a pension to Milton Wallen

January 17, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of 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 Milton Wallen of Clinton County, Kentucky, who was a member of Captain Brooks's company of Kentucky State troops, and grant him a pension at the rate given other soldiers similarly disabled

Milton Wallen.  
Pension.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 75.**—An act granting a pension to P. F. Jonte

January 17, 1889.

*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 the name of P. F. Jonte, late a member of Company A, Sixtieth Regiment Ohio Volunteers, of Knoxville, Iowa, and pay him a pension, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, from and after the passage of this act.

P. F. Jonte.  
Pension.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 76.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Anna Leach.

January 17, 1889.

*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 act, the name of Mrs. Anna Leach, dependent mother of Benjamin F. Leach, late of Company I, First Regiment Iowa Cavalry Volunteers.

Anna Leach.  
Pension.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 77.**—An act granting a pension to Myra Sinclair.

January 17, 1889.

*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 the name of Myra Sinclair, a volunteer nurse in the late war, giving her the sum of twelve dollars a month from and after the passage of this act.

Myra Sinclair.  
Pension.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 78.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs Almira J. Towner.

Almira J. Towner.  
Pension.

*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 Almira J. Towner, dependent, mother of Seth S. Towner, late a private in Company A, Second Regiment Illinois Volunteer Cavalry.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 79.**—An act for the relief of Elizabeth C. Cole.

Elizabeth C. Cole.  
To be paid accrued  
pension due William  
D. Cole.

*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 pay to Elizabeth C. Cole, dependent mother of William D. Cole, late a private in Company I, Ninth Regiment of Minnesota Volunteer Infantry, and now deceased, the sum of seventy-two dollars as, and that being the amount of pension which had accrued to said William D. Cole, deceased, at the time of his death, by virtue of pension certificate numbered ninety-three thousand four hundred and forty four; for which said sum of seventy-two dollars a check was issued, but did not reach said William D. Cole before he died.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 80.**—An act for the relief of William A. Mathes.

William A. Mathes.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of William A. Mathes, late of Company B, Eighteenth Regiment Indiana Volunteers, to forty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now paid him.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 81.**—An act for the relief of Isaac Roshon.

Isaac Roshon.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Isaac Roshon, now on the pension-roll at the rate of thirteen dollars per month, to such amount as under the provisions and limitations of the pension laws he may be entitled by reason of a gunshot wound to the left knee, received by him while a member of Company F, Thirteenth Regiment Ohio Cavalry; that the pension granted by this act shall be in addition to the one he is now receiving for another disability.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 82.**—An act for the relief of Margaret M Hatch.

Margaret M. Hatch.  
Pension.

*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 law, the name of Margaret M. Hatch, mother of William E Hatch, deceased formerly of Company B, Seventh New York Heavy Artillery.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 83.**—An act to increase the pension of Joseph Holmes.

January 17, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of Joseph Holmes, of Company E, Third Regiment Vermont Volunteers, at the rate of forty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Joseph Holmes.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 84.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Jonathan C. Harrison.

January 17, 1889.

*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, at the rate of thirty-six dollars per month, the name of Jonathan C. Harrison, late a private in Company B, Fifty-second Ohio Volunteers.

Jonathan C. Harrison.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 85.**—An act restoring to the pension-roll the name of James Monohan, minor child of Richard Monohan, deceased.

January 17, 1889.

*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 restore to the pension-roll the name of James Monohan, minor child of Richard Monohan, deceased, late a private in Company A, One hundred and eighty-sixth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, and to pay said child, or to his guardian, the remaining pension that he would have received had his name not been stricken from the roll.

James Monohan.  
Pension restored.

Approved, January 17, 1889.

**CHAP. 86.**—An act granting a pension to Aaron R. Gilkison.

January 18, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized to place on the pension-rolls the name of Aaron R. Gilkison, late of Company H, Fifteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Aaron R. Gilkison.  
Pension.

Received by the President January 7, 1889.

[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.]

January 18, 1889.

**CHAP. 87.**—An act granting a pension to Charlotte Taylor.Charlotte Taylor.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Charlotte Taylor, widow of Thomas P Taylor, late a private of Company C, Twelfth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteers Infantry, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Received by the President January 7, 1889.

[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.]

January 18, 1889.

**CHAP. 88.**—An act granting a pension to Joseph Rosier.Joseph Rosier.  
Pension.

*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 Joseph Rosier, a private in Captain Tripp's company, Colonel Brisbane's regiment, South Carolina Volunteers, in the Florida and Seminole war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, on the pension-roll, at the rate of twenty dollars per month from the passage of this act.

Received by the President January 7, 1889.

[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.]

January 18, 1889.

**CHAP. 89.**—An act granting a pension to Emmanuel P SteedEmmanuel P. Steed.  
Pension.

*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 restore to the pension-roll the name of Emmanuel P Steed late of Company F of the First Regiment of West Virginia Cavalry Volunteers, and pay him such pension as his disabilities may entitle him.

Received by the President January 7, 1889.

[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.]

January 18, 1889.

**CHAP. 90.**—An act granting a pension to Samuel J. Wright.Samuel J. Wright.  
Pension.

*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 J. Wright, father of Darwin Wright, deceased, late of Company A, Second Regiment of New York Cavalry Volunteers.

Received by the President January 7, 1889.

[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. 94.**—An act for the relief of Jesse Durnell.

January 21, 1889.

*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 Jesse Durnell, of Effingham, Illinois, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty cents, being the amount due him for seventeen and one-half months difference in pay between that of first-class and second-class pilot in the Mississippi Squadron.

Jesse Durnell.  
Payment to.

Approved, January 21, 1889.

**CHAP. 95.**—An act increasing the pension of Mrs. Elizabeth G. Scott.

January 22, 1889.

*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 limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth Goodale Scott, widow of Robert N. Scott, deceased, late lieutenant-colonel Third United States Artillery, at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the amount now received by law.

Elizabeth G. Scott.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 96.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Margaret S. Heintzelman.

January 22, 1889.

*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 the name of Margaret S. Heintzelman, widow of Major-General Samuel P. Heintzelman, deceased, and pay her a pension at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act, in lieu of fifty dollars per month provided for in the act of Congress approved December twenty-third, eighteen hundred and eighty.

Margaret S. Heintzelman.  
Pension increased.

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Approved, January 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 97.**—An act to increase the pensions of Mrs. Mary Ann Cross, Mrs. Minnie L. Gardiner, and Mrs. Lilla May Pavy to thirty dollars per month.

January 22, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place the names of Mrs. Mary Ann Cross, widow of Sergeant William H. Cross, Minnie L. Gardiner, widow of Sergeant Hampton S. Gardiner, and

Mary Ann Cross,  
Minnie L. Gardiner,  
Lilla May Pavy.  
Pensions increased.

Lilla May Pavy, widow of Doctor Octave Pavy, on the pension-roll at the rate of thirty dollars a month each, in place of that of twelve and seventeen dollars a month now allowed, the said William H. Cross, Hampton S. Gardiner, and Octave Pavy having served in the late Arctic expedition under Greely and lost their lives in consequence.

Approved, January 22, 1889.

January 28, 1889.

**CHAP. 98.**—An act for the relief of Richard Trabue, executor of James Trabue, deceased, Thornton Thatcher, Michael Callahan, and the widow of John Waters.

James Trabue's executor, Thornton Thatcher, Michael Callahan, and widow of John Waters. Payment to.

*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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the several persons in this act named the several sums hereinafter stated, the same to be in full settlement of the claims of said parties for use and occupation of property by the United States, namely:

To Richard Trabue, executor of James Trabue, deceased, six hundred dollars.

To Thornton Thatcher, ninety-three dollars and thirty-three cents.

To Michael Callahan, one hundred and thirteen dollars and sixty-six cents.

To Annie M. Williams late widow of John Waters, deceased, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Approved, January 28, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 101.**—An act granting a pension to George W. Fogle.

George W. Fogle. Pension.

*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 George W. Fogle, Company G, Sixty-second Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 102.**—An act granting a pension to Danville A. Ricker.

Danville A. Ricker. Pension.

*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 Danville A. Ricker, father of Henry G. Ricker, late private in Company K, Seventh Regiment Maine Volunteers.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 103.**—An act granting a pension to Walter N. Smith.

Walter N. Smith. Pension.

*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 Walter N. Smith, late a captain of Company B, Eleventh Massachusetts Volunteers.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 104.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Philena T. Carpenter.

January 30, 1889.

*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. Philena T. Carpenter, of Englewood, Illinois, who was a volunteer nurse during the war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Philena T. Carpenter.  
Pension.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 105.**—An act granting a pension to Isaac N. Hawkins.

January 30, 1889.

*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 Isaac N. Hawkins, late a captain in the Seventy-third Regiment Ohio Volunteers, at the rate of forty-five dollars a month.

Isaac N. Hawkins.  
Pension.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 106.**—An act granting a pension to Kate C. Van Arnum.

January 30, 1889.

*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 Kate C. Van Arnum, widow of John W. Van Arnum, late a private in Company D, Fourth New York Heavy Artillery.

Kate C. Van Arnum.  
Pension.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 107.**—An act for the relief of Sarah R. Fisher.

January 30, 1889.

*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 Sarah R. Fisher, mother of James K. Fisher, late Company A, Third Regiment Michigan Volunteers.

Sarah R. Fisher.  
Pension.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 108.**—An act to increase the pension of Seth F. Myers.

January 30, 1889.

*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 increase the pension of Seth F. Myers, late surgeon of the Seventy-third Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, from thirty dollars to fifty dollars a month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Seth F. Myers.  
Pension increased.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 109.**—An act granting an increase of pension to William H. Marston.

William H. Marston.  
Pension increased.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to increase the amount of pension allowed William H. Marston, late of the Seventeenth Michigan Infantry, to the sum of forty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the amount he is now receiving.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

January 30, 1889.

**CHAP. 110.**—An act for the relief of William Knowland.

William Knowland.  
Payment to.

*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 William Knowland, of New York City, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and ninety-three dollars and seventeen cents, being balance due for services as messenger to the Committee on Expenditures in the Department of Justice, in the Forty-eighth Congress.

Approved, January 30, 1889.

February 5, 1889.

**CHAP. 112.**—An act for the relief of W. W. Welch.

W. W. Welch.  
Payment to.

*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 W. W. Welch, of Meridian, Mississippi, the sum of one hundred and three dollars and fifty-eight cents, on account of services rendered from February tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, to April twelfth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, both dates inclusive, as local mail-agent at Meridian, Mississippi; and the said sum is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. That this act take effect from the date of its passage.

Approved, February 5, 1889.

February 6, 1889.

**CHAP. 114.**—An act granting a pension to Ellen Smith.

Ellen Smith.  
Pension.

*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 on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Ellen Smith, widow of James Smith, late a private in Company C, Eighty-eighth Regiment of New York Volunteers.

Received by the President January 25, 1889.

[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. 118.**—An act to place the name of John A. Griffey on pension-roll.

February 8, 1889.

*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 the name of John A. Griffey, dependent father of James Griffey, late private of Company D, Second North Carolina Regiment, subject to the limitations and conditions of the pension laws.

John A. Griffey.  
Pension.

Approved, February 8, 1889.

**CHAP. 123.**—An act to increase the pension of George A. Glover.

February 9, 1889.

*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 limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of George A. Glover, late a private in Company C, Thirteenth Regiment New Hampshire Volunteers, and pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of that he is now receiving.

George A. Glover.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 9 1889.

**CHAP. 124.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Jane Harris.

February 11, 1889.

*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 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 Jane Harris, mother of George M. Harris, Company C, First Regiment New Hampshire Volunteer Cavalry.

Mary Jane Harris.  
Pension.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 125.**—An act granting a pension to James S. Harden.

February 11, 1889.

*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 S. Harden, of West Salem, Illinois, late a private in Company D, One hundred and ninety-third Regiment Ohio Volunteers.

James S. Harden.  
Pension.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 126.**—An act granting a pension to Erasmus W. Jones.

February 11, 1889.

*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, directed to place upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Erasmus W. Jones, late chaplain of the Twenty-first Regiment United States Colored Troops.

Erasmus W. Jones.  
Pension.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 127.**—An act to increase the pension of Rowland Ward.Rowland Ward.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Rowland Ward, late private of Company E. Fourth Regiment New York Heavy Artillery, to fifty dollars per month.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 128.**—An act to increase the pension of Jacob Rogers.Jacob Rogers.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Jacob Rogers, late a private in Captain J. McChesney's Company, in the Sixteenth United States Infantry, war of eighteen hundred and twelve, to fifty dollars per month.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 129.**—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Clover.Elizabeth Clover.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Elizabeth Clover, widow of A. S. Clover, late a private in Company G, Forty-fourth Regiment New York State Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 130.**—An act granting a pension to Rebecca H. Lyon.Rebecca H. Lyon.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Rebecca H. Lyon, a nurse in the late war, and pay her a pension of twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 131.**—An act granting a pension to Thirza S. Jenner.Thirza S. Jenner.  
Pension.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll the name of Thirza S. Jenner, the insane mother of Charles Henry Jenner, late private Company C, Twenty-Second Regiment New York Cavalry Volunteers, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws, and pay her pension to her husband, Charles H. Jenner, for the use and benefit of said Thirza, and in case of his death to her legally constituted guardian.

Approved, February 11, 1889.

**CHAP. 138.**—An act granting a pension to Harrison Wagner.

February 12, 1889.

*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 Harrison Wagner, late a nurse in general hospital number one, Frederick, Maryland, and pay him at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Harrison Wagner.  
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 139.**—An act granting a pension to Ellen White Dowling.

February 12, 1889.

*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 Ellen White Dowling, a volunteer nurse in the Army during the war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month, during life, from and after the passage of this act.

Ellen White Dowling.  
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 140.**—An act to refund illegal internal-revenue tax collected of James R. Berry, as late auditor of the State of Arkansas.

February 12, 1889.

*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 James R. Berry, former auditor of the State of Arkansas, the sum of two hundred dollars, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the same being for internal-revenue tax illegally collected on his salary as such officer.

James R. Berry.  
Payment to.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 141.**—An act granting an increase of pension to James Patterson.

February 12, 1889.

