

# PRIVATE ACTS OF THE TWENTY-FOURTH CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES,

*Passed at the first session, which was begun and held at the City of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the seventh day of December, 1835, and ended on the fourth day of July, 1836.*

ANDREW JACKSON, President; MARTIN VAN BUREN, Vice President of the United States, and President of the Senate; WILLIAM R. KING, President of the Senate, pro tempore, July 1, 1836; JAMES K. POLK, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

### STATUTE I.

Jan. 19, 1836.

CHAP. II. — *An Act to authorize the allowance of certain charges in the accounts of the American Consul at London.*

Allowance for clerk hire, &c. to be continued.

*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 the same hereby are, authorized and directed in settling the accounts of the American consul at London, to continue the allowance for clerk hire, office rent, stationery, fuel, and other miscellaneous expenses from the first day of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five, and until otherwise provided for by law, in like manner as the same have heretofore usually been allowed, in settling the accounts of the said consulate, and that the same be paid out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.*

APPROVED, January 19, 1836.

### STATUTE I.

Feb. 9, 1836.

CHAP. IV. — *An Act for the relief of Jane Taylor and her children, the heirs of the late James Plunkett.*

Payment for a horse, &c. impressed.

*Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to pay Jane Taylor, for herself and children of James Plunkett, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, one hundred and fifty dollars, the value of a horse and accoutrements impressed into the military service of the United States, during the late war, to aid in transporting ordnance on the day of the engagement with the enemy at Bladensburg, and not restored, which was the property of James Plunkett, then the husband of the said Jane.*

APPROVED, February 9, 1836.

### STATUTE I.

Feb. 9, 1836.

CHAP. VI. — *An Act for the relief of the heirs of Guiseppe Franzoni, and the heirs of Francis Jardella.*

Allowance to Virginia Franzoni as administratrix, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four hundred dollars, to Virginia Franzoni, as administratrix of Guiseppe Franzoni, as an allowance to close a contract with him to return his family to Italy, their native country.*

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand and fifty dollars, to Virginia Franzoni, as guardian of the children and heirs of Francis Jardella, being the amount due said Jardella for services on the Capitol, in executing the ornamental fine carving, and superintending the same, in addition to what he received in his life-time.

Payment for services of F. Jardella.

APPROVED, February 9, 1836.

CHAP. VIII.—*An Act for the relief of Doctor William Baker, of the District of Columbia.*

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there be paid, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of sixty dollars to Dr. William Baker, of the District of Columbia, for surgical services rendered by him to British prisoners of war, left at Washington, in August, in the year one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.

Payment for surgical services.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

CHAP. IX.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of William Findlay.*

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the legal representatives of William Findlay, two thousand and eighty dollars, the balance due the said Findlay as a member of the House of Representatives from the state of Pennsylvania to the fourteenth Congress.

Payment to member of Congress.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

CHAP. X.—*An Act to authorize a settlement of the accounts of Marinus W. Gilbert, late an army sutler.*

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized and required to settle the claims of Marinus W. Gilbert, whether in his own right, or in the right of Thomas Gilbert, a sutler in the army of the United States, for debts due to him from deceased and deserted non-commissioned officers and soldiers, and which have not heretofore been paid, upon the same principles of justice and equity as are extended to sutlers under the existing army regulations; *Provided*, That the said accounting officers shall, in said settlement, be the judges of the validity and equity of the claims of the said Marinus W. Gilbert, arising as aforesaid, in lieu of the certificates from a board of officers, as is the practice under existing army regulations.

Sutler's claim to be settled.

Proviso.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be authorized and required to allow to the said Marinus W. Gilbert, interest on money paid and advanced by him for letters of administration on the estates of deceased soldiers and non-commissioned officers: *Provided*, That no larger sum shall, in any case, be awarded to said Marinus W. Gilbert on account of his claims against a deceased or deserted soldier or non-commissioned officer, either as principal or interest, than appears, from the muster and pay rolls, to have been actually and justly due to such non-commissioned officer and soldier, from the United States.

Interest on certain payments allowed.

Proviso.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the sums awarded to the said Marinus W. Gilbert, under this act, be paid out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Appropriation.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Claim to be settled for property destroyed.

Act of April 9, 1816, ch. 40.

Act of March 3, 1817, ch. 110.

Appropriation.

CHAP. XI.—*An Act for the relief of James Tilford.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Third Auditor of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized to settle the claim of James Tilford on the United States, in his individual and representative character, in the same manner as if said claim had been presented, and remained, on the ninth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, unsettled on the files of the office of Commissioner of Claims, established by virtue of the act entitled "An act to authorize the payment of property lost, captured, or destroyed by the enemy, while in the military service of the United States, and for other purposes," passed ninth April, one thousand eight hundred and sixteen, and the act amendatory thereof, passed third March, one thousand eight hundred and seventeen.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That whatever sum of money shall be found to be due and owing from the United States to the said James Tilford, on the liquidation of his claims thereon, shall be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Reimbursement of certain moneys.

CHAP. XII.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph Cooper.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Joseph Cooper, the sum of five hundred and ninety-five dollars and sixty-five cents; being the amount paid by him as interest on money due from the United States to him on a contract for supplying the emigrating Creek Indians with beef, but which money was not paid when demanded, because the agent making said contract had not made a report thereof to the War Department, but which was paid on the thirty-first of May, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment for damages on certain drafts.

CHAP. XIII.—*An Act for the relief of the heirs of Thomas F. Townsley.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, to the heirs of Thomas F. Townsley, seven hundred and ninety-nine dollars eighty-one cents, for damages paid by the said Thomas F. Townsley, on drafts drawn by Lieutenant Graham, in favor of said Townsley, on George Gibson, Commissary General of Subsistence, which were protested, and afterwards paid; said drafts were for supplies furnished at New Orleans, and necessary for the troops of the United States.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment of interest on money advanced by him.

CHAP. XIV.—*An Act for the relief of Marinus W. Gilbert.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Marinus W. Gilbert, the sum of one hundred and sixty-seven dollars and forty cents, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, being interest on money advanced by him to pay off the troops in the service of the United States, on the twentieth of July, eighteen hundred and fifteen, and not repaid when demanded.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment for mason work.

