

PRIVATE ACTS OF THE FIFTY-FIRST 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 first day of December, 1890, and was adjourned without day on Tuesday, the third day of March, 1891.

BENJAMIN HARRISON, President; **LEVI P. MORTON**, Vice-President, and President of the Senate; **THOMAS B. REED**, Speaker of the House of Representatives; **LEWIS E. PAYSON** was elected Speaker *pro tempore*, February 18, 1891; **Mr. REED** resumed the duties of Speaker, February 19, 1891.

CHAP. 9.—An act granting a pension to John Grant.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Grant, alias William McKenzie, private Maddox Battalion, California Volunteers, Mexican war.

John Grant.
Pension.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 10.—An act for the relief of Martha A. Foster.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by 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 Martha A. Foster, widow of David A. Foster, late of Company I, Twelfth Michigan Infantry.

Martha A. Foster.
Pension.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 11.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Charity P. Harrison.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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

Charity P. Harrison.
Pension.

pension laws, the name of Mrs. Charity P. Harrison, late a nurse in the Army of the United States, and that she be granted a pension at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 12.—An act for the relief of George R. Wright.

George R. Wright.
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 George R. Wright, late captain of Company F, Forty-seventh Wisconsin Infantry, and that he be granted an increase of pension at the rate of seventy-two dollars a month.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 13.—An act for the relief of James S Smith.

James S. 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 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 S. Smith, late of Company I, Eighth Michigan Cavalry, and that he be granted an increase of twenty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now received by him.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 14.—An act granting an increase of pension to James W. Lathe.

James W. Lathe.
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 James W. Lathe, late a sergeant of Company F, Ninth New Hampshire Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month in lieu of that he is now receiving.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 15.—An act granting a pension to George Everts.

George Everts.
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 upon the invalid pension roll the name of George Everts, late of Company A, Fifteenth Iowa Infantry Volunteers, the said pension to be subject to the limitations of the general pension laws at the rates to be established by the usual examination.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 16.—An act to increase the pension of Stephen L. Kearney.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Stephen L. Kearney, late First Lieutenant Third Regiment United States Colored Troops, a pension of twenty-five dollars, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Stephen L. Kearney.
Pension increased.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 17.—An act granting a pension to Jerusha P. Harding.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 the name of Jerusha P. Harding, dependent foster-mother of William L. Harding, late a private in Company E, Forty-ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll, and grant her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Jerusha P. Harding.
Pension.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 18.—An act granting a pension to Mary Jane Blackledge.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted 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 Mary Jane Blackledge, late widow of George Goodman, a private in Company F, Twenty-fourth Regiment of Iowa Volunteers.

Mary Jane Blackledge.
Pension.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 19.—An act granting an increase of pension to John S. Ferguson.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 John S. Ferguson, of Keokuk, Iowa, late of Company F, twenty-eighth Regiment of Iowa Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension of seventy-two dollars a month, in lieu of thirty-six dollars a month now allowed said Ferguson for disability arising from loss of right arm at the elbow, partial deafness from concussion, and the shell wound received by him on April eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, in the battle of Sabine Cross Roads, Louisiana.

John S. Ferguson.
Pension increased.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 20.—An act to grant a pension to Hannah B. Shepherd.

December 15, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 B. Shepherd, dependent

Hannah B. Shepherd.
Pension.

mother of Henry J. Shepherd, late a private in Company E, Ninety-sixth Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

December 15, 1890.

CHAP. 21.—An act to pension John D. Bagby.

John D. Bagby.
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-rolls, subject to the provisions and restrictions of the pension laws, the name of John D. Bagby, who was a private in Captain Japhet A. Ball's independent mounted company, Illinois Volunteer Infantry, during the Black Hawk war.

Approved, December 15, 1890.

December 19, 1890.

CHAP. 24.—An act for the relief of Major Daniel N. Bash, paymaster, United States Army.

Daniel N. Bash.
Credit in accounts 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, in settling and adjusting the accounts of Major Daniel N. Bash, paymaster, United States Army, are hereby directed to credit said Major Daniel N. Bash, paymaster, United States Army, with the sum of seven thousand three hundred and fifty dollars and ninety-three cents Government funds, of which he was robbed at Antelope Springs, Wyoming Territory, March eighteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, without his default, while en route to pay the troops at Fort McKinney, Wyoming Territory, by one Charles Parker, since arrested and convicted of said robbery and now imprisoned and serving his term in the penitentiary at Laramie City.

Approved, December 19, 1890.

December 26, 1890.

CHAP. 35.—An act granting a pension to Adele Jones.

Adele Jones.
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 Adele Jones, as widow of Jeremiah J. Jones, late private Company F, Twenty-first Regiment Connecticut Volunteers.

Approved, December 26, 1890.

December 26, 1890.

CHAP. 36.—An act granting a pension to George H. Rider.

George H. Rider.
Pension.

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 George H. Rider, late captain of the steamer Henry Clay.

Approved, December 26, 1890.

CHAP. 37.—An act for the relief of James B. Guthrie.

December 26, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 B. Guthrie, of Paris, Henry County, Tennessee, late a private of Captain James T. Dunlap's company of Tennessee troops in the Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay to him a pension of twenty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, December 26, 1890.

James B. Guthrie.
Pension.

CHAP. 38.—An act releasing S. H. Brooks, assistant treasurer of the United States, and his sureties on his official bond.

December 27, 1890.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the said S. H. Brooks, and the sureties on his official bond be, and they are hereby, released from any and all liability that may have accrued, or arising out of the loss of ten thousand dollars from the United States subtreasury at San Francisco, California, which loss was discovered and reported by said Assistant Treasurer S. H. Brooks to the Treasury Department at Washington on the twenty-seventh day of February, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-six. The said loss of the said ten thousand dollars has heretofore been made the subject of full investigation by said Treasury Department, and as to how or when said money, or any part thereof, was lost was never ascertained. The proper officer of the United States Treasury Department is hereby authorized and directed to cancel and discharge any liability upon said bond arising out of the loss of said money.

Approved, December 27, 1890.

S. H. Brooks.
Release of official
bond.

CHAP. 48.—An act increasing the pension of Eliza B. Dorrance, widow of the late George W. Dorrance, chaplain United States Navy.

January 2, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this act there be allowed and paid to Mrs. Eliza B. Dorrance, widow of the late George W. Dorrance, chaplain United States Navy, a pension at the rate of forty dollars per month during her widowhood, in lieu of the pension she is now receiving

Approved, January 2, 1891.

Eliza B. Dorrance.
Pension increased.

CHAP. 49.—An act for the relief of Henry W. Burlingame.

January 2, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Henry W. Burlingame.

Approved, January 2, 1891.

Henry W. Burlingame.
Pension.

January 6, 1891.

CHAP. 51.—An act granting a pension to John Lindt.

John Lindt.
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, empowered and directed to place on the pension-roll the name of John Lindt, late a private in Company B, Independent Regiment Light Artillery, Pennsylvania Volunteers, and pay him a pension, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws of the United States.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

January 6, 1891.

CHAP. 52.—An act granting a pension to Richard Jackson.

Richard 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 upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of existing laws, the name of Richard Jackson, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, who was wounded while serving as a teamster in the United States Army in the Valley of Virginia

Approved, January 6, 1891.

January 6, 1891.

CHAP. 53.—An act granting a pension to Nancy Rarden.

Nancy Rardon.
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 Rardon, widow of Lewis P. Rarden, late a private in Company A, Thirteenth Regiment Indiana Volunteers.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

January 6, 1891.

CHAP. 54.—An act granting a pension to Lydia Hood.

Lydia Hood.
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-rolls, at twelve dollars a month, the name of Lydia Hood, of Chelsea, Vermont, mother (by adoption) of Hollis H. Hood, late of Company I, Tenth Vermont Volunteers.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

January 6, 1891.

CHAP. 55.—An act granting a pension to B. S. Roan.

B. S. Roan.
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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of B. S. Roan of Campbell County, Georgia, who was a private soldier in Captain Thomas Wilson's company in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and allow him a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

CHAP. 56.—An act granting a pension to Robert A. England.

January 6, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Robert A. England, of De Kalb County, Georgia, who was a private soldier in Captain John P. Lucas's company in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and allow him a pension at twenty dollars per month.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

Robert A. England.
Pension.

CHAP. 57.—An act to pension Carroll Renfro.

January 6, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Carroll Renfro, of Camden, Arkansas, who served as a private in Captain John W. Otey's company, Alabama Volunteers, Creek war, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

Carroll Renfro.
Pension.

CHAP. 58.—An act to pension Willis Brooks.

January 6, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Willis Brooks, of Long View, Ashley County, Arkansas, who served as a private in Captain House's company, Major Webb's battalion Alabama Volunteers, Creek war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

Willis Brooks.
Pension.

CHAP. 59.—An act to restore the pension of Susan Nelson Page.

January 6, 1891.

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 Susan D. Page, widow of Captain Francis Nelson Page, United States Army.

Approved, January 6, 1891.

Susan D. Page.
Pension restored.
Vol. 21, p. 170.

CHAP. 62.—An act for the relief of Charles N. Felton, formerly assistant treasurer of the United States at San Francisco, California.

January 6, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of nine thousand nine hundred and thirty dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise

Charles N. Felton.
Payment to.

appropriated, to re-imburse Charles N. Felton, formerly assistant treasurer of the United States at San Francisco, California, for losses incurred by him in the payment of forged United States disbursing officers' checks, the same having been paid without default or negligence on his part.

Approved, January 8, 1891.

January 12, 1891.

CHAP. 68.—An act directing the issue of a duplicate of a lost check drawn by A. W. Beard, collector of customs at the port of Boston, Massachusetts, in favor of De Blois and Company.

Preamble.

Whereas it appears that A. W. Beard, collector of customs at the port of Boston, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, did, on the eighth day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety, issue a check, numbered one hundred and forty-five thousand nine hundred and sixty-six, upon the assistant treasurer of the United States at said Boston, in favor of De Blois and Company, for the sum of four thousand two hundred and ninety-five dollars and fifty-nine cents, being for the refund of certain duties exacted in excess of the legal rate, which check is alleged to have been lost in transmission through the United States mails; and

Vol. 23, p. 306.

Whereas the provisions of the act of February sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, amending section thirty-six hundred and forty-six, Revised Statutes of the United States, authorizing United States disbursing officers and agents to issue duplicates of lost checks, apply only to checks drawn for two thousand five hundred dollars or less: Therefore,

R. S., sec. 3646, p. 717.

De Blois and Company.
Duplicate check to.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That said A. W. Beard be, and he is hereby, instructed to issue a duplicate of said original check, under such regulations in regard to its issue and payment as have been prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury for the issue of duplicate checks under the provisions of section thirty-six hundred and forty-six, Revised Statutes of the United States.

R. S., sec. 3646, p. 717.

Approved, January 12, 1891.

January 12, 1891.

CHAP. 69.—An act to pension Mary Jane Martin.

Mary Jane 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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mary Jane Martin, of the city of Washington, in the District of Columbia, widow of Andrew Martin, deceased, late a private in Captain James P. Barker's company of Colonel Smith's regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, January 12, 1891.

January 13, 1891.

CHAP. 71.—An act for the relief of Abraham Lisner.

Abraham Lisner.
Relieved from operation of act prohibiting alien ownership of land.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all real estate lying in the District of Columbia heretofore purchased by and conveyed to Abraham Lisner, of said District, prior to the passage of this

act, be relieved and exempted from the operation of an act entitled "An act to restrict the ownership of real estate in the Territories to American citizens," approved March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, and all forfeitures incurred by force of said act are, in respect of such real estate, hereby remitted.

Approved, January 13 1891.

Vol. 24, p. 476.

CHAP. 75.—An act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to issue certain duplicate bonds to James E. Andrews to replace same destroyed by fire.

January 16, 1891.

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 issue and deliver to James E. Andrews, of Wadena, Minnesota, four duplicate four per centum coupon fifty dollar United States bonds, with interest coupons attached to each bond for all interest due on and after April first, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-six, in place of four such bonds issued under the acts of July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, and January twentieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, numbered thirty-nine thousand and twenty-seven, thirty-nine thousand and twenty-eight, thirty-nine thousand and twenty-nine, and thirty-nine thousand and thirty, destroyed by fire on the thirty-first day of March, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-six, at Wadena, Minnesota, while owned and in the possession of said Andrews, upon his, the said Andrews, duly executing and filing with the Secretary of the Treasury a bond of indemnity, in double the amount of said destroyed bonds with unpaid interest, with two or more sureties to be approved by and in all respects to be satisfactory to the Secretary of the Treasury.

James E. Andrews.
Duplicate bonds to.

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Indemnity bond.

Approved, January 16, 1891.

CHAP. 81.—An act for the relief of Stubbs and Lackey.

January 19, 1891.

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 directed to pay to Albert Stubbs and Job Lackey, of Lebanon, Ohio, the sum of two thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and eighty-seven cents, in full of all work done by them, or by John B. Holbrook, in building a dike at Merriam Bar, and dams at Captina and Fish Creek Islands, in the Ohio River; and there is hereby appropriated, for such purposes, out of funds otherwise unappropriated and lying in the Treasury, the sum of two thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars and eighty-seven cents.

Albert Stubbs and
Job Lackey.
Payment to.

Approved, January 19, 1891.

CHAP. 82.—An act for the relief of the sureties of George W. Hook, deceased.

January 20, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Arthur Saint Clair Denver and the estates of Edgar Bogardus, deceased, Thomas H. Williams, deceased, Samuel Todd, deceased, William Van Voorhies, deceased, Sam Bell McKee, deceased, J. J. Vallejo, deceased, H. Laurencel, deceased, Patrick Durkan, deceased, and James A. McDougall, deceased, be, and they are hereby, released and discharged of and from all and every obligation and liability whatsoever on account of said persons having been sureties upon the bonds of the late

George W. Hook.
Sureties on official
bond, released.

George W. Hook, deceased, dated on or about the first day of July, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, given as security for the faithful performance by the said George W. Hook of his duties as receiver and disbursing agent of the United States land office at Humboldt, California.

Received by the President January 8, 1891.

[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 21, 1891.

CHAP. 88.—An act to make payment to E. H. Mix, E. H. Griswold, D. D. Griffith, and C. C. Goodspeed, on erroneous land-entry payments.

Preamble.

Whereas, the said persons entered eighty acres of land at United States Land Office at La Grande, State of Oregon, and by mistake of the officers thereof paid the United States five dollars per acre instead of two dollars and fifty cents per acre, the legal price therefor: Therefore

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 two hundred dollars, and that the same be made payable and be paid to E. H. Mix, E. H. Griswold, D. D. Griffith, and C. C. Goodspeed, of the State of Oregon.

Approved, January 21, 1891.

E. H. Mix, E. H. Griswold, D. D. Griffith, C. C. Goodspeed,
Payment to.

January 21, 1891.

CHAP. 89.—An act for the relief of Major Joseph W. Wham, paymaster United States Army.

Joseph W. Wham.
Credit in accounts
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, in settling and adjusting the accounts of Major Joseph W. Wham, paymaster United States Army, are hereby directed to credit said Major Joseph W. Wham, paymaster United States Army, with the sum of twenty-eight thousand three hundred and forty-five dollars and ten cents, Government funds, of which he was robbed in Graham County, Arizona Territory, on the eleventh of May, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, without his default.

Approved, January 21, 1891.

January 21, 1891.

CHAP. 90.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. E. J. Baldy, widow of W. H. Baldy.

Mrs. E. J. Baldy.
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. E. J. Baldy, widow of W. H. Baldy, of Spaulding County, Georgia, who was a private soldier in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, in Captain William Byne's company called "Burke Hussars," and allow her a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, January 21, 1891.

CHAP. 93.—An act granting a pension to Charlotte Stenger.

January 24, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Stenger, widow of Jacob Stenger, deceased, late of Company C, First Regiment United States Mounted Riflemen.

Charlotte Stenger.
Pension.

Approved, January 24, 1891.

CHAP. 94.—An act granting a pension to Thomas Richardson.

January 24, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Richardson, late a private in Company B, Seventeenth Regiment Illinois Volunteers.

Thomas Richardson.
Pension.

Approved, January 24, 1891.

CHAP. 95.—An act granting an increase of pension to Aaron H. Le Van.

January 24, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Aaron H. Le Van, late of Company A, Eighty-second Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension commensurate with the degree of disability found to exist upon medical examination.

Aaron H. Le Van.
Pension.

Approved, January 24, 1891.

CHAP. 96.—An act granting an increase of pension to Sarah V. Azpell.

January 24, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 V. Azpell, widow of Doctor Thomas F. Azpell, late assistant surgeon United States Army, and to pay her at the rate of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of that which she is now receiving.

Sarah V. Azpell.
Pension increased.

Approved, January 24, 1891.

CHAP. 97.—An act for the relief of Amos Gilbert.

January 24, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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-rolls the name of Amos Gilbert, of New Haven, Connecticut, who served as an enlisted seaman in the Navy of the United States, and was discharged on the thirteenth day of July, eighteen hundred and forty-two, and who, while in the service, contracted disabilities from which he has never recovered, and to pay him a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars a month.

Amos Gilbert.
Pension.

Approved, January 24, 1891.

January 26, 1891.

CHAP. 104.—An act granting a pension to Frederick Slawson.Frederick Slawson.
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 Frederick Slawson, dependent father of Charles B. Slawson, late captain of Company B, Twenty-eighth Regiment Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, January 26, 1891.

January 26, 1891.

CHAP. 105.—An act granting a pension to Johanna Teubner.Johanna Teubner.
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 Johanna Teubner, widow of Augustus C. Teubner, late captain of Company G, One hundred and sixty-third Regiment New York Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate provided by law for a captain's widow.

Approved, January 26, 1891.

January 26, 1891.

CHAP. 106.—An act granting a pension to George A. Perkins.George A. Perkins.
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 George A. Perkins, late a private in Company A, One hundred and eleventh Regiment New York Volunteers, and pay him a pension of twenty-four dollars a month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, January 26, 1891.

January 26, 1891.

CHAP. 107.—An act granting an increase of pension to Mrs. Mary McIntosh.Mary McIntosh.
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 seventeen dollars now received by Mrs. Mary McIntosh, widow of First Lieutenant Donald McIntosh, Seventh Cavalry, United States Army, to thirty dollars per month during her natural life-time, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, January 26, 1891.

January 26, 1891.

CHAP. 108.—An act to authorize the Secretary of War to remove the charges of desertion from the records of the War Department as to Dudley Johnson, late ordnance sergeant, United States Army.Dudley Johnson.
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 War be, and he is hereby, authorized to remove the charges of

desertion from the records of the War Department as to Dudley Johnson, late ordnance sergeant, United States Army: *Provided*, That such removal of the charge of desertion shall not entitle the said Johnson to any pay or emoluments.

Proviso.
Not entitled to pay, etc.

Approved, January 26, 1891.

CHAP. 110.—An act to provide increase of pension to Hosea Brown, of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve

January 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Hosea Brown, formerly a member of Captain Edward Burgess's company of New York 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 eight dollars per month he is now receiving under his pension certificate numbered twenty-four thousand five hundred and eighty.

Hosea Brown.
Pension increased.

Approved, January 28, 1891.

CHAP. 111.—An act granting a pension to Emily P. Collins.

January 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 P. Collins, an army nurse, of Hartford, Connecticut, and grant her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

Emily P. Collins.
Pension.

Approved, January 28, 1891.

CHAP. 112.—An act granting a pension to Mary B. Hascall.

February 4, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. Hascall, widow of Herbert A. Hascall, deceased, late captain and brevet lieutenant colonel Fifth Artillery, United States Army, at the rate of forty dollars per month.

Mary B. Hascall.
Pension.

Approved, February 4, 1891.

CHAP. 118.—An act to appropriate the sum of five hundred and seventeen dollars and sixty cents to George B. Kane and Company, in full payment of a balance due them for printer's ink furnished by them to the Public Printer.

February 7, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there is hereby appropriated to George B. Kane and William D. Kane, copartners under the firm name of George B. Kane and Company, of Chicago, Illinois, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five hundred and seventeen dollars and sixty cents, to be paid to them in full satisfaction of a balance due to them for printer's ink furnished by them to the Public Printer, between the second day of August, eighteen hundred and eighty-six, and the ninth day of September, eighteen hundred and eighty-six.

George B. Kane &
Co.
Payment to.

Approved, February 7, 1891.

February 7, 1891.

CHAP. 119.—An act to grant a pension to Major-General Franz Sigel.Franz Sigel.
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 the name of Franz Sigel, late major-general of volunteers in the Union Army, at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 7, 1891.

February 7, 1891.

CHAP. 120.—An act granting an increase of pension to Joseph J. Bartlett.Joseph J. Bartlett.
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 Joseph J. Bartlett, late colonel Twenty-seventh Regiment New York Volunteers, and brevet major-general, and pay him a pension of one hundred dollars per month in lieu of that which he now receives.

Approved, February 7, 1891.

February 11, 1891.

CHAP. 132.—An act for the relief of James H. Smith, late postmaster at Memphis, Tennessee.James H. Smith.
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 hereby is, directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James H. Smith, late postmaster at Memphis, Tennessee, the sum of four hundred and seven dollars and eighty-two cents, in full satisfaction for money expended by him for lights necessary to, and used in, the post-office.

Approved, February 11, 1891.

February 11, 1891.

CHAP. 133.—An act to remove the charge of desertion from the record of Michael Meskell.Michael Meskell.
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 cause the records of the Navy Department to be so amended as to remove the charge of desertion from the service record of Michael Meskell, late a seaman on the United States ship Pocahontas, and to grant an honorable discharge to the said Michael Meskell as of the date of July thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Approved, February 11, 1891.

February 11, 1891.

CHAP. 134.—An act for the relief of George Gunnell.George Gunnell.
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 War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to so correct the records of the service of George Gunnell, late of Company M, Seventh Regiment Michigan Volunteer Cavalry, as to remove the charge of desertion, and thereupon to issue to said George Gunnell a certificate of honorable discharge as of the date of December fifteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

Approved, February 11, 1891.

CHAP. 135.—An act granting a pension to Ellen E. Truex.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, at thirty dollars per month in lieu of the sum now paid her the name of Ellen E. Truex, widow of William S. Truex, late colonel of the Fourteenth Regiment of New Jersey Volunteers and brigadier general by brevet, United States Volunteers.

Ellen E. Truex.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 136.—An act granting a pension to Lydia A. Eaton.

February 12, 1891.

Be 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 Lydia A. Eaton, widow of William G. Eaton, late of Company A, Thirty-third Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers.

Lydia A. Eaton.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 137.—An act granting a pension to Lucy A. George.

February 12, 1891.

Be 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 Lucy A. George, widow of John S. George, private Company H, Twenty-second Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers.

Lucy A. George.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 138.—An act granting a pension to Caroline Hayes.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Caroline Hayes, daughter of Nathaniel Hayes, deceased, late of Second Company of Sharpshooters of the Twenty-second Regiment Massachusetts Volunteers, a pension of eighteen dollars per month, through her legally constituted guardian.

Caroline Hayes.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 139.—An act granting a pension to Jeremiah M. Sidwell.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Jeremiah M. Sidwell, of Spring Arbor, Michigan, late a private in the Indiana Home Guards, said Sidwell having been wounded at the battle of Panther Creek, Kentucky, while serving in the Army of the United States.

Jeremiah M. Sidwell.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 140.—An act granting a pension to George W. Pitner.George W. Pitner.
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. Pitner, late of Company E, Seventy-seventh Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 141.—An act granting a pension to Bridget Lynch.Bridget Lynch.
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 Bridget Lynch, widow of Thomas Lynch, late of Company A, Seventy-seventh Regiment Illinois Volunteers.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 142.—An act granting a pension to Nancy Hartley.Nancy Hartley.
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-rolls the name of Nancy Hartley, widow of Hugh S. Hartley, late a member of Captain Ford's company of Black Hawk Rangers, in the war of eighteen hundred and thirty-two and eighteen hundred and thirty-three, and allow her a pension at twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 143.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Burnett.Elizabeth Burnett.
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 Burnett, of Gallatin County, Illinois, late a nurse in the Fifty-sixth Regiment Illinois Volunteers during the late rebellion, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 144.—An act granting a pension to Aphia M. Brown.Aphia M. Brown.
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 Aphia M. Brown, mother of James F. Brown, late a private in Company D, Ninth New Hampshire Volunteers.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 145.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Susan Young.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Susan Young, widow of the late Samuel Young, late captain of the Independent Scouts of West Virginia.

Susan Young.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 146.—An act granting a pension to Charlotte B. Nutting.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Charlotte B. Nutting, mother of Henry D. Stoops, deceased, late of Company H, Sixteenth Regiment New York Volunteers, in the war of the rebellion.

Charlotte B. Nutting.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 147.—An act granting a pension to John Pickard.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Pickard, late drum-major in the Tenth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, and late of the Forty-fourth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers

John Pickard.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 148.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Mary Hogan.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Mrs. Mary Hogan, widow of Thomas Hogan, late of Battery D, Third United States Artillery, and allow her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Mary Hogan.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 149.—An act granting a pension to Bazel Lemley.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 of the United States the name of Bazel Lemley, late a member of Company I, Eighth Pennsylvania Reserve Corps, transferred to Company H, One hundred and ninety-first Pennsylvania Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Bazel Lemley.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 150.—An act granting a pension to Maria Hassendeubel and Apollonia Hassendeubel.

Maria and Apollonia
Hassendeubel.
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-rolls, in accordance with the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the names Maria Hassendeubel and Apollonia Hassendeubel, sisters of Colonel Franz Hassendeubel, late captain of Volunteer Artillery, Mexican war, and Colonel of the Seventeenth Missouri Volunteers in the late civil war, and pay them a pension of thirty dollars per month.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 151.—An act granting a pension to Thomas J. Wilkins.

Thomas J. Wilkins.
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-rolls the name of Thomas J. Wilkins late a private of Company D, Sixty-sixth Ohio Volunteer Infantry and of Company L, Second Ohio Heavy Artillery, and pay him a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month, he being totally disabled and infirm from wounds and army service.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 152.—An act granting an increase of pension to Alfred A. Jerome.

Alfred A. Jerome.
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 Alfred A. Jerome, late sergeant Company A, Twenty-third Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension of fifty dollars per month, which shall be in lieu of his present pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 153.—An act granting an increase of pension to Matthew C. Griswold.

Matthew C. Griswold.
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 Matthew C. Griswold, late a first lieutenant of Company L, Twentieth New York Cavalry, to thirty dollars per month, the same to be in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 154.—An act for the relief of Barton P. Spencer.

Barton P. Spencer.
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 Barton P. Spencer, late of Company G, First California Infantry Volunteers.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 155.—An act for the relief of Charles Duerson.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Duerson.

Charles Duerson.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 156.—An act for the relief of William Karger.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 William Karger, a sailor in the United States Navy, and pay him a pension at forty dollars per month.

William Karger.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 157.—An act for the relief of Caroline A. Fairfax.

February 12, 1891.

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 Caroline A. Fairfax, Washington, District of Columbia.

Caroline A. Fairfax.
Pension restored.
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Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 158.—An act for the relief of William L. Hurst, of Wolfe County, Kentucky.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of William L. Hurst, of Wolfe County, Kentucky.

William L. Hurst.
Pension.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 159.—An act increasing the pension of Catherine Doyle.

February 12, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Catherine Doyle, widow of Michael Doyle, late of Company B, First Regiment District of Columbia Volunteer cavalry, to twenty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now received by her.

Catherine Doyle.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 160.—An act to grant an increase of pension to Simon J. Fought.Simon J. Fought.
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 grant an increase of pension to Simon J. Fought, formerly a corporal of Company D of the Forty-sixth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, to fifty dollars per month.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 161.—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Mary A. McCulloch.Mary A. McCulloch.
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 A. McCulloch, widow of the late Captain Charles McCulloch, Seventh New York Heavy Artillery, to thirty-two dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now paid to her.