*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 pay to James Patterson, late a private in Company E, Third Missouri State Militia Cavalry, a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars a month, in lieu of that which he now receives, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

James Patterson.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 142.**—An act granting a pension to Adaline A. Smyth.

February 12, 1889.

*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 Adaline A. Smyth, a volunteer nurse in the war of rebellion, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Adaline A. Smyth.  
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 143.**—An act granting a pension to Sarah J. Foy.Sarah J. Foy.  
Pension.

*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, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Sarah J. Foy, late a nurse in the Second Vermont Regiment Volunteers.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 144.**—An act for the relief of Zo. S. Cook.Zo. S. Cook.  
Pension increased.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the pension now paid, under certificate numbered eighty-three hundred and eight, to Zo. S. Cook, of Wilcox County, Alabama, a soldier in the war between the United States and Mexico, be, and is hereby, increased to the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 145.**—An act granting a pension to Reuben Ash.Reuben Ash.  
Pension increased.

*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 Reuben Ash, late first lieutenant of Company E, Second Regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of forty-five dollars a month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 146.**—An act to relinquish the interest of the United States in certain lands in Kansas.Elmore S. Stroup.  
Public land in Kansas released to.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of one United States of America in Congress assembled,* That all the interest of the United States in and to the south half of the northeast quarter and the north half of the southeast quarter of section six, township six south, of range eighteen west, of the sixth principal meridian, in Rooks County, Kansas, is hereby relinquished to Elmore S. Stroup.

Approved, February 12, 1889.

February 12, 1889.

**CHAP. 147.**—An act to confirm the homestead entry of Hugh Foster.Hugh Foster.  
Homestead entry by, confirmed.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That homestead entry numbered seventeen hundred and ninety, made at the United States land office at Marquette, Michigan, March twenty-second, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, by Hugh Foster, upon the south half of the northeast and north half of the southeast quarter of section ten, in township forty-seven north, of range two east, under authority of the instructions of the Commissioner of the General



Land Office to the local officers, dated July second, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and recommended for confirmation, by special act of Congress, by the Secretary of the Interior, in a decision on the case rendered November eighteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, be, and the same is hereby, confirmed as of the day of the date of said entry: *Provided, however,* That due proof of compliance with the provisions of the homestead law shall be made in the usual manner.

*Proviso.  
Proof.*

Approved, February 12, 1889.

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**CHAP. 148.**—An act granting a pension to James Miller.

February 12, 1889.

*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 Miller, of the city of Reading, Pennsylvania, late a private in Company B, of the Two hundred and fifth Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers.

James Miller.  
Pension.

Received by the President January 31, 1889.

[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.]

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**CHAP. 155.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Saeger.

February 13, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized to place on the pension-roll the name of Mary Saeger, a nurse in the United States Army, for the sum of twelve dollars per month.

Mary Saeger.  
Pension.

Received by the President February 1, 1889.

[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.]

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**CHAP. 156.**—An act granting a pension to Catherine M. Lee.

February 13, 1889.

*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 the name of Catherine M. Lee, a volunteer nurse in the late war, giving her, during life, the sum of twelve dollars a month from and after the passage of this act.

Catherine M. Lee.  
Pension.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 157.**—An act granting an increase of pension to James McGowan.James McGowan.  
Pension increased.

*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 on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of James McGowan, late a private of Company H, Twentieth Regiment Maine Volunteers, and to pay him during life a pension of seventy-two dollars per month, in lieu of the one now received by him.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 158.**—An act granting an increase of pension to George W. Durfee.George W. Durfee.  
Pension increased.

*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, at the rate of forty-five dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of George W. Durfee, late private of Company I, First Regiment New York Volunteer Dragoons; this act to take effect from its passage, and the pension hereby granted to be in lieu of that which he is now receiving.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 159.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Eliza J. Alexander.Eliza J. Alexander.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Eliza J. Alexander, widow of Francis Alexander, formerly lieutenant in United States Navy, from twenty-five dollars to fifty dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 160.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Emma Biddle.Emma Biddle.  
Pension increased.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the pension of Emma Biddle, widow of Charles J. Biddle, late captain of United States Infantry, transferred to a captaincy in the United States Regiment of Voltigeurs, Mexican war, and colonel of First Rifles (Buck Tails) of Pennsylvania in the rebellion, and acting brigadier-general, be, and the same is hereby, increased from twenty dollars to forty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 161.**—An act for the relief of Charles Wagemann.Charles Wagemann.  
Pension increased.

*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 Charles Wagemann, late a private in Company E, Seventh Missouri Cavalry, at the rate of twenty-four dollars per month; said pension to be in lieu of that which he now receives.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 162.**—An act for the relief of Harriet Young.

February 13, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the time to irrigate, improve, and prepare the land to make final proof for that part (it being three hundred and twenty acres) of section numbered thirty-four, township numbered twenty-one north, range four east, lying south of the Missouri River, except eighty acres covered by Sioux half-breed scrip, in Cascade County, Montana Territory, and claimed by Harriet Young, by and under desert-land entry numbered fifteen hundred and fifty-one, made by said Harriet Young at the Helena, Montana, land office on July twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, under desert-land act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, and the time to make said improvements to enable final proof to be made upon said land is hereby enlarged and extended for three years from the date of the approval of this act. This extension shall not be held to determine the character of the land nor to affect any contest now pending, or which may be hereafter initiated, or as in any wise affecting any right or claim adverse to the claim or entry of said Harriet Young, nor to affect the character of proof required by existing law, except as to the time of making improvements required by law and final proof.

Harriet Young.  
Time to complete entry under desert-land act extended.

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Contests, etc., not affected.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 163.**—An act for the relief of David Meriwether.

February 13, 1889.

*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 David Meriwether, of Louisville, Kentucky, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, three thousand six hundred and thirty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents, being the amount due him as disbursing agent of public moneys; also five hundred and twenty-five dollars for loss of public moneys sustained without fault on his part; amounting in all to the sum of four thousand one hundred and fifty-seven dollars and thirty-eight cents as found and set forth by the Court of Claims in its findings of fact dated the fourteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty-five.

David Meriwether.  
Payment to.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

**CHAP. 164.**—An act for the relief of David A. Haywood.

February 13, 1889.

*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 David A. Haywood, of Indianapolis, Indiana, the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars and thirty-two cents, for grading and bowlding Market street, in said city, in front of the post-office and court-house building, as per estimate made by the civil engineer of the city of Indianapolis; and a sum sufficient therefor is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

David A. Haywood.  
Payment to.

Approved, February 13, 1889.

February 14, 1889.

**CHAP. 167.**—An act for the relief of William R. Blakeslee.

William R. Blakeslee.  
Honorable discharge  
to.

*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 remove the record of "dismissal from the service on account of incompetency," now standing against the name of William R. Blakeslee, late surgeon of the One hundred and fifteenth Pennsylvania Volunteers, and instead thereof show him as being honorably discharged.

Approved, February 14, 1889.

February 15, 1889.

**CHAP. 170.**—An act for the relief of the trustees of the First Baptist Church, at Smithland, Kentucky.

First Baptist Church,  
Smithland, Ky.  
Payment to.

*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 the trustees of the First Baptist Church, at Smithland, Kentucky, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five hundred dollars, for the use and occupation of their church building by the Army of the United States during the late war.

Approved, February 15, 1889.

February 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 173.**—An act for the relief of William H. Robertson and Edward L. Hedden, late collector of customs for the district of the city of New York.

William H. Robert-  
son.  
Allowance in ac-  
counts of.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the proper accounting officers be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to allow William H. Robertson, collector of the district of the city of New York, in settlement of his accounts, a credit for the sum of two thousand three hundred and forty-six dollars and twenty-five cents, the same being a sum now charged to the said William H. Robertson as collector of said district for moneys received at the post-office in the city of New York, and for remittances made by postmasters at other points in the United States, for duties collected on books imported through the mails between the twenty-first day of August, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, and for which one Douglas Smith, a late clerk in the custom-house at the port of New York, assigned to the duty of verifying such moneys, failed to account, without default or negligence of the said Collector Robertson; and that the proper accounting officers be, and they are hereby, authorized to allow Edward L. Hedden, collector of the district of the city of New York, in settlement of his account a credit for the sum of three thousand and seventy-three dollars and seventy-four cents, the same being now charged to the said Edward L. Hedden as collector of said district, for moneys received at the post-office in the city of New York, and for remittances made by postmasters at other places in the United States, for duties collected on books imported through the mails between the first day of July, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, and the twenty-ninth day of August, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, and for which the said Douglas Smith also has failed to account without default or negligence of the said Collector Hedden.

Approved, February 16, 1889.

Edward L. Hedden.  
Allowance in ac-  
counts of.

**CHAP. 174.**—An act for the relief of Charles F. Swain, master of bark Philena.

February 16, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Charles F. Swain, late master of the bark Philena, of New York, eight thousand dollars, for going with the said bark and rescuing shipwrecked seamen from an uninhabited island near Cape Horn, at the request of Gorham Parks, then United States consul at Rio de Janeiro, the same having been declared due said Charles F. Swain by recent findings of the Court of Claims.

Charles F. Swain.  
Payment to.

Approved, February 16, 1889.

**CHAP. 175.**—An act granting arrears of pension to Theodore Rauthe.

February 19, 1889.

*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 pay to Theodore Rauthe, late of Company K, Thirteenth New York Cavalry, arrears of pension, at the rate of thirty-one dollars and twenty-five cents per month, from the twelfth day of September, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, to the twenty-second day of July, eighteen hundred and eighty-two.

Theodore Rauthe.  
Arrears of pension.

Received by the President February 7, 1889.

[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. 177.**—An act to replace Mrs. R. S. Horton upon the pension-rolls.

February 21, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, empowered and directed to replace Mrs. R. S. Horton, widow of Captain William H. Seaton, late of Company D, Twenty-sixth Ohio Volunteers, upon the pension-rolls, and pay her a pension from the passage of this act.

Mrs. R. S. Horton.  
Pension restored.

Approved, February 21, 1889.

**CHAP. 178.**—An act to increase the pension of Elijah W. Penny.

February 21, 1889.

*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 increase the pension of Elijah W. Penny, late lieutenant-colonel of the One hundred thirtieth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers by paying him the sum of twelve dollars a month for wound in the side, in addition to the amount to which he is entitled by law for loss of arm at the shoulder.

Elijah W. Penny.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 21, 1889.

February 21, 1889.

**CHAP. 179.**—An act to increase the pension of Mary A. Bedel.Mary A. Bedel.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Mary A. Bedel, widow of the late Brigadier-General John Bedel, from thirty to fifty dollars per month.

Approved, February 21, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 181.**—An act granting a pension to Florence Courtney Cochnower.Florence C. Cochnower.  
Pension.

*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 Florence Courtney Cochnower, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, for services in the field and as a nurse during the war of the rebellion.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 182.**—An act granting a pension to Robert Kelly.Robert Kelly.  
Pension.

*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 Robert Kelly, late a private in Company B, Third Regiment Maryland Volunteers.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 183.**—An act granting a pension to Annie May Pifer.Annie May Pifer.  
Pension.

*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 Annie May Pifer, invalid daughter of Cornelius Pifer, late of Company F, Second Regiment Illinois Volunteer Cavalry, and pay to her legally constituted guardian, for her use and benefit, a pension of eighteen dollars per month.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 184.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Thorn.Mary Thorn.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Mary Thorn, dependent mother of James S. Thorn, deceased, late acting assistant surgeon of volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, and grant her a pension at the rate of seventeen dollars per month.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 185.**—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth L. Nott.

February 22, 1889.

*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 L. Nott, widow of Dawes S. Nott, deceased, late of Company K, Twelfth Massachusetts Volunteers.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

Elizabeth L. Nott.  
Pension.**CHAP. 186.**—An act to pension J W. Porter.

February 22, 1889.

*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 directed to place on the pension-rolls of the Government the name of John W. Porter, late private of Company E, Battalion of Missouri Mounted Volunteers, application numbered eleven thousand nine hundred and fifty-three, for services in the Army of the United States in the establishment of military posts, and for services on the frontier during the war with Mexico, subject to the limitations and regulations of the pension laws of the United States in pensioning the survivors of the war with Mexico. Such pension to date from January twenty-ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-seven.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

John W. Porter.  
Pension.**CHAP. 187.**—An act granting a pension to Dorothea Ruoff.

February 22, 1889.

*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 instructed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Dorothea Ruoff, widow of John Ruoff, late of Company F, Thirty-eighth Indiana Infantry Volunteers, and pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act during widowhood.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

Dorothea Ruoff.  
Pension.**CHAP. 188.**—An act granting a pension to Jennie Harris.

February 22, 1889.

*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 of the United States the name of Jennie Harris, daughter of John B. Harris, late private of Company D, Eightieth Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, war of eighteen hundred and sixty-one, now deceased, and to pay to her a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

Jennie Harris.  
Pension.**CHAP. 189.**—An act granting a pension to Martha J. Warren.

February 22, 1889.

*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

Martha J. Warren.  
Pension.

on the pension-roll the name of Martha J. Warren, widow of the late Colonel D. Warren, of Company H, Thirteenth Regiment Kentucky Infantry, and pay her at the rate of twelve dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws of the United States.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 190.**—An act granting a pension to Miss Emily Romine.

Emily Romine.  
Pension.

*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-rolls the name of Miss Emily Romine, helpless daughter of William Romine, of Company C, Thirteenth Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, who died in the service of the United States, and that she be paid a pension of eighteen dollars per month during life.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 191.**—An act granting a pension to William Harper.

William Harper.  
Pension.

*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 Harper, dependent father of Joseph T. Harper, late assistant surgeon of the Seventeenth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 192.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Von Olnhausen.

Mary Von Olnhausen.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Mary Von Olnhausen, of Lexington Massachusetts, late a nurse in the Mansion House Hospital at Alexandria, Virginia, and at other hospitals during the late war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 193.**—An act granting a pension to William L. Wilson.

William L. Wilson.  
Pension.

*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 the name of William L. Wilson, who was a private in Captain Samuel Hollingsworth's company of mounted volunteers in Colonel Thompson's regiment Illinois Volunteers, in the Black Hawk war, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 22, 1889.



**CHAP. 194.**—An act granting a pension to John J. Brown.

February 22, 1889.