CHAP. XV.—*An Act for the relief of Richard Hardesty.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand six hundred and twenty-two dollars to Richard Hardesty, in

full compensation for extra mason work done by him, in placing eight hundred and eleven feet of dowedled coping of heavy stone on the walls constructed by him on the Cumberland road, in pursuance of directions from the superintendent of said road, authorized by the Secretary of the Treasury.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

CHAP. XVI.—*An Act for the relief of David Bartlett.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to David Bartlett, of the state of Rhode Island, the sum of twelve hundred and thirty dollars and thirty-two cents, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, being in full of the balance due for money paid and expended by him for the public service, as a captain in the army of the United States, during the late war.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment for money expended, &c.

CHAP. XVII.—*An Act for the relief of William Baker, of the State of New York.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to William Baker, the sum of two hundred and twenty-five dollars and thirty cents, being for the use and for damages done to the property of the said William Baker, at Sackett's Harbor, by the troops of the United States, while in possession thereof, under a military order, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment for damages to his property, &c.

CHAP. XVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Daniel Whitney.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Daniel Whitney, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, ninety-nine dollars, the amount of an account against the United States in favor of Lieutenant Burdine, for the transportation of his baggage from Washington to Galena, which account was transferred by said Lieutenant Burdine to said Daniel Whitney, and was lost with the trunk of Captain Russel, between Fredericktown in the State of Maryland, and the city of Washington, in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-three, and has not been reclaimed or paid.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment to him.

CHAP. XIX.—*An Act for the relief of Andrew Dodge.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Third Auditor of the Treasury settle and adjust the claim of Andrew Dodge, for expenses incurred during the late war with Great Britain in marching the men under his command to join his regiment, and for the transportation of artillery and artillery apparatus, and for the use of his own and other horses necessarily hired or employed by him, and for their keeping, on such satisfactory evidence as the said Andrew Dodge shall be enabled to give, and the said Third Auditor prescribe.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to the said Andrew Dodge, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, such sum as the said Third Auditor shall certify he has allowed on the claims aforesaid.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

Claim for expenses, &c. in the late war, to be settled.

Appropriation.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XX. — *An Act for the relief of Lieutenant Washington Seawell.*

To be credited  
with money  
lost.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be authorized and directed to credit Lieutenant Washington Seawell, any sum of money he may prove to the satisfaction of said Secretary, he had in his possession that belonged to the United States, and which he lost, without his fault, by the explosion of the steamboat *Lioness*, on Red river, on the nineteenth of May, eighteen hundred and thirty-three; not to exceed, in all, the sum of seven hundred and forty-nine dollars and seventy-eight cents.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXI. — *An Act for the relief of Laurentius M. Eiler.*

Claim for sur-  
veying to be  
adjusted and  
paid.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized to adjust and settle the claim of Laurentius M. Eiler, for surveys made in the Territory of Arkansas, under a written contract made with him by William McRee, surveyor of the land of the United States, in the States of Illinois and Missouri and said Territory, on the thirtieth day of December, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, and to pay said Eiler, the balance found due him under the terms of said contract, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided*, The Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that said Eiler, on his part, has performed his covenants in said contract.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXII.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Willie Blount.*

Payment for  
disbursing mo-  
neys for U.S. in  
the late war.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay the legal representatives of Willie Blount, the sum of three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, found due to him for disbursing one hundred and fifty thousand dollars for the United States, during the late war, and for which he has not received any compensation, by balancing the accounts of said Willie Blount on the books of the department, without interest; and the balance of said sum of three thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars, if any remains after balancing said accounts, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the treasury.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph Russ and Stephen J. Roach.*

Accounts for  
constructing a  
road, to be set-  
tled, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Quartermaster-General settle the account of Joseph Russ and Stephen J. Roach, for labor bestowed and money expended in repairing or constructing a road leading from Pensacola to Tallahassee, in Florida, under a contract made on the twenty-sixth of November, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, of which they are the holders, and to allow them therefor, such sum, so far as the labor bestowed and the money expended were advantageously applied, taking as the data for making the allowance, the price to have been paid for making or repairing the entire road, on completing it according to the contract.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXIV.—*An Act for the relief of David S. Campbell.*

To be paid for  
a rifle gun lost.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to David S. Campbell, out of any money in

the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirty dollars, for a rifle gun lost by him in the year eighteen hundred and twelve, in marching between Vincennes and Tippecanoe, in the militia service of the United States.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXV.—*An Act for the relief of John Saunders and Perley Putnam.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to pay unto John Saunders and Perley Putnam four hundred and ninety dollars and twenty-seven cents, in full satisfaction of their services as superintendents of the public buildings in Salem, Massachusetts, it being at the rate of two and a half per centum on the amount expended, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

Payment of superintendents of public buildings.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Benjamin Franklin Stickney.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized and required to settle the accounts of Benjamin Franklin Stickney, late agent of Indian affairs at Fort Wayne, for all services of a military nature or character which shall appear to have been performed by the said Benjamin Franklin Stickney for the United States, between the twenty-second day of March, in the year eighteen hundred and twelve, and the tenth day of May, in the year eighteen hundred and fifteen, and to allow him such compensation for the same as has heretofore been allowed to other agents of Indian affairs for similar services, and that the amount found to be due the said Benjamin Franklin Stickney, be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided,* That no allowance shall be made under the provisions of this act, to the said Benjamin Franklin Stickney, for the performance of any of the ordinary duties of an agent of Indian affairs.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

His accounts as Indian agent to be settled and paid.

Proviso.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXVII.—*An Act for the relief of John McDonell.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to John McDonell, assignee of a claim of Pierre Le Blanc, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three hundred and eighty dollars and twenty-five cents, for forage, fuel, provisions, and other articles, necessarily taken and used by a corps of mounted Kentucky volunteers, under the command of Col. R. M. Johnson, the property of said Pierre Le Blanc, and which were taken by order of said Johnson, at the river Ecorces, on his march into Canada, in the fall of the year eighteen hundred and thirteen.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

Payment for forage, fuel, &c., necessarily taken.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Jacob B. Gilbert.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Jacob B. Gilbert, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of six hundred dollars, being the value of a house destroyed by the enemy during the late war, on the Niagara frontier, which belonged to the said Jacob B. Gilbert, and at the time of its destruction, was used as a place of military deposit.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

Payment for a house destroyed.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXIX.—*An Act for the relief of the executor of Charles Wilkins.*

Amount of interest found due on his claim to be paid.

