

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.

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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.

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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.

Approved, February 13, 1891.

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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.