Approved, February 12, 1891.

February 12, 1891.

CHAP. 162.—An act giving the Court of Claims jurisdiction of the claims on account of property of the Chesapeake Female College, possessed and used by the United States military authorities.Chesapeake Female
College.Claim referred to
Court of Claims.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claims of the Chesapeake Female College, of Virginia, for the use and occupation of their property, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and thence to the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, by the military authorities of the United States, as well as all claims for personal property taken, appropriated and receipted for in behalf of the United States, be, and they are hereby, referred to the Court of Claims, and such adjudication shall be made thereon by said court as law and justice may seem to require; and the statutes of limitation shall not apply to these claims.

Received by the President January 31, 1891.

[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 13, 1891.

CHAP. 169.—An act for the relief of Andrew Schneider.Andrew Schneider.
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, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Andrew Schneider, doing a business as a brewer in the city of Plymouth, State of Wisconsin, the some of one hundred dollars, for special-tax stamps purchased for the manufacture of more than five hundred barrels of beer per annum; the said Schneider having for the years so purchased, namely, eighteen hundred and seventy-five and eighteen hundred and seventy-six, manufactured and sold less than five hundred barrels per annum, and who duly made claim for

the refund of same August twentieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, but which claim was lost or not received by the Treasury Department of the United States prior to the taking effect of the statute of limitations, namely, Act of March first, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, for such claims made and provided.

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Approved, February 13, 1891.

CHAP. 170.—An act for the relief of Charles Max Wittig, alias Max Wittig.

February 13, 1891.

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 from the records the charge of desertion against Max Wittig, late of Company C, First Missouri Artillery Volunteers, and to issue to him an honorable discharge as of the date of his leaving that organization, and to pay him all pay, bounty, and allowances that may be due him, without reference to the charge of desertion.

Max Wittig.
Charge of desertion removed.

Pay, etc.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

CHAP. 171.—An act for the relief of Charles H. Kellen.

February 13, 1891.

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 place the name of Charles H. Kellen on the rolls as a second lieutenant in Company F, Seventh Regiment Rhode Island Volunteers, as of date of December fifteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

Charles H. Kellen.
Military record corrected.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

CHAP. 172.—An act to correct the military record of William E. Crouse.

February 13, 1891.

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 to grant William E. Crouse, late second lieutenant of the First Massachusetts Heavy Artillery Regiment, an honorable discharge, notwithstanding the court-martial proceedings of March, eighteen hundred and sixty-five: *Provided,* That said Crouse shall not be entitled to any pay or allowances by virtue hereof.

William E. Crouse.
Granted honorable discharge.

Provido.

No pay, etc.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

CHAP. 173.—An act to correct the military record of Marcellus Pettitt.

February 13, 1891.

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 empowered and directed to enter the name of Marcellus Pettitt upon the muster rolls of Company G, Twenty-first Missouri Infantry Volunteers, from the first day of February, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to the tenth day of February eighteen hundred and sixty-two, the latter date being the date of his death and his muster having been prevented by his fatal illness.

Marcellus Pettitt.
Military record corrected.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

February 13, 1891.

CHAP. 174.—An act to re-imburse H. W. Keyes for money wrongfully paid the United States for commutation.

H. W. Keyes.
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 H. W. Keyes, late of Company F, Fourth Wisconsin Infantry Volunteers, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three hundred dollars, the same being for money wrongfully paid by said H. W. Keyes to Doctor J. H. Babcock, receiver of commutation money for the Fourth Wisconsin district, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to relieve the said H. W. Keyes from a draft made in said district, to which draft the said H. W. Keyes was not then liable, he not being a resident of said district.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

February 13, 1891.

CHAP. 175.—An act for cancellation of contract with United States engineer for delivery of stone for the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia River in Oregon and Washington.

Oregon Paving and
Contract Company.
Cancellation of contract with.

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 to cancel a certain contract entered into by and between the Oregon Paving and Contract Company, of the one part, and Captain Charles F. Powell, United States Engineer, acting for and on behalf of the United States, of the other part, and dated the second day of June, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, whereby said Oregon Paving and Contract Company contracted to furnish a certain amount of stone of certain dimensions to be used in the improvement of the mouth of the Columbia River, Oregon, on such terms as he may deem equitable and just.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 176.—An act granting a pension to John W. Bussabarger.

John W. Bussabarger.
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. Bussabarger, a drafted man who was forced to report while sick, and was deprived of his hearing in consequence thereof.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 177.—An act granting a pension to Sarah Phillips

Sarah Phillips.
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 Phillips, of Marion County, Illinois, widow of Jonathan Phillips, late a soldier in the Seminole Indian war, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 178.—An act granting a pension to Caroline E. Gray.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 E. Gray, an Army nurse during the late war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Caroline E. Gray.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 179.—An act granting a pension to Ruth Collier, of Tennessee.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 the name of Ruth Collier, widow of John M. Collier, who was enrolled as a private in Company B, Eighth Tennessee Cavalry, on the pension-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Ruth Collier.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 180.—An act granting a pension to Alexander Moore.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, at the rate of twelve dollars per month from the date of approval hereof, the name of Alexander Moore, late nurse of Company H, Twenty-fourth Regiment Indiana Volunteers, war of the rebellion.

Alexander Moore.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 181.—An act granting a pension to Harriet J. Yarbrough.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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-rolls, the name of Harriet J. Yarbrough, step-mother of Thomas J. Yarbrough, and pay her the same pension as if she had been the dependent mother of the said Thomas J. Yarbrough, late a soldier in Company I, Eighty-first Indiana Volunteer Infantry.

Harriet J. Yarbrough.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 182.—An act granting a pension to Ann M. Mosher.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Ann M. Mosher, mother of Charles H. Mosher, late a private of Company A, Eighteenth Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers.

Ann M. Mosher.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 183.—An act granting a pension to Margaret Cooney formerly Margaret Dolan.Margaret Cooney.
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. Margaret Cooney, widow of John Dolan, late a private in Company A, One hundred and sixty-third Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 184.—An act granting a pension to Zeruiah A. Potter.Zeruiah A. Potter.
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 Zeruiah A. Potter, late widow of Henry J. Potter, deceased, who was a private in Company E, Seventy-second Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 185.—An act granting a pension to Martha Leach.Martha Leach.
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 Martha Leach, who was the widow of Robert Morrison, private in Company H, One hundred and fifth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 186.—An act granting a pension to Orrin Day.Orrin Day.
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 rolls, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Orrin Day, late of Company A, Third United States Artillery, with Captain Thomas Childs, in the Florida war, eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 187.—An act granting a pension to Drewry Porter.Drewry Porter.
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 Drewry Porter, of Mitchell County, Georgia, late a private in Captain McCrary's Georgia Volunteers in the Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, at the rate of eight dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 188.—An act granting a pension to Annie M. Kimball, widow of Alvah M. Kimball, Company H, Sixth New Hampshire Regiment Volunteers.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 M. Kimball, widow of Alvah M. Kimball, deceased, late quartermaster Sergeant of the Sixth New Hampshire Volunteers, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Annie M. Kimball.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 189.—An act granting a pension to Theresa D. Doubles.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted 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, directed and authorized to place on the pension-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Theresa D. Doubles, late the widow of Israel D. Smith, Company B, Two hundred and eleventh Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Theressa D. Doubles.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 190.—An act granting a pension to Sophia Wenzel.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Sophia Wenzel, widow of John Wenzel, of Company F, Seventh United States Infantry, in the Florida war, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Sophia Wenzel.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 191.—An act granting a pension to Annie B. Pettigrew.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Annie B. Pettigrew, dependent daughter of Henry J. Pettigrew, Company E, Third New Hampshire Regiment, a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Annie B. Pettigrew.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 192.—An act granting pension to Margaret Proctor Noyes.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Margaret Proctor Noyes, widow of General Edward F. Noyes, late colonel of the Thirty-ninth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and brevet brigadier-general, at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

Margaret Proctor
Noyes.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 193.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. K. S. Sutliff, widow of John D. Sutliff.

Mrs. K. S. Sutliff.
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 K. S. Sutliff, widow of John D. Sutliff, late of Company D, Ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry, on the pension rolls subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 194.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Mary Baldouf.

Mary Baldouf.
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 Baldouf, widow of Joseph Forester, late a corporal in Company F, Eighteenth Regiment Connecticut Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 195.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth D. Foster.

Elizabeth D. Foster.
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 Elizabeth D. Foster, widow of William R. Foster, late a captain of Company E, Fifty-first Pennsylvania Volunteers, and to grant her a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 196.—An act granting a pension to Lorain McCook.

Lorain McCook.
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, at the rate per month of thirty dollars, the name of Lorain McCook, widow of General Edwin S. McCook, late a captain of Company I, Thirty-first Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and lieutenant-colonel and colonel of said regiment, and a brevet major-general in the volunteer military service of the United States in the war of the rebellion.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 197.—An act granting a pension to Lucy J. Blanchard, late a volunteer nurse in the United States military service.

Lucy J. Blanchard.
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 Lucy J. Blanchard, of Syracuse,

New York, late a volunteer nurse in the United States military service during the war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 198.—An act granting a pension to Mary A. McKee.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mrs. Mary A. McKee, for her services as army nurse during the late war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Mary A. McKee.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 199.—An act granting a pension to Charles D. Hanscom.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 D. Hanscom, late of Company I, Second Regiment Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of thirty-six dollars per month, in lieu of the pension which he is now receiving.

Charles D. Hanscom.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 200.—An act granting a pension to Diana Dickey.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Diana Dickey, late widow of Daniel G. Carl, Company H, One hundred and fifth Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers, on the pension rolls at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Diana Dickey.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 201.—An act granting a pension to Captain Andrew J. Briscoe.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Captain Andrew J. Briscoe, pilot of the United States Government transport boats on the Ohio, Mississippi, Tennessee, and other rivers, at thirty dollars per month.

Andrew J. Briscoe.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 202.—An act granting a pension to Hannah L. Palmer.Hannah L. Palmer.
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 Hannah L. Palmer, who served as a hospital nurse during the war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 203.—An act granting a pension to Samantha A. Bignell.Samantha A. Big-
nell.
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 Samantha A. Bignell, an army nurse, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 204.—An act granting a pension to Ann Maria Bullock Schram.Ann Maria Bullock
Schram.
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 Ann Maria Bullock Schram, a resident of Fort Plain, New York, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, on account of disability resulting from disease contracted while serving as a hospital nurse during the war of the rebellion.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 205.—An act granting a pension to Lydia P. Holmes.Lydia P. Holmes.
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 the name of Lydia P. Holmes, of Athens, Somerset County, Maine, mother of William L. Holmes, late of Company I, First Regiment Maine Heavy Artillery Volunteers.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 206.—An act granting a pension to George W. Bryant.George W. Bryant.
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 George W. Bryant, late a corporal in Company H, Eighth New Hampshire Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month on and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 207.—An act for the relief of Mary Ann Reid

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Ann Reid, the aged and blind daughter of Andrew Carman, who was a soldier in the war of the Revolution, and to pay her a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Mary Ann Reid.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 208.—An act for the relief of Thomas H. Bruce.

February 14, 1891.

Whereas, Thomas H. Bruce, of Lewis County, Kentucky, was an engineer on steamboats employed by the United States Government in transporting troops and supplies during the late war of the rebellion, said position being dangerous, on account of the enemy often firing from the banks of the rivers at the men on the boat; and

Preamble.

Whereas Said Bruce was shot and wounded so as to unfit him for work ever since: 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 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 H. Bruce, of Lewis County, Kentucky.

Thomas H. Bruce.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 209.—An act for the relief of Polly Gray.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension-laws, the name of Polly Gray, widow of Truman Gray, late a soldier in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Polly Gray.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 210.—An act for the relief of Alexander Sturgeon.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 terms and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Alexander Sturgeon, a private in Company E, in the Third Regiment of Indiana Infantry, and pay to him the sum of twenty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now paid him.

Alexander Stur-
geon.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 211.—An act for the relief of Delila Roe.Delila Roe.
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 Delila Roe, widow of George C. Roe, on the pension-roll and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 212.—An act for the relief of Eliza Pyle.Eliza Pyle.
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 Eliza Pyle, late a nurse in the hospital of the Fortieth Illinois Regiment Volunteers, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 213.—An act for the relief of Daniel Graff.Daniel Graff.
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 Daniel Graff, late a private in Company I, Sixth Pennsylvania Heavy Artillery.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 214.—An act for the relief of Martha F. Stebbins.Martha F. Stebbins.
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 instructed to place on the pension-rolls, at the rate of thirty dollars a month, the name of Martha F. Stebbins, widow of Dwight D. Stebbins, who volunteered and acted as a surgeon when called on by the Government after the battle of Shiloh, and gave his professional services to the sick and wounded of the Union armies in response to said call, and, although not mustered into the service, died of camp fever while performing said services.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 215.—An act for the relief of Richard M. A. Fenwick, late of the Mexican war.Richard M. A. Fenwick.
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 the name of Richard M. A. Fenwick, late a private in Thrift's company, First Regiment of Virginia Volunteers of the Mexican war, on the pension-roll of the United States at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 216.—An act for the relief of Frances T. Dana.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Frances T. Dana, widow of the late Commander William Starr Dana, of the United States Navy, and to pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

Frances T. Dana.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 217.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Elizabeth P. Newhouse.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. Elizabeth P. Newhouse, formerly wife of Christian Newhouse, deceased, late of Company E, Fourth Regiment Indiana Volunteer Cavalry, upon the pension-roll, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws, and pay her a pension at eight dollars per month.

Elizabeth P. Newhouse.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 218.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Lillie E. Willis.

February 14, 1891.

Be 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 directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mrs. Lillie E. Willis, of the city of New York, State of New York, widow of the late Benjamin A. Willis, major One hundred and nineteenth Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry.

Lillie E. Willis.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 219.—An act to grant a pension to Richard C. Cabeen.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Richard C. Cabeen, who was a soldier in Company A, in Owen's battalion attached to Colonel Doniphan's First Missouri Regiment in the Mexican war, and pay him a pension at eight dollars per month.

Richard C. Cabeen.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 220.—An act to grant a pension Lydia Ziegler.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Lydia Ziegler, mother of John Ziegler, D. R. Ziegler, C. F. Ziegler, W. H. Ziegler, S. B. Ziegler, B. F. Ziegler, and N. R. Ziegler, three of whom served in the late war, from eighteen hundred and sixty-one to the end of the war; two of

Lydia Ziegler.
Pension.

whom served from eighteen hundred and sixty-two to the end of the war, and two of whom served from eighteen hundred and sixty-four to the end of the war, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 221.—An act to grant a pension to Mrs. Etta Hubbs as an army nurse.

Etta Hubbs.
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 Mrs. Etta Hubbs, of Carthage, Illinois, who was an army nurse, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 222.—An act to pension Walker H. Fomby for service in the Indian war.

Walker H. Fomby.
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 Walker H. Fomby, of Sardis, Hempstead County Arkansas, late a private of Captain John Loyall's company, Georgia Mounted Volunteers, Creek Indian war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 223.—An act to pension Hannah C. Reid.

Hannah C. Reid.
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 C. Reid, widow of Henry C. Reid, late a private in Company D, Forty-third Battalion New York Volunteers, and to pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 224.—An act to pension James Murphy.

James Murphy.
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-rolls the name of James Murphy, late of Captain James Ford's company, Colonel Dodge's regiment, in the Black Hawk war, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 225.—An act to pension Thomas Gorham.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Thomas Gorham, of Wallaceburgh, Hempstead County, Arkansas, who served as a private in Captain G. F. Swaggerty's Company, Second Regiment Georgia Mounted Volunteers, Florida and Cherokee wars of eighteen hundred and thirty-seven and eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

Thomas Gorham.
Pension.**CHAP. 226.**—An act to pension William A. Todd

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 A. Todd, who served as a private in Captain John D. Sill's company of Colonel William Wodd's battalion, Georgia Creek War Volunteers, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

William A. Todd.
Pension.**CHAP. 227.**—An act to pension Sarah Thomasson.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Sarah Thomasson, of Prescott, Arkansas, widow of Beverly D. Thomasson, deceased, who served as third lieutenant, Captain Green's company, Wood's battalion, Georgia Militia, Creek war, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and as first lieutenant Captain Storey's company, First Georgia Infantry, Cherokee war, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and pay her a pension at the rate of seventeen dollars per month.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

Sarah Thomasson.
Pension.**CHAP. 228.**—An act granting an increase of pension to John Moran.

February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 increase the pension of John Moran, late first lieutenant Company F, Fifty-fourth Regiment Kentucky Mounted Infantry Volunteers, and allow him, in addition to his present pension, the legal rating for complete scrotal hernia of right side.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

John Moran.
Pension increased.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 229.—An act granting an increase of pension to Willis Sturgeon, of Hart County, Kentucky.Willis Sturgeon.
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 pay Willis Sturgeon (a soldier of the Mexican war and a private soldier of Company K, Twenty-sixth Regiment Kentucky Volunteers, in the late civil war), a pension of twenty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension of eight dollars per month he is now receiving, subject to the pension laws of the United States.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 230.—An act granting increase of pension to Robert Cullen.Robert Cullen.
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 Robert Cullen, late captain Company I, Seventy-fourth Ohio Infantry, on the pension rolls, and pay him a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the sum now paid him.

Approved, February, 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 231.—An act to increase the pension of Daniel King.Daniel King.
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 terms and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Daniel King, a private of Company E, Third Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, of the war with Mexico, and pay to him the sum of twenty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now paid to him.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 232.—An act increasing the pension of Mrs. Rochie Brien Buell.Rochie Brien Buell.
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 of the United States be, and he is hereby, directed to place on the pension-roll of the United States the name of Mrs. Rochie Brien Buell, widow of General George P. Buell, late of the United States Army, at the rate of fifty dollars per month, according to the rules and regulations governing pensions, which shall be in lieu of the pension which the said Mrs. Rochie Brien Buell is now drawing as such widow.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 233.—An act to place on the pension roll the name of Mrs. Caroline E. Duryee.Caroline E. Duryee.
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 Mrs. Caroline E. Duryee, widow of Abraham Duryee, late a brigadier-general, retired, of the United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 234.—An act restoring Bethia White, late Bèthia Pool, to the pension roll. February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 and place upon the pension-rolls the name of Bethia White, late Bethia Pool, widow of Nathaniel Pool, Company C, One hundred and fourth Regiment Illinois Volunteer Infantry, under pension claim numbered twenty-nine thousand two hundred and six, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Bethia White.
Pension restored.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 235.—An act authorizing an increase of invalid pension to William H. Morse, of Lawrence, Massachusetts. February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 cause the name of William H. Morse, formerly employed in the Ordnance Department at the Washington navy-yard, and whose name is now borne on the invalid pension-rolls under pension certificate (naval) numbered fifty-four hundred and twenty-nine, to be entered upon said pension-rolls for such increase of pension as may be recommended according to law for wounds and disabilities received by said William H. Morse while in the naval service of the United States of America, but not duly enlisted therein, on or about the twenty-fifth day of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and subsequently thereto, and that said William H. Morse received such increase of pension as he would have received had he been duly enlisted in the naval service of the United States when he received said wounds and disabilities.

William H. Morse.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 236.—An act granting a pension to Henry A. Hoar. February 14, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Henry A. Hoar, a member of the Indiana Legion; and pay him a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

Henry A. Hoar.
Pension.

Approved, February 14, 1891.

CHAP. 241.—An act for the relief of Sarah E. E. Perine, widow and administratrix of William Perine, deceased. February 16, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claim of Sarah E. E. Perine, widow and administratrix of William Perine, deceased, for further compensation for the construction of the iron-

William Perine.
Claim of administratrix, for building monitor, etc., referred to Court of Claims.

clad monitor Naubac and the iron tug-boats Maria and Triana may be submitted by said claimant within six months after the passage of this act to the Court of Claims, under and in compliance with the rules and regulations of said court; and said court shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine and render judgment upon the same: *Provided, however,* That the investigation of said claim shall be made upon the following basis: The said court shall ascertain the additional cost which was necessarily incurred by the contractor for building the light-draught monitor Naubac and the iron tug-boats Maria and Triana in the completion of the same, by reason of any changes or alterations in the plans and specifications required, and delays in the prosecution of the work: *Provided,* That such additional cost in completing the same, and such changes or alterations in the plans and specifications required, and delays in the prosecution of the work, were occasioned by the Government of the United States; but no allowance for any advance in the price of labor or material shall be considered unless such advance occurred during the prolonged term for completing the work rendered necessary by delay resulting from the action of the Government aforesaid, and then only when such advance could not have been avoided by the exercise of ordinary prudence and diligence on the part of the contractors: *And provided further,* That the compensation fixed by the contractors and the Government for specific alterations in advance of such alterations shall be conclusive as to the compensation to be made therefor: *Provided,* That such alterations, when made, complied with the specifications of the same as furnished by the Government aforesaid: *And provided further,* That all moneys paid to said contractors by the Government over and above the original contract price for building said vessel shall be deducted from any amounts allowed by said court by reason of the matters hereinbefore stated: *And provided further,* That if any such changes caused less work and expenses to the contractor than the original plan and specifications, a corresponding deduction shall be made from the contract price, and the amount thereof be deducted from any allowance which may be made by said court to said claimants.

Approved, February 16, 1891.

Provisos.
Basis of investigation.

Allowance for additional cost from change of plans, etc.

Agreed alterations.

Alterations complying with specifications.

Payments deducted.

Deductions for decreased cost.

February 16, 1891.

CHAP. 242.—An act for the relief of M. A. Fulton, Silas Staples, and the other sureties upon the official bond of James D. Reymert, executed to the United States on the seventh of February, eighteen hundred and sixty, as receiver of public moneys.

James D. Reymert, Sureties on official bond released.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Albert B. Harris, D. C. Ketchum, O. P. Brown, Duncan McGregor, John O. Henning, Daniel Mears, James Keefe, Byron Brown, Heman Dodge, Inglebeth Svendson, Silas Staples, M. A. Fulton, Peter Olson, Patrick Moore, Andrew Olson, William Wood, and the estates of John Dore, L. P. Wetherby, Samuel W. Fuller, S. P. Thornhill, Joel Foster, William Dailey, John Shaseby, James B. Gray, Sidney S. Starr, Philip S. Brady, Lorenzo Hendee, Peter F. Bouchea, Robert Henry, Allen Dawson, Andrew Spellacy, J. M. Whaley, John Comstock, William Ryan, John Welch, Louis Massey, and John B. Page, be, and they are hereby, released from any and all liability to the United States as sureties upon the bond executed by them on the seventh of February, eighteen hundred and sixty, for the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, by James D. Reymert as principal, as receiver of public moneys for the district of lands subject to sale at Hudson, Wisconsin, and from the lien of the judgment entered against said sureties in behalf of the United States on said bond on

the second of June, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, in the United States court for the district of Wisconsin, for eight thousand four hundred and sixty dollars; and the Secretary of the Treasury is instructed to cause to be satisfied of record the said judgment: *Provided, however,* That nothing herein contained shall be construed as affecting in any manner the liability of said Reymert to the United States on said bond, or the right of the United States to realize upon any security given by said Reymert in the premises.

Proviso.
Principal's liability not affected.

Approved, February 16, 1891.

CHAP. 243.—An act for the relief of Duncan D. Cameron, late first lieutenant ninth United States Colored Troops.

February 16, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to amend the military record of Duncan D. Cameron, late first lieutenant Ninth United States Colored Troops, by removing therefrom the entry of dismissal from the United States service March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, for absence without leave, and granting him an honorable discharge as of that date; but nothing herein contained shall in any way entitle him to additional pay or allowance on account of such service.

Duncan D. Cameron.
Military record corrected.

No pay, etc.

Approved, February 16, 1891.

CHAP. 245.—An act to grant a pension to General Nathaniel Prentiss Banks.

February 18, 1891.

Be it 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 upon the pension rolls the name of Nathaniel Prentiss Banks, of Waltham, Massachusetts, late major-general of volunteers, at the rate of one hundred dollars per month.

Nathaniel Prentiss Banks.
Pension.

SECTION 2. That this act shall go into effect upon its passage.
Approved, February 18, 1891.

CHAP. 246.—An act for the relief of John Hollins McBlair.

February 19, 1891.

Whereas John Hollins McBlair, late a first lieutenant in the Fifteenth United States Infantry, was, by order of the President dated October sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, wholly retired from the service, and was afterwards, on April eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, ordered by the President to be retired for disability incident to the service and to be placed upon the retired list, and has ever since been borne upon such retired list, up to November twelfth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and has been regularly paid as such retired officer up to April thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and the Court of Claims has recently decided that the order of the President of April eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, attempting to revoke the order of October sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, wholly retiring him, and to restore him to the retired list, was not operative: Therefore,

Preamble.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of law regulating appointments in the Army by promotion in the line are hereby suspended for the purposes of this act only, and only

John Hollins McBlair.
May be appointed first lieutenant, retired.

so far as they affect John Hollins McBlair; and the President can, if he so desire, in the exercise of his own discretion and judgment, nominate and, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint said John Hollins McBlair, late a first lieutenant in the Fifteenth United States Infantry Regiment, to the same grade and rank of first lieutenant in the Army of the United States in the infantry service, and to place him upon the retired list of the Army as of the date of April eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, with the pay of his grade and rank from April thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and with a full discharge from all liability for any sums paid to or received by him previously to said date.

Pay, etc.

Received by the President February 7, 1891.

[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 20, 1891.

CHAP. 247.—An act for the relief of T. A. Kendig.

Theodore A. Kendig.
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 three thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty-nine cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay Theodore A. Kendig, surviving partner of the copartnership of T. A. Kendig and J. C. McManus, for one month's extra pay on mail routes numbered eighty-one hundred and sixty-six and eighty-one hundred and sixty-seven, on which the service of carrying the mail was discontinued by order of the Postmaster-General on May thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, which sum of three thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and fifty-nine cents was allowed for payment by order of the Postmaster-General, dated the first day of December, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine; and that the sum so appropriated be made immediately available.

Approved, February 20, 1891.

February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 253.—An act for the relief of John W. Blake.

John W. Blake.
Pay, etc., 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 W. Blake, of the city of Indianapolis, State of Indiana, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the pay and allowances of a captain of infantry in the volunteer service from the twenty-third day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, to the twenty-first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, less any amounts paid him during said term, which shall be in full payment of all claims which the said John W. Blake may have against the Government of the United States for back pay.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 254.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Selina Bestor, Orson H. Bestor, and E. Francis Riggs.

February 21, 1891.

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 Mrs. Selina Bestor, Orson H. Bestor, and E. Francis Riggs, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-one thousand two hundred and thirty dollars and sixty-seven cents, the same being the amount that was improperly turned over to the United States Treasury, or to the disbursing officers of the United States Navy, by the aforesaid parties in settlement of a deficiency in the money account of Assistant Paymaster Jacob D. Doyle, United States Navy, who at the time the deficiency occurred was insane, and that said sum be distributed as follows: To Mrs. Selina Bestor the sum of fourteen thousand two hundred and thirty dollars and sixty-seven cents; to Orson H. Bestor, the sum of four thousand dollars; and to E. Francis Riggs, the sum of three thousand dollars.

Selina Bestor, Orson H. Bestor, and E. Francis Riggs.
Payment to.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 255.—An act for the relief of Nathan Kimball, postmaster at Ogden, Utah.

February 21, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Postmaster-General be, and is hereby, directed to credit the account of Nathan Kimball, postmaster at Ogden, Utah, with the sum of one thousand three hundred and twenty-nine dollars and thirty-eight cents, for postal funds stolen or embezzled from the post-office at Ogden, Utah, for which he is responsible to the United States.

Nathan Kimball.
Credit in accounts of.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 256.—An act to remove the charge of desertion from the record of Michael Flaherty.

February 21, 1891.