Act of May 1, 1834, ch. 35.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to settle the claim of Benjamin W. Dudley, executor of Charles Wilkins, deceased, against the United States, for interest on a liquidated demand in favor of Jonathan Taylor, James Morrison and the said Charles Wilkins, who were lessees of the United States of the salt works, in the state of Illinois, upon the same principles that the interest upon the said demand was settled with the legal representatives of the said James Morrison, deceased, pursuant to the act of Congress, approved the first of May, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and that the portion of said interest ascertained to be due to the said Benjamin W. Dudley, executor as aforesaid, be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXX.—*An Act for the relief of Henry Knowles, senior.*

Payment for a horse impressed.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Third Auditor of the Treasury ascertain the value of a horse, the property of said Knowles, impressed into the service of the United States in the year eighteen hundred and fourteen, by order of Captain Humphreys of Virginia, to transport the baggage of his company to Baltimore, and not returned; and that the Secretary of the Treasury pay to the said Henry Knowles, senior, the value, when so ascertained, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXXI.—*An Act for the relief of John Pollock.*

Payment for a boat impressed.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to John Pollock, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, one hundred and forty-four dollars, as the assignee of a claim of Jonathan Lowe, for a boat impressed into the military service of the United States on the sixth of December, eighteen hundred and fourteen, to convey a corps of Kentucky militia to New Orleans; and as the assignee of a claim of John Daniel, for use of one ferry flat and services rendered by order of Major-General John Thomas, for the Kentucky detached militia, in December eighteen hundred and fourteen.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXXII.—*An Act for the relief of Joel Sartain.*

Payment for a horse lost.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifty-five dollars to Joel Sartain, the value of his horse lost in the military service of the United States.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

Feb. 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of the representatives of Thomas Beacham.*

Payment for property destroyed.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to the legal representatives of Thomas Beacham, six hundred dollars, the value of a barn, the property of the late Captain Thomas Beacham, of the county of Northumberland, and state of Virginia, which was burnt

by the British in the late war, and that the value thereof be paid to the legal representatives of said Beacham, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

CHAP. XXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Joshua Cullumber.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to pay to Joshua Cullumber one thousand dollars, the value of the schooner Two Brothers, owned by him, and forcibly impressed into the service of the United States, by order of an officer, and destroyed by the British, in eighteen hundred and fourteen, in St. Leonard's creek, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment for a schooner impressed.

CHAP. XXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Abner Stilson.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Abner Stilson, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of sixty dollars, for carrying an express from the settlers of Elkhart, in the state of Indiana, to Governor Noble, and for carrying his reply back to the said settlers, during the Indian disturbances, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

Payment for carrying an express, &c.

CHAP. XXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Owen Rice, and others, representatives of Jacob Eyerly.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Solicitor of the Treasury be authorized and directed to examine the claims of the representatives of Jacob Eyerly, and to allow, if he shall find them to be just, an amount which will balance the accounts of said Eyerly, as they were on the books of the treasury department, at the death of said Eyerly, in the year eighteen hundred.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

Claims to be examined, &c.

CHAP. XXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Daniel Homans.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and required to adjust the claim of Daniel Homans arising under a contract with him to build a marine hospital at Charleston in the State of South Carolina, in consequence of the delay occasioned by the difficulty of fixing a foundation on the lot first selected for that building; and the amount of damages of such delay, found to be justly due said Homans on the adjustment of said claim, is hereby directed to be paid him out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

Claim for damages under a contract to be settled.

CHAP. XXXVIII.—*An Act to incorporate a Fire Insurance Company in the town of Alexandria, in the District of Columbia.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the persons who were the proprietors of the stock of the late Fire Insurance Company of the town of Alexandria, on the eighth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and the representatives and assigns of such of them as have since that time died, or transferred their interests, be, and the same are hereby incorporated and declared to be a body politic, under the name and style of the Fire Insurance Company of Alexandria.

STATUTE I.  
Feb. 17, 1836.

Certain persons incorporated as a fire insurance company.



The property of the late company vested in them.

Act of March 9, 1814, ch. 24, revived.

Election of officers, when held.

Act to continue in force 18 years.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the property, real and personal, owned by the late Fire Insurance Company of Alexandria, be, and the same is hereby vested in the company newly created, subject, however, to all debts, contracts, and engagements of the former company.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That an act of Congress, passed on the ninth day of March, eighteen hundred and fourteen, entitled "An act to incorporate a Fire Insurance Company, in the town of Alexandria, in the District of Columbia," with the exception of the first, second, and tenth sections thereof, be, and the same is hereby revived and declared to be in full force as to the company hereby created, and that the company hereby created, shall have all the powers and capacities which were granted to the former company by the said act; and shall be subject to the payment of all debts due, or contracted by the former company, and shall be chargeable with all their contracts.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the election of president and directors as made by the stockholders of the former company on the first Monday in November last, be, and the same is hereby confirmed; that the president and directors shall continue in office for one year from the first Monday in November last, and until others shall be chosen in their stead; and that all acts by them done within the provisions of the former charter shall be, and are hereby declared to be binding and obligatory on the company hereby created.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall continue in force, for the term of eighteen years, from and after the passing thereof, and until the end of the session of Congress then next following.

APPROVED, February 17, 1836.

STATUTE I.

Feb. 25, 1836.

Payment for ground conveyed to U. S.

CHAP. XXXIX. — *An Act for the relief of Stephen Crittenton.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be paid to Stephen Crittenton, of the city of Middletown, in the state of Connecticut, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, being the value of a piece of ground, situate in said city, which he caused to be conveyed to the United States, in part for a site on which the Secretary of the Treasury had decided that he would build a custom-house.

APPROVED, February 25, 1836.

STATUTE I.

March 22, 1836.

Trustees may convey certain lands.