*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 the name of John J. Brown, who was a private in Captain Peter Vance's company of Colonel Leib's Regiment of Illinois Mounted Riflemen in the Black Hawk war, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month.

John J. Brown.  
Pension.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 195.**—An act granting a pension to Charlotte Ayres.

February 22, 1889.

*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 to place upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Charlotte Ayers, the dependent mother of Benjamin Ayres, a private soldier of Company I, Fifth Regiment Kansas Cavalry.

Charlotte Ayres.  
Pension.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 196.**—An act to provide increase of pension to James Waters, formerly of Captain Weatherbye's company of Pennsylvania Militia, war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

February 22, 1889.

*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 increase the pension of James Waters, formerly a member of Captain Weatherbye's company of Pennsylvania Militia, and who was in the military service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, to forty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

James Waters.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 197.**—An act granting a pension to Rebecca D. Vedder.

February 22, 1889.

*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 Rebecca D. Vedder, step-mother of Edwin H. Vedder, late of Company A, Third Regiment New York Cavalry, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Rebecca D. Vedder.  
Pension.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 198.**—An act to place the name of James H. Tolly on the pension-roll.

February 22, 1889.

*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 the name of James H. Tolly, late private Company L, Twelfth Tennessee Cavalry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

James H. Tolly.  
Pension.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 199.**—An act granting a pension to Irving W. Combs.Irving W. Combs.  
Pension.

*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 Irving W. Combs, late of Company K, Seventy-fourth Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, a resident of Des Moines, Iowa, and pay to his legally constituted guardian a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 22, 1889.

**CHAP. 200.**—An act granting a pension to Mary K. Allen.Mary K. Allen.  
Pension.

*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 K. Allen, dependent mother of Second Lieutenant Jesse K. Allen, late of the Fifth Infantry of the United States Army, and who was killed in action by the Indians August fifteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight.

Approved, February 22, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 209.**—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Matilda Wilkins Emory.Matilda Wilkins Emory.  
Pension increased.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Matilda Wilkins Emory, widow of the late Brigadier-General William H. Emory, United States Army, and to pay her a pension of fifty dollars per month from the passage of this act, in lieu of the pension she now receives.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 210.**—An act to increase the pension of Sterne H. Fowler.Sterne H. Fowler.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Sterne H. Fowler to sixteen dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, in lieu of the pension now paid him.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 211.**—An act granting a pension to Elias J. Kenaday.Elias J. Kenaday.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Elias J. Kenaday, in Captain James H. Morgan's company of Iowa Mounted Volunteers in the war with Mexico, and pay him a pension of eight dollars per month.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 212.**—An act granting a pension to Captain Michael Piggott.

February 23, 1889.

*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 Michael Piggott, of Quincy, Illinois, late captain of Company F, Sixty-sixth Regiment Illinois Volunteers, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty-six dollars a month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Michael Piggott.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 213.**—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Fannie A. Boyd, widow of Captain O. B. Boyd.

February 23, 1889.

*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 increase the pension of Fannie A. Boyd, widow of Captain O. B. Boyd, Eighth United States Cavalry, to forty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension she is now receiving, to date from the passage of this act.

Fannie A. Boyd.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 214.**—An act granting a pension to Esther Gould.

February 23, 1889.

*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 Esther Gould, late volunteer nurse during the war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension of twenty-five dollars per month from this date.

Esther Gould.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 215.**—An act granting a pension to Maria Beiser.

February 23, 1889.

*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 the name of Maria Beiser, widow of John Beiser, late a private in Company C, One hundred and eighth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, subject to the limitations and restrictions of the pension laws (pension claim numbered two hundred and ninety-five thousand two hundred and seventy-six.)

Maria Beiser.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 216.**—An act increasing the pension to Lyman D. Green.

February 23, 1889.

*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 increase the pension of Lyman D. Green, late of Company F, One hundred and forty-eighth Regiment New York Volunteers, and pay him a pension at the rate of forty-five dollars per month.

Lyman D. Green.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 217.**—An act to place the name of Charles A. Stockman, of Dundee, Michigan, on the pension-roll.

Charles A. Stockman.  
Pension.

*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 Charles A. Stockman, of Dundee, Michigan, late a private of Company B. Twenty-eighth Michigan Infantry Volunteers, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 218.**—An act granting a pension to Otho G. Hendrix.

Otho G. Hendrix.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Otho G. Hendrix, late an artificer in Company A, United States Veteran Volunteer Engineers, and pay him a pension, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 219.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Mrs. Mary L. Jewell.

Mary L. Jewell.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Mrs. Mary L. Jewell, widow of Marcus Jewell, a soldier in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, from twelve dollars per month to twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 220.**—An act granting a pension to Elisha C. Paschal.

Elisha C. Paschal.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Elisha C. Paschal, who served in Captain Gunn's company, from the State of Alabama, Indian war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 221.**—An act granting a pension to Isham T. Howze.

Isham T. Howze.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Isham T. Howze, who served in Captain Gunn's company, from the State of Alabama, Indian war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 222.**—An act granting a pension to Nona J. Tillery, minor child of Wyatt L. Tillery.

February 23, 1889.

*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 Nona J. Tillery, minor child of Wyatt L. Tillery, late a member of Captain J. W. Youngers' company of Clay County Enrolled Missouri Militia.

Nona J. Tillery.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 223.**—An act granting a pension to Thompson D. Hatfield.

February 23, 1889.

*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 the name of Thompson D. Hatfield, at the rate of twenty-five dollars a month, this sum to be paid only to the legally appointed guardian of said Thompson D. Hatfield, an insane person, for the purpose of his support and maintenance.

Thompson D. Hat-  
field.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 224.**—An act granting a pension to Ellen Edwards.

February 23, 1889.

*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 Ellen Edwards, widow of Robert Edwards, late a private in Company D, Eighth Regiment Wisconsin Volunteers.

Ellen Edwards.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 225.**—An act granting a pension to George W. Dickinson.

February 23, 1889.

*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 the name of George W. Dickinson, late a private of Company E, Thirteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

George W. Dickin-  
son.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 226.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs Elvira Parish.

February 23, 1889.

*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 Elvira Parish, mother of Cyrus O. Parish, late of Company H, Second United States Cavalry.

Elvira Parish.  
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 227.**—An act granting a pension to Enoch B. Vice.

Enoch B. Vice.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Enoch B. Vice, late private in Company C, Tenth Kentucky Cavalry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 228.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Maria C. McPherson.

Maria C. McPherson.  
Pension.

*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 Maria C. McPherson, widow of Daniel McPherson, late a corporal of Company C, Twenty-fourth Michigan Infantry.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 229.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Thompson.

Mary Thompson.  
Pension.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to place the name of Mary Thompson, widow of Cornelius Thompson, late a private in Company D, One hundred and ninety-second Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll, subject to the rules and regulations of the pension laws.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 230.**—An act to grant a pension to Joseph Van Arsdel.

Joseph Van Arsdel.  
Pension.

*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 on the pension-roll the name of Joseph Van Arsdel, as dependent father of William C. Van Arsdel, late Twenty-second Battery, Indiana Artillery Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the general pension laws.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 231.**—An act to pension Thomas Davey.

Thomas Davey.  
Pension.

*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 Davey, late of Company D, Sixteenth Michigan Volunteers, in the late war for the Union, and to pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month from the date of the passage of this act.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 232.**—An act restoring Mary Reynolds, widow of Lewis Reynolds, to the pension-roll.

February 23, 1889.

*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 the name of Mary Reynolds, widow of Lewis Reynolds, late of Company D, Seventh Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Mary Reynolds.  
Pension restored.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 233.**—An act for the relief of the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal Company.

February 23, 1889.

*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 investigate the claim of the Albemarle and Chesapeake Canal Company, it being for tolls on vessels transporting naval supplies, and to award such sum as he may find equitably due, not to exceed the sum of three thousand seven hundred and forty-two dollars and twenty cents; said award being in full payment of all claims of said company against the Government, and for the payment of whatever sum the Secretary may award, as aforesaid, appropriation is hereby made, out of the Treasury, payable out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

Albemarle and  
Chesapeake Canal  
Company.  
Claim to be investigated.

Payment to be in full.

Approved, February 23, 1889.

**CHAP. 242.**—An act for the relief of Thomas Lannigan.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Thomas Lannigan the sum of one hundred dollars, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the same being the amount standing to the credit of said Lannigan on the books of the Treasury of the United States, as shown by page nine, House of Representatives Executive Document Number Three Hundred and Sixty-three, first session Forty-ninth Congress.

Thomas Lannigan.  
Payment to.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 243.**—An act for the relief of the heirs of Jacob Cramer.

February 25, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled.* That the Commissioner of Pensions be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to issue to the heirs of Jacob Cramer a bounty-land warrant for two hundred acres of land, said warrant to be locatable only on public land subject to private entry, for services rendered by said Jacob Cramer as a lieutenant in the Pennsylvania Continental Line in the Revolutionary war; the said Jacob Cramer being entitled thereto pursuant to the resolution of the Continental Congress of September sixteenth, seventeen hundred and seventy-six, and the provisions of the act of July twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and forty-two, extended by the act of February eighth, eighteen hundred and fifty-four.

Jacob Cramer.  
Land warrant to issue to heirs of.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 244.**—An act for the relief of J. Harry Adams.J. Harry Adams.  
Payment to.

*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 of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay to J. Harry Adams of Davidson County Tennessee, the sum of one hundred and eighty-eight dollars and ten cents, the said sum being the amount in full compensation for certain internal-revenue stamps bought and paid for by said J. Harry Adams, to be affixed to certain packages of spirits, which packages were destroyed by fire in a Government bonded warehouse before the stamps were affixed thereto.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 245.**—An act granting a pension to Mary C. Thompson.Mary C. Thompson.  
Pension.

*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 C. Thompson, widow of the late Doctor Fillmore Thompson, of Hot Springs, Arkansas, who was chief guide to the expedition of General Frederick Steele, during the spring of the year eighteen hundred and sixty-four, undertaken for the purpose of co-operating with General Banks, and who lost his life by reason of exposure in said service, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 246.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Thomas Wynne.Thomas Wynne.  
Pension increased.

*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 Wynne, late a private of Company C, Second Regiment United States Infantry, and to pay him a pension of thirty-five dollars a month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 247.**—An act granting a pension to William Fowler.William Fowler.  
Pension.

*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 Fowler, at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 248.**—An act granting a pension to John Ebert.John Ebert.  
Pension.

*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 Ebert, late a private in Company A, One hundred and fourteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteers.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 249.**—An act granting a pension to Dorcus Alford.

February 25, 1889.

*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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Dorcus Alford, of Fulton County, Georgia, widow of James Alford, ensign in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Dorcus Alford.  
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 250.**—An act granting a pension to Mary A. Long.

February 25, 1889.

*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 A. Long, widow of William W. Long, late second lieutenant Company D, Fifth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry.

Mary A. Long.  
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 251.**—An act for the relief of Julianna Muller.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Julianna Muller, widow of Frederick Muller, late a member of Company I, Thirty-fifth Regiment New Jersey Volunteers.

Julianna Muller.  
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 252.**—An act for the relief of Phineas T. Richardson.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Phineas T. Richardson, the pay and emoluments of a second lieutenant from the fourteenth day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to the twenty-seventh day of September, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, less the amount paid him as commissary-sergeant between July fourteenth and July twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, he having been commissioned by the governor of Illinois as second lieutenant of Company I, Ninety-third Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and having in good faith served as such for the time mentioned, upon the order of his colonel.

Phineas T. Richardson.  
Back pay, etc., to.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 253.**—An act for the relief of William Pfaender.William Pfaender.  
Payment to.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the sum of eight hundred and eighty-three dollars and fifty cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the reimbursement of William Pfaender, late lieutenant-colonel of the Second Regiment Minnesota Cavalry Volunteers, for the loss of property destroyed by the burning of Government buildings at Fort Ridgely, Minnesota, on the nineteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 254.**—An act for the relief of the heirs of George W. Sampson and Benjamin Henricks, of Austin, Texas.George W. Sampson and Benjamin Henricks.  
Payment to heirs of.

*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 one thousand dollars to the heirs of George W. Sampson and Benjamin Henricks, of Austin Texas, as compensation for the use of a court-room and offices for the marshal and clerk of the United States district court of the western district of Texas, from the first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-five to the first day of July eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 255.**—An act for the relief of Hardin County, Kentucky.Hardin County, Ky.  
Refund of revenue tax to.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, is hereby authorized and required, on appeal to him made, to refund and pay back to the county of Hardin, State of Kentucky, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, any and all money collected from any and all corporations or from any other person or party whatsoever, as internal-revenue taxes on dividends on shares of stock owned by said county in the Louisville and Nashville Railroad Company, to the extent that such taxes were deducted from any dividends due and payable to said county, any statute of limitations to the contrary notwithstanding.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 256.**—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Myers.Elizabeth Myers.  
Pension.

*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 on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth Myers, of Appleton City, Saint Clair County, Missouri, widow of John H. Myers, deceased, late private in Company F, of the Sixtieth Regiment of Missouri Enrolled Militia; and she shall be paid from and after the passage of this act at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 257.**—An act granting a pension to Mary H. Stacy.

February 25, 1889.

*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 the name of Mary H. Stacy, widow of Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel M. H. Stacy, late a captain in the Twelfth Regiment United States Infantry, and pay her a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

Mary H. Stacy.  
Pension.

**CHAP. 258.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Whitney.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Whitney, widow of William E. Whitney, late a private in Company I, Twenty-first Michigan Infantry.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

Mary Whitney.  
Pension.

**CHAP. 259.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Gray.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Mary Gray, mother of Charles R. Gray, deceased, late a private in Company I, Fifty-first Regiment New York Veteran Volunteers, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

Mary Gray.  
Pension.

**CHAP. 260.**—An act granting a pension to Maria Brasted.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Maria Brasted, mother of Daniel W. Brasted, deceased, late private Company A, Thirty-fifth Regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

Maria Brasted.  
Pension.

**CHAP. 261.**—An act granting a pension to George W. Lloyd.

February 25, 1889.