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 hereby is, authorized and directed to cause the records of the War Department to be so amended as to remove the charge of desertion from the service record of Michael Flaherty, late a private in Company H, Ninety-first regiment New York Volunteers, and to grant an honorable discharge to the said Michael Flaherty as a private of said company as of the date of July third, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Michael Flaherty.
Charge of desertion removed.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 257.—An act for the relief of William Jewell College, of Liberty, Clay County, Missouri.

February 21, 1891.

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 William Jewell College, of Liberty, Clay County, Missouri, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two thousand two hundred dollars, in compensation for the use and occupation of the college building while used by the

William Jewell College.
Payment to.

Proviso.
To be accepted in full.

United States Army, subsequent to September sixteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-one: *Provided*, That the said sum be accepted in full payment of all claims against the United States down to the date of the passage of this act.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 258.—An act for the relief of Henry Clay and others, owners and crew of the whaling schooner Franklin, of New Bedford, Massachusetts.

"Franklin," whaling schooner.
Payment to Henry Clay, owner, and crew, for rescuing passengers, etc., of burning steamer "Lorenzo D. Baker."

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 to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Henry Clay, of New Bedford, Massachusetts, agent and managing owner of the whaling schooner Franklin, of New Bedford, the sum of three thousand five hundred dollars, that sum being the estimated loss to the owners, captain, and crew of the schooner Franklin in rescuing the passengers and crew, twenty-six persons, after they had abandoned at sea the burning steamer Lorenzo D. Baker, of Boston, and conveying them safely to New Bedford, thereby causing the schooner to leave her cruising grounds and break up her voyage.

Distribution.

SEC. 2. That one third of the sum appropriated by this act shall be paid to the captain and crew of the Franklin, according to the estimated amount of what would have been their respective shares of the catch.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 259.—An act for the relief of Thomas W. Houts.

Thomas W. Houts.
Military record corrected.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized to remit the unexecuted portion of the sentence of court-martial in the case of Thomas W. Houts, late major Seventh Cavalry Missouri State Militia, and to cause said Thomas W. Houts to be honorably mustered out of the volunteer service of the United States, as of the date of said sentence of said court-martial: *Provided*, That the said Thomas W. Houts shall not in consequence of the passage of this act be entitled to have or receive back pay or allowance.

Proviso.
Not to have pay, etc.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 260.—An act for the relief of James M. Lowry.

James M. Lowry.
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 two hundred and seventeen dollars and seventy-three cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James M. Lowry, the same being balance due him for services rendered as assistant marshal in the eleventh enumerator's district of East Tennessee in taking the eighth census of the United States.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 261.—An act for the relief of Abram F. McCurdy.

February 21, 1891.

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 empowered to issue and grant an honorable discharge from the Army of the United States to Abram F. McCurdy, late a major in the Tenth Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, which discharge shall bear date as of May thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and with the rank of a major, and said discharge, with said rank, as of said date, shall be granted, notwithstanding his dismissal from the service by virtue of the proceedings and sentence of a general court-martial promulgated in General Orders Numbered Ninety-eight, May thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, from Headquarters Department of the Cumberland: *Provided,* That no pay or allowances shall be paid said Major McCurdy by reason of such honorable discharge.

Abram F. McCurdy.
Honorable discharge to.

Provido.
Not to have pay, etc.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 262.—An act for the relief of North S. Storms.

February 21, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and hereby is, authorized to revoke and set aside so much of special orders numbered twenty-seven, War Department, Adjutant-General's Office, Washington, January eighteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, as confirms so much of "special orders numbered three hundred and twenty-two, December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, from Headquarters Department of Arkansas, as dismissed second lieutenant N. S. Storms, Company E, Thirteenth Illinois Cavalry, for inefficiency and worthlessness, and then to disapprove, revoke, and set aside so much of special orders numbered three hundred and twenty-two, December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, Headquarters Department of Arkansas, as dismissed second lieutenant N. S. Storms, Company E, Thirteenth Illinois Cavalry, for inefficiency and worthlessness, and to grant and cause to be issued to said North S. Storms a certificate of honorable muster out of the service as of the date of December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-four. And said North S. Storms shall not be entitled, by virtue of this act, to any pay or allowance subsequent to said thirty-first day of December, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

North S. Storms.
Military record corrected.

Not to have pay, etc.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 263.—An act for the relief of the owners and crews of the American whaling-vessels Midas, Progress, Lagoda, Daniel Webster, and Europa.

February 21, 1891.

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 owners (through their legal representatives) of each of the vessels Midas, Progress, Lagoda, Daniel Webster, and Europa, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of nineteen thousand eight hundred and sixty-one dollars and twenty-seven cents to the owners of the vessel Midas, twenty-one thousand five hundred and twenty-seven dollars and ninety-five cents to the owners of the vessel Daniel Webster, twenty-three thousand six hundred and eleven dollars and twenty cents to the owners of the vessel Lagoda, twenty-six thousand one hundred and eleven dollars

"Midas," "Progress," "Lagoda," "Daniel Webster," and "Europa."
Payment to owners for rescue of 900 seamen.

and thirty-two cents to the owners of the vessel *Progress*, and thirty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine dollars and sixteen cents to the owners of the vessel *Europa*, in full compensation for losses sustained and services rendered by them in abandoning their business of whale-catching and rescuing nine hundred seamen in the Arctic seas.

Distribution.

SEC. 2. That said moneys shall be paid over to the owners of each of said vessels, for the benefit of themselves; and of such of the officers and crews of said vessels, respectively, as were engaged in that particular season of the cruise in the Arctic Ocean during which said rescue was made, and such moneys shall be distributed by the owners between themselves and said officers and crews in the proportion to their respective lays, and in the same manner as the ordinary earnings from the said cruise would have been distributed. The Secretary of the Treasury shall not be bound to see to the application of said moneys by the owners.

Receipts.

SEC. 3. That said owners, respectively, shall deliver to the Secretary of the Treasury, upon the receipt of said money, and in behalf of themselves and said officers and crews, a full discharge of all claims, equitable or otherwise, which they have, or think they in any way have, against the United States on account of the aforesaid losses and services.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 264.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Elizabeth C. Custer.

Elizabeth C. Custer.
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 hereby is, authorized and directed to pay to Mrs. Elizabeth C. Custer, widow of General George A. Custer, a pension at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act, in lieu of the pension which she now receives

Approved, February 21, 1891.

February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 265.—An act authorizing the President of the United States to revoke the order of dismissal of William L. Lenan, first lieutenant Company B, Thirty-eighth Regiment Indiana Volunteers, and to accept his resignation

William L. Lenan.
Military record corrected.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and hereby is, authorized to revoke Special Orders numbered four hundred and ninety-six, War Department, Adjutant-General's Office, Washington, November seventh, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, and Special Orders numbered one hundred and twenty-two, Headquarters of the Army, Adjutant-General's Office, Washington, June nineteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-six, dismissing William L. Lenan, first lieutenant of Company B, Thirty-eighth Regiment Indiana Volunteers, from the service of the United States for disobedience of orders and absence without leave under the name of William L. Lenan, and to accept the resignation of said William L. Lenan as first lieutenant of said company and regiment as of date May second, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, and to cause to be issued to him a certificate of such acceptance of his resignation and of honorable discharge from the service as of said date.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 266.—An act to remove the charge of desertion against Urs Ambrose Nunlist.

February 21, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to remove from the records the charge of desertion against Urs Ambrose Nunlist, alias Urs Nunlist, Company C, One hundred and eighteenth Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and substitute therefor discharged from further military service on June fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, by order of the probate court of Hamilton County, Ohio, on writ of habeas corpus, sued out by his father because he was a minor under the age of eighteen years, and placed in the custody of his father, and issue to him a certificate of honorable discharge as of date June fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, by reason of such habeas corpus proceedings.

Urs Ambrose Nunlist.
Charge of desertion removed.

Approved, February 21, 1891.

CHAP. 267.—An act granting a pension to Levi Danley.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Levi Danley, late corporal in Captain McClure's company, Illinois Mounted Infantry Volunteers, in the Black Hawk war of eighteen hundred and thirty-two, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Levi Danley.
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 268.—An act granting a pension to Betsey Johnson.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Betsey Johnson, widow of Jehiel Johnson, late of Company A, Twenty-fourth Regiment Connecticut Infantry Volunteers.

Betsey Johnson.
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 269.—An act granting a pension to Sarah J. Powers.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 J. Powers, widow of Norman Powers, late of Company E, Twenty-ninth Wisconsin Volunteers.

Sarah J. Powers.
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 270.—An act granting a pension to Andrew J. Elliott.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted 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

Andrew J. Elliott.
Pension increased.

on the pension-roll the name of Andrew J. Elliott, Mexican veteran, at the rate of thirty dollars a month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 271.—An act granting a pension to Adaline L. Miller.

Adaline L. Miller.
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 twelve dollars per month, the name of Adaline L. Miller, late a nurse in the United States hospitals during the war of the rebellion.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 272.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Jane Hinsdale.

Jane Hinsdale.
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 the name of Mrs. Jane Hinsdale, late a nurse in Union armies, on the pension roll, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 273.—An act granting a pension to Peter Zimmerman.

Peter Zimmerman.
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 Peter Zimmerman, late a private in Company H, Thirty-first Wisconsin Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of his present disability.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 274.—An act granting a pension to Myra E. Lakin.

Myra E. Lakin.
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 Myra E. Lakin, widow of John W. Lawrence, late a second lieutenant Company C, Fifth New Hampshire Volunteers.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 275.—An act granting a pension to Frank C. Myrick.

Frank C. Myrick.
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 Frank C. Myrick, late a scout under General Sibley, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 276.—An act granting a pension to John Farrell.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Farrell, late a private United States Marine Corps.

John Farrell.
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 277.—An act granting a pension to Nathan C. Moore.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Nathan C. Moore, late a private of Captain Byram's company (E), of Colonel Benjamin Snodgrass's regiment, North Alabama Mounted Volunteers, in the Seminole Indian war, and to pay him a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Nathan C. Moore.
Pension.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 278.—An act granting an increase of pension to Joseph C. Fosnot.

February 23, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 C. Fosnot, late of Company A, Nineteenth Wisconsin Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Joseph C. Fosnot.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 279.—An act for the relief of Rodman M. Price.

February 23, 1891.

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 to adjust, upon principles of equity and justice, the accounts of Rodman M. Price, late purser in the United States Navy, and acting navy agent at San Francisco, California, crediting him with the sum paid over to and receipted for by his successor, A. M. Van Nostrand, acting purser, January fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty, and pay to said Rodman M. Price, or his heirs, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, any sum that may be found due him upon such adjustment.

Rodman M. Price.
Accounts to be adjusted.

Payment of balance due.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 280.—An act to increase the pension of Edward H. Leib.Edward H. Leib.
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 Edward H. Leib, late brevet lieutenant colonel Fifth United States Cavalry, from fifty to seventy-two dollars per month, to date from the passage of this act, on account of increased disabilities rendering constant personal attendance and assistance necessary.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 23, 1891.

CHAP. 281.—An act to pension Charles W. Geddes for services rendered in the war with Mexico.Charles W. Geddes.
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 required to place the name of Charles W. Geddes, of Washington, District of Columbia, on the pension roll, on account of services on board the United States steamer General Taylor, 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.

Approved, February 23, 1891.

February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 292.—An act for the relief of D. H. Mitchell.D. H. Mitchell.
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 D. H. Mitchell, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of nine thousand two hundred and seventy dollars and eighty-three cents, in full satisfaction for seven thousand four hundred and sixteen and sixty-seven one-hundredths bushels of corn delivered to the assistant quartermaster at Fort Harker, Kansas, during the months of November and December, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, and during the months of January, February, March, and April, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 293.—An act to amend the act of Congress approved September twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and ninety, authorizing the President to restore Tenedor Ten Eyck to the Army and place him on the retired list.Tenedor Ten Eyck.
Retirement.
Ante, p. 500.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the act of Congress approved September twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and ninety, entitled "An act to authorize the President to restore Tenedor Ten Eyck to his former rank in the Army and to place him on the retired list of army officers," be amended by adding after the word "Infantry," where the same occurs in the said act, the words "th retired list of the Army being increased in number to that extent.

Received by the President February 12, 1891.

[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. 294.—An act to authorize the proper accounting officers of the Treasury to audit and pay the claim of the county of Schuylkill, in the State of Pennsylvania, for money advanced by it under allotments made by soldiers from said county during the late rebellion, by virtue of section twelve of the act of Congress entitled "An act to authorize the employment of volunteers to aid in enforcing the laws and protecting public property," approved July twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

February 24, 1891.

Whereas, the county of Schuylkill, in the State of Pennsylvania, during the late rebellion advanced money upon allotments made by soldiers from the said county then in the service of the United States to the families of said soldiers and to others, under and by virtue of section twelve of the act of Congress entitled "An act to authorize the employment of Volunteers to aid in enforcing the laws and protecting public property," approved July twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, and the orders and regulations of the Secretary of War made in pursuance of said section of said act of Congress; and

Preamble.

Vol. 12, p. 271.

Whereas, the said county claims that the whole sum so advanced by it has not heretofore been refunded to it by the United States: 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 be, and are hereby, authorized and directed to audit the claim of the said county of Schuylkill, and when audited to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the said county such portion of the sum advanced upon allotments as aforesaid by the said county which the accounting officers aforesaid may thereby ascertain has not heretofore been refunded to said county by the United States: *Provided,* That no sum shall be so refunded when it shall appear to said accounting officers that the soldier making such particular allotment or allotments shall have been also paid by the United States, unless it shall also appear that such double payment was not through any negligence in reference thereto on the part of the officers of said county charged with the duty of making such advances.

Schuylkill County, Pa.
Claim to be audited and paid.

Proviso.

Double payments.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 295.—An act providing for a board to examine and report as to the physical condition of William C. Spencer at the time of his resignation from the Army.

February 24, 1891.

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 appoint a board of officers of the Army to ascertain and report as to the physical condition of William C. Spencer, late Captain in the United States Army, at the time of his resignation from said service, and the disability, if any, under which he was then suffering, and whether by reason of the same he was entitled to retirement at the time of his said resignation, and to report to Congress the findings of said board.

William C. Spencer.
Army Board to examine physical condition.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 296.—An act for the relief of Elizabeth Jones, widow of John Jones, deceased.

February 24, 1891.

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 is hereby, directed to place the name of John Jones

John Jones.
Military record corrected.

on the muster-rolls of Company B, Second North Carolina Mounted Infantry, as a private mustered into the service on the twelfth day of October, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 297.—An act for the relief of William G. Tidwell.

William G. Tidwell.
Honorable discharge
granted to.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That William G. Tidwell be, and he is hereby, relieved from the charge of desertion from Company E, Seventh Illinois Cavalry Volunteers, and the War Department of the United States is hereby authorized and directed to give said William G. Tidwell an honorable discharge from said company and regiment.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 298.—An act for the relief of James Brown.

James Brown.
Military record cor-
rected.

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 charge of desertion resting upon the military record of James Brown, late of Company B, Sixty-third Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 299.—An act granting an increase of pension to General W. H. Powell.

W. H. Powell.
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 W. H. Powell, late brigadier-general and brevet major-general of volunteers, at the rate of seventy-two dollars per month, in lieu of a pension which he now receives.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 300.—An act granting a pension to Daniel Ullman.

Daniel Ullman.
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 Daniel Ullman, late brevet major-general in the Army of the United States, at the rate of seventy-two dollars a month.

Approved, February 24, 1891.

CHAP. 301.—An act for the relief of William M. Robinson.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and 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 the name of William M. Robinson, late of Company F, of Mounted Riflemen Regiment Regulars, United States Army, war with Mexico, on the pension rolls, at the rate of twenty-four dollars per month.

William M. Robinson.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 302.—An act for the relief of the legal representatives of Peter Lyle, deceased.

February 25, 1891.

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 the proper appropriation for payment of invalid pensions, to Vincent P. Donnelly, administrator of Peter Lyle, deceased, the sum of three thousand seven hundred and twenty-four dollars.

Peter Lyle.
Payment of pension
to administrator of.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 303.—An act for the relief of Margaret Constable.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Constable, widow of Captain David C. Constable, late of the Revenue-Marine Service of the United States, who was wounded in action on the James River in eighteen hundred and sixty-two, at the rate of thirty dollars per month.

Margaret Constable.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 304.—An act for the relief of Coplin McKelvey.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Coplin McKelvey, late a private in Captain Cheny's company of Tennessee Volunteers in the Florida war, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Coplin McKelvey.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 305.—An act for the relief of Nancy Potter.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Nancy Potter, widow of Uriah Potter, late surgeon of the board of enrollment for the eighteenth Congressional district of New York, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Nancy Potter.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 306.—An act for the relief of Montgomery Geiger.Montgomery Geiger.
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 Montgomery Geiger, of the county of Lincoln and State of Missouri, a private in Company B. of Powell's Battalion, Mexican war, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 307.—An act for the relief of John M. Wright, of Audrain County, Missouri.John M. 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 the name of John M. Wright, of Audrain County, in the State of Missouri, and pay him a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 308.—An act granting a pension to Jonathan S. Brink.Jonathan S. Brink.
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 Jonathan S. Brink, dependent father of John Brink, late of Company K, Eleventh Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry, war of eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 309.—An act granting a pension to John Gallagher.John Gallagher, alias
John Gunner.
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 Gallagher, who, under the name of John Gunner, served five years as a soldier in the Florida war in Company I, Third Regiment United States Artillery, and to pay said Gallagher twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 310.—An act granting a pension to H. W. Goodnight.Henry W. Goodnight.
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 Henry W. Goodnight, late a private in Company H. of the Seventy-second Regiment of Enrolled Missouri Militia, and to pay him a pension from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 311.—An act granting a pension to Jane Boswell Moore Bristor.

February 25, 1891.

Be 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 Jane Boswell Moore Bristor, a field hospital nurse during the late war, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Jane B. M. Bristor.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 312.—An act granting a pension to James H. Orr.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 James H. Orr, late of Company E, Seventh Kentucky Cavalry, and subsequently of Company F, Fortieth Kentucky Mounted Infantry, subject to the provisions and limitation of the pension laws.

James H. Orr.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 313.—An act granting a pension to E. Patton, of Benedict, Kansas.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 E. Patton, late a private in Company E, Sixteenth Regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers.

E. Patton.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 314.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. G. W. Griffith.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mrs. G. W. Griffith, of Fayette County, Georgia, widow of G. W. Griffith, a private in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and who was a member of Captain James Sanford's company, Georgia troops.

Mrs. G. W. Griffith.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 315.—An act granting a pension to John McGregor.

February 25, 1891.

Be 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 to place the name of John McGregor, son of Murdock McGregor, late a private in Seventh Battery of Indian Light Artillery Volunteers, who was killed in the battle of Stone River on December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, upon the pension-rolls, at the rate of eighteen dollars per month; and as the said John McGregor is of unsound mind, wholly incapable of managing his estate, that such pension be made payable to legally qualified guardian, Jackson Wills, of Greenfield, Indiana, or his legal successors in the trust.

John McGregor.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 316.—An act granting a pension to Martha Torrence.Martha Torrence.
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 provisions of the pension laws, the name of Martha Torrence, of Hortonville post-office, Indiana, widow of George W. Camp, late a private in Company H, twelfth Regiment Indiana Volunteers.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 317.—An act granting a pension to William Dunn.William Dunn.
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 Dunn, late of Company I, Second United States Artillery.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 318.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Lydia N. Atkinson.Lydia N. Atkinson.
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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mrs. Lydia N. Atkinson, of Fulton County, Georgia, whose husband, W. D. Atkinson, was a private soldier in Captain W. C. Dawson's company in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and allow her a pension at eight dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 319.—An act granting a pension to Martha A. Kendrick.Martha A. Kendrick.
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, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Martha A. Kendrick, widow of Lafayette Kendrick, who was killed November twentieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, while in the service of the United States and acting as a member of Company D, Second Arkansas Infantry.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 320.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Matilda Kent.Matilda Kent.
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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mrs. Matilda Kent, of Walton County,

Georgia, whose husband was a private soldier in Captain Mann's company, in the Florida Indian War of eighteen hundred and eighteen, and allow her a pension at twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 321.—An act granting a pension to Josephine S. Hansel late Wilson.

February 25, 1891.

Be 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-rolls of the United States the name of Josephine S. Hansel (formerly Wilson), widow of James Wilson, late of Company K, Twenty-eighth Regiment Iowa Infantry Volunteers, at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Josephine S. Hansel,
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 322.—An act granting a pension to Mrs Mary B. Floyd

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 instructed to place on the pension-rolls Mrs. Mary B. Floyd, of Newton County, Georgia, widow of John B. Floyd, late a captain of a company of Georgia troops, in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay her a pension, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Mary B. Floyd.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 323.—An act granting a pension to Mary Williams.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mary Williams, widow of Curtiss Williams, late a soldier in the Black Hawk war, in the company of Captain George B. Willis, Fortieth Regiment, Fourth Brigade, First Division, Illinois soldiers, on the pension rolls, to be paid a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Mary Williams.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 324.—An act granting a pension to Eliza Jane Saunders.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Eliza Jane Saunders, stepmother of Philip N. Saunders and Jay Saunders, late privates in Company I, Twentieth Michigan Volunteers, as if she was the mother of said Philip N. Saunders and Jay Saunders, and place said Eliza Jane Saunders on the rolls as a dependent mother.

Eliza Jane Saunders.
Pension.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 325.—An act granting a pension to Laura J. Haydon, formerly Burke.Laura J. Haydon.
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 restrictions of the pension laws, the name of Laura J. Haydon, of Louisville, Kentucky, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month. The said Laura J. Haydon—then Laura J. Burke—having been an army nurse during the late civil war.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 326.—An act granting a pension to Mary S. Wheeler.Mary S. Wheeler.
Pension restored.

Be it enacted 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 restore to the pension roll the name of Mary S. Wheeler, widow of Ambrose M. Burleson, late private of Company I. Fourth Regiment Michigan Cavalry, and pay her a pension hereafter at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 327.—An act granting a pension to Jane Falk.Jane Falk.
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 the name of Jane Falk, of Cloverdale, Michigan, widow of Burt D. Van Horn, late of Thirteenth Michigan Battery Volunteers.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 328.—An act granting a pension to Maria M. C. Richards.Maria M. C. Richards.
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 Maria M. C. Richards, of Unionville, Connecticut, and grant her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 329.—An act granting a pension to Mary E. Armstrong.Mary E. Armstrong.
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 rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mary E. Armstrong, widow of John Fogle, late first sergeant of Company B, Thirtieth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 330.—An act granting an increase of pension to Hugh McHugh.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to grant an increase of pension to Hugh McHugh, late second lieutenant of Company I, Eighty-fifth Regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers, and to place his name upon the pension-roll, and to pay him thirty dollars per month.

Hugh McHugh.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 331.—An act increasing the pension of William L. Horn.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 of the United States the name of William L. Horn, late a private Company H, Third Regiment Tennessee Volunteers, in the Mexican war, at the rate of twenty dollars per month, according to the rules and regulations governing pensions, which shall be in lieu of the pension which the said William L. Horn is now drawing as such Mexican veteran.

William L. Horn.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 332.—An act to increase the pension of James A. Underwood.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and 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 James A. Underwood, late of Company B. Eighth Indiana Volunteer Infantry, to fifty dollars per month.

James A. Underwood.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 333.—An act to increase the pension of Robert Hall.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 now allowed to Robert Hall, of Shelbyville, Missouri, late a soldier in the Mexican war, under certificate numbered nine hundred and eighty-two, and pay him the sum of twenty dollars per month.

Robert Hall.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 334.—An act to increase the pension of Elias D. Thompson.

February 25, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Elias D. Thompson, of Company F, First Louisiana Volunteers in the Mexican war, a pension of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Elias D. Thompson.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 335.—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Elizabeth R. Gordon, widow of Major George A. Gordon, Fifth Cavalry.

Elizabeth R. Gordon.
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 Elizabeth R. Gordon, widow of Major George A. Gordon, Fifth Cavalry, to forty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension she is now receiving, to date from the passage of this act.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 336.—An act to pension Winemah Riddell.

Winemah Riddell.
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 to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Winemah Riddell, and to pay her, from and after the passage of this act, during life, the sum of twenty five dollars a month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 337.—An act to pension Mrs. Letitia Staenglen.

Letitia Staenglen.
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 Mrs. Letitia Staenglen, widow of Gustave Adolph Staenglen, late a private in Company G, Ninth United States Infantry.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 338.—An act to pension Mrs Margaret Walker.

Margaret Walker.
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. Margaret Walker, late an army nurse, and to pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

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

Approved, February 25, 1891.

February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 339.—An act to grant a pension to Elender Johnston.

Elender Johnston.
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 Elender Johnston, widow of Joseph Johnston, ensign of the company of Captain J. W. Redding, in the regiment commanded by Colonel Alexander Russel, in the Black Hawk war, in May, eighteen hundred and thirty two, and to pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 25, 1891.

CHAP. 340.—An act for the relief of James A. Terrell.

February 26, 1891.

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 hereby is, authorized and directed to cause to be investigated by the Quartermaster-General of the United States Army the circumstances, character, and extent of the alleged use and occupation by the United States military authorities for Government purposes, during the late war, of the large frame hotel situate on block two, in and on the east side of Macon City, in the county of Macon, in the State of Missouri, and of a large tract of timbered land on the west and adjoining said Macon City, the actual value of the use and occupation of the said hotel for the time it was so used and occupied for Government purposes, and the value of the timber taken from such timbered land by military authority for Government purposes, and to find, award, and certify to the Secretary of the Treasury what amount of money, if any, is equitably due to said James A. Terrell from the United States as the reasonable value of such use and occupation of said frame hotel so occupied, and the value of the timber taken from said timber land, by military authority, for Government purposes and so used; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay to said James A. Terrell, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the amount, if any, so found and awarded to be due from the United States, not to exceed three thousand four hundred and fifty-six dollars; and the acceptance by said Terrell of any sum awarded under this act shall be in full satisfaction of all claims of every character and nature for such use and occupation and all damages resulting therefrom, and for all such timber.

James A. Terrell.
Claim to be examined.

Payment of amount found due.

Approved, February 26, 1891.

CHAP. 341.—An act granting an increase of pension to General Isaac F. Quinby.

February 26, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 F. Quinby, late a brevet major-general in the Army of the United States, at the rate of seventy-two dollars per month; said pension to be in lieu of that which he now receives.

Isaac F. Quinby.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 26, 1891.

CHAP. 343.—An act for the relief of Daniel B. Washburn.

February 27, 1891.

Whereas Daniel B. Washburn, of Milford, in the Commonwealth of Massachusetts, received, in his capacity of administrator of the estate of William McFarland, late of said Milford, deceased, from the assistant treasurer of the United States, the sum of one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and ninety-four cents, being the amount, on the fourth day of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-five, due to said McFarland from the United States on pension certificate numbered three hundred and four thousand three hundred and eighty-two; and

Preamble.

Whereas said Washburn, in good faith, paid out of said amount of money the sum of one thousand and fifty-five dollars and fifty cents in payment of the debts due from the said estate, and expenses of

administration of said estate, and for a head-stone placed at the grave of said McFarland; and

Whereas said Washburn has since said payment been compelled to refund said sum of one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and ninety-four cents to said assistant treasurer of the United States; and

Whereas said Washburn was obliged to mortgage his home to raise the money to refund to the United States, and has been obliged to pay interest on said mortgage note ever since until the present: Therefore,

Daniel B. Washburn.
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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to said Daniel B. Washburn the said sum of one thousand one hundred and ninety-three dollars and ninety-four cents.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 344.—An act for the relief of Henry A. King.

Henry A. King.
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 cause to be placed on the pension-roll of the United States, subject to the provisions and limitations thereof, the name of Henry A. King, late private of the Clay County, West Virginia, Independent Scouts.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 345.—An act for relief of Mrs. Agnes Findley Halsey, who served as nurse in the late war under the name of Miss Agnes Findley.