CHAP. XLV. — *An Act to authorize the conveyance of certain lands belonging to the University of Michigan.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the trustees of the University of Michigan, be and they are hereby authorized, to convey to William Oliver, by a deed signed by the president, and countersigned by the secretary of said board of trustees, the following tracts of land, lying near Toledo, on the Miami of the Lake, to wit, tracts numbered three and four, and the south-west quarter of section number two, and the west half of section number three, in township number three, within the twelve mile reservation at the foot of the rapids of the said Miami river, pursuant to a contract entered into between the said trustees, and the said William Oliver, on the twenty-fourth and twenty-fifth days of October, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the act entitled An act to authorize the sale of certain lands belonging to the University of Michigan, approved March third, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, be, and the same is hereby, repealed: *Provided*, That the product arising

Act of March 3, 1835, ch. 91, repealed.

from the sale of said land, shall be considered, and shall constitute a part of the general fund appropriated for the University of Michigan.

APPROVED, March 22, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. XLIX. — *An Act for the relief of Henry B. Tyler, executor of Colonel Richard Smith, deceased.*

April 9, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to pass to the credit of Henry B. Tyler, executor of the last will and testament of Lieutenant Colonel Richard Smith, deceased, the sum of two thousand five hundred and fifty-eight dollars and sixty-four cents, being the balance remaining unpaid to said Smith of the moneys accruing to him under the provisions of an act of Congress approved on the 14th day of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, entitled "An act concerning certain officers of the marine corps," and to pay the same out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

A credit to be allowed.

Act of July 14, 1832, ch. 223.

APPROVED, April 9, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LI. — *An Act to extend the time for selling the land granted to the incorporated Kentucky asylum, for teaching the deaf and dumb.*

April 11, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the further time of two years, from and after the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, be and the same is hereby allowed the trustees of the Centre college of Kentucky, who are also trustees of the Kentucky asylum for teaching the deaf and dumb, to sell the land granted to said trustees for the use and benefit of said asylum, by an act entitled "An act for the benefit of the incorporated Kentucky asylum for teaching the deaf and dumb," approved the fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six.

Time for selling land extended for two years.

Act of April 5, 1826, ch. 24.

APPROVED, April 11, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXIII. — *An Act for the relief of Benedict Alford, and Robert Brush.*

May 14, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be required to place the names of Benedict Alford and Robert Brush on the list of revolutionary pensioners, who shall be entitled to and receive, pensions at the rates following: The said Benedict Alford at the rate of sixty dollars, and the said Robert Brush at the rate of forty dollars, per annum, from the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during their natural lives.

To be placed on pension list.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXIV. — *An Act for the relief of Jesse Sykes.*

May 14, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there be paid to Jesse Sykes, annually, for the term of his natural life, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty dollars, to commence on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

A pension granted.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXV. — *An Act for the relief of Benjamin Bennet, Peter Gulhrrie, George W. Bennet, James Calvin, John Fifer, and the heirs of Henry Sumpter, deceased.*

May 14, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That Benjamin Bennet be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in such manner and form as the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall prescribe, the north-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section number thirty, in

Benj. Bennet authorized to relinquish certain land, &c.

township number three south, of range number thirteen west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands offered for sale at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; and upon such relinquishment having been made, as aforesaid, the said Benjamin Bennet is hereby authorized to enter in lieu of the lands so relinquished, any other quarter quarter section of any of the unsold public lands in said district subject to entry at private sale.

H. Sumpter's  
representatives  
authorized to  
relinquish land,  
&c.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the legal representatives of Henry Sumpter, deceased, be, and they are hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in the manner and form prescribed in the first section of this act, the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section number thirty, in township three south, of range number thirteen west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands offered for sale at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; and upon such relinquishment having been made as aforesaid, the legal representatives of the said Henry Sumpter, deceased, are hereby authorized to enter, in lieu of the lands so relinquished, any other quarter quarter section of any of the unsold public lands in the said district subject to entry at private sale.

P. Guthrie au-  
thorized to re-  
linquish land,  
&c.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That Peter Guthrie be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in the manner and form prescribed by the first section of this act, the south-east quarter of the south-east quarter of section number nineteen, in township number three south, of range number thirteen west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands offered for sale at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; also, the south-west quarter of the south-west quarter of section number twenty, in township number three south, of range number thirteen west, of the second principal meridian, in the said Vincennes land district; and upon such relinquishment having been made, as aforesaid, the said Peter Guthrie is hereby authorized to enter, in lieu of the lands so relinquished, any other two quarter quarter sections of any of the unsold public lands in the said land district subject to entry at private sale.

G.W. Bennett  
may relinquish  
land, &c.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That George Washington Bennett be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in the manner and form prescribed in the first section of this act, the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section number twenty-eight, in township number three south, of range number thirteen west, of the principal meridian, in the district of lands offered for sale at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; and upon such relinquishment having been made, as aforesaid, the said George Washington Bennett shall be, and he is hereby, authorized to enter, in lieu of the lands so relinquished, any other quarter quarter section of the unsold public lands in the said land district subject to entry at private sale.

J. Calvin may  
relinquish, &c.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted,* That James Calvin be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in the manner and form prescribed by the provisions of the first section of this act, the south-west quarter of the south quarter of section number eighteen, in township number three south, of range number thirteen west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands offered for sale at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; and upon such relinquishment having been made as aforesaid, the said James Calvin is hereby authorized to enter, in lieu of the lands so relinquished, any other quarter quarter section of the public lands in the said land district, subject to entry at private sale.

J. Fifer may  
relinquish, &c.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted,* That John Fifer be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in the manner and form as prescribed by the provisions of the first section of this act, the east half of the south-east quarter of fractional section number eigh-

teen, in township number three south, of range thirteen west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands offered for sale at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; and upon such relinquishment having been made, as aforesaid, the said John Fifer is hereby authorized to enter, in lieu of the land so relinquished, any other half quarter section of the public lands in the said land district, subject to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXVI. — *An Act for the relief of Abiel Roads and others, owners, and the officers and crew, of the schooner Mary, of Marblehead, in the state of Massachusetts.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Collector of the Customs for Marblehead, in the state of Massachusetts, is hereby authorized to pay to the owners, master, and crew, of the schooner Mary, of Marblehead, of forty tons burden, which was lost going on a fishing voyage, on the fifteenth day of June, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, the same said vessel would have been entitled to receive as a bounty or drawback, if she had been actually at sea during the full time required by law to entitle her to said bounty.