*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 George W. Lloyd on the pension-roll, subject to the pension laws of the United States, he being a soldier in the late war, in Company D, Tenth Missouri Cavalry.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

George W. Lloyd.  
Pension.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 262.**—An act granting a pension to John Y. Hooper.John Y. Hooper.  
Pension.

*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 Y. Hooper, late of Company F, First Regiment Nebraska Volunteer Cavalry, and who is now an inmate of the hospital for the insane at Saint Peter, in the State of Minnesota, and that the pension allowed him be paid to his legally constituted guardian.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 263.**—An act granting a pension to John H. Starr.John H. Starr.  
Pension.

*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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of John H. Starr, who was a private in Captain William C. Rall's company of Illinois Mounted Volunteers in Colonel Thompson's regiment, in the Black Hawk war, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 264.**—An act granting a pension to James Metcalf.James Metcalf.  
Pension.

*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 the name of James Metcalf, father of James A. Metcalf, late of Company E, Second New York Cavalry Volunteers

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 265.**—An act granting a pension to Margaret M. Nugent.Margaret M. Nugent.  
Pension.

*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 M. Nugent, foster-mother of Patrick J. Hayes, late of Company G, One hundred and fifty-first Regiment New York Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 266.**—An act granting a pension to Annie Balser.Annie Balser.  
Pension.

*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, directed to place upon the pension-roll, at eighteen dollars per month, the name of Annie Balser, the helpless and invalid daughter of William Balser, late a member of Company F, Nineteenth Wisconsin Infantry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, and pay the same to her legally constituted guardian.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 267.**—An act granting a pension to Ester Gaven.

February 25, 1889.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of Ester Gaven, mother of Bernard Gaven, late private in Company D, Seventy-first Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Ester Gaven.  
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 268.**—An act for the relief of Catharine Mutz.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Catharine Mutz, widow of Max Mutz, late of Company H, Sixth Regiment New York Heavy Artillery.

Catharine Mutz.  
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 269.**—An act for the relief of Benjamine E. Snyder.

February 25, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Benjamine E. Snyder, late of Company L, Fifth Regiment New York Heavy Artillery.

Benjamine E. Snyder.  
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 270.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Stephen L. Kearney.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Stephen L. Kearney, late a first lieutenant of the Third Regiment of Colored Troops in the service of the United States, on the pension-roll of the United States at the rate of twelve dollars and twenty-five cents per month, in lieu of the pension of eight dollars per month he is now receiving under certificate numbered thirteen thousand and twenty-six as a Mexican veteran under act approved January twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven. This act shall be in force from its passage.

Stephen L. Kearney.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

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**CHAP. 271.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Leonard Schaefer.

February 25, 1889.

*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 Leonard Schaefer, late a private in Company C, Twenty-fifth Regiment Connecticut Infantry Volunteers, and pay him a pension for rheumatism, in addition to the pension now received for wound of abdomen.

Leonard Schaefer.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 272.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Patrick Geraghty.Patrick Geraghty.  
Pension increased.

*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 Patrick Geraghty, late a private of Company G. Fourth Regiment United States Cavalry, at the rate of eight dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now received by him.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 273.**—An act to authorize the Secretary of the Interior to place the name of Cara Curtis on the pension-roll.Cara Curtis.  
Pension.

*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, directed to place on the pension-roll the name of Cara Curtis, daughter of Major-General Samuel R. Curtis, and pay her a pension of twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1889.

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 274.**—An act granting a pension to J. D. Haworth.J. D. Haworth.  
Pension.

*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 J. D. Haworth, late a member of Company H, Thirty-third Regiment of Iowa Volunteer Infantry, and who was transferred on account of disability to Company H, Twenty-first Veteran Reserve Corps.

Received by the President February 13, 1889.

[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.]

February 25, 1889.

**CHAP. 275.**—An act granting a pension to Louisa Rogers.Louisa Rogers.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place the name of Louisa Rogers on the pension-roll and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month, she being the housekeeper and dependent daughter of Charles T. Bell, who was late captain in Company D, one hundred and thirty-fourth Regiment Indiana Volunteers.

Received by the President February 13, 1889.

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**CHAP. 276.**—An act granting a pension to Christian Sanders.

February 25, 1889.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll the name of Christian Sanders, late a private of Company D, Seventy-ninth Regiment Enrolled Missouri Militia, subject to the limitations and regulations of the pension laws.

Christian Sanders.  
Pension.

Received by the President February 13, 1889.

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**CHAP. 277.**—An act for the relief of James T. Teeple.

February 25, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, directed and authorized to place upon the pension-roll, the name of James T. Teeple, late of Company A, Seventh Michigan Volunteers, at the rate of forty dollars per month.

James T. Teeple.  
Pension.

Received by the President February 13, 1889.

[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. 281.**—An act for the relief of Emily Cross.

February 26, 1889.

*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 Emily Cross, mother of Robert S. Cross, late private of Company F, Thirtieth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Emily Cross.  
Pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 282.**—An act to increase the pension of Harlan E. King.

February 26, 1889.

*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 pay to Harlan E. King, late private in Company C, Thirty-sixth Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, a pension of forty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension which he is now receiving.

Harlan E. King.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 283.**—An act granting a pension to Alexander M. Boatright.Alexander M. Boat-  
right.  
Pension.

*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-rolls the name of Alexander M. Boatright, late of Captain Houston's company, Colonel Sanfords volunteers, Illinois militia, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

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February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 284.**—An act granting a pension to Nancy Hamilton.Nancy Hamilton.  
Pension.

*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 restore to the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Nancy Hamilton, widow of David Hamilton, late of Company K, Fourteenth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteers.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

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February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 285.**—An act granting a pension to Charles G. Sanders.Charles G. Sanders.  
Pension.

*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 is hereby directed to place upon the pension-roll, subject to the rules and regulations of the Pension Department, the name of Charles G. Sanders, late private in Company H. Twenty-second Illinois Infantry.

Approved, February 26, 1889

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February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 286.**—An act granting a pension to Charles Schuler.Charles Schuler.  
Pension.

*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, directed to place upon the pension-roll, at eighteen dollars per month, the name of Charles Schuler, late a member of Company K, Fourth Minnesota Infantry, he being mentally and physically incapacitated, subject to the provisions of the pension laws, and pay the same to his lawfully constituted guardian.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

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February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 287.**—An act granting an increase of pension to William H. Koch.William H. Koch.  
Pension increased.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the pension of William H. Koch, late a sergeant of Company E, One hundred and twenty-eighth Pennsylvania Volunteers, be, and the same is hereby, increased to fifty dollars per month, on account of wounds received in the line of duty while a volunteer in said war.

Approved, February 26, 1889.



**CHAP. 288.**—An act increasing the pension of Permelia Smith.

February 26, 1889.

*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 pay Permelia Smith, widow of William M. Smith, a private in T. W. Armstrong's company, Twenty-fourth Regiment United States Infantry, in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, a pension of twenty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension of twelve dollars per month as now allowed her by law.

Permelia Smith.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 289.**—An act for the relief of Milo McCrillis.

February 26, 1889.

*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 Milo McCrillis, late postmaster at Weaver's Corners, Huron County, Ohio, the sum of seventy-five dollars and seventy-six cents, the same being for postage-stamps, postal-cards, and stamped envelopes feloniously taken by burglars from the office of said postmaster, March first, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, without any fault or negligence on his part.

Milo McCrillis.  
Payment to.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 290.**—An act for the relief of J. Edwin Pilcher.

February 26, 1889.

*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 J. Edwin Pilcher, of Louisville, Kentucky, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of nine hundred and five dollars, it being the amount of one bond of one hundred dollars, and eight hundred and five dollars in paper money of the Republic of Texas: *Provided,* That the Secretary of the Treasury shall find that said Pilcher's claims are within the class of claims heretofore paid by the United States out of the Texas indemnity fund: *And provided,* That the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that said bond and money are genuine: *And provided,* That the said Pilcher shall first surrender said securities to the Secretary of the Treasury.

J. Edwin Pilcher.  
Payment to, redemption of Texas currency.

*Provides.*  
To be within class heretofore paid.  
To be genuine.

Surrender.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 291.**—An act granting a pension to John Fagan.

February 26, 1889.

*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 Fagan, late of Company H, Seventh Regiment Pennsylvania Reserves.

John Fagan.  
Pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 292.**—An act granting a pension to Ann E. Cooney.

Ann E. Cooney.  
Pension increased.

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*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 Ann E. Cooney, a volunteer Army nurse during the late rebellion, and pay her, during life, a pension of twenty-five dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act, in lieu of the pension now received by her.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 293.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Mary Heap Nicholson.

Mary Heap Nicholson.  
Pension.

*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 Heap Nicholson, widow of James W. A. Nicholson, late rear-admiral (retired) of the United States Navy, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month from the date of the passage of this act.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 294.**—An act granting a pension to Frances H. Plummer.

Frances H. Plummer.  
Pension increased.

*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 limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Frances H. Plummer, widow of Brigadier-General Joseph B. Plummer, United States Army, and to pay her a pension of seventy-five dollars a month, in lieu of the pension she is now receiving.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 295.**—An act granting a pension to Mary Calvert Truxtun.

Mary Calvert Truxtun.  
Pension increased.

*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 Calvert Truxtun, widow of the late Commodore William T. Truxtun, of the United States Navy, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month; said pension to be in lieu of her present pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 296.**—An act granting a pension to John B. Covert.

John B. Covert.  
Pension.

*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 B. Covert, late a private in Company B, One hundred and forty-seventh Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Approved, February 26, 1889

**CHAP. 297.**—An act granting a pension to Charlotte T. Alderman.

February 26, 1889.

*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 Charlotte T. Alderman, widow of James Alderman, who was a private in Company E, Forty-second Regiment Illinois Volunteers.

Charlotte T. Alderman.  
Pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 298.**—An act granting a pension to Margaret A. Hillard.

February 26, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Margaret A. Hillard, widow of Frank S. Hillard, late a lieutenant in the Seventh United States Colored Troops.

Margaret A. Hillard.  
Pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 299.**—An act granting a pension to Mary P. Myers.

February 26, 1889.

*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 P. Myers, widow of David Myers, late a private in Captain Whitmore's company, Colonel Goodwin's regiment of mounted volunteers, in Florida war.

Mary P. Myers.  
Pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 300.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Nancy Smith.

February 26, 1889.

*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 the name of Mrs. Nancy Smith, daughter of the late Major Charles Fuller, of the Fourth Infantry Regiment United States Army, and pay her at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Nancy Smith.  
Pension.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

**CHAP. 301.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Abby J. Slocum.

February 26, 1889.

*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 Abby J. Slocum, widow of John S. Slocum, late Colonel of the Second Rhode Island Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the rate of pension she now receives.

Abby J. Slocum.  
Pension increased.

Approved, February 26, 1889.

February 27, 1889.

**CHAP. 303.**—An act granting a pension to Irene Rucker Sheridan, widow of General P. H. Sheridan.Irene Rucker Sheridan.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Irene Rucker Sheridan, widow of Philip H. Sheridan, late General of the Army of the United States, and pay her at the rate of two thousand five hundred dollars per year, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Approved, February 27, 1889.

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February 28, 1889.

**CHAP. 304.**—An act granting a pension to Hannah McKee.Hannah McKee.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Hannah McKee, mother of John H. McKee, late of Company F, Twelfth Regiment Indiana Volunteers; Joseph A. McKee, late of Company I, Fifteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry; George B. McKee, late of Battery A, Fourth United States Artillery; Ossian H. McKee, late of Company D, Fourth Ohio Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of thirty dollars per month.

Received by the President February 16, 1889.

[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.]

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February 28, 1889.

**CHAP. 305.**—An act granting a pension to William Logan.William Logan.  
Pension.

*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 Logan, late a teamster in the Quartermaster's Department, United States Army, with the same rate of pension to which a private soldier would be entitled for like disabilities.

Received by the President February 16, 1889.

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February 28, 1889.

**CHAP. 306.**—An act granting a pension to W. B. Green.W. B. Green.  
Pension.

*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 W. B. Green, acting assistant surgeon United States Army.

Received by the President February 16, 1889.

[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. 307.**—An act granting a pension to George H. Burgess.

February 28, 1889.

*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 George H. Burgess, late corporal in Company H, Twenty-sixth Connecticut Volunteers, the pension to be payable to the legally constituted guardian of said Burgess.

George H. Burgess.  
Pension.

Received by the President February 16, 1889.

[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. 334.**—An act granting a pension to Anna Slater.

March 1, 1889.

*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 the name of Anna Slater, a volunteer nurse in the late war, giving her, during life, the sum of twelve dollars a month from and after the passage of this act.

Anna Slater.  
Pension.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 335.**—An act granting a pension to Mary J. Byrd.

March 1, 1889.

*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 J. Byrd, widow of Solomon G. Byrd, late of Company B, Forty-third Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Mary J. Byrd.  
Pension.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 336.**—An act granting a pension to Susan P. Murdock.

March 1, 1889.

*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 the name of Susan P. Murdock, mother of Washington Murdock, late a member of Company G, Thirtieth Regiment of Iowa Volunteer Infantry.

Susan P. Murdock.  
Pension.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 337.**—An act granting a pension to James M. Frost.

James M. Frost.  
Pension.

*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 on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of James M. Frost, late a member of Company A, First Regiment Tennessee Cavalry Volunteers.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 338.**—An act granting a pension to John Corr.

John Corr.  
Pension.

*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 Corr, late a member of Company K, Fifth Regiment United States Infantry.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 339.**—An act granting a pension to Theresia Fichter.

Theresia Fichter.  
Pension.

*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 Theresia Fichter, widow of Paul Fichter, late of Company E, of the Fifth Regiment of Pennsylvania Cavalry Volunteers.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 340.**—An act granting a pension to Charles S. Hamilton.

Charles S. Hamilton.  
Pension increased.

*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, directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Charles S. Hamilton, late a major-general in the Army of the United States, and pay him a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 341.**—An act granting a pension to Mary B. McVean.

Mary B. McVean.  
Pension.

*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. McVean, widow of Donald C. McVean, late captain First Regiment Wisconsin Volunteers.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 342.**—An act granting a pension to Ellen B. Farr.

March 1, 1889.

*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 the name of Ellen B. Farr, widow of Evarts W. Farr, late major of the Eleventh New Hampshire Volunteers, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Ellen B. Farr.  
Pension.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 343.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Samuel J. Murphy, of Marengo, Iowa.