Agnes Findley Hal-
sey.
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 upon the pension rolls the name of Mrs. Agnes Findley Halsey, who served as a trained nurse from March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to April thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 346.—An act for the relief of Margaret A. Myers.

Margaret A. 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 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. Myers, and that she be granted a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 347.—An act for the relief of Thomas Crawford, of Louisville, Kentucky. February 27, 1891.

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 three thousand nine hundred and twenty, to Thomas Crawford, of Louisville, Kentucky, 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.

Thomas Crawford.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 348.—An act for the relief of Elizabeth Truax. February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Truax, dependent sister of Henry Truax, late a private of Company C, in the Twenty-second Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, and to pay to her the sum twelve dollars per month.

Elizabeth Truax.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 349.—An act granting a pension to Henry H. Knopp. February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Henry H. Knopp, late a member of the Ohio Militia, called into active service during the rebellion.

Henry H. Knopp.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 350.—An act granting a pension to Hannah Cummins. February 27, 1891.

Be it 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 put on the pension roll the name of Hannah Cummins, widow of William Cummins, late a private in Captain Fordyce's company of Ohio troops in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, at the rate of thirty dollars per month; the same to be in lieu of pension now being paid to her.

Hannah Cummins.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 351.—An act granting a pension to William C. Young. February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 William C. Young, late a private in Captain N. P. Dodson's company of Colonel William Lindsey's regiment of Tennessee Volunteers of the Cherokee war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six to eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and allow him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

William C. Young.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 352.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Johnson.Elizabeth Johnson.
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 Johnson, stepmother of John Johnson, of late Company H, Seventy-first Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 353.—An act granting a pension to Mary Morgan Esdon.Mary Morgan Esdon.
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-rolls, at the rate of twelve dollars a month, the name of Mary Morgan Esdon, of Barnet, Vermont, on account of the service in the late war of her six sons, to wit: Andrew J Morgan, service not known by mother; Charles Morgan, Company M, Eleventh Vermont Volunteers; Peter A. (alias George) Morgan, Company I, Seventeenth Vermont Volunteers; William Morgan, Company H, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers; James Morgan, Company H, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, Ezra Morgan, Company H, Eighth New Hampshire Volunteers, but more particularly on account of the service of Ezra, on whom she was a dependent mother.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 354.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Rachel Wright.Rachel 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 Mrs. Rachel Wright, mother of Charles Wright, late a teamster in the United States Army; said pension to commence from the date of approval of this act, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 355.—An act granting a pension to Christian C. Whistler.Christian C. Whistler.
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 Christian C. Whistler on the pension rolls, subject to the pension laws of the United States, he being the father of William H. Whistler, who was a member of Company F, Ninth Regiment United States Infantry.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 356.—An act granting a pension to Anna Horrell.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Anna Horrell, daughter of Robert Horrell, late captain of Company A, Eighty-fourth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, on the pension-roll at the rate of twenty dollars per month.

Anna Horrell.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 357.—An act granting a pension to Joel Hendricks.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 on the pension roll, subject to the provisions of the pension laws, the name of Joel Hendricks, who was enrolled July second, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, in Captain James Orr's company of cavalry of Indiana Militia, in the Black Hawk war, and mustered out of service with said company August twelfth, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, and pay him a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month from the passage of this act.

Joel Hendricks.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 358.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth P. Satterfield.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Elizabeth P. Satterfield, widow of John R. Satterfield, late a soldier in the Black Hawk war, on the pension-roll at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Elizabeth P. Satter-
field.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 359.—An act granting a pension to Mary A. R. Martin.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. R. Martin, widow of John Martin, a soldier of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Mary A. R. Martin.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 360.—An act granting a pension to Tunis S. Danford.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Tunis S. Danford, late a private Company G, Seventh Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Tunis S. Danford.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 361.—An act granting an increase of pension to Mrs. Agnes B. Collins,Agnes B. Collins.
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 Agnes B. Collins, widow of Joseph B. Collins, late a major and brevet colonel of the United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month as a major's widow, the same to be in lieu of the pension now drawn by her.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 362.—An act granting a pension to William P. Holl.William P. Holl.
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 William P. Holl, the father of William P. Holl, Jr., first lieutenant of Company K, Seventy-second Regiment of New York Volunteers

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 363.—An act granting a pension to Celia Eichele.Celia Eichele.
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 Celia Eichele, daughter of Jacob Eichele, late of Company F, Forty-fifth New York Volunteers, and sister of August Eichele, late Captain Company A, First Regiment Missouri Reserve Corps.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 364.—An act granting a pension to William A. Osborn.William A. Osborn.
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-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the general pension laws, the name of William A. Osborn, late a private Company E, First Regiment Maine Cavalry.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 365.—An act granting a pension to Matilda M. Harriman.Matilda M. Harri-
man.
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 Matilda M. Harriman, widow of William Harriman, late of Company F, One hundred and seventieth Regiment of Ohio Volunteers.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 366.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Louisa M. Gordon.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. Louisa M. Gordon, formerly widow of Monroe B. Pulliam, first lieutenant and commissary Eleventh Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Cavalry, United States Army, on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Louisa M. Gordon.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 367.—An act granting a pension to Nancy Shotwell.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mrs. Nancy Shotwell, late widow of Arthur Stotts, a soldier in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and pay her a pension, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Nancy Shotwell.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 368.—An act granting a pension to Marcellus A. Stovall.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Marcellus A. Stovall, of Augusta, Georgia, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, said Marcellus A. Stovall having been a private in the Richmond Blues, a company from Augusta, Georgia, commanded by Captain F. M. Robertson, in the Seminole Indian war in Florida in eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

Marcellus A. Stovall.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 369.—An act granting a pension to Millie A. Ritenour.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Millie A. Ritenour, a hospital nurse in the war of the rebellion, on the pension rolls, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Millie A. Ritenour.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 370.—An act granting a pension to Ira Agan.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to put the name of Ira Agan, late a corporal Company C, Second Regiment United States Dragoons, on the pension-rolls, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Ira Agan.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 371.—An act granting a pension to Mary Swift.Mary Swift.
Pension restored.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Mary Swift, formerly the widow of Stephen Bradshaw, late a private in Company B, Eleventh Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 372.—An act granting a pension to Ira A. Stout.Ira A. Stout.
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 of the United States the name of Ira A. Stout, formerly a private in Captain James P. Grundy's company, Colonel William P. Trousdale's Second Regiment Tennessee Volunteer Infantry, in the Florida war, at the rate of twenty dollars per month, subject to the rules and regulations governing pensions.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 373.—An act granting a pension to Marion McKibbenMarion McKibben.
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 Marion McKibben, widow of David B. McKibben, late colonel of the One hundred and fifty-eighth and the Two hundred and fourteenth Regiments Pennsylvania Infantry, and brevet brigadier-general United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month from the date of her husband's death, November eighth, eighteen hundred and ninety.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 374.—An act granting an increase of pension to Maria L. HammerMaria L. Hammer.
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 to increase the pension of Maria L. Hammer, a hospital nurse during the war of the rebellion, from twelve dollars per month to twenty dollars per month, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 375.—An act increasing the pension of Mrs. Ruth M. Allen.Ruth 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 hereby is, authorized and directed to pay to Ruth M. Allen, widow of Captain John Allen, of the Mexican war, the sum of twelve dollars a month, in lieu of the amount now paid her as pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 376.—An act to increase the pension of Mrs. Mary Jane Mallory.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Jane Mallory from twelve to twenty-five dollars per month. She is the widow of a soldier of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve; she is eighty-two years of age and has been confined to her bed for five years, and is totally blind.

Mary Jane Mallory.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 377.—An act to increase the pension of Edward Jardine.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Edward Jardine, late colonel and brevet brigadier-general United States Volunteers, on the pension roll at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, in lieu of his present pension of fifty dollars per month.

Edward Jardine.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 378.—An act to pension Frances E. Bidwell.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Frances E. Bidwell, daughter of Daniel D. Bidwell, late brigadier-general United States volunteers, and to pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Frances E. Bidwell.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 379.—An act to grant a pension to Hannah Hurst.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Hannah Hurst, widow of William Green, who was a soldier in Company I, of the Illinois Mounted Volunteers in the Mexican war, and pay her a pension at eight dollars per month.

Hannah Hurst.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 380.—An act to grant a pension to Margaret Hawkins.

February 27, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Margaret Hawkins, widow 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 her a pension of twenty dollars per month.

Margaret Hawkins.
Pension.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 27, 1891.

CHAP. 381.—An act for the relief of H. J. Cheney.H. J. Cheney.
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 to pay to H. J. Cheney, of Nashville, Tennessee, superintendent of the registry department in the post-office at Nashville, Tennessee, six hundred and twenty-one dollars and sixty-eight cents, that being the amount stolen in registered letters from his office in said post-office building, without neglect or fault of his, on the fourth day of May, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, and by him promptly and fully accounted for to the Government.

Approved, February 27, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 386.—An act granting an increase of pension to James McLaughlin.James McLaughlin.
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 McLaughlin, late captain of Company I, Tenth Regiment Kansas State Militia, and pay him a pension of twenty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving under act of Congress approved August twenty-first, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight.

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February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 387.—An act granting an increase of pension to Samuel Walker.Samuel Walker.
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 Samuel Walker, late major Fifth Regiment Kansas Volunteer Cavalry, and pay him a pension of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 388.—An act granting an increase of pension to Wiley R. Reeves.Wiley R. Reeves.
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 Wiley R. Reeves, of New Albany, Indiana, late a private in the Second Regiment Indiana Volunteer Infantry in the war with Mexico, and pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 389.—An act granting an increase of pension to James McMullin.James McMullin.
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 McMullin, late of Company I, One hundred and eighteenth Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry, and the Sixth Regiment United States Cavalry, at the rate of forty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 390.—An act granting an increase of pension to Eugene A. Osborn.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, to increase the pension of Eugene A. Osborn, late a private in Company A, of the Third Regiment of Ohio Cavalry Volunteers, to sixty dollars per month: *Provided, however,* That if he shall become totally blind his pension therefor shall be rated in accordance with the provisions of general laws.

Eugene A. Osborn.
Pension increased.

Proviso.
Total blindness.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 391.—An act granting an increase of pension to Washington M. Rice.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 pay to Washington M. Rice a monthly pension of twenty dollars, in lieu of the amount now paid him, for service in the Louisville Legion during the war with Mexico.

Washington M. Rice.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 392.—An act granting an increase of pension to Edwin H. Dill.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, of Edwin H. Dill, late a private in Company K, Twenty-third Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, to thirty dollars per month.

Edwin H. Dill.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 393.—An act granting an increase of pension to Horace B. Seeley, captain Company K, Eighty-sixth Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Horace B. Seeley, late a captain of Company K, Eighty-sixth Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers, fifty dollars per month. Nothing in this act shall be construed to prevent a further increase of pension by the Pension Office upon proof that the disability has increased.

Horace B. Seeley.
Pension increased.

Further increase.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 394.—An act granting an increase of pension to William H. Head.William H. Head.
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 restrictions of the pension law, the name of William H. Head, late a soldier in Company G, Fourth Regiment Kentucky Volunteers, and during the Mexican war, and pay him at the rate of sixteen dollars a month, in lieu of the amount now paid him under certificate numbered sixteen thousand six hundred and twenty-one.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 395.—An act granting an increase of pension to William J. Mathis.William J. Mathis.
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 upon the pension roll, subject to the provisions of the pension law, the name of William J. Mathis, late a soldier of Company E, Second Indiana Infantry, during the Mexican war, and pay him a monthly pension of twenty dollars, in lieu of the amount now paid him under certificate numbered nine thousand five hundred and forty-five.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 396.—An act granting an increase of pension to Xenophon Peck.Xenophon Peck.
Pension increased.*Proviso.*
Further increase.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, to increase the pension of Xenophon Peck, late a private in Battery E, First Regiment Ohio Light Artillery Volunteers, to sixty dollars per month: *Provided,* That this act shall not be construed to prevent any further increase by the Pension Bureau to which the beneficiary may at any time become entitled.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 397.—An act granting an increase of pension to Thomas J. Polly.Thomas J. Polly.
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 restrictions and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Thomas J. Polly, late a soldier in the war with Mexico, and pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars a month, in lieu of the amount now paid him under certificate numbered seven thousand six hundred and twenty seven.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 398.—An act granting an increase of pension to Thomas T. Hickey.Thomas T. Hickey.
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 pay

Thomas T. Hickey a monthly pension of twelve dollars, in lieu of the amount now paid him, under certificate numbered eleven thousand seven hundred and nineteen, as a survivor of the Mexican war.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 399.—An act granting an increase of pension to John D. Terry.

February 28, 1891.

Be 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 pension of John D. Terry, formerly a sergeant of Company E, Twenty-third Regiment of Massachusetts Volunteers, and also a first lieutenant and regimental quartermaster Thirty-fifth Regiment United States Colored Troops, to forty-five dollars per month;

Approved, February 28, 1891.

John D. Terry
Pension increased.

CHAP. 400.—An act granting an increase of pension to Alonzo R. Hyatt.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 pay to Alonzo R. Hyatt, late private of Company C, Thirty-eighth Regiment Ohio Volunteers, a pension hereafter at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving

Approved, February 28, 1891.

Alonzo R. Hyatt.
Pension increased.

CHAP. 401.—An act granting an increase of pension to John F. Whipple.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 John F. Whipple, late of Company L, First Regiment Massachusetts Heavy Artillery, to forty dollars per month: *Provided,* That nothing in this act shall be construed so as to deprive him of any increase of pension to which he might otherwise be entitled to under any general law.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

John F. Whipple.
Pension increased.

Proviso.
Further increase.

CHAP. 402.—An act granting a pension to Lucinda Call.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Call, dependent mother of Sidney Monroe Call, late a private in Company E, Seventh New York Heavy Artillery

Approved, February 28, 1891.

Lucinda Call.
Pension.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 403.—An act granting a pension to Laura A. Burns.Laura A. Burns.
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 Laura A. Burns, widow of P. Ross Burns, deceased, late captain of Topeka, Battery A, Second Regiment Kansas State Militia Volunteers.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 404.—An act granting a pension to Mary WilkesMary Wilkes.
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 Wilkes, widow of Charles Wilkes, late rear admiral, United States Navy, and pay her a pension at the rate of one hundred dollars per month from the passage of this act, in lieu of the pension now received by her.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891

CHAP. 405.—An act granting a pension to Lucy Wood.Lucy Wood.
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 Lucy Wood, of Barre, Vermont, as widow of John Wood, a teamster in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and to pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 406.—An act granting a pension to Edward L. Sharpe.Edward L. Sharpe.
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 Edward L. Sharpe, late of Company G, Third Regiment Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 407.—An act granting a pension to Colonel Benjamin C. Shaw.Benjamin C. Shaw.
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 Benjamin C. Shaw, late lieutenant-colonel of the Sixty-eighth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers in the war of eighteen hundred sixty-one, and pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 408.—An act granting a pension to Emily H. Worthen.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 H. Worthen, as widow of Isaac P. McMaster, late a sergeant Company E, Sixth Regiment New Hampshire Volunteers.

Emily H. Worthen.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 409.—An act granting a pension to Philip H. Emmert.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Philip H. Emmert, late a private in Company D, Twenty-third Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Infantry.

Philip H. Emmert.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 410.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Frederika B. Jones.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Frederika B. Jones, widow of the late Brigadier-General Roger Jones, on the pension-roll, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Frederika B. Jones.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 411.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Mary Hyde.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 general pension laws, the name of Mrs. Mary Hyde, widow of Calven C. Hyde, late private First Kansas Battery.

Mary Hyde.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 412.—An act granting a pension to Andrew J. Wallace.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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, at the rate of eight dollars per month, and subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Andrew J. Wallace, of Chesterfield County, South Carolina, late a soldier in the Florida war.

Andrew J. Wallace.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 413.—An act granting a pension to B. Jones.B. Jones
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, at the rate of eight dollars per month, and subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of B. Jones, of South Carolina, late a private of Captain Chestnut's company of mounted men, South Carolina Volunteers of the Florida war.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 414.—An act granting a pension to Edwin Cotton, late musician Twenty-fourth Regiment Michigan Volunteer Infantry.Edwin Cotton.
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 Edwin Cotton, late a musician of the Twenty-fourth Regiment Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 415.—An act granting a pension to Ellen Guffey, a hospital nurse.Ellen Guffey.
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 Ellen Guffey, a hospital nurse, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 416.—An act granting a pension to Doctor Francis Lambert.Francis Lambert.
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 the name of Dr. Francis Lambert, at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month, late a surgeon in th Creek war.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 417.—An act granting a pension to Elvira Brooks, widow of Odney D. Brooks late assistant surgeon Twenty-sixth Michigan Volunteers.Elvira Brooks.
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 Elvira Brooks, widow of Odney D. Brooks, late assistant Surgeon Twenty-sixth Michigan Volunteers, war of the rebellion.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 418.—An act granting a pension to Mary D. Jones.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mary D. Jones, late volunteer nurse during the civil war, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Mary D. Jones.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 419.—An act granting a pension to Sarah A. Phelps.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Sarah A. Phelps, widow of William L. Odell, late of Company E, Second Tennessee Regiment Volunteers, the said Sarah A. Phelps, having after the death of William L. Odell, married William A. Phelps, who died on the twenty-fifth day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

Sarah A. Phelps.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 420.—An act granting pension to Sarah Hutchins.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 pension laws and regulations, the name of Sarah Hutchins, dependent mother of Robert H. Hutchins, late of Company L, First Vermont Heavy Artillery.

Sarah Hutchins.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 421.—An act granting a pension to Joel A. Holdren

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Joel A. Holdren, of Huntington County, Indiana, as the blind and dependent brother of Benjamin F. Holdren, deceased, late a private of Company K, in the Eighty-fourth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, in the war of the rebellion, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Joel A. Holdren.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 422.—An act granting a pension to Sarah H. Philp.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to put the name of Sarah H. Philp, widow of Thomas Kinrade, late a member of Company K, Second Ohio Cavalry, on the pension roll, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Sarah H. Philp.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 423.—An act granting a pension to Mary B. Cook.Mary B. Cook.
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. Cook, who was the widow of Henry W. Torbett, late second lieutenant of Company K, Eleventh Regiment United States Infantry.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 424.—An act granting a pension to Anna S. Shuman.Anna S. Shuman.
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 Anna S. Shuman, late a nurse in the war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 425.—An act granting a pension to Mary Buckland.Mary Buckland.
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 Buckland, the stepmother of Jerome G. Buckland, late of Company H, Ninth Regiment of Michigan Infantry, and grant her a pension at the same rate as if she was the natural mother of said soldier.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 426.—An act granting a pension to Catherine McRoberts.Catherine McRoberts.
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 of the United States the name of Catherine McRoberts, the widow of James McRoberts, of Captain Lemuel Ford's company of United States Mounted Rangers in the Black Hawk war, said pension to be at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 427.—An act granting a pension to Ruth E. Furgeson.Ruth E. Furgeson.
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 Ruth E. Furgeson, former widow of S. J. Naylor, late Company K, Sixteenth Regiment Michigan Infantry, on the pension roll, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 428.—An act granting a pension to Caroline J. Craft.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Caroline J. Craft, a sister of David L. Craft, late of Company D, Eighth Pennsylvania Reserves, and Company K, Sixth Regiment United States Infantry, deceased, upon the pension rolls at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Caroline J. Craft.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 429.—An act granting a pension to Walter Scott.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 of the United States the name of Walter Scott, formerly a private in Captain William Robinson's company, General Benjamin Patterson's command, in the Creek war, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, subject to the rules and regulations governing pensions.

Walter Scott.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 430.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Nancy Springer.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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, instructed to place on the pension rolls Nancy Springer, of Spalding County, Georgia, widow of James M. Springer, late a private in Captain Mann's company of Georgia troops, in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay her a pension at twelve dollars per month, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Nancy Springer.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 431.—An act granting a pension to Susan Wood.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 the name of Susan Wood, a dependent sister of the late Isaac J. Wood, a private in Company C, One hundred and fifteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, on the pension roll, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Susan Wood.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 432.—An act granting a pension to Lewis D. Terry.

February 28, 1891.

Be it 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 is hereby directed, to place upon the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Lewis D. Terry, late a member of Captain Joe McClintock's company of State Guards.

Lewis D. Terry.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 433.—An act granting a pension to Mary S. Day.Mary S. Day.
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 Mary S. Day, former widow of Jesse Day, late of the Fifteenth Ohio Battery, on the pension roll, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 434.—An act granting a pension to Alice O. Leighton, widow of Everett W. Leighton, deceased, Company C, Thirteenth New Hampshire Volunteers.Alice O. Leighton.
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 Alice O. Leighton, widow of Everett W. Leighton, deceased, late of Company C of the Thirteenth New Hampshire Volunteers, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 435.—An act granting a pension to Sarah A. Joiner.Sarah A. Joiner.
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 Sarah A. Joiner, a resident of Scottsborough, Alabama, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, on account of disability resulting from disease contracted while serving as a hospital nurse during the war of the rebellion.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 436.—An act granting a pension to Joseph Smith.Joseph 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 is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension rolls, subject to the conditions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Joseph Smith, of Saline County, Illinois, late a soldier in the Second Regiment Tennessee Volunteers in the Florida war at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 437.—An act granting a pension to Sarah Steedman.Sarah Steedman.
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 Sarah Steedman, widow of Charles Steedman, late a rear admiral in the United States Navy, and pay her a pension from the passage of this act at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 438.—An act granting a pension to Jennie May Cain.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 Jennie May Cain, the imbecile and invalid daughter of Edwin C. Cain, deceased, late a private in Company E, One hundred and twenty-fourth Regiment Ohio Infantry Volunteers, and to pay her a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month, the same to be paid to her legally appointed guardian.

Jennie May Cain.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 439.—An act granting a pension to Emma Southwick Brinton.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Emma Southwick Brinton, a nurse in the late war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Emma Southwick
Brinton.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 440.—An act granting a pension to Mary Jane Allen.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Jane Allen, widow of George Allen, deceased, late of Company B. Seventy-second Pennsylvania Regiment, and pay her a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month.

Mary Jane Allen.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 441.—An act granting a pension to Hetty A. Hasson.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Hetty A. Hasson, widow of Alexander B. Hasson, late a surgeon, United States Army, and increase her pension from twenty-five dollars a month to forty dollars a month.

Hetty A. Hasson.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 442.—An act granting a pension to George James.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 George James, of Long Plain, Massachusetts, late cooper on the whale-ship Edward, in the Mexican war, and pay him a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month.

George James.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 443.—An act granting a pension to Caroline A. Burghardt, an army nurse.Caroline A. Burghardt.
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 Caroline A. Burghardt, an army nurse, upon the pension rolls, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 444.—An act granting a pension to Martha A. Wood Furgeson, an army nurse.Martha A. Wood Furgeson.
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 Martha A. Wood Furgeson, an army nurse, upon the pension rolls, and pay to her a pension, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 445.—An act granting a pension to Florence Petigrew Lithgrow, an army nurse.Florence Petigrew Lithgrow.
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 Florence Petigrew Lithgrow, an army nurse, and pay to her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 446.—An act granting a pension to Solomon Mayberry.Solomon Mayberry.
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 Solomon Mayberry, foster father of George L. Brown, late a private in Company E, Eighth Regiment of Maine Volunteers, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 447.—An act granting a pension to Mary C. Broughton.Mary C. Broughton.
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 rolls the name of Mary C. Broughton, widow of Captain H. H. Hart, late of Company C, Sixty-first Regiment of New York Volunteers, and pay her a pension of eight dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 448.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Mounts.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 rolls the name of Elizabeth Mounts, widow of Joseph Mounts, late of Captain C. S. Maddings's company, Third Regiment Illinois Volunteers, Black Hawk war, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars a month.

Elizabeth Mounts.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891

CHAP. 449.—An act increasing the pension of Alexander Evans.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 pay Alexander Evans, of Louisville, Kentucky, a soldier of the Mexican war, the sum of twenty-five dollars a month, in lieu of the pension now paid to him.

Alexander Evans.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 450.—An act to place the name of John W. Younger on the pension-roll.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. Younger, late of Company E, Forty-eight Enrolled Missouri Militia.

John W. Younger.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 451.—An act increasing pension of Erastus D. Butler, of Togus, Maine.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Erastus D. Butler, late of Company E, Thirteenth Vermont Volunteers, to the sum of forty-five dollars per month.

Erastus D. Butler.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 452.—An act to increase the pension of Mary Condy Ringgold, widow of George H. Ringgold, late lieutenant-colonel and deputy paymaster-general United States Army.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Mary Condy Ringgold, widow of George H. Ringgold, late lieutenant-colonel and deputy paymaster-general United States Army, a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month instead of the pension she is now receiving.

Mary Condy Ringgold.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 453.—An act to place upon the pension rolls the name of Elizabeth Wolcott.Elizabeth Wolcott.
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 authorized and directed to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth Wolcott, formerly Elizabeth Stoddard, widow of Jonathan Stoddard, late of Company F, Thirty-fifth Wisconsin Volunteers.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 454.—An act to increase the pension of Allen J. Maker.Allen J. Maker.
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 increase the pension of Allen J. Maker, late of Company I, Fourth Maine Infantry, from twenty-four dollars to forty dollars per month, but this act shall not deprive the beneficiary of the right to apply for and have granted him an increase of pension under the general laws relating thereto.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

Further increase.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 455.—An act to increase the pension of George W. Whitacre, of Huntington, Indiana.George W. Whitacre.
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 hereby is, authorized and required to increase the pension of George W. Whitacre, of the city of Huntington, in the State of Indiana, late a private in Company F of the Forty-seventh Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, in the war of the rebellion, and to pay him, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving, a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension law, as to any future increase.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

Future increase.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 456.—An act increasing the pension of John Britton.John Britton.
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 pay John Britton, late captain of Company F, Eighteenth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Cavalry, forty dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 457.—An act to increase the pension of Ambrose B. Carlton.Ambrose B. Carlton.
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 rolls the name of Ambrose B. Carlton, late a corporal

in Company F, Second Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, in the Mexican war, and pay him a pension of thirty dollars per month in lieu of the pension of eight dollars per month he is now receiving.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 458.—An act to increase the pension of William M. Boggs.

February 28, 1891.

Be 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 rolls the name of William M. Boggs, late sergeant major of the company of California Mounted Volunteers commanded by Captain William A. T. Maddox, of the United States Marine Corps, in the Mexican war of eighteen hundred and forty-six, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving under certificate numbered nine thousand seven hundred and thirty-one.

William M. Boggs.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 459.—An act for the relief of Valeria B. Elliott.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 fifty dollars per month, the name of Valeria B. Elliott, widow of the late Brigadier-General W. L. Elliott, United States Volunteers, and pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act, this amount to be in lieu of the pension she is now receiving.

Valeria B. Elliott.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 460.—An act for the relief of Jane Branigan.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, the name of Jane Branigan, widow of John B. Maxwell, late private of Company G of the Thirtieth Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Infantry, the said widow having been remarried to Arthur Branigan, who subsequently died, leaving her without any means of support.

Jane Branigan.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 461.—An act to grant a pension to Mary E. Dubridge.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 E. Dubridge, widow of Francis Dubridge, late a private of marines, who enlisted in the Marine Corps on the twenty-third of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and was discharged therefrom January twenty-second, eighteen hundred and forty, and served in the Florida war, to be paid a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Mary E. Dubridge.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 462.—An act to grant a pension to Martha Tennery, widow of James H. Tennery, of Captain Griffin's company, First Illinois, Black Hawk war.

Martha Tennery.
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 rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Martha Tennery, widow of James H. Tennery, deceased, late a private in Captain Robert Griffin's company, First Illinois Militia, in the Black Hawk war, and allow her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 463.—An act to grant a pension to Robert Moore, of Kirkwood, Illinois.