Allowance to fishing schooner lost at sea.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXVII. — *An Act for the relief of Reuben Colburn.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Collector at Bath, in the state of Maine, be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay to Reuben Colburn, captain of the brig Billow, of Hallowell, fifty dollars, it being the amount of a fine paid by him to the Collector at New Orleans, for departing from Bath in said brig Billow, without a clearance, in October, eighteen hundred and thirty-three. It being in evidence that it was altogether a mistake, and not with a design to defraud the revenue.

A certain fine to be refunded.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXVIII. — *An Act granting pensions, and arrearages of pensions, to certain persons therein named.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to pay to the several persons herein named, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, pensions at the rate set to each person's name, respectively, commencing at the time herein named, and to continue to each one during his natural life, viz :

Certain persons to receive pensions.

To Enoch Blaisdell, of Dearborn county, Indiana, at the rate of seventeen dollars a month, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

To Jared Buckingham, at the rate of five dollars, and one-third of a dollar per month, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

To Beverly Roy, at the rate of seventeen dollars per month, to commence on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

To Parsons Smith, at the rate of four dollars per month, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

To Josiah H. Brown, at the rate of four dollars a month, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

To Isaac Carter, late a captain in the thirty-fourth regiment of infantry, at the rate of twenty dollars a month, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

To James Calvin, of Johnson county, Indiana, at the rate of six dollars a month, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-five.

To James B. Folsom, at the rate of eight dollars per month, commencing on the 12th day of June, eighteen hundred and thirty-three.

E. Nicholas to receive a pension.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay to Edward Nicholas, now an invalid pensioner, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, an arrearage of pension at the same rate per month now allowed to him, commencing at the time of his discharge from the army, upon the certificate of a surgeon of his disability, and continuing to the period when his name was placed on the roll of invalid pensioners.

Also, Origen Eaton.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That there be, and hereby is, granted to Origen Eaton, of Sullivan, in the county of Madison and state of New York, a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars a month, in lieu of the pension now received by him, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-four.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXIX. — *An Act for the relief [of] Israel Ingalls.*

To be placed on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to place the name of Israel Ingalls, of Hamilton county, Ohio, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners; and to pay him a pension, at the rate of twenty dollars per annum, to commence, and be computed, from the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXX.—*An Act for the relief of Amy Wilson.*

Payment of amount due on a pension certificate.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War pay to Amy Wilson, widow of Valentine Wilson, the sum of eighty-nine dollars and forty-three cents, being the amount due on a pension certificate given in favor of the said Valentine Wilson at the War Office of the United States, on the eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four, and subsequently to his death, which took place on the fourth day of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-three.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXXI.—*An Act granting a pension to Colonel Gideon Morgan, of the state of Tennessee.*

To be placed on pension roll. Act of July 2, 1836, ch. 267, sec. 3.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Colonel Gideon Morgan, of the State of Tennessee, on the roll of invalid pensioners, at the rate of thirty dollars per month, to commence on the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

May 14, 1836.

CHAP. LXXII.—*An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Mays, mother of Wilson Mays, deceased, in the naval service of the United States.*

A pension granted to her.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That a pension of one hundred and fourteen dollars per annum, for the term of five years, from the third day of September, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, be allowed and paid, in half-yearly payments, out of the Navy Pension fund, to Elizabeth Mays, the mother of Wilson Mays, late a carpenter's mate in the Navy of the United States: *Provided*, That such pension shall be deemed to continue only during the life and widowhood of said Elizabeth Mays.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

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CHAP. LXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph W. Wormstead of Marblehead, master and owner of the schooner Sally, and the crew of said vessel.*

May 14, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the collector of the port of Marblehead, in the state of Massachusetts be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay to Joseph W. Wormstead and the crew of the schooner Sally, which was lost at sea, to be distributed according to law, the same allowance or bounty as they would have been entitled to receive if the said vessel had arrived in port after having completed her fishing term, and complied with all the requirements of law necessary to secure such bounty.

Allowance to a fishing schooner lost at sea.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Peter Doxtator and Jacob Weaver.*

May 14, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be authorized and required to place the names of Peter Doxtator and Jacob Weaver, on the list of revolutionary pensioners, and pay to each of them the sum of eighty dollars, per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during their natural lives.

To be placed on pension list.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Melancthon Taylor Woolsey.*

May 14, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be retained from the pay of Melancthon Taylor Woolsey, a captain in the navy of the United States, one third part of the amount thereof, and no more, from the time of the passage of the act of March third, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, regulating the pay of the navy, until the amount of arrears due from said Woolsey to the United States shall be discharged; any act or part of an act to the contrary notwithstanding.

One-third of his pay to be retained, until, &c.  
Act of March 3, 1835, ch. 27.

APPROVED, May 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of the representative of Robert Jouet, deceased.*

May 20, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury do settle the claim of James W. Boulden, representative of Robert Jouet, deceased, a lieutenant of the Virginia line, on continental establishment, in the revolutionary army, and to allow him five years' full pay of a lieutenant of infantry of the said line.

Five years' full pay of a lieutenant to be allowed.  
Act of July 2, 1836, ch. 274.

APPROVED, May 20, 1836.

STATUTE I.

CHAP. LXXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Silas Fisher, a Choctaw Indian.*

May 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the location of the reservation secured to Silas Fisher, by the second article of supplement to the treaty of Dancing Rabbit creek, concluded with the Choctaw Indians, on the twenty-eighth day of September, eighteen hundred and thirty, and recognised by the act of Congress, of the thirteenth of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, which has been located on the north half of section fifteen, and the south half of section ten, township twenty-four, range eight west of the north-western district of the state of Mississippi, be, and the same is hereby confirmed, and a patent may issue, as in other cases, agreeably to said treaty.

Location of reservation confirmed.

Act of Feb. 13, 1835, ch. 20.

APPROVED, May 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 7, 1836.

Payment to  
him of certain  
fees as marshal.

CHAP. LXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Moses Bliss.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be paid to Moses Bliss, late deputy marshal of the district of Vermont, out of any money remaining in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and forty dollars and fifty-six cents, being the amount of fees due him on certain process and executions in favor of the United States, which were served and executed by him while deputy marshal aforesaid; which fees were charged in his account, and disallowed by the accounting officers of the Treasury Department.