March 1, 1889.

*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 pay to Samuel J. Murphy, late a private in Company D, Thirty-seventh Regiment of Iowa Volunteer Infantry, a pension at the rate of sixteen dollars per month, in lieu of that which he now receives, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Samuel J. Murphy.  
Pension increased.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 344.**—An act for the relief of Mrs Mary T. Duncan.

March 1, 1889.

*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 Blanton Duncan, trustee of Mrs Mary T. Duncan, of Louisville, Kentucky, the sum of eight thousand one hundred and seventy-six dollars and five cents, for the use and occupation of her property during the war and for moneys covered into the Treasury of the United States from rents of property belonging to the said Mrs Duncan which were seized and held by the United States Government.

Mary T. Duncan.  
Payment to trustee of.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 345.**—An act for the relief of Doctor David Bell.

March 1, 1889.

*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 Doctor David Bell, of Limestone Cove, Uncioi, County, Tennessee, the pay of an assistant surgeon in the United States Army, from the fifteenth day of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, to the first day of January eighteen hundred and sixty-five; he having discharged the duties as such surgeon by the request and direction of the colonel of said regiment and General Gillem, commander of the brigade in which said regiment belonged. His services were required on account of an unusual amount of sickness in said regiment.

David Bell.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 346.**—An act for the relief of Sterling H. Tucker and others.

March 1, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That Sterling H. Tucker, William P. Grace, Elhanon J. Searle, Josiah H. Demby, Samuel Bard, and William G. Pennington, or their estates, be, and

James W. Demby.  
Sureties on bond of,  
released.

they and each of them are hereby, released from any and all liability as the sureties upon the official bond of James W. Demby, formerly pension agent, the said release to take effect upon the payment of the legal costs heretofore accrued in the prosecution of said claim by the United States: *Provided*, That all the rights and remedies of the Government on said bond as against said James W. Demby shall in no manner be affected hereby, but remain in full force and effect in law.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

*Proviso.*  
Rights against principal retained.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 347.**—An act for the relief of John Farley.

John Farley.  
Payment to.

*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 John Farley, of Madison County, Kentucky, the sum of one hundred and eighteen dollars and twenty-eight cents, which shall be in full of the amount due him for commissary supplies furnished the Army of the United States in eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 348.**—An act for the relief of H. L. Newman.

H. L. Newman.  
Payment to.

*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, directed to pay, out of any money that may hereafter be appropriated for the use and benefit of the Arapaho and Kiowa Indians, to H. L. Newman the sum of three thousand four hundred and fifty dollars, which sum shall be in full satisfaction for claims against said Indians for property destroyed.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 349.**—An act for the relief of Alfred Breuer.

Alfred Breuer.  
Charge of desertion removed.

*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 hereby is, authorized and directed to remove from the records the charge of desertion against Alfred Breuer, late of the United States Marine Corps; and thereupon the said Alfred Breuer shall be restored to all rights and privileges as fully as if said charge of desertion had never existed.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 350.**—An act for the relief of J. M. Hogan.

J. M. Hogan.  
Payment to.

*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 pay the claim of J. M. Hogan, of Stockton, in the State of California, for loss of property in consequence of depredations committed by Snake or Shoshone Indians in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, while en route through the Territory of Utah to the State of California; and that the sum of six thousand six hundred dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated to pay the said claim of the said J. M. Hogan; said claim having been fully examined into by the Indian Bureau of



the Interior Department, under rules and regulations promulgated by the Commissioner of Indian Affairs to the Secretary of the Interior, with the recommendation for an allowance in the amount hereby appropriated; said claim having been duly reported to Congress, in pursuance to law, by the Secretary of the Interior.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 351.**—An act for the relief of George B. Hansell.

March 1, 1889.

*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 George B. Hansell, of Washington, District of Columbia, the sum of three hundred and seventy-three dollars, or so much thereof as he may find to be required to pay the necessary and actual traveling expenses incurred by him in traveling from Sitka, Alaska, to Washington, District of Columbia, after his discharge from the United States Revenue Marine Service, in eighteen hundred and seventy; and that the said sum of three hundred and seventy-three dollars, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, be appropriated for the purposes of this act.

George B. Hansell.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 352.**—An act for the relief of William F. C. Nindemann, formerly a seaman in the Navy.

March 1, 1889.

*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 of the United States be, and they are hereby, authorized and required to readjust the accounts of William F. C. Nindemann, formerly a seaman in the Navy of the United States, serving on board the Arctic exploring Steamer Jeannette, and to pay to him, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the difference between the pay of a seaman and the pay of a carpenter in the Navy from the twenty-ninth day of June, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, to the first day of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

William F. C. Nindemann.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 353.**—An act to amend an act entitled "An act for the relief of the widow and orphan children of Colonel William R. McKee, late of Lexington, Kentucky."

March 1, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Commissioner of the General Land Office, to carry into effect the grant of one-quarter section each to the orphan children of Colonel William R. McKee, made in the second section of said act, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to issue to the surviving children and grand children of said McKee, or the owners and holders thereof, other certificates for those they now hold, issued by authority of said act, which new certificates they may enter and locate for themselves upon any lands in satisfaction of said grant of the class described in the act to which this is an amendment.

William R. McKee.  
New certificates for  
quarter sections of  
public lands to chil-  
dren of.  
Vol. 10, p. 745.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 354.**—An act to provide for the payment of F. H. Bates as military instructor at Washington High School, District of Columbia.

F. H. Bates.  
Payment to.

*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 authorized and directed to pay to F. H. Bates the sum of three hundred dollars, in full for his services as military instructor at the Washington High School in the District of Columbia, for the school term ending in June, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, one-half of said sum to be paid from the funds of the District of Columbia and the other from the Treasury of the United States.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 1, 1889.

**CHAP. 355.**—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Sue B. Johnson.

Sue B. Johnson.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Mrs. Sue B. Johnson, widow of Gilbert M. L. Johnson, late colonel of the Thirteenth Regiment of Indiana Cavalry and brigadier-general by brevet, to the sum of fifty dollars per month.

Approved, March 1, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 426.**—An act for the relief of Henry M. Rector.

Henry M. Rector.  
Payment to.

*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 Henry M. Rector the sum of three hundred and ninety-nine dollars and ninety-one cents, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the same being the amount standing to the credit of said Rector on the books of the Treasury of the United States, as shown by page one hundred and sixty-two, Executive Document Number Three Hundred and Sixty-three, first session, Forty-ninth Congress.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 427.**—An act for the relief of the legal representatives of H. Corths, deceased.

H. Corths.  
Claim of legal representatives to be examined.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the claim of the legal representatives of H. Corths, deceased, and late of Ballard County, State of Kentucky, for quartermaster's stores and commissary supplies, alleged to have been taken and used by the United States Army during the late war, from the farm of said Corths, in Ballard County, Kentucky, be referred to the Quartermaster-General, who shall investigate the justice and legality of said claim and report the amount and value of said stores and supplies taken and used by the Army of the United States; and that the quartermaster-general also report upon the question of loyalty of said claimants and that he report all the facts and evidence for the consideration of Congress.

Report.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 428.**—An act for the relief of Chambers and Brown.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Henry Chambers and George G. Brown, partners, trading and doing business under the name, firm, and style of Chambers and Brown, on the fourteenth day of August, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, at two hundred and ninety-nine West Mainstreet, Louisville, Kentucky, two hundred and seventy dollars, being the amount overpaid by them for special licenses in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-four.

Chambers and  
Brown.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 429.**—An act for the relief of Thomas Mathews and others.

March 2, 1889.

*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 investigate the claims of Thomas Mathews, for the sum of fifty-four dollars and eighty cents; H. A. Crane, for the sum of thirty-seven dollars and eighty cents; William McChesney, for the sum of twenty dollars and twenty cents; John K. Post and Company, for the sum of three hundred and twenty-four dollars and twenty cents; E. W. Rathburn and Company, for the sum of five hundred and eighty-five dollars and twenty cents; Irwin Sloan, for the sum of six hundred and eleven dollars and forty cents; C. C. Morton, for the sum of one hundred and three dollars and twenty cents; Charles H. Getman, for the sum of one hundred and fifteen dollars and twenty cents; Edward Monen, for the sum of one hundred and twenty-four dollars and sixty cents; Smith Murdock and Company for the sum of one hundred and seven dollars and sixty cents; Daniel L. Couch, for the sum of one hundred and forty-two dollars and eighty cents; Failing and Pratt, for the sum of seventy-one dollars and forty cents; Failing and Rundell, for the sum of forty-five dollars and sixty cents; L. A. Card, for the sum of seventy-five dollars and twenty cents; E. L. and S. Thornton, for the sum of thirty-five dollars and eighty cents; Paige, Fairchild and Company, for the sum of sixty-four dollars; D. P. Fairchild, for the sum of fifty-five dollars and twenty cents; O. M. Bond and Company, for the sum of forty-nine dollars and twenty cents; J. P. Wetmore, for the sum of thirty-two dollars; Ross and Company, for the sum of seventy-two dollars and sixty cents; Bond and Jenkins, for the sum of twenty-three dollars and twenty cents; Crane, Belden and Company, for the sum of forty-six dollars and twenty cents; Bond Kinyon and Company, for the sum of eight dollars and forty cents; Kinyon, Wright and Company, for the sum of forty-one dollars and eighty cents; Charles O'Harra, for the sum of ten dollars and forty cents; Page and Company, for the sum of seven dollars and twenty cents; Hagamon and Murdock, for the sum of thirty-five dollars and sixty cents; Cheeney, Ames and Company, for the sum of ten dollars and eighty cents, now or formerly importers in the customs district of Oswego, New York, being the several amounts of fees alleged to have been unlawfully collected of them respectively, by collectors of customs at the port of Oswego, New York, from the first day of April eighteen hundred and seventy-three, to the thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, inclusive, under section twenty-six hundred and fifty-four of the Revised Statutes of the United States (Second edition): and in case he shall be satisfied that such claims or any part or parts thereof, were unlawfully collected, he shall refund

Importers, Oswego,  
N. Y.  
Claim of certain, to  
be investigated.  
Names.

the same to the said firms or parties, or their legal representatives, out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

Preamble.  
Vol. 22, p. 689.

J. J. Pulliam.

Claim of estate of,  
to be re-examined.

Payment.

Proviso.

Limit.

**CHAP. 430.**—An act for the relief of the estate of J. J. Pulliam, deceased.

Whereas under the provisions of the act of June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, certain claims were allowed and reported to Congress by the proper accounting officers of the Treasury Department, in eighteen hundred and eighty-two, for payment, including the claim of J. J. Pulliam's estate, for wood supplied to the Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army; and

Whereas there was a mistake in the amount that should have been reported in favor of said Pulliam's estate, as appears by the report of the committee to whom said bill was referred, made before the passage thereof: Therefore,

*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 to re-examine and settle the claim of the estate of J. J. Pulliam, deceased, late of Fayette County, State of Tennessee, for wood taken by the United States forces during the late war, from one hundred and twenty-five acres of land located near the village of La Grange, in said State; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum that may be found due said estate, first deducting any sum heretofore paid: *Provided*, That the amount shall not exceed four thousand one hundred and sixty-seven dollars.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

John C. Howse.  
Payment to heirs at  
law of.

To be in full.

**CHAP. 431.**—An act for the relief of Mary A. Howse, and Lula H. Howse.

*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 Mary Alice Howse, and Lula H. Howse, heirs at law of John C. Howse, deceased, late of Rutherford County, Tennessee, ten thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars, being the amount allowed by the Quartermaster-General for quartermaster's stores taken and used by the Army.

**SEC. 2.** That the said payment of ten thousand nine hundred and seventy-five dollars shall be a full and complete settlement of all claims against the United States, of every kind and character, arising out of the appropriation and use by the Army of supplies or stores from said claimants.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

Preamble.

**CHAP. 432.**—An act for the relief of the heirs of John H. Newman, deceased.

Whereas, it appears of record that at its December term, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, the Court of Claims in the case of John H. Newman versus the United States, numbered thirty-one hundred and sixty-two, rendered a judgment in favor of the said Newman for the proceeds of fifty bales of cotton, valued at one hundred and seventy-seven dollars and fifty-five cents per bale, when under the

proof the court adjudged that the claimant was entitled to the proceeds of two hundred and thirty bales: Therefore,

*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 the legal representatives of John H. Newman, deceased, late of the county of Warren, in the State of Mississippi, the sum of thirty-two thousand six hundred and seventy-nine dollars and twenty cents; balance due on account of captured cotton, as shown by the opinion of the court in rendering said judgment; and that said amount be paid out of the proceeds of captured and abandoned property now in the Treasury: *Provided,* That a greater amount of money shall not be paid in satisfaction of this claim than the amount received and paid into the treasury as the net proceeds of the sale of the cotton alleged to have been taken.

John H. Newman.  
Payment to heirs of.

*Proviso.*

To receive no more than proceeds of cotton.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 433.**—An act for the relief of S. Dillinger and Sons.

March 2, 1889.

*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 S. Dillinger and Sons, of Westmoreland County, Pennsylvania, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three hundred and ninety-six dollars and ninety cents; the same being money paid for stamps for distilled spirits on the seventeenth day of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, which said spirits were destroyed by fire on the same day, before said stamps were received at the distillery.

S. Dillinger & Sons.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 434.**—An act for the relief of Hudson G Lamkin

March 2, 1889.

*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 Hudson G Lamkin, of Dearborn, County, Indiana late a private in Company D, Third Regiment of Indiana Volunteer Cavalry, the sum of one hundred and twenty five dollars, for a horse belonging to him and lost in the service of the United States in the late war.

Hudson G. Lamkin.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 435.**—An act for the relief of Rev. William Gregston.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Reverend William Gregston, of Caldwell County Kentucky, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, being for a horse taken from him by the Army of the United States during the late war.

William Gregston.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 436.**—An act correcting the military history of Robert McNutt.Robert McNutt.  
Military record corrected.Proviso.  
Pension.