Robert Moore.
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 Robert Moore, late a soldier in Alexander White's company of Mounted Volunteers in the Black Hawk war, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 464.—An act to grant a pension to Absalom M. Wolf, of Mier, Indiana.

Absalom M. Wolf.
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 required to place upon the pension rolls the name of Absalom M. Wolf, of Mier, Grant County, Indiana, the dependent father of William Wolf, deceased, late a private soldier in Company L. of the Forty-first Regiment of Indiana Volunteers in the war of the rebellion, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars a month

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 465.—An act to pension Mrs. Adeline S. Wilbur.

Adeline S. Wilbur.
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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mrs. Adeline S. Wilbur, widow of Charles H. Wilbur, late of the ship Edward, Mexican war, and allow her a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 466.—An act to pension Morgan D. Lane.

Morgan D. Lane.
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 Morgan D. Lane, late of Company I, Fifth Regiment of Michigan Volunteer Cavalry, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 467.—An act to grant a pension to Nancy F. Glenn.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Nancy F. Glenn, widow of Robert A. Glenn, who was a private in Captain William C. Rall's company in the Fourth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers, which was commanded by Colonel Samuel M. Thompson in the Black Hawk war, and pay her a pension at twelve dollars per month.

Nancy F. Glenn.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 468.—An act granting an increase of pension to Richard W. Huobell.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Richard W. Hubbell, late first lieutenant of Company B, First Wisconsin Heavy Artillery, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Richard W. Hubbell.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 469.—An act granting a pension to Ann E. Tew.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Ann E. Tew, widow of George W. Tew, late colonel of the Fifth Rhode Island Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Ann E. Tew.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 470.—An act granting a pension to Matilda S. Thompson.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Matilda S. Thompson, widow of Ai B. Thompson, late a captain, and major by brevet, in the Eighteenth Regiment United States Infantry, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month.

Matilda S. Thomp-
son.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 471.—An act granting a pension to Mary Vance.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Vance, an army nurse, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Mary Vance.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 472.—An act granting a pension to Susan G. Furnald.Susan G. Furnald.
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 Susan G. Furnald, dependent mother of James G. Furnald, late a private of Company A, Third New Hampshire Volunteers.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 473.—An act granting a pension to Solomon R. Ruch.Solomon R. Ruch.
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 of the pension laws, the name of Solomon R. Ruch, late a private in Company A. Fourteenth United States Infantry, at the rate of eighteen dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 474.—An act granting a pension to William D. Calkins, Company A, One hundred and eleventh Pennsylvania Volunteers.William D. Calkins.
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, at the rate of forty dollars per month, the name of William D. Calkins, late of Company A, One hundred and eleventh Regiment of Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 475.—An act granting a pension to George W. Jenkins.George W. Jenkins.
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. Jenkins, late a private in Company G, Forty-third Regiment Provisional Enrolled Missouri Militia.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 476.—An act granting a pension to Mary Brooks, army nurse.Mary Brooks.
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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Mary Brooks, late volunteer army nurse, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 477.—An act granting a pension to Mary Jane Fox, army nurse.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mary Jane Fox, late volunteer army nurse, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.
Approved, February 28, 1891.

Mary Jane Fox.
Pension.

CHAP. 478.—An act granting a pension to Malinda Porter.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 rolls, subject to the conditions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Malinda Porter, mother of David S. Seldomridge, late of Company D, Fortieth Regiment Ohio Volunteers, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.
Approved, February 28, 1891.

Malinda Porter.
Pension.

CHAP. 479.—An act granting a pension to Georgiana Smith, an army nurse.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Georgiana Smith upon the pension rolls and pay her a pension, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, on and after the passage of this act.
Approved, February 28, 1891.

Georgiana Smith.
Pension.

CHAP. 480.—An act granting a pension to Henry Allhorn.

February 28, 1891.

Be it 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 put on the pension roll the name of Henry Allhorn, late a private in Company D, First Regiment United States Infantry, in the Florida war, at the rate of twenty dollars per month.
Approved, February 28, 1891.

Henry Allhorn.
Pension.

CHAP. 481.—An act for the relief of the legal representatives of David Walter Jones.

February 28, 1891.

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 adjust and audit the claim of the legal representatives of David Walter Jones, deceased, late receiver of public moneys at the Mineral Point United States land office, in the State of Wisconsin, for two balances, one of eighteen hundred and sixty dollars and eighty-five cents, and the other of two hundred and thirty-five dollars and fifty-eight cents,

David Walter Jones.
Accounts to be audited.

aggregating the sum of two thousand and ninety-six dollars and forty-three cents, now appearing by the records of the Treasury Department to be due to said Jones, and to pay to such legal representatives of said Jones whatever sum of money, if any, may be found due and unpaid, not exceeding the amount hereinbefore stated.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

Payment to legal representatives.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 482.—An act for the relief of John Finn.

John Finn.
Claim referred to
Court of Claims.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claim of John Finn, of Saint Louis, Missouri, successor to the firm of John Finn and Company, for the value of twenty-four horses and seventy-eight mules, be, and the same is hereby, referred to the Court of Claims, with jurisdiction to hear, determine, and allow the same; and if it shall appear to the satisfaction of the said court that the said horses and mules were duly inspected and accepted as suitable for the service for which they were intended by an officer of the United States, under the regulations, practice or custom in force in and observed by the quartermaster's department at Saint Louis, Missouri, in the purchase of horses and mules for the Government at the time the said claim originated, and that the said horses and mules thereby became the property of the United States, the court shall render judgment for the agreed price of said horses and mules: *Provided,* That said court shall hear and determine said claim, notwithstanding the bar of any statute of limitation to the contrary: *And provided further,* That all the testimony taken in Congressional case number one hundred and twenty-seven, and also in case number fifteen thousand two hundred and twenty-three, upon the subject of this claim now on file in the office of the clerk of the Court of Claims may be used and read in evidence upon the hearing and trial of the claim herein mentioned; subject, however, to the objections of either party as to its competency, relevancy, and materiality.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

Provisos.
Bar of limitation removed.

Testimony admissible.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 483.—An act for the relief of John P. Downing, first paying teller in the subtreasury at Boston, Massachusetts.

John P. Downing.
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 John P. Downing, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand three hundred and three dollars and twenty-eight cents, the said sum of money representing a loss incurred by him, without default or negligence on his part, in the payment of a check drawn by Major G. C. Goodloe, paymaster in the Marine Corps, payable to the order of Major J. P. Houston, commanding United States Marines, Boston, Massachusetts, with indorsements thereon forged by a trusted subordinate at the Marine Barracks at said Boston; said loss having been made good to the Treasury of the United States through the assistant treasurer at Boston by the said John P. Downing.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 484.—An act pensioning Joseph A. Blair.

February 28, 1891.

Be it 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 place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Joseph A. Blair, late of Company C, Seventh Kentucky Cavalry, now of Lyons, Kansas.

Joseph A. Blair.
Pension.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 485.—An act for the benefit of General W J. Landram.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 W. J. Landram, formerly colonel of the Nineteenth Regiment of Kentucky Volunteer Infantry, and afterwards promoted to the rank of brigadier-general by brevet, and that he be granted a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month during his natural life, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

W. J. Landram.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 486.—An act to pension Mary B. Peck, widow of Major James S. Peck.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. Peck, widow of James S. Peck, late major of the Seventeenth Regiment of Vermont Volunteers, and to pay her a pension as the widow of a major in lieu of the pension as the widow of a first lieutenant, which she is now receiving.

Mary B. Peck.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 487.—An act increasing the pension of Ellen L. Pelouze, widow of Lewis H. Pelouze.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, at the rate of fifty dollars a month, in lieu of the pension which she now receives, the name of Ellen L. Pelouze, widow of Lewis H. Pelouze, a brigadier-general in the United States Army.

Ellen L. Pelouze.
Pension increased.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 488.—An act to restore the name of Mrs. Laura C. Humber to the pension roll.

February 28, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Laura C. Humber, widow of the late Captain Charles H. Humber, Seventh United States Infantry, at the rate she formerly received, twenty dollars per month.

Laura C. Humber.
Pension restored.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

February 28, 1891.

CHAP. 489.—An act for the relief of A. J. McCreary, administrator of the estate of J. M. Hiatt, deceased, and for other purposes.

J. M. Hiatt.
Payment to admin-
istrator of.

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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 Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to said A. J. McCreary, administrator of the estate of said J. M. Hiatt, survivor of said J. M. Hiatt and Company, late traders for the Osage tribe of Indians, out of any money in the Treasury accruing to said tribe of Indians by act of Congress approved June sixteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, the balance of said account, namely, the sum of eight thousand three hundred and eighty dollars, in full satisfaction of said demand against the said Osage tribe of Indians, on said credit extended to them as aforesaid.

Received by the President February 17, 1891.

[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 28, 1891.

CHAP. 490.—An act granting a pension to Frederick B. Sells.

Frederick B. Sells.
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 Frederick B. Sells, late of Company E, One hundred and forty-eighth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers.

Received by the President February 17, 1891.

[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 28, 1891.

CHAP. 491.—An act granting an increase of pension to George H. Blodgett.

George H. Blodgett.
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 sixteen dollars a month, the name of George H. Blodgett, late a member of Company M, First Regiment Maine Heavy Artillery, in lieu of the pension now received by him.

Approved, February 28, 1891.

March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 502.—An act granting an increase of pension to John S. Furling.

John S. Furling.
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 John S. Furling, late private Company D, Fifth Regiment United States Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving under certificate numbered two hundred and ninety-three thousand one hundred and fifty-eight.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 503.—An act granting a pension to Benjamin B. Houghkirk.

March 2, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Benjamin B. Houghkirk, late of Company E, One hundred and twenty-second Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Benjamin B. Houghkirk.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 504.—An act granting a pension to Cynthia M. West.

March 2, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Cynthia M. West, widow of John W. West, late a soldier in Captain James's company of Illinois Volunteers, in the Black Hawk Indian war, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Cynthia M. West.
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 505.—An act granting a pension to Louisa A. Starkweather.

March 2, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 fifty dollars per month, the name of Louisa A. Starkweather, widow of John C. Starkweather, late colonel of First Wisconsin Infantry, and brigadier-general of volunteers, war of the rebellion.

Louisa A. Starkweather.
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 506.—An act for the relief of Henry L. Morey.

March 2, 1891.

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to amend the record of Captain Henry L. Morey, Company G, Seventy-fifth Ohio Volunteers, to show him continuously in service as captain of said company from March first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, date of his muster in, until December twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, the date of his muster out.

Henry L. Morey.
Military record corrected.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 507.—An act for the relief of George W. Quintard and George E. Weed, assignees of John Roach, deceased.

John Roach.
Payment to assignees of monitors "Puritan" and "Roanoke."

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 George W. Quintard and George E. Weed, assignees of John Roach, deceased, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the following sums and on the following accounts, that is to say: The sum of thirty-eight thousand eight hundred and forty dollars and forty cents, for extra work done by order of the Navy Department requiring a change in the specifications and increase of the dimensions of the iron frame and hull of the monitor Puritan; and the further sum of twenty thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars and twenty-five cents, for the care, towage, pilotage, and wharfage of the monitor Roanoke from March seventeenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-seven, to September ninth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 508.—An act increasing the pension of Enos J. Searles.

Enos J. Searles.
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 now paid to Enos J. Searles, Company L, Fifth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Cavalry, to the sum of twenty-five dollars per month, subject to the limitations and restrictions of the pension laws, and to pay said pension to the legally constituted guardian of said Searles.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 509.—An act to re-issue the pension certificate of Nannie W. Metcalfe and allow her a pension as a surgeon's widow.

Nannie W. Metcalfe.
Pension restored.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to re-issue the pension certificate of Nannie W. Metcalfe and allow her a pension from and after the passage of this act with rank of surgeon, which rank was held by her deceased husband, George W. Metcalfe, during the greater part of his service in the Seventy-sixth New York Volunteer Infantry, war of the rebellion.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 510.—An act granting a pension to Margaret M. Copeland.

Margaret M. Copeland.
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 subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Margaret M. Copeland, late widow of Lafayette Pickering captain of Company F, First Regiment Ohio Cavalry.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 511.—An act to place the name of James H. Walton on the pension rolls.

March 2, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 James H. Walton, late a private in Captain Lauderdale's Company of Tennessee Mounted Militia, on the pension rolls, at the rate of fifteen dollars per month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension law.

James H. Walton.
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 512.—An act to relieve John J. Murphy from the charge of Desertion.

March 2, 1891.

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 of the United States is hereby authorized and directed to remove the charge of desertion now standing against John J. Murphy, late a seaman on the United States receiving ship North Carolina, on the records and rolls of the Navy Department, and to grant and issue to said Murphy an honorable discharge from the said service.

John J. Murphy.
Charge of desertion
removed.

Approved. March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 513.—An act to relieve Patrick J. Bench, alias Patrick McBench, from the charge of desertion.

March 2, 1891.

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 of the United States is hereby authorized and directed to remove the charge of desertion now standing against Patrick J. Bench, alias Patrick McBench, late a seaman on the United States steam-ship Brooklyn, on the records and rolls of the Navy Department, and to grant and issue to said Bench an honorable discharge from the said service.

Patrick J. Bench,
alias McBench.
Charge of desertion
removed.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 514.—An act to grant a pension to Mary C. Hoffman, widow of General William Hoffman.

March 2, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mary C. Hoffman, of Rock Island, Illinois, widow of General William Hoffman, who served in the Black Hawk war, the Florida war, the Mexican, the Indian frontier war, and in the late war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

Mary C. Hoffman.
Pension.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 515.—An act to grant a pension to Nancy Jane Knetsar, of Moline, Illinois.

March 2, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Nancy Jane Knetsar, widow of

Nancy Jane Knetsar.
Pension.

James Knetsar, who was a soldier in Captain Daniel Powell's company in the first regiment, commanded by Colonel Hosea Pierce, in the Black Hawk war, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

March 2, 1891.

CHAP. 516.—An act restoring the pension of Caroline Dawson.

Caroline Dawson.
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 Caroline Dawson, widow of C. L. Dawson, late assistant surgeon of the Thirty-first Iowa Volunteers, on the pension rolls, subject to the rules and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 567.—An act granting a pension to Louisa V. Kilpatrick, widow of Major General Judson Kilpatrick, United States Volunteers.

Louisa V. Kilpatrick.
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 to place on the pension-roll the name of Louisa V. Kilpatrick, widow of Major-General Judson Kilpatrick, and pay her a pension of one hundred dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now paid her.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 568.—An act granting pensions to Powell's Battalion of Missouri Mounted Volunteers.

Powell's Battalion
Missouri Mounted Vol-
unteers.
Mexican war pen-
sions 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 place on the pension-roll the names of all of the honorably discharged surviving officers and enlisted men of Powell's Battalion of Missouri Mounted Volunteers, raised under the act of Congress of May thirteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-six, for service during the war with Mexico; and the names of the surviving widows of such officers and enlisted men, subject to the limitations and regulations of the pension laws of the United States for pensioning the survivors of the war with Mexico.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 569.—An act granting a pension to Fanny L. Davis.

Fanny L. Davis.
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 Fanny L. Davis, widow of Rear-Admiral John Lee Davis, late of the United States Navy, at the rate of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension she is now receiving.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 570.—An act granting a pension to Georgie Ann Porter.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Georgie Ann Porter, widow of the late David Dixon Porter, Admiral of the United States Navy, and pay her a pension of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum from the passage of this act.

Georgie Ann Porter.
Pension.

Approved March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 571.—An act to remove the charge of desertion against Richard Weller, and authorizing his honorable discharge.

March 3, 1891.

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 to remove the charge of desertion against Richard Weller, late seaman in the United States Navy, and to grant him a certificate of honorable discharge.

Richard Weller.
Granted honorable discharge.

Approved March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 572.—An act for the relief of Charles Wording and others, owners of the brig Xenophon.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, in accordance with the findings of the Court of Claims in Congressional case numbered thirty-two hundred and twenty-six, Charles H. Wording and others versus The United States, the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to the owners of the brig Xenophon, as set forth in the findings of the court in said case, the sum of two thousand dollars, being the difference between the sound value of said brig and the sum paid for the same by the United States in her damaged condition, the damage having been inflicted by the United States.

Charles H. Wording
et al.
Payment for damages to brig "Xenophon."

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 573.—An act for the relief of John T. Johnston

March 3, 1891.

Whereas, John T. Johnston, a deputy collector of internal revenue under appointment of R. T. Van Horn, collector of the sixth district of Missouri, is justly entitled to compensation for services in that capacity, rendered to the United States in the years anno Domini eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, eighteen hundred and eighty, and eighteen hundred and eighty-one, for which he has not been compensated: Therefore,

Preamble.

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 said John T. Johnston the sum of three hundred dollars, in full for the claim due him as aforesaid.

John T. Johnston.
Payment to.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 574.—An act to correct the record of John Holloran, and for other purposes.

John Holloran.
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 is hereby, authorized and directed to correct the record of John Holloran, late an ordinary seaman in the United States Navy, and to remove from the pay-roll of the vessel Dawn the charge of desertion made against the said Holloran, and to furnish to him an honorable discharge from the Navy of the United States.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 575.—An act for the relief of Mrs. M. J. Donahoe.

Mrs. M. J. Donahoe.
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 Mrs. M. J. Donahoe, of Alabama, the sum of three hundred and forty-five dollars and fifty cents, due upon her contract for rent of house at Talladega, in the State of Alabama, as appears by certified account on file in the Treasury Department, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 576.—An act granting a pension to Nancy E. Ellis

Nancy E. 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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Nancy E. Ellis, of Griffin, Spaulding County, Georgia, who is the widow of Captain James T. Ellis, in the Creek Indian War, of eighteen hundred and thirty-six and allow her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 577.—An act granting a pension to Martha N. Hudson.

James Hudson.
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 at the rate of twenty dollars per month, the name of Martha N. Hudson, widow of Lieutenant-Colonel James Hudson of the Eighth Massachusetts Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 578.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Elizabeth M. Hollingsworth.

Elizabeth M. Hollingsworth.
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. Elizabeth M. Hollingsworth, widow of Noah Hollingsworth, late a private in Company A, Eighth Regiment Iowa Cavalry Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 579.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Sue Ditto.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mrs Sue Ditto, widow of Gideon Ditto, late a lieutenant in Company B, Eighty-first Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and pay her a pension, subject to the rules and limitations of the pension laws.

Sue Ditto.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 580.—An act granting a pension to Eliza A. Philbrook.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Eliza A. Philbrook, late widow of Albert Philbrook, late private of Company F, Fourteenth Regiment of Illinois Cavalry Volunteers.

Eliza A. Philbrook.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 581.—An act granting a pension to John T. Ballard.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 T. Ballard, late private of Company F, Eighth Michigan Cavalry.

John T. Ballard.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 582.—An act granting a pension to Augustus W. Eaton.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Augustus W. Eaton, of Orange Park, Florida, late a member of Company H, Fourth Regiment of Maine Volunteers.

Augustus W. Eaton.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 583.—An act granting a pension to Emma Fulton.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 and directed to place upon the pension-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Emma Fulton, widow of George Fulton, late a member of Company C, Fifth Michigan Cavalry.

Emma Fulton.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 584.—An act granting a pension to Mary Robinson.

Mary Robinson.
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 Robinson, of South China, Maine, widow of Timothy Robinson, late of Company G of the twenty-eighth Regiment of Maine Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 585.—An act granting a pension to Frances Jane McCloud.

Frances Jane Mc-
Cloud.
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 Frances Jane McCloud, widow of Alexander McCloud, late private of Company G, Eighteenth Missouri Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 586.—An act granting a pension to Mary E. Graham.

Mary E. Graham.
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 E. Graham, invalid daughter of Barton W. Graham, deceased, late a sergeant in Company H, Sixty-third Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, and to pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Approved March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 587.—An act granting a pension to Nancy M Gross.

Nancy M. Gross.
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 Nancy M Gross, who was a nurse in the Second and Sixth Maine Regiments, eighteen hundred and sixty-one and eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 588.—An act granting a pension to George S. Howard.

George S. Howard.
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 George S. Howard, late a private in Company E, Twentieth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 589.—An act granting a pension to Lewis J. Baker.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Lewis J. Baker, late of Company K, Fifth Regiment Ohio Cavalry, to forty-eight dollars per month.

Lewis J. Baker.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 590.—An act granting a pension to Jesse G. Hamilton.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Jesse G. Hamilton, late of Company B, Twenty-first Indiana Volunteers.

Jesse G. Hamilton.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 591.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. M. P. Felch.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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-rolls the name of Mrs M. P. Felch, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, for services rendered during the late war as hospital nurse, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Mrs. M. P. Felch.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 592.—An act granting a pension to Mrs Martha A. Brooks.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Mrs. Martha A. Brooks, of Walton County, Georgia, whose husband Josiah M. Brooks, was a private soldier in Captain John Mann's company in the Creek Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six to eighteen hundred and thirty-eight and allow her a pension at twelve dollars per month.

Martha A. Brooks.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 593.—An act granting a pension to Harlan E. King.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Harlan E. King, on the pension rolls at sixty dollars per month, he being a soldier in Company C, Thirty sixth Illinois Regiment, and now drawing a pension by certificate sixty-eight thousand and five hundred and sixty-six, at forty-five dollars per month, and this legislation shall not preclude the pensioner from receiving further increase by application at the pension office, subject to the provisions and limitations of the general pension laws of the United States.

Harlan E. King.
Pension increased.

Further increase.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 594.—An act granting a pension to Mrs Hannah M. Foss.

 Hannah M. Foss.
 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 Mrs. Hannah M. Foss, of Harmony, in the State of Maine, mother of Nathaniel A. Foss, late of Fourth Maine Battery, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 595.—An act granting a pension to Drusilla A. Sherwood.

 Drusilla A. Sherwood.
 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, directed to place on the pension-roll the name of Drusilla A. Sherwood, late a nurse in the United States hospital at Keokuk, Iowa, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 596.—An act granting a pension to Bridget Foley.

 Bridget Foley.
 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 Bridget Foley, widow of Joseph Foley, late private in Company K, Fifth Michigan Cavalry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 597.—An act granting a pension to Peter Peterson.

 Peter 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 Peter Peterson, late of Company E, Eighty-third Regiment Illinois Infantry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 598.—An act granting a pension to Emma Chapman.

 Emma Chapman.
 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 (Mrs) Emma Chapman for her services as army nurse during the late war of the rebellion, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 599.—An act granting a pension to Agnes C. Junot.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 of the pension law, the name of Agnes C. Junot, widow of Charles Junot, a soldier of the Florida war, and a pensioner under act of Congress approved October sixteenth, anno Domini eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and pay her at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Agnes C. Junot.
Pension.

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Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 600.—An act pensioning John George.

March 3, 1891.

Be it 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 to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of John George, dependent father of Lafayette George, late of Company H, Fourteenth Illinois Volunteers, now deceased. Residence of father is at Ingalls, Kansas.

John George.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 601.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth R. Lee.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place upon the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth R. Lee, widow of Samuel Perry Lee, late major of the Third Regiment Maine Volunteer Infantry, and brevet colonel United States volunteers, and major and brevet lieutenant-colonel of the United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month from the date of the passage of this act.

Elizabeth R. Lee.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 602.—An act authorizing the refunding of the duties paid on a painted glass window imported by the rector of Saint Mary's Church, County of Harford, State of Maryland.

March 3, 1891.

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 release and refund, and pay to William T. Brand, rector of Saint Mary's Protestant Episcopal Church, in the County of Harford, State of Maryland, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and twenty-six dollars and eighty-two cents, it being the amount of duty paid by him in April, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, on paintings on glass intended, and imported for, and used in a window in said church.

William T. Brand.
Refund of duties to.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 603.—An act granting a pension to John Yost.

 John Yost.
 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 Yost, late a member of Company I, Thirtieth Regiment Wisconsin Infantry Volunteers

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 604.—An act granting a pension to Myron A. Hudson.

 Myron A. Hudson.
 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 the name of Myron A. Hudson, invalid and dependent son of Josiah B. Hudson, late a private of Company F, Twenty-sixth Regiment Iowa Volunteers, and pay him a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 605.—An act granting a pension to Robert H. Holmes.

 Robert H. Holmes.
 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 rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Robert H. Holmes, late of Company G, Forty-eighth New York Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 606.—An act granting a pension to Julia A. Margrove.

 Julia A. Margrove.
 Pension restored.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Julia A. Margrove, who was on the pension roll as the widow of Thomas Powell, of Company B, Twelfth Kansas Volunteers, until her remarriage to George W. Margrove.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 607.—An act granting a pension to Mary J. Best.

 Mary J. Best.
 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-rolls, the name of Mary J. Best, of Frankfort, Indiana, widow of Nathaniel Best of K Company, First Maryland Volunteers and K Company, Thirteenth Maryland Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 608.—An act granting a pension to Joseph Dascomb.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Dascomb, dependent father of Charles B. Dascomb, late a private in Company D, Fourth New Hampshire Infantry.

Joseph Dascomb.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 609.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Eliza Weaver.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Eliza Weaver, dependent mother of Cassius Weaver, late of Company E, One hundred and forty-sixth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers.

Eliza Weaver.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 610.—An act granting a pension to Martha J. Spencer.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 twelve dollars per month, the name of Martha J. Spencer, of Trumbull, Ashtabula County, Ohio, by reason of her loss of health occasioned by her services as nurse in the Union hospitals from eighteen hundred and sixty-three to eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Martha J. Spencer.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 611.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Edelyn Spalding, widow of Charles Spalding, deceased.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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. Edelyn Spalding, as widow of Charles Spalding, first lieutenant in Second Regiment of Dragoons, United States Army, commissioned in eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and allow her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Edelyn Spalding.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 612.—An act granting a pension to Lizzie E. Haskett, a volunteer army nurse without pay.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, at the rate of twenty-five dollars a month, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name

Lizzie E. Haskett.
Pension.

of Mrs. Lizzie E. Haskett, formerly Miss Lizzie E. Denny, who was a volunteer nurse without pay during the late war, and who is now so nearly blind that she has to be led whenever she goes out of the house, and who is now old, poor, and in failing health.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 613.—An act granting a pension to Mrs Isabella Ray McGunnigle.

Isabella Ray McGunnigle.
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 Isabella Ray McGunnigle, widow of Lieutenant-Commander Wilson McGunnigle, United States Navy, upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 614.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth R. Lowry.

Elizabeth R. Lowry.
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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth R. Lowry, widow of Fielding Lowry, late assistant quartermaster, United States Army.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 615.—An act granting a pension to Sarah Knight.

Sarah Knight.
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 instructed to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Sarah Knight, dependent mother of Horace Knight, deceased, late captain of Company H, Twentieth Regiment Michigan Infantry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 616.—An act granting a pension to Alvason Hopkins.

Alvason Hopkins.
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 place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Alvason Hopkins, dependent father of Sherman Hopkins, late a private in Company L, Sixth Michigan Cavalry Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 617.—An act granting a pension to Mrs. Malinda Hawkins, a hospital matron and nurse during the war of the rebellion.

Malinda Hawkins.
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 Mrs. Malinda Hawkins, late matron and nurse at hospital Number Five at Saltwells, near Evansville, Indiana, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 618.—An act granting a pension to Margaret Durand, hospital nurse.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Durand, as attendant nurse at Mound City Hospital near Cairo, Illinois, during the war of the rebellion, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Margaret Durand.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 619.—An act to pension David S. Sanders.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 David S. Sanders, of Attwood, Howard County, Arkansas, late a private in Captain Charles Pettigrew's company (F), First Regiment of Arkansas Volunteers, of which L. C. Howell was colonel, Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

David S. Sanders.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 620.—An act granting a pension to William F. Reed.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 F. Reed, late of Company K, Thirty-fifth Regiment Kentucky Mounted Infantry.

William F. Reed.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 621.—An act granting a pension to Esther Walker, formerly Esther Dayton, a nurse in the late war.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Esther Walker, formerly Esther Dayton, now residing at Ireton, Sioux County, Iowa, and an army nurse during the late war, on the pension roll, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Esther Walker.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 622.—An act granting a pension to Washington Grigsby.