APPROVED, June 7, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 14, 1836.

Payment for  
brass butts.

CHAP. XC. — *An Act for the relief of John Pierce and Daniel Van Voorhis.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, to John Pierce and Daniel Van Voorhis, sixty-six dollars and twenty-five cents, for thirty pairs of brass butts furnished at the navy yard, Brooklyn, of an extra quality, not enumerated in their contract.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 14, 1836.

Certain ac-  
counts to be in-  
vestigated and  
settled.

CHAP. XCI.—*An Act for the relief of Jesse Smith and others.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be directed to apply on the judgments and notes mentioned in schedules A and B, that accompany the report of N. S. Benton, the United States attorney for the northern district of New York, dated December third, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, and addressed to the Solicitor of the Treasury, the official notes, due bills, drafts, or accountable receipts given by Thomas Tupper, late assistant deputy quartermaster-general, held and possessed by the persons against whom judgments have been recovered as mentioned in schedule A, and held and possessed by the persons mentioned in schedule A, and held and possessed by the persons mentioned in schedule B, against whom the United States hold notes given for property purchased at Sackett's Harbor, provided said Secretary shall be satisfied that said notes, due bills, drafts, or accountable receipts, were given for work and labor done and performed in the erection of barracks at Sackett's Harbor, or for materials furnished for that object, or for other expenditures in the Quartermaster's Department, and remain unpaid. And the said Secretary is authorized to investigate the consideration of said notes, due bills, drafts, or accountable receipts, so given by said Tupper, if he shall deem such investigation necessary to protect the United States against imposition and fraud, giving to the party interested reasonable notice of the time and place for taking testimony. If the sums found due to each person, respectively, be equal to, or greater than the judgment or judgments recovered against him without cost, then such judgment or judgments is to be discharged by said Secretary, in a case where said due bills were purchased after suit was commenced; and in such case the costs against the defendants shall be considered and taken, in settling said judgment, as a part thereof. And if the sum found due to any person mentioned in schedule B, on notes, due bills, drafts, or accountable receipts given by the said Tupper as aforesaid, be equal to, or greater than such indebtedness to the United States, then the said Secretary is directed to cancel the said debt to the United States, by applying thereto the sum so found due: *Provided,* That no such application shall be made in any case where the applicant purchased the due bills, drafts, notes, or accountable re-

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ceipts, signed by said Tupper as aforesaid, after suit was commenced, until said applicant shall have paid the costs when suit is commenced. And in all instances where the United States have charged interest on the debt due to the United States, interest is to be computed on the claims of such person for a corresponding period.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the said Secretary be directed to make the like credit upon a judgment, or note, against a surety, as he shall make on a judgment, or note, against the proper principal.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the judgments recovered remain uncollected for one year, to enable the claimants to obtain the benefit of this act, and that the suits be continued for that period, for the like purpose: *Provided*, The sureties file their written consent to said indulgence with the Solicitor of the Treasury within one month after the approval of this act by the President.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

Judgments to remain uncollected for one year.  
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CHAP. XCII.—*An Act for the relief of Henry Darling.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Henry Darling, of Bucksport, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred and forty-eight dollars and seventy-five cents, being the moiety of a forfeiture on a license bond recovered from said Darling as a surety of John Phillips, and paid into the treasury of the United States.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 14, 1836.

Payment of a moiety of a certain forfeiture.

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CHAP. XCIII. — *An Act for the relief of Joseph Gresham.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Joseph Gresham, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, one hundred and five dollars, being the forfeiture retained on a contract made between the United States and William Foushee, which was assigned to John Head, the said John Head having drawn an order in favor of the said Joseph Gresham, covering the amount contained in this act; and when the aforesaid sum is paid, the proper accounting officers are directed to charge the same, to balance the account of the said John Head.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 14, 1836.

Payment to him of a certain forfeiture.

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CHAP. XCIV.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representative of Thomas Haliday, deceased.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the legal representative of Thomas Haliday, deceased, the sum of sixty-two dollars and thirty-five cents, for that amount expended in the public service, under an order from the commandant of the marine corps in Washington, in looking after public property stolen from the marine quartermaster in the year eighteen hundred and fourteen, and while attending court, under a like order, on the trial of a person apprehended for secreting said property.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

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Payment for money expended in the public service.



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CHAP. XCV.—*An Act for the relief of William Woodward and William Mitchell.*

Patent fees to be refunded.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, thirty dollars to William Woodward and William Mitchell, being money paid for a patent which they do not wish should issue.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 14, 1836.

CHAP. XCVI.—*An Act for the relief of Samuel W. Ruff.*

Allowed pay of a surgeon, in lieu of pay of assistant surgeon, &amp;c.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized to audit and settle the account of Samuel W. Ruff, a surgeon in the navy of the United States, and to allow him the pay and emoluments of a surgeon, in lieu of the pay and emoluments of an assistant surgeon, from the fourth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, up to the time of his appointment as surgeon in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four; and that the amount due to the said Samuel W. Ruff, upon such settlement and allowance, be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 14, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CI.—*An Act for the relief of Albert Pawling, a colonel in the revolutionary war.*

Act of May 15, 1828, ch. 53, to be extended to her.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the benefits of the provisions of the act entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the army of the revolution," passed May fifteenth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, be extended to Albert Pawling, a colonel in the revolutionary war; and that he be paid and accounted with, in the same manner as if he had already complied with the requisitions of the fourth section thereof, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided*, That in paying and accounting with the said Albert Pawling, any sums paid to him under the act of June seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, entitled "An act supplementary to the 'act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the revolution,'" be first deducted, and any further payments under the last mentioned act shall cease and be discontinued.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CII.—*An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Robinson, daughter of Lieutenant Richard Wilde, deceased.*

Allowance to be made to her.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there be paid, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Elizabeth Robinson, daughter and only surviving heir of Richard Wilde, deceased, late a lieutenant in the army of the Revolution, the amount to which the said Wilde would have been entitled, had he applied for, and been allowed, a pension for total disability from the day of his resignation to the time of his death, from the twelfth day of August, one thousand seven hundred and seventy-eight, to the first day of August one thousand seven hundred and eighty-six.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CIII.—*An Act for the relief of Orris Gay.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Orris Gay on the list of invalid pension-

ers, and to cause him to be paid, as other pensioners on said list, at the rate of eight dollars per month, from and after the eleventh day of May, eighteen hundred and thirty-three.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CIV.—*An Act for the relief of the widow of Samuel Gibbs.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to allow and pay to the widow of Samuel Gibbs, deceased, late a pensioner on the revolutionary invalid pension roll, the amount which would have become due to the said Samuel as an invalid pensioner, from the fifteenth of May, eighteen hundred and twenty-six, to the time of his death, if he had not taken the benefit of any act of Congress which required him to relinquish such invalid pension as a condition of his being placed on the list of revolutionary pensioners.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

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Allowance to be made to her.