*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 authorized and directed to so correct the military history of Robert McNutt, late an assistant surgeon in the Thirty-eighth Regiment of Iowa Volunteers, as to relieve him from the sentence of a court-martial, dated September eighteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four: *Provided,* That such correction shall give him no claim for pay or allowance except the right to a pension, to be established according to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 437.**—An act for the relief of the widow of Arno Voss.Arno Voss.  
Payment to widow of.

*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 audit the account of Colonel Arno Voss for six hundred and seven dollars, and pay the same out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 438.**—An act for the relief of the trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary and High School, Virginia.Protestant Episcopal  
Theological Seminary  
and High School, Vir-  
ginia.  
Payment to.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there be, and is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, to be paid to the trustees of the Protestant Episcopal Theological Seminary and High School, in Virginia, that amount having been found due them by the Court of Claims.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 439.**—An act for the relief of W. H. Boyd.W. H. Boyd.  
Back pay to.

*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 W. H. Boyd, late a commissioned captain of the Eleventh Regiment of United States Colored Troops, the full pay and allowances of a captain, from March fourth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, to October twentieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, less any moneys that may have been paid him by the United States for services rendered during that time.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 440.**—An act for the relief of William H. Tabarraah.William H. Tabarraah.  
Military record corrected.

*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 correct the record of William H. Tabarraah, late a sergeant in Company F, Ninety-sixth Regiment New York Volunteers, so that the same shall show him to have been discharged for gunshot wound of right thigh received in action, instead of the record now made.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 441.**—An act for the relief of Hayem and Taylor.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That all the right, title, claim, and interest of the United States to certain tracts of land in the parish of Iberia, in the State of Louisiana, and described as a tract of land near the town of New Iberia, in said State, and further described in the official maps of the General Land Office of the United States as section thirteen, township eleven south, range six east, late southwest district of Louisiana, containing two hundred and twenty-one eighty-three hundredths acres, be, and the same is hereby, granted and conveyed to Hayem and Taylor, successors of Hayem, Taylor, and De Blanc, their successors, transferees, vendees, and assignees: *Provided*, That this shall have the effect only of a quit-claim of all the right, title, and interest of the United States therein, not to effect any valid adverse right or title to said land, nor create any liability on the part of the United States.

Hayem and Taylor.  
Lands in Louisiana  
conveyed to.

*Proviso.*

Adverse title not  
affected.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 442.**—An act for the relief of Faran and McLean.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Commissioner of Internal Revenue be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to reopen and reconsider the claim of Faran and McLean for the refunding of certain taxes alleged to have been improperly and illegally assessed and collected, namely, for the amount of two thousand two hundred and sixty dollars, as claimed by them in the papers now on file in the Treasury Department; and if, upon reopening and reconsidering said claim, said Commissioner shall find said taxes, or any part of the same, to have been illegally or improperly assessed and collected from said claimants, it is hereby made his duty to audit and ascertain the amount of taxes so illegally and improperly collected from said claimants, deducting, however, any legal unpaid taxes which claimants should have paid and did not, if any there shall be, under section one hundred and three of the act of June thirtieth eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled "An act to provide internal revenue to support the Government, to pay interest on the public debt, and for other purposes;" and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and required to pay, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the amount of taxes so found by said Commissioner of Internal Revenue as aforesaid to have been illegally and improperly assessed and collected to the said Faran and McLean.

Faran and McLean.  
Claim to be recon-  
sidered.

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Payment of amount  
due.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 443.**—An act for the relief of John R. Wood, John T. Ballard, and John T. Belew.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That John R. Wood, as principal, and John T. Ballard and John T. Belew, as sureties, be, and they are hereby, relieved of the payment of the tax on one hundred and fifty-four gallons of brandy, amounting to the sum of one hundred and thirty-eight dollars and sixty cents, said brandy having been destroyed by fire on the third day of August, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, near the village of White Hall (Moorman's River post-office), in the County of Albemarle, State of Virginia, and that they be further relieved of all penalties incident to the non-payment of said tax.

John R. Wood, John  
T. Ballard, and John  
T. Belew.  
Relieved from pay-  
ment of tax, etc.

Suit to be dismissed.

SEC. 2. That the United States district attorney for the western district of Virginia be, and he is hereby, directed to dismiss any and all proceedings which may have been or may hereafter be instituted against the said John R. Wood and the said John T. Ballard and John T. Belew, or either of them for the payment of the said tax or penalties.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 444.**—An act for the relief of Antonia Wiener.

Antonia Wiener.  
Pension.

*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, directed and authorized to cause to be placed on the pension rolls the name of Antonia Wiener, widow of Jacob Wiener, private of Company A, Forty-first New York Infantry, of the District of Columbia, subject to the rules, regulations, and general pension laws now in force,

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 445.**—An act for the relief of William Whitehouse.

William Whitehouse.  
Payment to.

*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 pay William Whitehouse, of Jackson County, Missouri, the sum of two hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty cents, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full payment for two sets of blacksmith's tools taken in eighteen hundred and sixty-three by the United States Army from the shop of said Whitehouse, in the county of Jackson, Missouri.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 446.**—An act for the relief of Martha Rhodes.

Martha Rhodes.  
Pension.

*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, directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of Martha Rhodes, mother of Joseph Rhodes, late a member of Company G, Second Iowa Infantry Volunteers, and who was killed in the line of duty at the battle of Fort Donelson, in the late war for the suppression of the rebellion; that the rate of said pension shall be twelve dollars per month from the date of the passage of this act.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 447.**—An act for the relief of Jessie Isherwood.

Jessie Isherwood.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Jessie Isherwood, daughter of James R. Isherwood, deceased, late private Company G, Seventh New York Heavy Artillery, and pay her a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month.

Approved March 2, 1889.



**CHAP. 448.**—An act granting a pension to Anna J. Weaver.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, the name of Anna J. Weaver, imbecile daughter of Julius G. Weaver, late private of Company K, One hundred and fifty-first Regiment New York Volunteers, and pay to her legally constituted guardian, for her use and benefit, a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month.

Anna J. Weaver.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 449.**—An act granting a pension to Maria N. Abbey.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Maria N. Abbey, a volunteer nurse during the late war, and to pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Maria N. Abbey.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 450.**—An act granting a pension to Nancy Polock.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Polock, widow of W. A. Polock, late of Company C, First Nebraska Volunteers.

Nancy Polock.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 451.**—An act granting a pension to Lucy, widow of Muck-apewwak-ken-zah, or "John", an Indian who served the United States and saved the lives of many white persons in the Indian outbreak or war of eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and died from effects of wounds received therein.

March 2, 1889.

*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, directed to place upon the pension-roll, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, the name of Lucy Muck-apewwak-ken-zah, widow of Muck-apewwak-ken-zah, or "John," an Indian who aided in saving the lives of many white people and rendered valuable services in behalf of the white settlers during the Sioux outbreak and Indian war in the State of Minnesota, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and who then served the United States as a scout, and who was at the first session of the Fiftieth Congress granted a pension for injuries received and disability incurred while so defending the white settlers, but who has since died from the effects of those injuries, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Lucy Muck-apewwak-ken-zah.  
Pension.

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Approved, March 2, 1889.

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 March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 452.**—An act granting a pension to George Hunter.

 George Hunter.  
Pension.

*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 general pension laws, the name of George Hunter, late captain Company A, Dayton Volunteers, of Washington Territory, who was severely wounded in the shoulder and neck in a battle with the Indians in the war with the Nez Percés, and to pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

 Approved, March 2, 1889.
 

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 March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 453.**—An act granting a pension to Mary B. Hunt.

 Mary B. Hunt.  
Pension.

*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, the name of Mary B. Hunt, widow of Brevet Major-General Henry J. Hunt, deceased, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

 Approved, March 2, 1889.
 

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 March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 454.**—An act granting a pension to M. Josie McClain.

 M. Josie McClain.  
Pension.

*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 M. Josie McClain, widow of the late Ensign Charles Sumner McClain, United States Navy, and pay her a pension of thirty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

 Approved, March 2, 1889.
 

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 March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 455.**—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Peterson.

 Elizabeth Peterson.  
Pension.

*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 Peterson, widow of Andrew Peterson, alias Peters, deceased, late of Company F, Sixty-fourth Ohio Volunteers.

 Approved, March 2, 1889.
 

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 March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 456.**—An act for the removal of the political disabilities of Henry A. Ramsay.

 Henry A. Ramsay.  
Political disabilities  
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 political disabilities imposed upon and incurred by Henry A. Ramsay, of Maryland, by virtue of the Fourteenth Amendment of the Constitution of the United States, be, and they are hereby, removed.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 457.**—An act granting increase of pension to William Bittinger.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Bittinger, late of Company G, Twelfth Regiment Pennsylvania Reserves, and pay him at the rate of thirty-six dollars per month, in lieu of that which he is now receiving.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

William Bittinger.  
Pension increased.

**CHAP. 458.**—An act granting an increase of pension to General S. W. Price.

March 2, 1889.

*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 to increase the pension of General S. W. Price, late of the Twenty-first Regiment Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, from seventy-two dollars per month to one hundred dollars per month, the said S. W. Price having become totally blind, the loss of his eyesight being the direct result of a gunshot wound received by him while in the service of the Government in the United States army, at the battle of Kenesaw, during the late war of the rebellion, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

S. W. Price.  
Pension increased.

**CHAP. 459.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Frank Wolford.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Frank Wolford, late colonel of the First Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry, and grant him a pension of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

Frank Wolford.  
Pension increased.

**CHAP. 460.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Jacob S. Shuman.

March 2, 1889.

*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 the name of Jacob S. Shuman, late captain of Company H. Eleventh Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, and to pay him a pension of seventy two per month instead of of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

Jacob S. Shuman.  
Pension increased.

**CHAP. 461.**—An act increasing the pension of Nathaniel Crain.

March 2, 1889.

*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 pay Nathaniel Crain, of captain Robert McAfee's company, of colonel Richard M. Johnson's regiment, in the war of eighteen hundred and thirteen, a pension of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of eight dollars per month as now allowed by law.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

Nathaniel Crain.  
Pension increased.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 462.**—An act to increase the pension of John W. Smith.

John W. Smith.  
Pension increased.

*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 the name of John W. Smith, formerly a private of Company F, First United States Dragoons, Mexican war; also lieutenant First Indiana Cavalry and private Company D, One hundred and fifty-sixth Indiana Volunteers, in the war of the rebellion, and to pay him a pension of twenty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 463.**—An act to increase the pension of Elizabeth L. Snell.

Elizabeth L. Snell.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Mrs. Elizabeth L. Snell, dependent mother of the late Alfred T. Snell, a commander in the Navy, to forty dollars per month, instead of twenty-five dollars per month, the amount which she is now receiving.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 464.**—An act to increase the pension of James M. Barrett.

James M. Barrett.  
Pension increased.

*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 M. Barrett, late a private in Company K, Twenty-sixth Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty six dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 465.**—An act to increase the pension of Elizabeth M. Allen.

Elizabeth M. Allen.  
Pension increased.

*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 increase the pension of Elizabeth M. Allen, widow of John Allen, late a private of the Forty-third Regiment United States Infantry, war of eighteen hundred and twelve, from twelve dollars per month to twenty dollars per month, on account of her old age and extreme poverty; that the increase be allowed from the passage of this act.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 466.**—An act to increase the pension of Theodore White.

Theodore White.  
Pension increased.

*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 is hereby authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Theodore White, formerly a corporal in Company M. Seventh New York Heavy Artillery Volunteers, and to pay him a pension for disease of the lungs, in addition to the pension he now receives for gunshot wound.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 467.**—An act to restore to the pension-roll the name of Catherine Buchanan.

March 2, 1889.

*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 restore the name of Catharine Buchanan, widow of William Buchanan, late a private in Company L, Fourth Regiment of Indiana Volunteer Cavalry, to the pension roll, and that she paid a pension, subject to the provisions of the general pensions laws.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

Catharine Buchanan.  
Pension restored.

**CHAP. 468.**—An act to grant a pension to William Hawkins.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of William Hawkins, who was a private in Captain Alexander M. Houston's company of Illinois Mounted Volunteers in the Black Hawk war, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

William Hawkins.  
Pension.

**CHAP. 469.**—An act for the allowance of certain claims reported by the accounting officers of the United States Treasury Department.

March 2, 1889.

*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, upon the requisition of the Secretary of War, without further audit, allowance, or restatement of the claims by the accounting officers, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the several persons in this act named, or to their legal representatives in case of their death since the allowance of their claims by the accounting officers, 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 January seventeenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight namely:

Fourth of July  
claims.  
Payment of claims  
allowed by accounting  
officers to persons in—

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## INDIANA.

Indiana.

To Oren C. Bartle, or Bartel, administrator of Barton Abbott, deceased, Scott County, one hundred dollars.

To David Harbison, Floyd County, sixty-five dollars.

To Charles W. Johnson, and Thomas Kay, guardian of Alice and Evan R. Johnson, minor children of Robert Johnson, deceased, Jefferson County, one hundred dollars.

To James P. Vance, administrator of George McCaslin, deceased, Jackson County, seventy-five dollars.

To James B. Mooney and John P. Mooney, sole heirs at law of Samuel P. Mooney, deceased, Crawford County, one hundred dollars.

To Henry Wright, administrator of Nathan McKenzie, deceased, Harrison County, sixty dollars.

To James White, Ripley County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Catharine Wasson, widow of John A. Wasson, deceased, Scott County, One hundred dollars.