 Washington Grigsby.
 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 Washington Grigsby, dependent father of Jefferson Grigsby, late of Company B, Twelfth United States Colored Troops

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 623.—An act granting a pension to Thomas F. Baker.

 Thomas F. Baker.
 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 Thomas F. Baker, late of Company F, Sixtieth Regiment Enrolled Missouri State Militia, on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 624.—An act granting a pension to Harriet N. Read.

 Harriet N. Read.
 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 Harriet N. Read, a resident of Dimondale, Michigan, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, on account of disability resulting from disease contracted while serving as a hospital nurse during the war of the rebellion

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 625.—An act granting a pension to Malinda Lemmon.

 Malinda Lemmon.
 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 Malinda Lemmon, widow of Samuel Lemmon, deceased, a soldier in Captain Wilkins, company of Indiana Militia from September eighteenth to November eighteenth, eighteen hundred and eleven, and pay her a pension from the passage of this act, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 626.—An act granting a pension to Susan A. Malone.

 Susan A. Malone.
 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 Susan A. Malone, widow of Benjamin F. Malone, a soldier of the Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six and eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 627.—An act granting a pension to Maria Brooks.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Maria Brooks, a nurse in the late war of the rebellion, and to pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Maria Brooks.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 628.—An act granting a pension to Elnora A. Dixon.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 rolls, subject to the conditions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elnora A. Dixon, of White County, Illinois, a crippled daughter of James B. Dixon, late a seaman on the United States gunboat Red Rover, in the service of the United States during the war of the rebellion, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Elnora A. Dixon.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 629.—An act for the relief of Mary B. Clayton.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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, at the rate of thirty dollars per month, the name of Mary B. Clayton, widow of the late Major Henry Clayton, late paymaster United States Army, and pay her a pension from and after the passage of this act at the rate above named, the same to be in lieu of the pension now paid her.

Mary B. Clayton.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 630.—An act for the relief of Jacob Berg.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Jacob Berg, of Russellville, Pope County, Arkansas, late a private in Company , Ninth West Virginia Volunteer Infantry.

Jacob Berg.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 631.—An act for the relief of Timothy C. Barjerow.

March 3, 1891.

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 the removal of the charge of desertion from the records of Timothy C. Barjerow, late Company H, Eleventh Michigan Infantry, and grant him an honorable discharge under date of January first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

Timothy C. Barjerow.
Charge of desertion removed.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 632.—An act for the relief of Warren Stamp.

Warren Stamp.
Military record cor-
rected.

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 charge of desertion standing on record against Warren Stamp, late a private in Company I, One hundred and eleventh Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, and substitute therefor, absented himself without leave on October twenty-two, eighteen hundred and sixty two, and on February twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, enlisted under the name of John W. Thompson, in Company G, Second Ohio Cavalry Volunteers, for three years, served faithfully and was honorably mustered out with said company on September eleventh, eighteen hundred and sixty five.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 633.—An act for the relief of the heirs of Thomas Black.

Thomas Black.
Payment to heirs.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of four thousand six hundred and seventeen dollars and sixty cents be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, to be paid to the heirs of the late Thomas Black, deceased, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, in compensation for property taken by the naval forces of the United States during the war of the rebellion from the said Thomas Black, a loyal citizen of the United States.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 634.—An act for the relief of Angus McVigor.

Angus McVigor.
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 the name of Angus McVigor, late of Company G, Fifteenth Regiment United States Infantry, upon the pension roll at the rate of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now received by him.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 635.—An act for the relief of Archibald Hunley.

Archibald Hunley.
Pay, etc., to.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That notwithstanding the proceedings of the general court-martial convened at the headquarters of the Third Division of the Seventeenth Army Corps, January twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, in the case of Archibald Hunley, late private Company H, Thirtieth Illinois Infantry Volunteers, at Memphis, Tennessee, the proper accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized and required to audit, adjust, and pay all claims of said Archibald Hunley for back pay, bounty, and allowances, to which he would have been entitled had he served continuously and faithfully until the muster out of his company, deducting any sum received by him, the said proceedings of said court-martial to be no bar to application for and allowance of a pension to said Hunley in accordance with the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 636.—An act for relief of Major John M. Laing.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and hereby is, authorized to remit the unexecuted portion of the sentence of the Court-martial in the case of John M. Laing, late major of the Fifteenth Regiment of Kansas Cavalry Volunteers, and to cause the said John M. Laing to be honorably mustered out of service as such major as of the date of the sentence of said court-martial: *Provided,* That the said John M. Laing shall not by virtue of this act be entitled to have or receive any pay or allowance subsequent to the date of said sentence.

John M. Laing.
Honorably mustered out.*Proviso.*
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 637.—An act for the relief of Charles W. Lambert.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to amend the military record of Charles W. Lambert so as to show him honorably discharged from Company F, one hundred and fifty-second New York Volunteers.

Charles W. Lambert.
Honorably discharge.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 638.—An act for the relief of Luman B. Palmeter.

March 3, 1891.

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 charge of desertion standing on record against Luman B. Palmeter, lat a private in Company B, Seventy-eighth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, and issue to him an honorable discharge as of date February thirteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

Luman B. Palmeter.
Honorably discharge.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 639.—An act for the relief of Mary A. Lee.

March 3, 1891.

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 Mary A. Lee, mother and only heir at law of Walter J. Lee, late a second lieutenant in the Twenty-eighth Regiment Michigan Infantry Volunteers, the amount of pay and allowances of a second lieutenant of infantry from September twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty four, to the thirty first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-five; such payment to be made out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and deducting therefrom the amount of any pay, if any, made him for such service.

Walter J. Lee.
Pay and allowance to mother.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 640.—An act for the relief of Peter Weber.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to remove the charge of

Peter Weber.
Honorable discharge.

desertion from the record of Peter Weber, late a private in Company E. Fiftieth Regiment Wisconsin Volunteers, and issue to him an honorable discharge from said service, to date August twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 641.—An act for the relief of Andrew J. Blackstone.

Andrew J. Blackstone.
Honorable discharge.

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 cancelled from the records of the charge of desertion now standing uncanceled thereon against the name of Andrew J. Blackstone, late a private in Company H, of the one hundred and twenty-third Regiment of the Illinois Volunteer Infantry and grant him an honorable discharge from said regiment of date January twenty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 642.—An act for the relief of Frank Schader.

Frank Schader.
Honorable discharge.

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 charge of desertion from the name of Frank Schader, late of Company G, Ninety-first New York Volunteers, and grant him an honorable discharge under date of March twentieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, and to pay him all pay, bounty, and allowances as may be due him without reference to the charge of desertion.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 643.—An act for the relief, of Luther. M. Blackman.

Luther M. Blackman.
Pay, etc., 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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sum as will cover the regulation pay and allowances of a first lieutenant of Cavalry and regimental quartermaster from August twentieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to December thirteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to Luther M. Blackman, of Monroe County, Tennessee, in full satisfaction of his claim against the United States for services as lieutenant and quartermaster of the First East Tennessee Cavalry Regiment.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 644.—An act for the relief of George Farwalt.

George Farwalt.
Honorable discharge.

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 removed from the records the charge of desertion now standing against the name of George Farwalt, late a private in the Twentieth Battery of Ohio Light Artillery, and grant him an honorable discharge under date of July thirteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 645.—An act for the relief of Alfred Crayton.

March 3, 1891.

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 hereby is, directed to remove the charge of desertion now standing on the rolls against the name of Alfred Crayton, late of Company B, of Eleventh Illinois Infantry, and substitute therefor: Absented himself without leave on October fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and re-enlisted on October twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, in Company A, One hundred and sixth Illinois Volunteers, and was honorably mustered out.

Alfred Crayton.
Military record corrected.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 646.—An act for the relief of Thomas B. McElwee.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Thomas B. McElwee, of Athens, Tennessee, the sum of one hundred and seventeen dollars, being for freight paid the military authorities of the United States on twelve bales of cotton in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Thomas B. McElwee.
Payment to.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 647.—An act for the relief of John Zedeker.

March 3, 1891.

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to remove the charge of desertion from the record against John Zedeker, late private in Company E, Thirty-second Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and that he issue an honorable discharge, to date January first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to said soldier, in conformity with a decree of the common pleas court of Richland County, Ohio, issued on the twenty-third day of February, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, relieving him from the military service on a writ of habeas corpus, on account of his minority.

John Zedeker.
Charge of desertion removed.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 648.—An act for the relief of David H. Russell.

March 3, 1891.

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 charge of desertion standing on record against David H. Russell, late a private in Company, C, Eleventh Regiment Pennsylvania Reserve Volunteer Corps: *Provided,* That the said David H. Russell shall not be entitled to any pay or allowance for the time he was absent from his company without leave.

David H. Russell.
Charge of desertion removed.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 649.—An act for the relief of William H. Keys.

March 3, 1891.

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, instructed and directed to remove and expunge from the records the charge of desertion now borne upon

William H. Keys.
Charge of desertion removed.

said rolls against William H. Keys, late private in Company G, Sixty-ninth Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers, and to issue to him an honorable discharge from the military service of the United States, to date September fifteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four: *Provided*, That the relief hereby granted shall not entitle such soldier to any pay or emoluments for any time while not in actual performance of military duty.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 650.—An act for the relief of certain officers and enlisted men of the First Kansas Colored Volunteers.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all officers of the First Kansas Colored Volunteers who were mustered into the service of the United States on or before the second day of May, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, shall take rank and be entitled to pay from the date when they respectively held and performed the duties of their rank in said regiment, or in the companies or battalions of which said regiment was composed, of a rank equal to the rank they respectively held when mustered into the service of the United States in said regiment.

First Kansas Colored Volunteers.

Date of muster.

Rank, etc., to those killed at Island Mound, Mo.

SEC. 2. That Captain Andrew I. Crew, Corporal Joseph Talbot, Privates Marion Barber, Samuel Davis, Henry Gash, Thomas Lane, Allen Rhodes, and John Sixkiller, who were killed in action at Island Mound, Missouri, October twenty-eight, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, whilst on duty with the companies and battalions of which said regiment was subsequently composed, shall be entitled to the rank, pay, and emoluments conferred by section one of this act.

Pension rights to wounded.

SEC. 3. That Privates Edward Curtis, Jacob Edwards, Lazarus Johnson, General Dudley, Manuel Dobson, and Thomas Knight, of said companies and battalions, who were wounded in action at Island Mound, Missouri, October twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, but were not mustered into the United States service, shall be entitled to all rights, privileges, and benefits conferred upon wounded or disabled soldiers by the provisions of the United States pension laws.

Deductions of pay already received.

SEC. 4. That in computing the pay and allowances to which persons may be entitled under the provisions of this act, any pay and allowances which such parties may have received from the United States for services rendered during the period of time included within the provisions of this act, in any other grade or capacity, shall be deducted from the amount that may be due them under the provisions of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 651.—An act for the relief of James A. Rice.

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 hereby is, directed to remove the charge of desertion from the record of James A. Rice, late a private in Company F, Seventh Kentucky Infantry Volunteers, and to issue to him an honorable discharge as of the seventh day of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

James A. Rice.
Honorable discharge.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 652.—An act for the relief of Sylvester Truesdell.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Sylvester Truesdell, who, on the twenty-ninth day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, made homestead entry of the south-west quarter of section six, in township one hundred and twenty-two north, of range thirty-three west, of the fifth principal meridian, at Saint Cloud, Minnesota, which entry was canceled on the twenty-seventh day of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, be, and he is hereby, authorized to make another entry in lieu of said canceled entry, under and pursuant to the provisions of the homestead act, with credit for fees and commissions, and also with credit as to residence for the time which he held said original entry, in addition to the other rights and privileges conferred by the homestead law

Sylvester Truesdell.
Authorized to make
homestead entry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 653.—An act for the relief of Patrick J. Murphy

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the real estate situate in the District of Columbia purchased by and conveyed to Patrick J. Murphy, of said District, prior to the passage of this act, be, and the same is hereby, relieved and exempted from the operation of an act entitled "An act to restrict the ownership of real estate in the Territories to American citizens, and so forth," approved, March third, eighteen hundred and eighty seven, and all forfeitures incurred by force of said act are, in respect of such real estate, hereby remitted,

Patrick J. Murphy.
Relieved from oper-
ation of act prohib-
iting alien ownership
of land.

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Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 654.—An act for the relief of Washington L. Parvin and Henry A. Greene.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That it shall be the duty of the proper accounting officers of the Treasury to examine and determine the amounts justly due Washington L. Parvin for expenses incurred by him in recruiting, transporting, and subsisting Company F, First Regiment California Infantry Volunteers, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, in the State of California; also what is justly due Henry A. Greene for expenses incurred by him in recruiting, transporting, and subsisting Company G, First Regiment California Infantry Volunteers, in the year eighteen hundred and sixty-one, in the State of California; but in no case shall the amount allowed thereon to the said Washington L. Parvin exceed nine hundred and ninety-one dollars and ten cents; nor shall the amount allowed to the said Henry A. Greene exceed the sum of three thousand three hundred and three dollars; and the sums so found to be due to said Washington L. Parvin and Henry A. Greene, respectively, shall be paid to them out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided*, that acceptance of such payment shall be in full of all claims on account of said expenses: *Provided further*, That no claim under the provisions of this act shall be audited and paid unless presented within one year from the passage of this act.

Washington L. Par-
vin.
Claim to be exam-
ined.

Henry A. Greene.
Claim to be exam-
ined.

Limit.

Payment.

Provido.
Time for presenta-
tion.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 655.—An act for the relief of Charles G. Hood.

Charles G. Hood.
Honorable discharge.

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 required to enter on the rolls of Company A, Seventeenth Ohio Volunteer Infantry, the name of Charles G. Hood, as duly mustered into the United States service, as of August eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and to grant him an honorable discharge from the same, as of October first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 656.—An act for the relief of R. F. Balke, as Mellwood Distillery.

R. F. Balke.
Tax on spirits re-
mitted.

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to remit and abate the deficiency tax on thirty-four hundred and fifty-six gallons of spirits assessed against R. F. Balke, as Mellwood Distillery Company, for the months of May and part of June, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, said deficiency having resulted from an erroneous survey of the said distillery, and not from any fraud or fault of said Balke.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 657.—An act to increase the pension of Colonel Everard Bierer.

Everard Bierer.
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 Colonel Everard Bierer, late colonel of One hundred and seventy-first Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, to thirty dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 658.—An act granting an increase of pension to Augustus G. Frable.

Augustus G. Frable.
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 upon the pension roll the name of Augustus G. Frable, late corporal Company I, Eleventh Pennsylvania Infantry Volunteers, and pay him a pension of fifty dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 659.—An act granting increase of pension to Florida G. Casey.

Florida G. Casey.
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 Florida G. Casey, widow of Major-General Silas Casey, of the Regular Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of one hundred dollars per month, in lieu of that which she is now receiving.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 660.—An act granting an increase of pension to William Martin.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 upon the pension rolls, the name of William Martin, of Fremont, Nebraska, a veteran of the Mexican war, and pay him a pension of fifty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving under certificate numbered forty-nine hundred and eighty-one.

William Martin.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 661.—An act to increase the pension of John E. A. Stephens.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 required to increase the pension of John E. A. Stephens, of Van Buren, Grant County, Indiana, late a private in Company E, Nineteenth Regiment of Illinois Volunteers in the war of the rebellion, and to pay him a pension at the rate of forty five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving; and also subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension law as to the right of future increase of his pension for increase of the disabilities for which he is now pensioned and resulting disabilities.

John E. A. Stephens.
Pension increased.

Further increase.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 662.—An act increasing pension of Lafayette Soper, of Morrissville.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Lafayette Soper, late of Company A, Eleventh Vermont Volunteers, from thirty dollars a month to forty-five dollars a month.

Lafayette Soper.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 663.—An act to increase the pension of George Garfield, late Second Lieutenant Company D, Third Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 increase the pension of George Garfield, Second Lieutenant Company D, Third Ohio Cavalry, certificate numbered sixty-nine thousand and fifty, and pay to him from and after the date of the approval of this act a pension at the rate of forty-five dollars per month.

George Garfield.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 664.—An act granting an increase of pension to Rebecca P. Nields.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Rebecca P. Nields, widow of the late Lieutenant-Commander Henry C. Nields, United States Navy, from thirty to fifty dollars per month, said increase to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Rebecca P. Nields.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 665.—An act to place the name of Ruth McAnnally on the pension-roll.

Ruth McAnnally.
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 the name of Ruth McAnnally, the widow of Alexander Nosmyth, late second lieutenant in Company B, Forty-seventh Regiment of Ohio Volunteer Infantry, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 666.—An act restoring the name of Emily J. Welker to the pension roll.

Emily J. Welker.
Pension restored.

Be 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 empowered and directed to restore to the invalid pension rolls, subject to the limitations of the general pension laws, the name of Emily J. Welker, widow of Henry Welker, late of Company H, Eighty-eighth Illinois Infantry Volunteers, to date from the passage of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 667.—An act to restore to the pension-roll the name of Ruth S. Byron.

Ruth Stuart Byron.
Pension restored.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Ruth Stuart Byron, of Stewart, Athens County, Ohio, and pay her a pension as widow of Captain Charles Byron, to take effect from the passage of this act.

Approved, March 3 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 668.—An act for removal of charge of desertion from the record of Frederick Whitehead

Frederick Whitehead.
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 War be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to remove from the record of Frederick Whitehead, late of Company B, First New York Mounted Rifles, the charge of desertion now standing against him, and substitute that he was discharged by decree of Court on account of being a minor under eighteen years of age, as of date January twenty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three

Approved, March 3, 1891

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 669.—An act to remove the charge of desertion from the record of Allen S. Thatcher.

Allen S. Thatcher.
Honorable discharge.

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 charge of desertion from the record of Allen S. Thatcher, late of Company E, Ninth Indiana Volunteers, and to issue to said soldier a certificate of honorable discharge to date October first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 670.—An act to remove the charge of desertion from record of James Blythe.

March 3, 1891.

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 charge of desertion from the military record of James Blythe, formerly a private in Company P, Eighty-third New York Volunteers, and to grant him an honorable discharge under date of February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three: *Provided,* That no pay or allowances shall become due or payable by virtue of this act subsequent to the date of such discharge.

James Blythe.
Honorable discharge.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 671.—An act to remove the charge of desertion against James Littleton.

March 3, 1891.

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 charge of desertion against James Littleton, late of Company E, Twenty-second Regiment Kentucky Infantry Volunteers, and late of Company C, Seventh Kentucky Veteran Infantry Volunteers, and issue to him an honorable discharge from the Army of the United States.

James Littleton.
Honorable discharge.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 672.—An act to remove the charge of desertion from the record of Ezra Abbott, late of Company I, Twenty-first Michigan Volunteer Infantry.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to remove the charge of desertion from the record of Ezra Abbott, late of Company I, Twenty-first Michigan Volunteer Infantry, and absent without leave from September tenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, to January eighteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, when he re-enlisted in Company K, Thirteenth Michigan Volunteers, for three years, and was honorably discharged July twenty fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, with said company.

Ezra Abbott.
Charge of desertion removed.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 673.—An act directing the Secretary of War to remove the charge of desertion from the military record of, and to issue a certificate of honorable discharge to, Almond C. Walters.

March 3, 1891.

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 authorized and directed to remove the charge of desertion from the military record of Almond C. Walters, late a member of Company E, One hundred and first New York Infantry, who also served in Company C, One hundred and eighty-eighth New York Infantry, and grant him an honorable discharge as of the date of March second, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, from the said Company E, One hundred and first New York Infantry Volunteers. This act shall entitle the said Almond C. Walters, to all rights and privileges heretofore withheld by reason of the failure to receive such discharge.

Almond C. Walters.
Honorable discharge.

Pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 674.—An act to relieve Myron A. Eastman of the charge of desertion.Myron A. Eastman.
Honorable discharge.

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 from the rolls and records in the War Department of the United States Army the charge of desertion now standing on said rolls and records against Myron A. Eastman, late of Company F, One hundred and seventh Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers, and to grant to said party an honorable discharge as of the date of July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-three: *Provided,* That he shall receive no pay, compensation, or allowance by virtue of this act or such discharge.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 675.—An act to remove the charge of desertion against Frank W. Morgan.Frank W. Morgan.
Honorable discharge.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War of the United States be, and he is hereby, directed to remove the charge of desertion against Frank W. Morgan, late of Company G, Fourteenth United States Infantry, and issue to him an honorable discharge from the Army of the United States, as of date of July fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 676.—An act directing the Secretary of War to issue an honorable discharge to John Reilly.John Reilly.
Honorable discharge.

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 authorized and directed to issue an honorable discharge from the service of the United States to John Reilly, late captain Third Marine Corps, Missouri Volunteers, said honorable discharge to date December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, the day on which the said John Reilly's service terminated, and up to which he received pay: *Provided,* That this act shall not entitle the said John Reilly to bounty, pension, or extra pay.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 677.—An act granting an honorable discharge to Howard WillisonHoward Willison.
Honorable muster-out.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to revoke and set aside so much of Special Orders numbered one hundred and ninety, War Department, Adjutant-General's Office, dated Washington, May twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, as dismissed Second-lieutenant Howard Willison, One hundred and third Illinois Volunteer Infantry, and to grant and to cause to be issued to said Willison a certificate of honorable muster out of the service as of the date of May twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four: *Provided,* That said Howard Willison shall not be entitled by virtue of this act to any pay or allowance, subsequent to May twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 678.—An act granting an honorable discharge to David C. Clouse.

March 3, 1891.

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 correct the military record of David C. Clouse, late a private in Company H. Third Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, by removing therefrom the charge of desertion and substituting therefor absent without leave from June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to October twenty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, when he enlisted in Company D, First Indiana Cavalry, and was honorably discharged June eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

David C. Clouse.
Honorable discharge.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 679.—An act to correct the military record of Abram F. Springsteen.

March 3, 1891.

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 correct the military record of Abram F. Springsteen, formerly a member of Company A of the Thirty-fifth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, by removing the charge of desertion therefrom and granting him an honorable discharge, to date December twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

Abram F. Springsteen.
Honorable discharge.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 680.—An act to correct the military record of George McKinney, junior.

March 3, 1891.

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 notwithstanding the proceedings of the court martial in his case, to correct the military record of George McKinney (or George W. McKinney), Junior, late of Company E, Thirty-sixth Indiana Infantry, who was mustered in said company August twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty one, and to remove the charge absent without leave standing against him, and show him absent with leave: *Provided,* That this act shall not entitle such soldier to pay or emoluments from August eighteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, to June twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

George McKinney, jr.
Military record corrected.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 681.—An act for the allowance of the claim of George Brown for stores and supplies taken and used by the United States Army, as reported by the Court of Claims, under the provisions of the act of March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to George Brown, of the District of Columbia, the sum of four thousand five hundred and twenty-five dollars, the same being in full for, and the receipt of the same to be taken and accepted as a full 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 March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, entitled "An act to provide for the bringing of suits against the Government of the United States."

George Brown.
Payment to.

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Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 682.—An act to authorize the Secretary of War to cause to be mustered William P. Atwell.

William P. Atwell.
Honorable discharge.

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 is hereby, authorized to cause to be mustered William P. Atwell as captain of Company G, Thirty-seventh Wisconsin Volunteer Regiment of Infantry, to date November eighteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and that the Secretary of War give to him an honorable discharge as Captain of said Company and Regiment to date November twenty-two, eighteen hundred and sixty-four.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 683.—An act authorizing the President of the United States to revoke the order of dismissal of Chaplain Lorenzo S. Coffin, Thirty-second Iowa Volunteers, and to issue to him a certificate of honorable muster-out of the service.

Lorenzo S. Coffin.
Honorable muster-out.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and hereby is, authorized to revoke Special Orders numbered three hundred and thirty-seven, War Department, Adjutant-General's Office, Washington, July twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, dismissing Chaplain Lorenzo S. Coffin, Thirty-second Iowa Volunteers, from the service of the United States, for absence without proper authority, so far as it relates to and affects said Lorenzo S. Coffin, and to cause to be issued to him, as chaplain of said regiment, a certificate of honorable muster-out of the service as of the date of August tenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 684.—An act to correct the military record of George S. Coyle.

G. S. Coyle.
Honorable discharge

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 hereby is, authorized and directed to issue a certificate of honorable discharge to G. S. Coyle, lieutenant Second Kentucky Volunteers, from the service of the United States, as of November twenty-second, eighteen hundred and sixty two.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 685.—An act to correct the military record of Jonathan Murphy, of Grant County, Indiana.

Jonathan Murphy.
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 be, and hereby is, authorized and required to amend the military record of Jonathan Murphy, of Grant County, Indiana, and late a private of Company G, of the Fifty-second Regiment of Indiana Volunteers in the war of the rebellion, by removing therefrom the charge of desertion, and substitute therefor, slightly wounded and captured in a skirmish at Durhamville, Tennessee, on September seventeenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and paroled; and, without having returned to his command, re-enlisted in Company F, one hundred and twenty-fourth Regiment Indiana Volunteers, on December twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-three, served faithfully therein, and was honorably mustered out with said company on August thirty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-five: *Provided,* That he shall receive no pay or allowances by virtue of this act.

Proviso.
No pay, etc.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 686.—An act for the relief of Hart County, Kentucky.

March 3, 1891.

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 Hart, 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 or 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 limitation to the contrary notwithstanding.

Hart County, Ky.
Repayment of internal revenue taxes.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 687.—An act for the allowance of certain claims for stores and supplies taken and used by the U. S. Army, as reported by the Court of Claims under the provisions of the act of March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, known as the "Bowman act."

March 3, 1891.

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 required to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, except as hereinafter provided, to the several persons in this act named the several sums mentioned herein, the same being in full for, and the receipt of the same to be taken and accepted in each case as a full and final discharge of, the several claims examined, investigated, and reported favorably by the Court of Claims of the United States under the provisions of the act of March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, entitled "An act to afford assistance and relief to Congress and the Executive Departments in the investigation of claims and demands against the Government; *Provided, however,* That no one of the claims hereinafter mentioned, and contingently appropriated for, shall be paid until the Attorney-General shall have certified to the Secretary of the Treasury that he has caused to be examined the evidence heretofore presented to the Court of Claims in support of said claim, and such other pertinent evidence as he shall be able to procure, bearing upon the loyalty of the claimant or claimants, and upon the merits and justice of the claim, and finds upon such evidence no grounds sufficient, in his opinion, to support a motion for a new trial in said case, or until there shall have been filed with said Secretary a duly certified transcript of the proceedings of the Court of Claims denying a motion made by the Attorney-General for a new trial in any one of the claims herein mentioned. The Attorney-General is hereby directed to cause such examination to be made within nine months from the passage of this act, and to make within said period motions for a new trial in all cases in which there shall be, in his opinion, sufficient ground therefor.

Payment of claims reported under "Bowman act."

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The court shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine such motions for a new trial.

As to all said claims in which the Attorney-General shall make a motion for a new trial, and in which the said motion shall be granted by the Court, the findings of the Court, if favorable to the claimant, shall reported to Congress, as under the provisions of existing law, for future action, and no payment of any such claim shall be made under the provisions of this act. The several persons' claims and sums are as follows:

Claims allowed.

To Thomas N. Allison, administrator of James L. Allison, deceased, of Jackson County, Alabama, nine hundred and twenty dollars.

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claims—Continued.

To Saint Cecelia's Academy, of Nashville, Tennessee, nine hundred and thirty dollars.

To William W. Anderson, of Harrison County, Kentucky, four hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To John R. Watkins, administrator of Matilda W. Anderson, of Haywood County Tennessee, two thousand five hundred and thirty dollars.

To T. S. Galloway, administrator of Jackey Armour, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand one hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To Betty L. Abbington, administratrix of James B. Abbington, of Shelby County, Tennessee, two thousand seven hundred and seventy-four dollars and fifty cents.