Act of May 15, 1828, ch. 53.  
Act of June 7, 1832, ch. 126.

CHAP. CV.—*An Act for the relief of the heirs of Richard Anderson.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to allow and pay to the widow, and if no widow to the children of Richard Anderson, deceased, late a pensioner on the revolutionary invalid pension roll, the amount of said Richard's invalid pension, from the third day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and twenty-six, to the thirty-first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty, during which time the said pension was withheld or discontinued, in consequence of the said Richard's taking the benefit of the act entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the army of the Revolution," passed May fifteen, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

Allowance to be made to them.

Act of May 15, 1828, ch. 53.

CHAP. CVI.—*An Act to increase the pension of Jacob Slough.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Jacob Slough, late a captain in the army of the United States, on the pension list, at the rate of thirty dollars per month, to commence on the eighteenth day of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to continue during his life, in lieu of the pension to which he is now entitled by law.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

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\$30 per month allowed him.

CHAP. CVII.—*An Act to increase the pension of Thomas Harrison.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Thomas Harrison, late a major in the army of the United States, on the pension list, at the rate of forty dollars per month, to commence on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to continue during his life, in lieu of the pension to which he is now entitled by law.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

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To be placed on pension list.

CHAP. CVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Carey Clark.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to inscribe on the invalid pension roll the name of Carey Clark, late a lieutenant in the army of the United States, at the rate of eight dollars and fifty cents per month, to commence on the first day of January, in the year eighteen hundred and thirty; and that from and after the

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To be placed on pension roll.

Act of March 18, 1818, ch. 19. said day he be entitled to receive that rate of pension, in addition to the pension now allowed him as a private, under the act of the eighteenth of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CIX.—*An Act granting an invalid pension to Daniel Stoddard.*

His pension to be increased.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Daniel Stoddard upon the list of invalid pensioners, and to pay him at the rate of eight dollars a month from the eleventh day of September, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, in addition to the pension he now receives under the act of the seventh June, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, entitled "An act supplementary to the act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the Revolution."

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CX. — *An Act for the relief of Jonathan Elkins.*

His pension to be increased.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to allow and pay to Jonathan Elkins, now a pensioner on the revolutionary pension roll, at the rate of sixty dollars annually, a pension at the rate of eighty dollars a year in lieu thereof, during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, deducting therefrom the amount of pension he may have already received.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CXI. — *An Act for the relief of Stephen Bohannon.*

To be placed on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Stephen Bohannon, of Bristol, in New Hampshire, on the invalid pension list, and to pay him at the rate of four dollars a month, during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CXII. — *An Act for the relief of Gaius Hitchcock.*

To be placed on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to enter the name of Gaius Hitchcock, on the roll of Revolutionary pensioners, and pay him a pension at the rate of twenty-eight dollars a year, during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CXIII. — *An Act for the relief of John A. Rodgers.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of John A. Rodgers on the invalid pension list, at the rate of fifteen dollars a month, to commence on the thirty-first day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 15, 1836.

CHAP. CXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Leslie Combs.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Leslie Combs on the list of invalid pen-

sioners, at the rate of twenty dollars a month, and to pay him at that rate from the twenty-second day of December, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 15, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXII. — *An Act to authorize the President of the United States to cause to be issued to Albert J. Smith, and others, patents for certain reservations of land in Michigan Territory.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to issue, or cause to be issued, to Metaw-ne-nee, (or Albert J. Smith,) Messaw-wa-kut, (or Harriet M. Smith,) Anno-ket-o-qua, (or Louisa L. Smith,) and Non-dash-e-man, (or Maria G. Smith,) being children of Jacob Smith, deceased, formerly a trader among the Chippewa Indians, patents for one section of land each; also, one section of land conjointly, to the aforesaid Albert J. Smith, Harriet M. Smith, Louisa L. Smith, and Maria G. Smith, being the only surviving brother and sisters of Sa-gos-e-qua, (or Caroline Smith,) deceased, who was also one of the children of Jacob Smith, deceased, at or near the grand traverse of the Flint river, in the Territory of Michigan, which said sections of land were reserved to said children, by the third article of the treaty made and concluded at Saganaw, in the said Territory, between the United States of America, and the Chippewa nation of Indians, on the twenty-fourth day of September, in the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and nineteen.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

Land patents to issue to persons named.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXIII. — *An Act for the relief of Henry Stoddard.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury cause to be issued to Henry Stoddard, assignee of Nicholas Smith, who is assignee of Francis Dochoquet, a patent for three hundred and twenty acres of land, in accordance to a grant of the chiefs of the Shawnee nation of Indians, in the late Wapaghkonetta reservation, in the state of Ohio; which tract of land is situated on the north side of the Auglaise river, at a place called Cotoseka, embracing parts of sections numbers thirty and thirty-one, in township five south, of range six east, according to the plat and survey thereof: *Provided, nevertheless,* That the patent directed to be issued, as aforesaid, shall only operate as a relinquishment, on the part of the United States, and not against the rights of third persons.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

A patent for 320 acres to be issued to him.