## Kentucky.

## KENTUCKY.

- To John Alcorn, Bullitt County, twenty dollars.  
 To B. C. May, administrator of Armstead Burchett, Floyd County, ninety-five dollars.  
 To James M. Bell, McCracken County, three hundred dollars.  
 To William Burns, Owsley County, one hundred dollars.  
 To John W. Conway, executor of Thomas Conway, deceased, Union County, five hundred dollars.  
 To S. A. Walton, administrator of Uriah Dunn, deceased, Garrard County, one hundred and fifty dollars.  
 To Archille Dubourg, Jefferson County, two hundred and eighty-four dollars and sixty cents.  
 To Henry P. Dowdy, Graves County, one hundred and eighty-five dollars.  
 To K. R. Flournoy, administrator of G. A. Flournoy, deceased, McCracken County, three hundred dollars.  
 To Squire Groves, Boone County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.  
 To George E. Gates, administrator of Elisha Gates, deceased, Nelson County, eighty-five dollars.  
 To William Gardner, McCracken County, one hundred and fifty dollars.  
 To W. A. Cooke, administrator of James W. Gorin, deceased, Jefferson County, ninety-five dollars.  
 To John Q. A. Leadbetter, administrator of Franklin Gipson, deceased, Henderson County, sixty-five dollars.  
 To G. W. Vance, administrator of Samuel Isaac, deceased, Floyd County, one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty cents.  
 To Lew. King, administrator of Paul King deceased, Harrison County, one hundred and fifty dollars.  
 To J. T. Balinger, administrator of John H. Richard, deceased, Graves County, four hundred and twenty-five dollars.  
 To Adaline Shaw, widow of James Shaw, deceased, Henderson County, fifty-six dollars.  
 To John L. Miller, administrator of Cyrus B. Senseney, deceased, Trigg County, one hundred and fifty dollars.  
 To Lucy Spicer, executrix of William Spicer, deceased, Hopkins County, two hundred and thirty dollars.  
 To William Sparks, administrator of J. Wesley Sparks, deceased, Harrison County, thirty-eight dollars and twenty-two cents.  
 To John B. Tadlock, administrator of Cynthia Tadlock, deceased, Boyle County, sixty dollars.

## Missouri.

## MISSOURI.

- To Mason S. Brockman, Sarah A. Brockman, Julia F. Scott, and David W. Steele, heirs at law of Willis Brockman, deceased, Cooper County, one hundred and fifteen dollars and thirty-six cents.  
 To John S. Denham and George W. Denham, executors of Samuel Denham, deceased, Boone County, one hundred and fifty dollars.  
 To William Wendleton, administrator of Elijah Combs, deceased, Morgan County, sixty-four dollars.  
 To J. W. Ebert, Moniteau County, thirty dollars.  
 To Mary I. McElyea, widow of G. W. McElyea, deceased, Dunklin County, sixteen dollars.  
 To Edward P. Settle, administrator of Thomas D. Morrison, deceased, Iron County, one hundred and forty-four dollars and eighty cents.  
 To Nancy J. Pomroy, administratrix of Cicero McGinty, deceased, Howell County, sixty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Samuel C. McCullah, in his own right and as administrator of R. A. McCullah, deceased, Greene County, one hundred and three dollars and fifty cents. Missouri—Continued.

To Ellen McAdoo, administratrix of Levi B. McAdoo, deceased, Laclede County, three hundred and thirty-three dollars.

To James W. Stephens, Miller County, ten dollars.

To Martha V. Walker, administratrix of Charles Walker, deceased, Pettis County, three hundred and ninety dollars.

To A. A. Warriner, widow of L. H. Warriner, deceased, Jackson County, fifty-five dollars.

To James R. Warder, Caldwell County, four hundred and twenty-five dollars.

## MARYLAND.

Maryland.

To William Lyons, administrator of Joseph Bucey, deceased, Anne Arundel County, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Alfred Zimmerman, administrator of Gertrude Clague, deceased, Washington County, one hundred and seventy-four dollars.

To Benjamin G. Cissel and G. W. Cissel, administrators of Samuel Cissel, deceased, Montgomery County, five hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To Mary C. English, administratrix, and Jonathan D. English, administrator of Jonathan D. English, deceased, Frederick County, fifty-seven dollars and twelve cents.

To Jacob R. Adam, surviving administrator of Jacob L. Funk, deceased, Washington County, twenty-two dollars and twelve cents.

To Thomas Jones, in his own right and as executor of Thomas Jones, senior, deceased, Carroll County, forty-eight dollars.

To George T. Molter, surviving executor of Thomas Rudisell, deceased, Carroll County, four dollars and eighty cents.

To George W. and Cornelius Snively, administrators of Joseph Snively, deceased, Washington County, seven dollars.

## OHIO.

Ohio.

To Mary Blackburn and Andrew Blackburn, heirs at law of Eli Blackburn, deceased, Meigs County, fifty dollars.

To estate of John S. Biggs, deceased, Hamilton County, sixty-five dollars.

To Samuel P. Clark, administrator of Samuel Clark, deceased, Adams County, sixty dollars.

To S. S. Halderman, administrator of James Dinsmore, deceased, Scioto County, seventy-five dollars.

To Charles Hook, administrator of Frederick Hook, deceased, Hamilton County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Smith Powers, Jackson County, one hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To William Thomas, Jackson County, sixty dollars.

To David B. Wallace, Harrison County, one hundred and ten dollars.

## PENNSYLVANIA.

Pennsylvania.

To James S. Crunkleton and John Royer, executors of Samuel J. Crunkleton, deceased, Franklin County, twenty-four dollars.

To J. B. Leidig, Cumberland County, seventy-two dollars.

To Catharine S. and W. D. Lefevre, administrators of Enoch Lefevre, deceased, Adams County, forty-three dollars and thirty-four cents.

To Alexander Roberts, Dauphin County, six hundred dollars and fifty cents.

Tennessee.

## TENNESSEE.

To Charles B. Chickering, administrator of Michael S. Allen, deceased, Davidson County, thirty-two dollars.

To B. R. Arnold, administrator of George W. Arnold, deceased, Knox County, three hundred and five dollars and seventy cents.

To Thomas S. Myers, administrator of Jacob Akeman, deceased, Warren County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To T. E. Andrews, administrator of R. C. Andrews, deceased, Bedford County, thirty dollars.

To J. H. H. Lewis, administrator of Foster M. Bergstresser, deceased, Fayette County, five hundred and thirty dollars.

To William Catlett, Sevier County, eight hundred and seventy-three dollars and sixteen cents.

To I. N. Cypert and J. W. Thornton, administrators of Zachariah Cypert, deceased, Wayne County, twenty-six dollars and fifty cents.

To W. C. Diggs, administrator of J. C. Cooper, deceased, Henry County, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Elizabeth Collins, administratrix of Lewis Collins, deceased, Bledsoe County, thirty dollars.

To James M. Elliott, Marshall County, one hundred and thirty dollars.

To Henry M. Elder, Rutherford County, one hundred dollars.

To Ed. Stelzer, administrator of John Floyd deceased, Knox County, one hundred and fifteen dollars.

To John A. Gouldy, Polk County, one hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Mary Greenlee, widow of William Greenlee, deceased, Knox County, twenty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To Susan Gilbert, widow of Samuel Gilbert, deceased, Robertson County, twenty-one dollars and fifty cents.

To Reuben, Samuel, and Benjamin Garner, sole heirs of Benjamin Garner, deceased, Warren County, one hundred dollars.

To Susan Gilbert, widow of Samuel Gilbert, deceased, Robertson County, ninety dollars.

To Rachael Haston, administratrix, and D. L. Haston, administrator of M. G. Haston, deceased, Van Buren County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To J. B. T. Howland, administrator of William M. Howland, deceased, Bedford County, one hundred and forty dollars.

To George B. McCrary, administrator of William Harrison, deceased, Jefferson County five hundred and thirty-five dollars and thirty-seven cents.

To Ammon Henly, administrator of Capel (or Capial) Henly (or Hendley), deceased, Putnam County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Mrs. Sarah Cox (formerly Hale), administratrix of James Hale, deceased, Claiborne County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To estate of Elizabeth Fletcher, late widow of Levi Harp, deceased, Claiborne County, twenty-five dollars.

To Mrs. Sarah E. Jones, formerly Sarah E. Hardin, Knox County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Louisa A. Johnson, Knox County, twenty-two dollars and fifty cents.

To J. P. Randolph, administrator of Samuel C. Jones, deceased, McNairy County, two hundred and ninety-six dollars and twenty-seven cents.

To M. G. Jolly (or Jolley), Marion County, one hundred and twenty-eight dollars.

To Henry Jackson, junior, Williamson County, one hundred dollars.

To Mattie T. Jones, administratrix of Elizabeth Jameson, deceased, Maury County, six hundred and fifteen dollars.



To Sarah T. Kinnard, Sarah T. Fuller, Charlotte S. Kinnard, Philip F. Kinnard, heirs at law of David C. Kinnard, deceased, Maury County, one thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars. Tennessee—Continued.

To Thomas Lyon, Stewart County, one hundred and sixty-nine dollars and thirty cents.

To Elizabeth McShan, administratrix of Johnson McShan, deceased, Maury County, one hundred and twenty-eight dollars.

To J. W. Nichols, Houston County, one hundred dollars.

To James W. Nichols, administrator of William B. Nichols, deceased, Houston County, sixty-five dollars.

To John C. Ogg, administrator of Eliza Ogg, deceased, Knox County, twenty dollars.

To Joseph Perkins, Carter County, one hundred dollars.

To T. J. Hays, special administrator of William J. Phillips, deceased, Rutherford County, seven hundred and fifty-seven dollars.

To G. W. Sells, Sullivan County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Mrs. Millia Staples, Morgan County, forty dollars.

To John Standifer, administrator of Joseph Standifer, deceased, Claiborne County, thirty-four dollars and twenty-five cents.

To James S. Smith, administrator of James S. Smith, deceased, Madison County, four hundred and ten dollars.

To J. W. Trent, administrator of William G. Trent, deceased, Union County, two hundred and seventy-one dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Benjamin F. Tucker, Davidson County, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Hiram Vaughn, Davidson County, two thousand and ninety-one dollars and eighty cents.

To John C. Myers, administrator of Thomas Worthington, deceased, Bledsoe County, one hundred dollars.

To W. F. Werner, administrator of Lorenzo D. White, deceased, Decatur County, two hundred and seventy-four dollars.

## WEST VIRGINIA.

West Virginia.

To William Breneman, administrator of Abram Breneman, deceased, Fayette County, one hundred and forty dollars.

To Granville H. Davis, Doddridge County, eighty dollars.

To Mrs. Ann E. Heiskel, formerly Mrs. Ann E. French, Hampshire County, six hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty cents.

To William S. Miller, administrator of John R. Lyle, deceased, Berkeley County, two hundred and thirty dollars.

To James Musgrove, Jefferson County, forty-five dollars and thirty-three cents.

To Spencer Saulser, Clara and Louise First, sole heirs of Eli Saulser, deceased, Mason County, thirty dollars and fifty cents.

## MISCELLANEOUS.

### DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

District of Columbia.

To John W. Ray, Washington County, two hundred and fifty-eight dollars and sixty cents.

### KANSAS.

Kansas.

To J. C. Johnson, colored, Bourbon County, two hundred and thirty dollars.

To Rynear Morgan, Wyandotte County, ninety dollars.

To Edward Fitz Gerrald, seventeen thousand three hundred and eighty-five dollars.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 470.**—An act for the relief of P. Gough Edelin.P. Gough Edelin.  
Payment of check to.

*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 P. Gough Edelin, of Maryland, the sum of forty-two dollars and ninety-six cents, this amount having been advanced by him to Nicy Taliaferro upon revenue check numbered one hundred and nine thousand and sixty-six, for two thousand two hundred and five dollars and six cents, presented to him by her, payment of said check having since been refused at the United States sub-treasury in Baltimore, upon the ground that the said Taliaferro was erroneously pensioned, under certificate three thousand and ninety-four (Navy): *Provided*, That said check, now in the hands of Messrs Dudley and Carpenter, be delivered to the Secretary of the Treasury.

Approved March 2, 1889.

Proviso.  
Delivery of check.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 471.**—An act for the relief of Mary Gray, widow of John Gray.John Gray.  
Pay and allowances  
to widow of.

*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 Mary Gray, the widow of John Gray, late major of the One hundred and seventy-fifth New York Volunteers, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the pay and allowances of a major of infantry from the nineteenth of November, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, the date he received his commission as major from the governor of the State of New York, to the seventeenth day of January, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, the date he is borne upon the record as having been mustered into the service as major of said regiment.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 472.**—An act for the relief of John De Bree, executor of Margaret T. Higgins.Margaret T. Higgins.  
Payment to execu-  
tor of.

*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 John De Bree, executor of Margaret T. Higgins, the sum of three thousand two hundred and thirty-six dollars and sixty-six cents, the same being in full for and final discharge of the claim examined, investigated, and reported favorably by the Court of Claims of the United States, under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, commonly called the Bowman act.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 473.**—An act for the relief of J. S. Flake, guardian of Samuel Howard.Samuel Howard.  
Payment to guard-  
ian of.

*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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred dollars to James S. Flake, guardian of Samuel Howard (a lunatic), of Henderson County, Tennessee, the same being for quartermaster's stores, consisting of one horse, taken from the said Howard and appropriated by the military forces of the United States.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 474.**—An act for the relief of Saint Joseph Commercial College of Saint Joseph, Missouri.

March 2, 1889.

*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 cause to be investigated by the Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army the circumstances, character, and extent of the alleged occupation by the United States military authorities, for Government purposes, during the late war, of the college buildings and grounds of Saint Joseph Commercial College, of Saint Joseph, Missouri, and the actual value of the use and occupation of the same, and to find and award, and to certify to the Secretary of the Treasury what amount, if any, is equitably due to the trustees of said college from the United States as the reasonable value of such use and occupation; and that the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to said trustees, or their successors, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the amount, if any, so found to be due from the United States; and the acceptance by said trustees of any sum paid under the provisions hereof shall be in full satisfaction of all claim, of every name and nature, for said occupation, or in any manner arising or growing out of the same.

Saint Joseph Commercial College.  
Claim of, to be investigated.

Payment of amount found due.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 475.**—An act for the relief of J. W. Parish and Company.

March 2, 1889.

*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 W. Parish, George C. Hadley, and William L. Huse, composing the firm of J. W. Parish and Company, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of eighteen thousand five hundred dollars, the same to be compensation in full to said firm for losses sustained by it by reason of the refusal of the officers of the United States to receive and pay for five thousand tons of ice which said Parish and Company had been directed to furnish under a contract dated December thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, and signed by the medical purveyor of the United States Army stationed at Louisville, Kentucky, and by said Parish and Company, and approved by the Acting Surgeon-General of the United States.

J. W. Parish and Company.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 476.**—An act for the relief of Lieutenant-Colonel Eyre.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That Lieutenant-Colonel Edward E. Eyre, late lieutenant-colonel of the First California Cavalry, be released from all further liability on account of his receipts and disbursements of funds as acting quartermaster, and the proper officers of the United States Treasury are authorized and directed to cancel said liability, whether the same be pending in court or has become a judgment, and to close the accounts of said Colonel Edward E. Eyre.