To A. H. Alfrey, of Benton County, Arkansas, four hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Anna M. Anderson, administratrix of George A. Anderson, deceased, of Washington County, Maryland, one thousand three hundred and ninety-six dollars and fifty cents.

To W. R. Billingslea, administrator of Sarah Billingslea, of Warren County, Mississippi, two thousand two hundred and thirty-three dollars.

To Sarah A. Bishard, administratrix of Daniel Bishard, of Bourbon County, Kansas, two hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To T. J. Powell, administrator of Warren M. Benton, of East Carroll Parish, Louisiana, fourteen thousand five hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To John Loague, administrator of Elizabeth Becton, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one thousand and fifty-five dollars.

To Mary A. Blackwell, of Shelby County, Tennessee, nine hundred and forty dollars.

To Henry Bazinsky, administrator of Abraham Bazinsky, of Warren County, Mississippi, twenty-three thousand six hundred and forty-eight dollars.

To Urias Buskirk, of Logan County, West Virginia, six hundred and seventy-two dollars.

To George W. Bowen and William T. Bowen, administrators of James Bowen, of Culpeper County, Virginia, four thousand four hundred and eighty-eight dollars and eighty-seven cents.

To William K. Booe, of Lonoke County, Arkansas, four hundred and twenty dollars.

To Mrs. Sarah Agnes Park, Thomas M. Brown, Eliza C. Brown, Mrs. Evelyn Dyer, heirs of Thomas J. Brown, deceased, of Monroe County, Arkansas, one thousand one hundred and sixty-four dollars.

To Joshua Baker, of Gibson County, Tennessee, one hundred and fifty-four dollars.

To Aaron Stanton and James C. Brandon, executors of Charlotte S. Brandon, deceased, of Adams County, Mississippi, five thousand six hundred and two dollars.

To Thomas M. Barksdale, of Limestone County, Alabama, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Moses Brooks, of Shelby County, Tennessee, seven hundred and eighty-three dollars.

To William H. Borders, of Washington County, Kentucky, one hundred and eighty dollars and fifty cents.

To Elizabeth Ann Best, executrix of David Best, deceased, of Frederick County, Maryland, six hundred and seventy-one dollars.

To George H. Beckwith, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars.

To J. E. Boswell and W. H. McKinstry, executors of Dixon S. Boswell, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand and twenty-five dollars.

To Alfred M. Belt, McGill Belt, and E. Oliver Belt, administrators of John L. Belt, deceased, of Frederick County, Maryland, four hundred and seventy dollars. "Bowman act" claims—Continued.

To R. H. Wood, executor of John H. Bills, deceased, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, two thousand two hundred and nine dollars.

To Joseph Blakemore, of Cherokee County, Alabama, four hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Jesse A. Bailes, of Jefferson County, Tennessee, one hundred and ninety-two dollars.

To William M. Brewster, of Claiborne County, Tennessee, five hundred and seventy-five dollars and fifty cents.

To Ella Bryan, administratrix of William A. Bryan, of Fayette County, Tennessee, seven hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Chesley J. Burnett, of Hamblen County, Tennessee, two hundred and sixty-four dollars and twenty cents.

To Oliver G. Butts, of Loudoun County, Virginia, four hundred dollars.

To George L. Branscom, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, four hundred and thirty-two dollars.

To Levi W. Brooks, of Walker County, Georgia, one thousand three hundred and thirty-two dollars.

To Stephen Bird, executor of John Bird, deceased, of Mississippi County, Missouri, seven thousand one hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents.

To James G. Field, administrator of Edmund Bickers, deceased, of Culpeper County, Virginia, one thousand one hundred and fifty-three dollars and fifty cents.

To George Cooper of John, of Loudoun County, Virginia, three hundred and fourteen dollars.

To John M. Campbell, of Gibson County, Tennessee, one thousand and forty-six dollars and fifty cents.

To Anna M. Cogswell, of Hot Springs County, Arkansas, three thousand eight hundred and eighty-four dollars.

To William H. Cook, senior; of Saint Mary's Parish, Louisiana two thousand and eighty-five dollars.

To George W. Chapman, administrator of John M. Cook, of Franklin, Louisiana, one thousand two hundred and ten dollars.

To Andrew Cathey, of Tishomingo County, Mississippi, five hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Ellzey Chamblin, of Loudoun County, Virginia, eight hundred and ninety dollars.

To E. J. Conard, of Loudoun County, Virginia, one thousand five hundred and twenty-six dollars.

To Mary A. Conard, administratrix of John W. Conard, of Loudoun County, Virginia, two thousand four hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To Alexander Chavis, administrator of Jordan Chavis, of Haynes Bluff, Mississippi, (Warren County), nine hundred and fifty dollars.

To James W. Allen, administrator of Thomas B. Crenshaw, of Shelby County, Tennessee, nine hundred and forty-three dollars and forty cents.

To Ebenezer Cunningham, of Cherokee County, Alabama, one thousand four hundred and eighty dollars.

To Broussais Coman, administrator of James L. Coman, deceased, of Madison County, Alabama, six hundred and seventy-three dollars.

To James S. Coleman, executor of Daniel Coleman, deceased, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, five hundred and sixty dollars.

To A. M. Cloud, administrator of B. F. Cloud, deceased, of Claiborne County, Tennessee, one thousand nine hundred and twelve dollars.

To Ada E. Lawrence, administratrix of C. De France, of Adams County, Mississippi, five hundred and fourteen dollars.

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claims—Continued.

To W. P. Wilson, administrator of Eliza M. Dawson, of Shelby County, Tennessee, nineteen thousand two hundred and thirty-seven dollars and sixty-eight cents.

To Elizabeth P. Dyer, of Fayette County, Tennessee, four hundred and eighty dollars.

To W. H. Douglass, of Shelby County, Tennessee, three hundred and ninety dollars.

To Clarence M. Dowling, administrator of Michael Dowling, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight dollars.

To Jeremiah F. Dorris, of Carroll Parish, Louisiana, three thousand one hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To James Dillard, of Goochland County, Virginia, one thousand five hundred and thirty-seven dollars.

To Joseph Dunbar, administrator of Celeste Dunbar, of Jefferson County, Mississippi, three hundred dollars.

To William C. Davidson, of Jackson County, Alabama, six hundred and fifty dollars.

To Edwin Dickinson, of Fayette County, Tennessee, four thousand three hundred dollars.

To Eli T. Diamond, of Lee County, Arkansas, one thousand three hundred dollars.

To Mary T. Dominique, administrator of Louis Dominique, of Baton Rouge, Louisiana, five hundred and eighty dollars.

To F. M. and Josiah E. Davis, executors of Eliza Davis, deceased, of Washington County, Maryland, three hundred and sixty-six dollars.

To Laura B. Buford and V. Ruth Bowhannan, administratrixes of Mary J. Dooley, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one thousand five hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty-seven cents.

To Annie E. Davis, administratrix of John H. Davis, deceased, of Hinds County, Mississippi, four hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To B. J. Kimbrough, administrator of Asa Douglass, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, six hundred and forty dollars.

To Daniel Earnhart, of Fayette County, Tennessee, five hundred and thirty-four dollars.

To Susan S. Eyler, administratrix of Andrew J. Eyler, of Washington County, Maryland, five hundred and twenty dollars.

To Elias Eakle, of Washington County, Maryland, four hundred and fifty-one dollars.

To Leonard Emmert, of Washington County, Maryland, three hundred and forty-two dollars.

To J. A. Thomas, administrator of Mary Emerson, deceased, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, two hundred and ninety dollars.

To R. W. Montgomery, administrator of Benjamin C. Embry, deceased, of Green County, Kentucky, two hundred and twenty dollars.

To Willis Ferrill, of Shelby County, Tennessee, four hundred and fifty dollars.

To Thomas S. Fogg, of Giles County, Tennessee, two thousand one hundred and sixty-seven dollars and forty-one cents.

To Elizabeth J. Finney, of Fayette County, Tennessee, two hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To Mary S. Fogg, of Madison County, Tennessee, six hundred and sixty dollars and fifty cents.

To Samuel F. Beach, executor of Anthony R. Fraser, of Alexandria County, Virginia, twelve thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars and eighty-seven cents.

To Samuel M. Foltz, executor of Jacob Foltz, deceased, of Washington County, Maryland, one hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Jacob Friend, executor of Henry Friend, deceased, of Washington County, Maryland, five hundred and seventy dollars.

To S. S. Gloyd, and Jacob A. Gloyd, executors of Samuel Gloyd, deceased, of Montgomery County, Maryland, five hundred and fifty dollars. "Bowman act"
claims—Continued.

To John A. Gwin, of Marshall County, Mississippi, six hundred and six dollars.

To Horace P. Hobson, administrator of John O. Graves, of Fayette County, Tennessee, three thousand two hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To M. W. Prewitt and J. K. Gates, executor of James F. Gates, of Fayette County, Tennessee, six hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Joseph Grantham, of Clarke County, Virginia, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To William J. Grantham, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, three hundred and sixty-five dollars.

To Amos L. Moody, administrator of Argy L. Garner, deceased, of Colbert County, Alabama, eight thousand and thirty dollars, for the use of the heirs of Argy L. Garner, deceased.

To Varina B. Gaither, of Concordia Parish, Louisiana, eight thousand two hundred dollars.

To Charles Carpenter, administrator of Celia A. Groves, deceased, of Madison Parish, Louisiana, eight thousand two hundred and seventy-six dollars.

To William S. George, one hundred and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-five cents, and to Belle Dinges, one hundred and seventy-eight dollars and eighty-five cents, as heirs of Solomon George, deceased, of Loudoun County, Virginia.

To William B. Grover, administrator of Emily J. Grover, deceased, of Henrico County, Virginia, three thousand and twenty-five dollars.

To Samuel S. Gloyd, of Montgomery County, Maryland, four hundred and ninety-two dollars.

To William W. Green, of Camden County, Missouri, two hundred and seventy dollars.

To William Garrett, of Davidson County, Tennessee, three thousand six hundred and ninety dollars.

To Thomas E. Holmes, of Montgomery County, Maryland, six hundred and twenty-four dollars.

To the legal representatives of John W. Hopkins, deceased, of Pulaski County Arkansas, one thousand one hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Indiana E. Hughes, administratrix of John P. Hughes, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one thousand four hundred and thirty-six dollars.

To William R. Harper, administrator of Ecloe A. Harper, deceased, of Chattooga County, Georgia, one thousand one hundred and sixty-one dollars and seventy cents.

To R. A. Hurley, administrator of A. F. Hurley, deceased of Montgomery County, Maryland, seven hundred dollars.

To Floyd S. Hudgins, of Chattooga County, Georgia, one thousand four hundred and thirteen dollars.

To Robert C. Hardwick, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, one hundred and eighty-seven dollars.

To John League, administrator of Delos A. Harrell, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, eight hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To Mattie B. Pitman, administratrix of Fannie T. Hunt, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, two thousand nine hundred and forty-six dollars.

To William Owen, administrator of Sarah Harris, deceased, of Warren County, Mississippi, eight hundred and seventy dollars.

To Francis A. Harwell, of Cherokee County, Alabama, two hundred and eighty-four dollars.

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claims—Continued.

To Robert E. Hale, of Saint Francis County, Arkansas, eight hundred dollars.

To Newitt Harris, of Fayette County, Tennessee, six hundred dollars.

To James Higginbotham, of La Fayette Parish, Louisiana, two thousand six hundred and twenty-three dollars.

To William M. Hawkins, administrator of William Hawkins, deceased, of Monroe County, Arkansas, one thousand and twenty dollars.

To Benjamin Holt, of Wayne County, Tennessee, one hundred and seventy-six dollars.

To Tilghman Hilleary, Junior, of Frederick County, Maryland, one thousand and thirty-six dollars.

To Caroline C. Hedges, of Hinds County, Mississippi, five thousand one hundred and thirty-five dollars and fifty cents.

To John Heflebower, of Washington County, Maryland, one thousand seven hundred and sixty-four dollars and fifty cents.

To H. H. Hughey, of Lincoln County, Tennessee, two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To W. H. Hallisburton, administrator of James Furlong, deceased, of Arkansas County, Arkansas, four thousand four hundred dollars.

To Ann E. Graves, executrix of Samuel Hutzell, deceased, of Washington County, Maryland, five hundred and seventy dollars.

To Americus V. Warr, administrator of Nicholas H. Isbell, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, thirteen thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars and fifteen cents.

To Furney Jones, of Claiborne County, Tennessee, four hundred and forty dollars.

To James C. Jenkins, administrator of Thomas C. Jenkins, deceased, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, one thousand two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Harriett Jones, administratrix of John L. Jones, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, eight hundred and seventy dollars.

To William Johnson, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To John T. Jones, of Phillips County, Arkansas, six thousand seven hundred and five dollars.

To J. L. Johnston, guardian of Elizabeth M. Johnston, of Monroe County, Tennessee, seven hundred and five dollars.

To Clayton O. Keedy, administrator of John D. Keedy, of Washington County, Maryland, six hundred and forty-five dollars.

To Jacob H. Keedy, of Washington County, Maryland, one hundred and thirty-four dollars.

To John Kelly, of Alleghany County, Virginia, six thousand five hundred and seventy one dollars and seventy-one cents.

To John H. King, of Washington County, Maryland, five hundred dollars.

To James W. Knott, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To George Koonce, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand five hundred and eighty dollars.

To Daniel Beard of N, administrator of Eli Koons, deceased of Washington County, Maryland one hundred and five dollars.

To William R. Kearney, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, four hundred and twenty dollars.

To Charles F. King, of Franklin County, Ohio, one hundred and ninety dollars.

To Benjamin Kenney, of Shelby County, Tennessee, three hundred and fifty dollars.

To Charles L. Drain and Francis P. Drain, administratrix of John Lamden, deceased, of Alexandria County, Virginia, four thousand one hundred and forty four dollars.

To John H. Lighter, administrator of Peter Lighter, deceased, of Frederick County, Maryland, four hundred and twenty seven dollars.

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claims—Continued.

To Phillip Lindsay, of Lauderdale County, Alabama, three hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To G. Silberberg, Bertha Silberberg, Samuel Marks, Nora Marks, and Hannah Lubinsky, heirs at law of Simon Lubinsky, deceased, of Warren County Mississippi, seven hundred and thirteen dollars.

To William Lloyd, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand seven hundred and eight dollars.

To Henry N. Lansdale, of Frederick County, Maryland, six hundred and forty two dollars.

To David M Lindsey, administrator of James Lindsey, deceased of Washington County, Maryland, one thousand and fifty-seven dollars.

To Eliza C. La Rue, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars.

To Jackson P. Lewis, of Shelby County, Tennessee, three hundred and five dollars.

To Joseph Lowe, of Loudoun County, Virginia seven hundred and forty dollars.

To Nancy Lewis, of Hinds County, Mississippi, three hundred and six dollars and sixty cents.

To H. C. Dunavant, administrator of Samuel B. Lanier, deceased of Mississippi County, Arkansas, ten thousand one hundred and eighty-seven dollars and thirty cents.

To Abner D. Lewis, of Fayette County, Tennessee, three thousand and twenty one dollars.

To Elizabeth Mulvehill, of Frederick County, Virginia four thousand three hundred and forty five dollars and seventeen cents.

To T. S. Galloway, administrator de bonis non of James Marshall, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee nine hundred and twenty-two dollars.

To Elizabeth Griggs, administratrix of Charles Murphy, deceased, of Hardeman County Tennessee, three thousand one hundred and eighty seven dollars.

To John W. McKnight, of Paducah Kentucky, nine hundred and fifty-one dollars.

To Eliza Marsteller, administratrix of C. C. Marsteller, deceased, of Prince William County, Virginia, two thousand five hundred and thirty-seven dollars.

To Joanna McKenna, administratrix of Samuel McKenna, deceased, of Memphis, Tennessee, three thousand and seven dollars.

To John B. McGhee, administrator of Ann E. McGhee, deceased, of Monroe County, Tennessee, seven hundred and five dollars.

To John Mack, of Jackson, Mississippi, three hundred dollars.

To Rachel Martin, administratrix of Thomas L. Martin, deceased of Montgomery County, Arkansas, one thousand one hundred and twelve dollars.

To Arthur Miller, of Madison Parish, Louisiana seven hundred and sixty dollars.

To Hezekiah Myers, of Sharpsburgh, Maryland, two hundred and fifty-two dollars.

To John H. Mitchell, of Fort Smith, Arkansas, two thousand and seventy dollars.

To John R. McKinnie, administrator of David McKinnie, deceased, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, one thousand one hundred and forty-two dollars.

To F. A. Mayo, administrator de bonis non of John McDowell, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, fifteen thousand five hundred and seventy dollars.

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claims—Continued.

To Ann Moreau, of Avoyelles Parish, Louisiana, five thousand nine hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To Sarah E. Mendenhall, administratrix of F. M. Mendenhall, deceased of Shelby County Tennessee, five hundred and eighty-three dollars and seventy-three cents.

To Susan Merrill, of Lee County, Mississippi, eight hundred and fifteen dollars.

To Thomas D. Moore administrator of Lydia Miller, deceased of Jefferson County West Virginia, three thousand two hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To John Murdock, of Washington County, Maryland, seventy-two dollars.

To George Minga, Isle of Wight County, Virginia two hundred and fifty-eight dollars.

To Duncan Marr, of Clarksville, Tennessee, nine thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars

To Victor H. Newcomer, executor of John G. Miller, deceased of Washington County Maryland, three hundred and thirty-two dollars.

To James W. Johnson, administrator of Samuel McClung, deceased, of Greenbrier County, West Virginia two thousand and six dollars.

To H. A. Bell, executor of Rebecca Montgomery deceased, of Oktibeha County Mississippi, one thousand three hundred and two dollars.

To William G. Davis, administrator of Coleman Marshall, of Jefferson County, Tennessee, six hundred and ten dollars.

To Robert S. McDonald, of Benton County, Mississippi one thousand nine hundred and fifty nine dollars.

To David S. Noe, of Hamblen County, Tennessee, eight hundred and sixty dollars.

To James C. Noe, of Grainger County, Tennessee, one thousand and ninety dollars.

To William Nuckolls of Hardeman County, Tennessee, two thousand one hundred and seventy-three dollars and sixty cents.

To R. C. Oglesby, of Washington County, Mississippi, nine thousand five hundred and forty-six dollars.

To John A. Oursler, of Fayette County Tennessee, two thousand four hundred and thirty-nine dollars and ten cents.

To Henry Piper, of Washington County, Maryland, four hundred and fifty-two dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Samuel D. Piper, of Washington County, Maryland, nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and ninety cents.

To William A. Brown, administrator of Dedrick Pike of Monroe County, Arkansas, two thousand two hundred and fifty-eight dollars.

To Elizabeth Smith, administratrix of John Putnam, deceased, of Sebastian County, Arkansas, one thousand five hundred and sixty-eight dollars.

To John Rolater, administrator of James Pinksten, of Cherokee County, Alabama, four hundred and six dollars.

To Raleigh Poindexter, of Fayette County, Tennessee, eight hundred and forty-two dollars and seventy cents.

To Francoise P. Perrett, of Saint Mary's Parish, Louisiana, eight hundred and twenty dollars.

To Morgan Price, of Garland County, Arkansas nine hundred and twenty dollars.

To Elizabeth Pitts, of Cherokee County, Alabama two hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To Alfred Poffinberger, of Washington County, Maryland, three hundred and thirteen dollars.

To Samuel I. Piper of Washington County Maryland one thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars and twenty-five cents.

To Emmet Y. Parham, of Henderson County, Tennessee, one thousand and fifty-five dollars.

To Piety Priddy, of Shelby County Tennessee, nine hundred and thirty-three dollars.

"Bowman act"
claims—Continued.

To William P. Posey of Lauderdale County, Tennessee, three hundred and seventy dollars.

To Joseph M. Pilkington, of Pettis County Missouri two thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars.

To Thomas S. Poindexter, W. G. Poindexter, and Oliver E. Poindexter, heirs of C. C. Poindexter, deceased of Tipton County, Tennessee, six hundred and fifty-seven dollars.

To J. W. B. Robinson administrator de bonis non of Andrew Park, deceased, of Monroe County, Arkansas eight hundred and thirty dollars.

To William N. Potts, of Madison County, Kentucky, one thousand four hundred and thirty-one dollars.

To William Robinson, of Roane County, Tennessee, five hundred and seventy-eight dollars.

To Malinda Rogers, of Greenbrier County, West Virginia, two hundred and ten dollars.

To Robert W. Renick, of Greenbrier County, West Virginia three thousand three hundred and thirty-two dollars.

To Madison Randolph, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one thousand one hundred and seventeen dollars.

To the corporation of the Roman Catholic Church clergy, of Charles County, Maryland, four thousand and thirty-five dollars and fifty cents.

To John B. Reid, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand dollars.

To William F. Rics, of Colbert County, Alabama one thousand and fifty dollars.

To John R. Reaves, administrator of Edmond Reaves, of Hardeeman County, Tennessee, two thousand one hundred and sixty-three dollars.

To H. B. Rohrback, of Washington County, Maryland, five hundred and four dollars.

To William C. Ramey, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand eight hundred and fifteen dollars and fifty cents.

To Herman L. Routzahn, administrator of John Routzahn, of Frederick County, Maryland, two hundred and forty-eight dollars.

To Betty B. Reily, of Frederick County, Virginia, nine hundred dollars.

To Robert E. Russell of Loudoun County, Virginia, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

To Edward Tearney, administrator of Samuel Ridenour of Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand and fifteen dollars.

To Thomas H. Reynolds, of Lauderdale County, Tennessee, one thousand, one hundred and twenty-seven dollars.

To George A. Davis administrator of Samuel Reel, of Washington County, Maryland, six hundred and fifty three dollars.

To Mary E. Gibson, administratrix of James M. Rodgers, of Shelby County, Tennessee, two thousand five hundred and eighteen dollars.

To Absolom Riley, of Loudoun County, Virginia six hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To Pierre Pamos, administrator of Nicholas Rue deceased, of Point Coupe Parish, Louisiana, seven hundred and sixty dollars.

To William A. Smith, of Saint Mary's County, Maryland, one thousand, nine hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Thomas Stewart of Limestone County Alabama one thousand six hundred and seventy-eight dollars.

To William Shifler, of Washington County, Maryland, one hundred and forty dollars.

To John Hoffman Smith of the District of Columbia, nine thousand seven hundred and seventy-four dollars.

"Bowman act"
claims—Continued.

To Mary Sydenstricker, of Greenbrier County, West Virginia, three hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To Almira E. Still, administratrix of William F Still, deceased, of Madison County, Tennessee, eight hundred and eight dollars.

To Elisha N. Shadden, of Pulaski Tennessee, seven hundred and ten dollars.

To Jeremiah B. Simmonds, of Pine Bluff, Arkansas, one thousand four hundred and eighty-five dollars.

To David Singleton, of Adams County, Mississippi eight hundred and twenty dollars.

To Mary Smith, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand one hundred and twenty-six dollars and fifty cents.

To James Sessions, of Warren County, Mississippi, six hundred and five dollars.

To Mrs Elizabeth Seward, of Gibson County, Tennessee, four hundred and eighty-seven dollars.

To Robert Smith, of Madison County, Tennessee, five hundred and ten dollars.

To Jesse M. Shivers, administrator of James Shivers, deceased, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, two thousand eight hundred and thirteen dollars.

To George K. Sims, of Gibson County, Tennessee, seven hundred and ninety-six dollars.

To James H. Stafford, of Warren County, Mississippi, one thousand three hundred and eighty-six dollars.

To C. W. Hunt, administrator of William L. Shelton, deceased, of Jackson County, Alabama, one thousand three hundred and eighty-six dollars and fifty cents

To Louisa Schrader, widow of Charles Schrader, deceased, and tutrix of her minor children, of Pineville, Louisiana, two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Robert D. Salmons, for the use of George C. Harris and John M. Henry, trustees for the creditors of Robert D. Salmons and Isaac D. McGoodwin administrator of William H. Wooten, deceased, of the State of Kentucky, three thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To A. T. Snouffer, administrator of Richard Thomas, of Frederick County, Maryland, five hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To Thomas Trundle, of Frederick County, Maryland, six hundred and fifty dollars.

To Otho W. Trundle, of Frederick County, Maryland, nine hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To James Tucker, of Fayette County, Tennessee, five hundred dollars

To Lucius J. Seals, of East Feliciana Parish, Louisiana, one thousand two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Thomas Polk, administrator of Levi M. Todd, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars.

To J. A. Thomas, of Madison County, Tennessee, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To Martha L. Trigg, of Shelby County, Tennessee, four thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

To D. A. and J. M. Thomas, administrator of W. C. Thomas, of Jackson County, Alabama, one thousand six hundred and twenty-eight dollars.

To Sarah M. Thomas, of Adams County, Mississippi, two thousand and forty-four dollars and seven cents.

To Joseph S. Thompson, of Lee County, Arkansas, one thousand three hundred and forty dollars.

To Frank Slade, administrator of John E. Tunis, of Norfolk County, Virginia, ten thousand eight hundred and seven dollars.

To A. H. Taylor, administrator of Theodocia Turner, of Gibson County, Tennessee, six hundred dollars.

"Bowman act"
claims—Continued.

To J. A. Thomas, administrator of Samuel Thomas, of Madison County, Tennessee, one hundred and fifty dollars.

To J. A. Thomas, administrator of Mary Emerson, of Madison County, Tennessee, two hundred and ninety dollars.

To C. L. Thomas, administrator of Lewis Thomas, deceased, of Clark County, Arkansas, one thousand three hundred and thirty-eight dollars.

To Milton J. Durham, administrator of Leonard Taylor, deceased, of Boyle County, Kentucky, one thousand six hundred and twenty-six dollars.

To S. H. Broadnax, administrator of George F. Taylor, of Tipton County, Tennessee, one thousand four hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To George W. Thornton, administrator of Mary Thornton, deceased, of Cherokee County, Alabama, six hundred and two dollars and ten cents.

To J. R. Vinyard, administrator of W. K. Vinyard, deceased, of Phillips County, Arkansas, five hundred and nine dollars.

To Jesse K. Vawter, of Jennings County, Indiana, one hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Jacob D. Vitz and L. H. Vincent, administrators of Peter Vitz, deceased, of Loudoun County, Virginia, one thousand two hundred and eighty-seven dollars and ten cents.

To Robert H. Walton, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, three hundred and sixty dollars.

To Mary E. Wagely, administratrix of David A. Wagely, deceased, of Jefferson County, West Virginia, eight hundred and ninety-one dollars.

To Fletcher R. Veitch, John W. Veitch, Margaret Veitch, and Lizzie V. Boyle, of Prince George County, Maryland, seven thousand two hundred and ninety-three dollars.

To R. T. Coles, administrator of William H. Wortham, deceased, of Madison County, Alabama, one thousand four hundred and forty-five dollars.

To Luther Walters, Floyd County, Georgia, seven hundred and seventy-one dollars.

To Thomas H. Wyson, Jefferson County, West Virginia, one thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To Thornton O. Wyndham, of Clarke County, Virginia, two thousand and ninety dollars.

To Charles W. Woods, of Montgomery County, Maryland, six hundred and ten dollars.

To John H. Elliott, administrator of John R. Whitlock, deceased, of Cherokee County, Alabama, four hundred dollars.

To John Walker, of Jackson County, Alabama, four hundred and seventy-eight dollars.

To Harrison Winfield, of Warren County, Mississippi, four hundred and sixty-two dollars.

To Julius Witkowski, of Carroll Parish, Louisiana, seven thousand nine hundred dollars.

To William R. Webber, administrator of Matthew W. Webber, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, eight hundred and ninety-five dollars.

To Mary E. Wells, sole heir of Daniel J. Wells, deceased, of Hardeman County, Tennessee, four hundred and fifty-five dollars.

To Mary E. West, executrix of Richard T. West, deceased, of Montgomery County, Maryland, one thousand and ninety-five dollars.

To Sarah McFerrin, administratrix of Robert Waters, deceased, of Shelby County, Tennessee, one thousand seven hundred and fifty-two dollars.

"Bowman act"
claims—Continued.

To J. C. Williamson, administrator of J. I. Williamson, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To George H. Wenner, of Loudoun County, Virginia, one thousand one hundred and ninety-seven dollars.

To William H. Wilson, administrator of Isaac N. Webb, deceased, of Harrison County, Kentucky, two thousand one hundred and thirty dollars.

To Hattie E. Winn, of Carroll Parish, Louisiana, two thousand two hundred dollars.

To T. S. Galloway, administrator of Mary G. Wilkes, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand four hundred and thirty dollars.

To William D. Walker, of Warren County, Mississippi, six hundred and twenty-seven dollars.

To T. S. Galloway, administrator of Mary G. Wray, deceased, of Fayette County, Tennessee, one thousand one hundred and fifty dollars.

To John B. Wiltberger, executor of Charles H. Wiltberger of the District of Columbia, three thousand five hundred and eighty one dollars.

To William W. Watson, Tensas Parish, Louisiana, two thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To Simon Witkowski, of Carroll Parish, Louisiana, seven thousand two hundred dollars.

To E. D. Young, of Warren County, Mississippi, six thousand three hundred and four dollars.

To M. W. Young, of Benton County, Mississippi, seven hundred and ninety-four dollars.

To Jonathan Yaste of Frederick County, Maryland, eight hundred and sixty-eight dollars.

To Thomas D. Meares, administrator of Armand D. Young, deceased, of New Hanover County, North Carolina, ten thousand two hundred and ten dollars.

Drafts to claimant,
or executor, or admin-
istrator.

All Treasury drafts in payment of the claims appropriated for in this act shall be made payable, and delivered to the parties named respectively; or in case of death of the party, to his or her executor or administrator

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 688.—To provide for the issue of the commission of Philip C. Johnson as a rear-admiral in the United States Navy.

Preamble.

Whereas, Philip C. Johnson, after a long, faithful, and creditable service in the United States Navy, became entitled to promotion to the grade of rear-admiral on the twenty-fifth day of January, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, but died without being commissioned: Therefore,

Philip C. Johnson.
Commission as rear-
admiral, to be deliv-
ered to widow.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to issue the commission of Philip Johnson as a rear admiral in the United States Navy, to be dated January twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, and to deliver the same to the widow of said Philip C. Johnson.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 689.—An act to remove the charge of desertion against the name of Ebenezer F. Woodworth

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to amend the records of the War Department by removing the charge of desertion now standing on said records against the name of Ebenezer F. Woodworth, late of Company L, Third Regiment Michigan Cavalry Volunteers.

Ebenezer F. Woodworth.
Charge of desertion removed.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 690.—An act for the relief of John M. Eddy, Elizabeth K. Carroll Alice B. Eddy, and Frank M Eddy.

March 3, 1891.

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 John M Eddy, Elizabeth K. Carroll, Alice B. Eddy, and Frank M. Eddy, children and heirs at law of Mrs. Mary J. Eddy, of Shawneetown, in the State of Illinois, the sum of one thousand nine hundred and ninety dollars and sixteen cents, for use and occupation of her land, with the buildings located thereon, situated in the county of Gallatin, in said State, by the United States Military authorities, and known as Camp Mather, from about September first, eighteen hundred and sixty-one, until about April first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, and for damages to said premises committed by said Military force, and also for supplies furnished to and taken by them while in such occupation; the said sum to be in full compensation for all claims for the same.

Mary J. Eddy.
Payment to heirs at law of.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 691.—An act for the relief of Jacob F. Taylor, late Company B, Powell's Battalion, war with Mexico.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Jacob F. Taylor, late a private in Company B, Powell's Battalion, in the war with Mexico, and pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Jacob F. Taylor.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 692.—An act for the relief of Thomas E. Breckenridge, late Company A, California Battalion, Mexican war.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Thomas E. Breckenridge, late of Company A, California Battalion, under command of Colonel John C. Fremont, in the war with Mexico, from the sum of eight dollars per month to the sum of thirty dollars per month, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Thomas E. Breckenridge.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 693.—An act for the relief of George Harlan.

 George Harlan.
 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 eight dollars per month, the name of George Harlan, of Stockbridge, Henry County, Georgia, who served in the Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 694.—An act for the relief of Harvey E. Maccown.

 Harvey E. Maccown.
 Pension increased.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this act there be paid, out of the naval pension fund, to Harvey E. Maccown, widow of Robert T. Maccown, late medical director United States Navy, the sum of fifty dollars per month during her widowhood; that sum to be in lieu of her present pension.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 695.—An act for the relief of Margaret Hitt, of Lincoln County, Missouri.

 Margaret Hitt.
 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 Margaret Hitt, widow of John Hitt, deceased, who served as a private in Company D, Second Regiment of Ohio Volunteers, Mexican war, be increased to the sum of twenty dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 696.—An act for the relief of Cynthia H. Quackenbush.

 Cynthia H. Quackenbush.
 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 Cynthia H. Quackenbush, widow of the late Rear-Admiral Stephen P. Quackenbush 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 any pension she may now be receiving.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 697.—An act for the relief of Margaret Malloy.

 Margaret Malloy.
 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, subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws, the name of Margaret Malloy, as dependent mother of James Malloy, late of Company D, Third Massachusetts Cavalry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 698.—An act for the relief of Israel R. Pierce.

 Israel R. Pierce.
 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-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Israel R. Pierce, late private Company H. Seventh Ohio Volunteer Cavalry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 699.—An act for the relief of Ellen J. Wharton.

March 3, 1891.

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 Ellen J. Wharton, of Louisville Kentucky.

Ellen J. Wharton.
Pension restored.
Vol. 21, p. 170.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 700.—An act for the relief of Charles Ewing.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 and directed to place upon the pension-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Charles Ewing, late a member of Company D, Twelfth New York Cavalry.

Charles Ewing.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 701.—An act for the relief of James A. Hull.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 A. Hull, father of Chauncey A. Hull, late a private in Company B, One hundred and ninth New York Volunteer Infantry

James A. Hull.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891

CHAP. 702.—An act for the relief of William M. Bishop.

March 3, 1891.

Be 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 instructed to place the name of William M. Bishop, late a private in Company E, Seventy-ninth Regiment Illinois Volunteers, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

William M. Bishop.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 703.—An act for the relief of George P. Hartman.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 P. Hartman, Company I, Thirtieth Pennsylvania Volunteer Infantry, on the pension-roll of the United States, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

George P. Hartman.
Pension.

Approved, March 3 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 704.—An act for the relief Martha J. Morrison

Martha J. Morrison.
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 Martha J. Morrison, widow of George S. Morrison, deceased, late a private in Pike's company in the First Regiment of Arkansas Cavalry in the Mexican War, be, and the same is hereby, increased to thirty dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 705.—An act for the relief of John O. McDonald, alias William Barnes.

John O. McDonald,
alias William Barnes.
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 O. McDonald, alias William Barnes, and pay him a pension of sixteen dollars per month,

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 706.—An act for the relief of William Compton.

William Compton.
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 Compton, late a private in Company I, Second Regiment of Tennessee Cavalry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 707.—An act for the relief of John F. Mahler.

John F. Mahler.
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 F. Mahler, late a private of Company C, Fifty-sixth Regiment Pennsylvania Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 708.—An act granting a pension to John O. Mathis.

John O. Mathis.
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 O. Mathis late of Company G, Fourth Regiment New Jersey Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 709.—An act granting a pension to Ozro Harrington.

Ozro Harrington.
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 Ozro Harrington, late a private in Company H, First Regiment Iowa Cavalry Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 710.—An act granting a pension to Fedolin Buckeviller.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Fedolin Buckeviller, and pay him a pension, subject to the rules and restrictions of the pension laws.

Fedolin Buckeviller.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 711.—An act granting a pension to Conrad Stephan.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Conrad Stephan, of Upper Sandusky, Ohio, late a member of Company C, Fifteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

Conrad Stephan.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 712.—An act granting a pension to Johanna Carroll.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Johanna Carroll, the permanently helpless child of Cornelius Carroll, late a private of Company K, twelfth Illinois Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Johanna Carroll.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 713.—An act granting a pension to Kate and Ethel B. Cook.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Cook, widow of George T. Cook, late lieutenant, Company C, Twenty-first New York Volunteer Infantry, lieutenant and acting quartermaster, Veteran Reserve Corps, and lieutenant, Sixth United States Army, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month; and also the name of Ethel B., minor child of the same, and pay her a pension at the rate of two dollars per month, to date from soldier's death, February fifth, eighteen hundred and ninety-one.

Kate Cook.
Pension.

Ethel B. Cook.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 714.—An act granting a pension to George W. Gray.

 George W. Gray.
 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. Gray, late of Company H, First Massachusetts Volunteers, and pay him a pension at the rate of fifty dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 715.—An act granting pension to Lydia B. Gray.

 Lydia B. Gray.
 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 Lydia B. Gray, late army nurse under direction of Miss Dorothea L. Dix, deceased, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 716.—An act granting a pension to Mary A. Ripley.

 Mary A. Ripley.
 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 A. Ripley, late volunteer army nurse and widow of Z. Howe Ripley, late member Company G, Thirty-fifth New York Volunteers, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now received by her.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 717.—An act granting a pension to Catherine Cook.

 Catherine Cook.
 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 Catherine Cook, and pay her a pension as an army nurse of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 718.—An act granting a pension to Sarah R. Kimball.

 Sarah R. Kimball.
 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 Sarah R. Kimball, an army nurse, upon the pension roll, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 719.—An act granting a pension to Anna C. Dewhurst, invalid daughter of the late George Dewhurst, an acting master in the United States Navy during the late civil war.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 of the pension law, the name of Anna C. Dewhurst, of Greenland, New Hampshire, the invalid daughter of the late George Dewhurst, an acting master of the United States Navy in the late civil war, and pay her a monthly pension of twelve dollars.

Anna C. Dewhurst.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 720.—An act granting a pension to Peter William Frederick.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Peter William Frederick, private Company A, Fifth Regiment United States Infantry, for extraordinary services rendered in the years eighteen hundred and fifty seven and eighteen hundred and fifty eight, and pay him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per month from and after the passage of this act.

Peter William Fred-
erick.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 721.—An act granting a pension to Emily M. Tyler.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 M. Tyler, widow of the late Erastus B. Tyler, a brevet major-general of the United States Volunteers, in the war for the Union, and pay her a pension from the passage of this act.

Emily M. Tyler.
Pension.

Approved March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 722.—An act granting a pension to Manuel Tibbs.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Manuel Tibbs, of Washington, District of Columbia, late a teamster in the Quartermaster's Department, in the war of the rebellion, (and pay him a pension) at the rate of twelve dollars per month

Manuel Tibbs.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 723.—An act granting a pension to Carrie F. Ogden and Susan Ogden.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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

Carrie F. Ogden.
Susan Ogden.
Pension.

pension laws, the name of Carrie F. Ogden and Susan Ogden, dependent sisters of Richard P. Ogden, late a sergeant in Company F, Fifth Regiment New Jersey Infantry, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, and in case of the death of either of said sisters the full sum shall be paid the survivor.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 724.—An act granting a pension to Samuel T. Caston.

Samuel T. Caston.
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 Samuel T. Caston, minor son of Samuel Caston, deceased, late a private in Company C, Palmetto Regiment of South Carolina Volunteers, in the war with Mexico, and pay him a pension at the rate of eight dollars a month from the date of his father's death on the fifth day of July, eighteen hundred and ninety, until the twenty-seventh day of September, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, when he will arrive at the age of sixteen years.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 725.—An act granting a pension to Collin McClelland.

Collin McClelland.
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 Collin McClelland, late of the regular Army, and that he be paid a pension of thirty dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 726.—An act granting a pension to Sylvanus B. Dorsett.

Sylvanus B. Dorsett.
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 Sylvanus B. Dorsett, dependent father of John Dorsett, late private in Company G, Ninth United States Infantry, killed September thirteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, at the battle of Chepultepec, at the rate of twelve dollars a month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 727.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Dodge.

Elizabeth Dodge.
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 the name of Elizabeth Dodge, an army nurse, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, subject to the rules and limitations of the pension laws,

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 728.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth M. Ayars.

March 3, 1891.

Be it 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, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth M. Ayars, widow, formerly Elizabeth M. Sutton, widow of James C. Sutton, of Company D, Tenth New Jersey Volunteers.

Elizabeth M. Ayars.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 729.—An act granting a pension to William Hale.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 William Hale, late of the Klamath Rifles, in the Klamath Indian War in California, at the rate of eight dollars a month.

William Hale.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 730.—An act granting a pension to Amanda E. Parkis.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Amanda E. Parkis, widow of Elias Parkis, late of Company A, Eighth Michigan Infantry, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Amanda E. Parkis.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 731.—An act granting a pension to Lettie E. Covell-Buckley, late a nurse in the war of the rebellion.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a pension is hereby granted to Lettie Covell-Buckley, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, to commence from the passage of this act, and the Secretary of the Interior is instructed to place her name upon the pension roll in accordance with the provisions of this act.

Lettie Covell-Buckley.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 732.—An act granting a pension to Robert A. Ware.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension law, the name of Robert A. Ware, who is blind and who was a soldier in the Indian war of eighteen hundred and thirty six, and pay him a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month from the passage of this act.

Robert A. Ware.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 733.—An act granting a pension to Charles T. Sloat.

 Charles T. Sloat.
 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 Charles T. Sloat, late of Company B, One hundred and eighth Regiment of Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 734.—An act granting a pension to Halem L. Cook, of Franklin Kentucky.

 Halem L. Cook.
 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, authorized and directed to place on the pension-rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Halem L. Cook, of Franklin, Kentucky, late a private in Company B, Eighth Tennessee.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 735.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Phillips, widow of Reuben Phillips who was killed in engagement while member of Arkansas State Militia.

 Elizabeth Phillips.
 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 rolls, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth Phillips, widow of Reuben Phillips, lately member of Arkansas State Militia, killed in the service, and pay her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 736.—An act granting a pension to John M. Wiggins.

 John M. Wiggins.
 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 John M. Wiggins, late a private in Company B, Seventeenth Regiment Kentucky Cavalry, United States Volunteers, and to pay him a pension, subject to the rules and limitations of the pension laws.

 Approved March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 737.—An act granting a pension to Lydia F. Fryer.

 Lydia F. Fryer.
 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 the name of Lydia F. Fryer, dependent and helpless daughter of Park H. Fryer, late a member of Company F, Sixteenth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, and pay her legal guardian for her use a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 738.—An act granting a pension to Gottlieb Hunzicker.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to put the name of Gottlieb Hunzicker, of Company A, One hundred and seventy-sixth Regiment New York Volunteers, on the pension-roll subject to the limitations and provisions of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Gottlieb Hunzicker.
Pension.**CHAP. 739.**—An act granting a pension to Jane Fee.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Jane Fee, widow of Michael Fee, late a member of Company G, of the Second United States Infantry, on the pension-roll subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Jane Fee.
Pension.**CHAP. 740.**—An act granting a pension to Mary A. Irwin, widow.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Mary A. Irwin, widow of William Irwin, late private Company G, First Louisiana Cavalry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Mary A. Irwin.
Pension.**CHAP. 741.**—An act granting a pension to Ann Carr, of Vevay, Indiana.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Ann Carr, of Vevay, Indiana, widow of Patrick Carr, late a private in Company K, Second Regiment of Indiana Volunteer Cavalry, and late of Company C, Eighth Regiment of Indiana Volunteer Infantry, and grant her a pension of twelve dollars per month during her widowhood.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Ann Carr.
Pension.**CHAP. 742.**—An act granting a pension to Solomon Smith.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Solomon Smith, late a private in Company D, Eleventh Regiment Kentucky Infantry Volunteers

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Solomon Smith.
Pension.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 743.—An act granting a pension to James H. Fleming.

 James H. Fleming.
 Pension.

Ante, p. 1190.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 H. Fleming of Company E, One hundred and fifth Ohio Volunteer Infantry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 744.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth Keely.

 Elizabeth Keely.
 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 Keely, mother of George D. Keely, late a private of Company G, Twenty-third Illinois Volunteer Infantry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 745.—An act granting a pension to W. Zister

 Mrs. W. Zister.
 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. Zister, widow of Frank Zister, Company H, Twenty-seventh Missouri Volunteer Infantry.

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 746.—An act granting a pension to Christian Pape.

 Christian Pape.
 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 Christian Pape, late a private in Company K, Fifth Regiment of Missouri State Militia Cavalry Volunteers

 Approved, March 3, 1891.

 March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 747.—An act granting a pension to Ellen Finnerty

 Ellen Finnerty.
 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 Ellen Finnerty, mother of Thomas P. Finnerty, late of Company K, First Massachusetts Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 748.—An act granting a pension to William Richardson.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Richardson, late a private in Company K, First Ohio Artillery.

William Richardson.
Pension.

Ante, p. 1141.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 749.—An act granting a pension to Anne Mattocks.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Anne Mattocks, an applicant for a pension under claim numbered three hundred and thirty-four thousand three hundred and seven, as dependent mother of Ichabod W. Mattocks, late a soldier of Company A First Vermont Cavalry Volunteers.

Anne Mattocks.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 750.—An act granting a pension to Hetta Brainard.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Hetta Brainard, widow of Loudon Brainard, late of Captain Libeus Egertons Company of Volunteers from Vermont, at the invasion of Plattsburgh, New York, September, eighteen hundred and fourteen, and allow her a pension of twelve dollars per month.

Hetta Brainard.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 751.—An act granting a pension to Abbie A. Colson.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by 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 Abbie A. Colson, of Winterport, Maine, non compos, sister of John L. Colson, late a private in the Third Battery Mounted Artillery, Maine Volunteers, at the rate of eighteen dollars per month, and the said pension be paid to her legally constituted guardian.

Abbie A. Colson.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 752.—An act granting a pension to William P. Witt.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 P. Witt, late of Company B, Seventeenth Regiment of Kansas Volunteers.

William P. Witt.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 753.—An act granting a pension to N. E. Palmer.

N. E. Palmer.
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, empowered and directed to place on the pension-roll, the name of N. E. Palmer, late of Company K, One hundredth Regiment Indiana Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 754.—An act granting a pension to William Reeder.

William Reeder.
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 Reeder, late of Company E, Fifty-seventh Regiment of Missouri Enrolled Militia, now a resident of Hamburg, Iowa.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 755.—An act granting a pension to David Keys.

David Keys.
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 David Keys, father of Thomas Keys, late of Company E, one hundred and eleventh Regiment New York Infantry Volunteers.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 756.—An act granting a pension to Rufus Squire.

Rufus Squire.
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 Rufus Squire, late a private in the United States Marine Corps.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 757.—An act granting a pension to Joseph S. Henderson.

Joseph S. Henderson.
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, empowered and directed to place the name of Joseph S. Henderson, late of Company H, Twenty-seventh Regiment Iowa Infantry, on the pension-roll, and that said pension be rated at sixteen dollars per month after the taking effect of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 758.—An act granting a pension to Oliver P. Martin.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and 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 on the pension-roll the name of Oliver P. Martin, late a private in Company I. Seventeenth Regiment Ohio Volunteer Infantry, subject to the provisions and limitations of the existing pension laws.

Oliver P. Martin.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 759.—An act granting a pension to D. G. Scooten.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 D. G. Scooten, late a private in Company H, Fifty-ninth Regiment Illinois Infantry Volunteers, on the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

D. G. Scooten.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 760.—An act granting a pension to Caroline Reeble.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Reeble, mother of Edward Reeble, late of Company I, Fourth Regiment Minnesota Volunteers.

Caroline Reeble.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 761.—An act granting a pension to Catherine McManus.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 McManus, widow of John McManus, late a sergeant in Company D, Third Regiment New Jersey Infantry, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, and two dollars additional per month for each minor child under sixteen years of age at his decease.

Catherine McManus.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 762.—An act granting an increase of pension to Squire West.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Squire West, late a private in Company F. Fourth Regiment of Indiana Volunteers, and allow him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month, the same to be in lieu of the amount now paid him.

Squire West.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 763.—An act granting an increase of pension to Nancy O'Neal.

Nancy O'Neal.
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, directed to place on the pension roll, subject to the restrictions of the pension law, the name of Nancy O'Neal, widow of John O'Neal, and pay her at the rate of twenty-five dollars a month, in lieu of the amount now paid her, as the widow of said John O'Neal, a soldier in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 764.—An act granting increase of pension to Ellis P. Phipps.

Ellis P. Phipps.
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 Ellis P. Phipps, late lieutenant Company A, Twelfth Regiment New Jersey Volunteer Infantry, at the rate of forty-five dollars a month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 765.—An act granting an increase of pension to Mrs. Harriet E. Martin.

Harriet E. Martin.
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 the name of Mrs. Harriet E. Martin, widow of Erastus F. Martin, third assistant engineer United States Navy, at the rate of eighteen dollars per month, in lieu of the rate which she is now paid under pension certificate numbered three thousand one hundred and fifteen.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 766.—An act granting an increase of pension to Mrs. S. J. Rayner.

Mrs. S. J. Rayner.
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. S. J. Rayner, widow of Reverend James O. Rayner, late Chaplain United States Army, from twenty dollars per month to thirty dollars per month, to take effect from and after the passage of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 767.—An act pensioning Belinda Jane Phillips

Belinda Jane Phillips.
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 on the pension-roll the name of Belinda Jane Phillips, imbecile daughter of Isaih Phillips, late of Company F, Thirtieth Iowa Volunteer Infantry, and pay to her legally constituted guardian for her use a pension at the rate of eighteen dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 768.—An act pensioning Richard Christy.

March 3, 1891.

Be it 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 to place upon the pension-roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Richard Christy, late of Company F, one hundred and twenty-fifth Illinois Volunteer Infantry, now of Enon, Barber County, Kansas

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Richard Christy.
Pension.

CHAP. 769.—An act providing for the pensioning of John Brownlee, a soldier in the Indian war of eighteen hundred and fifty-five and eighteen hundred and fifty-six

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That John Brownlee, who was a private soldier in Company H, Captain Layton's company, Colonel Kelly commanding battalion, in the Indian war, from the Territory of Oregon, during the years eighteen hundred and fifty-five and eighteen hundred and fifty-six, be granted a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to place the name of the said John Brownlee upon the pension rolls of the United States in order that he may properly avail himself of the benefit and provisions of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

John Brownlee.
Pension.

CHAP. 770.—An act increasing the pension of William T. Rhodes.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 William T. Rhodes, late of Company K, Twelfth Regiment United States Infantry, in war with Mexico, a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month, in lieu of the pension he is now receiving, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

William T. Rhodes.
Pension increased.

CHAP. 771.—An act to place the name of Robert C. Kerr on the pension roll.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 Robert C. Kerr, late of Company G, Eleventh Regiment Minnesota Volunteer Infantry.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

Robert C. Kerr.
Pension.

CHAP. 772.—An act to grant pensions to W. B. Cloer late private in Company L. D. Storm's Arkansas Militia

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 W. B. Cloer, late private Company L. D. Storm's company Arkansas Militia, on the pension rolls, subject to the conditions and restrictions of the pension laws of the United States

Approved, March 3, 1891.

W. B. Cloer.
Pension.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 773.—An act to restore to the pension roll the name of Eliza M. Keith (formerly Eliza Ash)

Eliza M. Keith,
formerly Ash.
Pension restored.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Eliza M. Keith (formerly Eliza Ash), and widow of David L. Ash; of Company A, Thirty-seventh Regiment Illinois Volunteers, of Minneapolis, Minnesota, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, to take effect from the passage of this act.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 774.—An act to increase the pension of Leah Allen.

Leah 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 directed to pay Leah Allen, of Amity, Clark County, Arkansas, a pension at the rate of twenty dollars a month, in lieu of the pension of eight dollars per month now received under certificate numbered fifty-nine hundred and twenty-two, Knoxville, Tennessee, agency.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 775.—An act to increase the pension of William A. Peck.

William A. Peck.
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, the name of William A. Peck, late a private in Company H, Third Regiment New York Volunteer Infantry, and pay him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month in lieu of the pension he is now receiving.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 776.—An act to increase the pension of John H. R. Storey, Company F, One hundred and ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers.

John H. R. Storey.
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 John H. R. Storey, late a sergeant in Company F, One hundred and ninth Regiment Pennsylvania Veteran Volunteers, at the rate of forty-five dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 777.—An act to increase the pension of Joseph Mason, of Dallas City, Illinois.

Joseph Mason.
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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place upon the pension-roll the name of Joseph Mason, who was a soldier in Company E, of the Sixth United States Infantry in the war with Mexico, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month in lieu of the pension now received by him.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 778.—An act to increase the pension of Francis A. Gaskill; Company K, Sixth New Jersey Volunteer Infantry.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Francis A. Gaskill, late a private in Company K, Sixth Regiment New Jersey Volunteers, at the rate of forty-five dollars per month.

Francis A. Gaskill.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 779.—An act to increase the pension of Joel Hagler of Henry County, Tennessee:

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate 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 the name of Joel Hagler, of Henry County, Tennessee, on the pension-rolls at the rate of thirty dollars per month, in lieu of the pension now received by him.

Joel Hagler.
Pension increased.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 780.—An act to pension John B. Angell, father of James C. Angell, alias John McShier, late of Company G, Fifth Pennsylvania Cavalry.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted 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 instructed to place upon the pension rolls the name of John B. Angell, father of late James C. Angell, alias John McShier, of Company G, Fifth Regiment Pennsylvania Cavalry, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

John B. Angell.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 781.—An act to pension John Wagon.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Wagon, of Warren, Bradley County, Arkansas, late a corporal in Captain Thomas B. Watts' company, Colonel William Lindsay's regiment of Alabama Volunteers in the Florida war, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war, eighteen hundred and twelve.

John Wagon.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 782.—An act to pension Nathaniel Moon.

March 3, 1891.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives 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 Nathaniel Moon, of Buena Vista, Ouachita County, Arkansas, late a private of Captain Pruits company, Colonel Snodgrass's regiment Alabama Volunteers, Creek war, and pay him the same pension as is allowed by law for service in the war of eighteen hundred and twelve.

Nathaniel Moon.
Pension.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

March 3, 1891.

CHAP. 783.—An act granting a pension to Elizabeth M. Riley

Elizabeth M. Riley.
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-rolls, subject to the conditions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Elizabeth M. Riley, widow of Larkin M. Riley late lieutenant of Company G, Thirty-first Regiment Illinois Volunteers, at the rate of twelve dollars per month.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

RESOLUTIONS.

[No. 16.] Joint resolution authorizing George H Scidmore, vice-consul-general of the United States at Kanagawa, Japan, to accept a medal conferred upon him by the Emperor of Japan for saving a subject of Japan from death by drowning.

March 2, 1891.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That George H. Scidmore, vice-consul-general of the United States at Kanagawa, Japan, is hereby authorized to accept a silver medal conferred upon him by the Emperor of Japan in recognition of his services in saving from drowning Yamada Yasunosuke, a Japanese subject, in the harbor of Yokohama, June fifteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine.

George H. Scidmore.
May accept silver
medal from Emperor
of Japan.

Approved, March 2, 1891.

[No. 24.] Joint resolution authorizing Brigadier-General Thomas L. Casey, Chief of Engineers, United States Army, to accept from the President of the French Republic a diploma conferring the decoration of officer of the National Order of the Legion of Honor.

March 3, 1891.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Brigadier-General Thomas L. Casey, Chief of Engineers, United States Army, is hereby authorized to accept from the President of the French Republic a diploma conferring upon him the decoration of officer of the National Order of the Legion of Honor.

Thomas L. Casey.
May accept decoration
of Legion of
Honor from President
of France.

Approved, March 3, 1891.

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