Edward E. Eyre.  
Allowance in accounts of.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 477.**—An act for the relief of Mrs Louisa H. Hasell.Louisa H. Hasell  
Payment to.

*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 from the Treasury of the United States the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, in full compensation for the use by the United States Army of the house and other buildings in Summerville, South Carolina, belonging to Mrs Louisa H. Hasell, during the years eighteen hundred and sixty-five and eighteen hundred and sixty-six, and in full satisfaction for any damage to said property arising from or incident to the occupation of the same by the said Army; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to pay that sum to Mrs Louisa H. Hasell or her legal representatives.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 478.**—An act for relief of Joseph Lawless.Joseph Lawless.  
Pension.

*Re 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 Joseph Lawless, late private Company I, Fifth Kentucky Cavalry Volunteers, on the pension-rolls, subject to all the restrictions, limitations, and provisions of the pension laws of the United States.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 479.**—An act for the relief of Mary Newton.Mary Newton.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Mrs. Mary Newton, the daughter and only surviving heir of John Jordan, of the Continental Line, in the war of the Revolution, and to pay her at the rate of twelve dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 480.**—An act for the relief of Lucy M. Swinnea and Mary E Hanserd.Lucy M. Swinnea.  
Mary E. Hanserd.  
Payment to.

*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, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Lucy M Swinnea and Mary E Hanserd each the sum of six hundred and forty dollars, the same being their respective shares of the value, as found by the Southern Claims Commission, of certain property taken for the use of the Army of the United States known as the Army of East Tennessee.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 481.**—An act for the relief of Newton C. Redenour.

Preamble.

Whereas, by an error committed by the adjudicating officers of the Pension Bureau Newton C. Ridenour, late second lieutenant Company F, Twenty-third Regiment Iowa Infantry, was not placed on the pension-roll as a second lieutenant upon the allowance of a pension to him; and

Whereas by act of Congress a bill was passed for his relief in this regard, and to rate him in accordance with said rank and with the intention only of correcting this error, but which contained the words that it should "be in lieu of all other pensions"; and

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Whereas he now claims to be entitled to an increase of pension on account of disabilities, for which he was originally pensioned, and to pension for additional disabilities, but the Pension Bureau and the Department of the Interior construe the language quoted of the act of Congress mentioned as barring his rights thereto, regardless of the merits: Therefore,

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That said act of Congress for the relief of said Newton C. Ridenour shall be construed as only correcting the error of the adjudicating officers of the Pension Bureau as to the rank of said Ridenour and his proper rating by reason thereof, and that his right to increase of pension and to additional pension for other disabilities shall not be affected thereby.

Newton C. Ridenour.  
Rank corrected.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 482.**—An act for the relief of William S. Kellington.

March 2, 1889.

*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 S. Kellington, late of the Fifth Independent Battery, New York Light Artillery, and pay him a pension at the rate of forty dollars per month.

William S. Kellington.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 483.**—An act for the relief of John T. Higgins.

March 2, 1889.

*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 John T. Higgins of Lincoln County, Kentucky, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and thirty dollars for actual and necessary expenses as general store-keeper and gauger for two months and six days in the revenue service of the eighth district of Kentucky.

John T. Higgins.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 484.**—An act for the relief of James Devine.

March 2, 1889.

*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 James Devine, of the county of Brown, in the State of Minnesota, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seven hundred dollars, for damages done to his land by the United States troops in cutting timber on the same for the building of Fort Hanska, and for fuel and other purposes, while in possession of said troops during the outbreak of the Sioux Indians in Minnesota.

James Devine.  
Payment to.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 485.**—An act for the relief of Patrick C. McQueeney.Patrick C. McQueeney.  
Bounty to.

*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 Patrick C. McQueeney, late sergeant Company B, Seventeenth Regiment United States Infantry, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifty dollars, being for additional bounty due him.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 486.**—An act for the relief of James A. Stewart.James A. Stewart.  
Payment to.

*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 James A. Stewart, of Cincinnati, Ohio, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, twenty-five hundred dollars, said sum to be in full payment for services rendered as pilot of Government transports and gun-boat from October sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to April thirtieth, anno Domini eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 487.**—An act for the relief of Benjamin F. Richardson.

Benjamin F. Richardson.

Claim of estate of, to  
be examined.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Quartermaster-General of the United States is hereby authorized and directed to examine the claim of the estate of Benjamin F. Richardson, deceased, late of Jefferson County, Arkansas, for stores and supplies belonging to said Richardson alleged to have been taken by the United States, or the armies thereof, in Jefferson County in the State of Arkansas during the war of the rebellion; and he may consider the evidence heretofore taken on said claim, so far as applicable, and such other legal evidence as may be adduced before him in behalf of the claimant or in behalf of the United States, and shall report the facts to Congress, to be considered with other claims reported by the Quartermaster-General.

Report.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 488.**—An act for the relief of John W. Combs.John W. Combs.  
Pension.

*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 the name of John W. Combs, late a private Company D, Third Regiment West Virginia Volunteers, at the rate of twenty-two dollars and fifty cents per month.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 489.**—An act for the relief of Mary Isabella R. Clements.Mary I. R. Clements.  
Pension increased.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to increase the pension of Mary Isabella R. Clements, widow of the late Bennett

A. Clements, surgeon United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act, in lieu of the pension she is now receiving

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 490.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Alfred T. McKinsey

March 2, 1889.

*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 Alfred T. McKinsey, late of Company G, Twenty-seventh Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving

Alfred T. McKinsey.  
Pension increased.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 491.**—An act granting increase of pension to Joseph B. Sellers.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Joseph B. Sellers, late of Company I, Twenty-seventh Indiana Volunteers, and pay him at the rate of forty five dollars per month, in lieu of that which he is now receiving.

Joseph B. Sellers.  
Pension increased.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 492.**—An act granting a pension to James Parker.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Parker, late a private in Company E, Thirty-sixth Regiment Iowa Volunteers.

James Parker.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 493.**—An act granting an increase of pension to Maria A. Rousseau.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Maria A. Rousseau, widow of Lovell H. Rousseau, late a brigadier-general in the United States Army, and pay her at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, in lieu of that which she is now receiving.

Maria A. Rousseau.  
Pension increased.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 494.**—An act granting a pension to Jane Reilly.

March 2, 1889.

*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

Jane Reilly.  
Pension.

on the pension-roll the name of Jane Reilly, widow of Alexander M. Reilly, late sergeant of Company M, First New York (Lincoln's) Volunteer Cavalry, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 495.**—An act granting a pension to Frances H. L. Prescott.

Frances H. L. Prescott.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Frances H. L. Prescott, daughter of the late Captain George W. Prescott, United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 496.**—An act granting a pension to Henrietta Brown.

Henrietta Brown.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted in the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Henrietta Brown, widow of Charles F. Brown, late of Company F, First Connecticut Cavalry.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 497.**—An act granting a pension to Margaret J. Cash

Margaret J. Cash.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Margaret J. Cash, widow of Henry Cash, late of Company A, Ninety-eighth Regiment Illinois Volunteers.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 498.**—An act to restore the pension of Ann G. Barker.

Ann G. Barker.  
Pension restored.  
Vol. 21, p. 170.

*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 to restore pensions in certain cases", approved June ninth, eighteen hundred and eighty, shall be construed so as to include within its provisions Ann G. Barker, widow of Thomas Barker, deceased, late a captain in the United States Army.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 499.**—An act granting a pension to Anna Krumpholz.

Anna Krumpholz.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Anna Krumpholz, widow of Herman Krumpholz, late a private of Company F, Fifteenth Regiment Kentucky Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws (claim numbered two hundred and twenty six thousand three hundred and eighty three.)

Approved, March 2, 1889.



**CHAP. 500.**—An act granting a pension to Benjamin F. Clayton.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Benjamin F. Clayton, late a captain in Company F, One hundred and second Regiment New York Volunteers, on the pension-roll, and pay him a pension at the rate of forty five dollars per month from and after the passage of this act, in lieu of the pension which he is now receiving.

Benjamin F. Clayton.  
Pension increased.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 501.**—An act to grant a pension to Ira Wells.

March 2, 1889.

*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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of Ira Wells, who was a private in Captain Kinney's company of Illinois Mounted Volunteers in the Black Hawk war, and pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month.

Ira Wells.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 502.**—An act granting a pension to Frank M. Martin.

March 2, 1889.

*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 of the United States, the name of Frank M. Martin, late of Company H. Sixth Regiment Kentucky Cavalry.

Frank M. Martin.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 503.**—An act granting a pension to Littleberry W. Baker.

March 2, 1889.

*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 the name of Littleberry W. Baker, who served in Captain Abram Miles' company, from the State of Georgia, Indian war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Littleberry W. Baker.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 504.**—An act granting a pension to Robert W. Andrews.

March 2, 1889.

*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 the name of Robert W. Andrews, who served in Captain Richburge's company, from the State of Alabama, Indian war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Robert W. Andrews.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 505.**—An act granting a pension to Bennett Cooper.

Bennett Cooper.  
Pension.

*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 the name of Bennett Cooper, who served in Captain Cammel's company, from the State of Alabama, Indian war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 506.**—An act to pension William J. Martin.

William J. Martin.  
Pension.

*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 the name of William J. Martin, survivor of Captain John Sconce's company, of Ray County, Missouri Volunteers, of Lieutenant Colonel Morgan's Spy Battalion, Brigadier-General Zachary Taylor, general commanding, Florida war, and who was severely wounded at the battle of Lake Okachuba, December twenty fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty seven, and who was also the lieutenant-colonel of the Second Regiment Oregon Mounted Volunteers in the Oregon Indian war of eighteen hundred and fifty five and eighteen hundred and fifty six, and that be paid a pension of twenty five dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 507.**—An act granting a pension to the widow of Adam Shrake.

Elizabeth Shrake.  
Pension.

*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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll the name of Elizabeth Shrake, widow of Adam Shrake, late a private in Company C, Forty-eighth Regiment of Wisconsin Infantry Volunteers.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 508.**—An act granting a pension to Cathrine. G. Bodfish.

Cathrine G. Bodfish.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Cathrine G. Bodfish, widow of the late Oliver Bodfish, a soldier of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 509.**—An act granting a pension to Sarah Jackson.

Sarah Jackson.  
Pension.

*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 Sarah Jackson, an imbecile daughter of

James Jackson, late of Company G, Thirtieth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, at the rate of eighteen dollars per month, payable to the legally appointed guardian.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 510.**—An act granting a pension to John Limeric.

March 2, 1889.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of John Limeric, late of the Sixth Ohio Battery.

John Limeric.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 511.**—An act granting a pension to Jacob Wolf.

March 2, 1889.

*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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension-laws, the name of Jacob Wolf, late of Company H, One hundred and sixty-second Regiment Ohio Infantry Volunteers,

Jacob Wolf.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 512.**—An act granting a pension to William Ford.

March 2, 1889.

*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 the name of William Ford, late a private in company H, One hundred and thirty-ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

William Ford.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 513.**—An act granting pension to Gertrude Northrop.

March 2, 1889.

*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 Gertrude Northrop, minor child of Marshall A. Northrop, late a captain of Company G, Sixth Regiment of Wisconsin Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month hereafter.

Gertrude Northrop.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 514.**—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Helen Sutherland.

March 2, 1889.

*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 is hereby directed to put on the pension-roll the name of Mrs. Helen Sutherland, dependent mother of Andrew Sutherland, late private Company H, First Regiment Michigan Light Artillery.

Helen Sutherland.  
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 515.**—An act granting a pension to Lucinda Mewman.Lucinda Mewman.  
Pension.

*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 Lucinda Mewman, of Payson, Illinois, sister of John W. Mewman, late private in Company K, Seventy-eighth Regiment Illinois Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars a month.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 516.**—An act granting a pension to W. W. Wilson.W. W. Wilson.  
Pension.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby, directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of W. W. Wilson, late in Company H, Eighteenth Regiment Missouri Volunteers, with the same rate of pension to which a private soldier would be entitled for like disabilities.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

March 2, 1889.

**CHAP. 517.**—An act referring the claim of the owners of the steamer I. N. Bunton to the Court of Claims.

"I. N. Bunton."  
Claim of owner of  
steamer, referred to  
Court of Claims.

Proviso.  
Limit.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the claim of the legal owner or owners of the steamer I. N. Bunton, her cargo, freight, tow, and personal effects, alleged to have been sunk by collision with the pier of the Davis Island Dam, in the Ohio River, on or about the second day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, be referred to the Court of Claims, to hear and determine the same to judgment, with the right of appeal as in other cases: *Provided,* That no suit shall be brought under the provisions of this act after six months from the date of the passage thereof.

Approved, March 2, 1889.

# RESOLUTIONS.

[No. 4.] Joint resolution authorizing the Secretaries of War and the Navy to loan to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies flags and so forth.\*

February 5, 1889.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to loan to the Committee on Inaugural Ceremonies the worn flags on hand in the cities of Philadelphia and Washington, and the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to loan to said committee such flags on hand in the navy yards at Washington, Norfolk, League Island, New York, Portsmouth and Boston as may be suitable and proper for decoration, and may be spared without detriment to the public service; such flags to be used by said committee under such regulations and restrictions as may be prescribed by the said Secretaries or either of them, in decorating the fronts of public buildings and other places on the line of march between the Capitol and the Executive Mansion, and the interior of the Reception Hall: *Provided*, That the said committee shall indemnify the said Departments or either of them for any loss or damage to such flags not necessarily incident to such use.

Inaugural ceremonies.  
Loan of army and navy flags to committee.

*Proviso.*  
Indemnity.

Approved, February 5, 1889.

[No. 6.] Joint resolution making an appropriation for payment to the legal representatives of James B. Eads.

February 14, 1889.

*Resolved 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 five hundred thousand dollars, to enable the Secretary of War to pay to the legal representatives of James B. Eads half the sum of one million dollars retained by the United States under the act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, to be paid on the expiration of ten years' maintenance of the channel the maximum depth and width as required by said act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-five and subsequent acts.

James B. Eads.

Payment to legal representatives.

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Approved, February 14, 1889.