Proviso.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXIV. — *An Act for the relief of Benjamin F. Stone.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the collector of the port of Bath, in the State of Maine, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Benjamin F. Stone, master of the brig Mary Averill, of Gardiner, in said State, the sum of fifty dollars, the amount of a fine paid by said Stone to the collector of New Orleans, for departing from said port of Bath, in said brig Mary Averill, in October, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, without having on board a manifest of her cargo; it being in evidence, that this omission was altogether a mistake, and not the result of a design to defraud the revenue, or violate any law of the United States.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

Penalty for departing without a manifest, to be refunded.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Francis R. Theobald.*

Fine for departing without a clearance, to be refunded.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the collector of the port of Bath, in the State of Maine, be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Francis R. Theobald, master of the brig Euphrates, of Gardner, in said State, the sum of fifty dollars, the amount of a fine paid by him to the collector of New Orleans, for departing from said port of Bath, in said brig Euphrates, in November, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, without having on board a manifest of his cargo; it being in evidence that the omission was altogether a mistake, and not the result of any design to defraud the revenue, or violate any law of the United States.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Jacob F. Walter.*

Patent fees to be returned to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Jacob F. Walter, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirty dollars, which was deposited in the treasury for a patent for an improvement made on a machine for making brick. Said patent has not issued, and the said Walter has withdrawn his application, and requests the restoration of his deposit.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of James Willbank.*

His account as chaplain to be audited and paid.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be authorized and directed to audit and settle the account of the Rev. James Willbank, for services performed as acting chaplain of the navy, at the naval asylum and the navy yard at Philadelphia, and to allow him for the time he shall appear to have performed such services, the pay and emoluments of a chaplain in the navy of the United States; and that the amount found due to the said James Willbank, be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of James Caulfield.*

Authorized to enter land in Alabama.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That James Caulfield be authorized to enter with the proper land office in Alabama, at one dollar and twenty-five cents per acre, so much land as is known to constitute the reservation of Peggy Bailey, a half breed Creek Indian woman, under the treaty of Fort Jackson; being that portion of section seven, in township five, range five, on the east of the Alabama river, and so much of the fraction seven of said township and range, on the west side of the Alabama river, as will make, in the whole, three hundred and twenty acres of land.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of Daniel Smith.*

A patent for a tract of land to issue to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Commissioner of the General Land Office be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to issue a patent to Daniel Smith, of Morgan county, Indiana, for the south-east quarter of section twenty, township thirteen north, range one west, in the district of lands offered for sale at Crawfordsville: *Provided,* That this act shall not be construed to affect the rights of any third party.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXX. — *An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Doctor Absalom Baird, deceased.* STATUTE I.  
 June 23, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, required to settle the account of Doctor Absalom Baird, deceased, as a surgeon in the regiment of artificers of the army of the United States during the revolutionary war, and to allow his legal representatives compensation equal to five years' full pay of a captain of infantry in the service of the United States, on continental establishment, without interest; which five years' full pay is the commutation for his half pay for life, to be paid to the legal representatives of the said Absalom Baird out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Account to be settled, and allowance made.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXI.—*An Act for the relief of the citizens of the reserved township in Monroe county, in the state of Indiana.* STATUTE I.  
 June 23, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the register and receiver of the land office at Indianapolis be, and they are hereby, authorized to select within said district out of any of the public lands, a quantity of land for the use of schools within the reserved township in Monroe county, equivalent in value, and in lieu of the sixteenth section in said township, which was granted by Congress to the state of Indiana for the use and benefit of a state college.

Land to be selected for use of schools.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXII.—*An Act for the relief of Benjamin and Nancy Merrill.* STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Benjamin Merrill and Nancy his wife, be, and they are hereby, authorized to sell the reservation of six hundred and forty acres of land taken by them under the treaties of one thousand eight hundred and seventeen and one thousand eight hundred and nineteen, between the United States and the Cherokee tribe of Indians, and being in the state of Alabama, upon the condition, that the contract for the sale of the same be examined and approved by the district attorney of the United States for the district of North Alabama; and upon the further condition, that they remove to the country assigned to the Cherokee Indians west of the Mississippi river, and that the expenses of such removal be defrayed by themselves.

Authorized to sell a reservation of land.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall not be held or construed to guaranty the title which the said Benjamin and Nancy Merrill set up to the tract of land mentioned in the foregoing section.

Title not guaranteed.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of George Gott and others.* STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the collector of the port of Gloucester, in the state of Massachusetts, is hereby authorized to pay George Gott, Jonathan Tarr, and crew of the fishing schooner May Flower, of thirty-two and twelve ninety-fifth tons burthen, such allowance, to be distributed according to law, as they would have been entitled to receive had she completed her full term required; the said schooner having been driven on shore and lost eleven days before she had accomplished her full time required by law to entitle her to bounty.

Allowance of bounty to fishing schooner.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Ebenezer Phillips and others.*

Allowance to a fishing schooner lost at sea.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the collector of customs for the district of Marblehead and Lynn, in the state of Massachusetts, is authorized to pay to Ebenezer Phillips, and such others as may have been owners, and to the legal representatives of the late master and crew, of the fishing schooner Van Buren, belonging to the port of Lynn, in the aforesaid district, and supposed to have been lost at sea, the same sum of money, to be distributed according to law, which they would have been entitled to receive as a bounty or drawback, if the said vessel had returned in safety from her voyage, and accomplished the full term of service required by law.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Charles M. Frasier.*

Value of house destroyed to be ascertained and paid.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Third Auditor of the Treasury be directed to ascertain the value of a house destroyed by the British in eighteen hundred and fourteen, at St. Leonards, in the state of Maryland, while the same was in the military occupation of the United States, as a hospital, the property of said Charles M. Frasier, and that the amount so ascertained be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Archibald Small.*

Allowed to enter a tract of land.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Archibald Small be, and he is hereby, permitted and allowed to enter the west half of the south-east quarter of section number thirty-three, in township number thirteen, north of range five east, in the district of lands offered for sale at Indianapolis, in the state of Indiana, for which he shall be entitled to a patent, on his relinquishing to the United States the west half of the south-west quarter of section number thirty-three, in township number thirteen, north of range five east, in the district aforesaid, and which was entered by said Archibald Small through mistake, and not detected, by reason of the said Archibald Small not being able to read.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Nathaniel P. Tatum.*

The Secretary of the Navy to examine and certify his account.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Navy ascertain the damages, if any, the United States sustained, on the failure of Nathaniel P. Tatum to deliver the full quantity of white oak plank stocks at the navy yard at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, according to his contract with the United States, dated the nineteenth day of December, eighteen hundred and twenty-nine; and having deducted said damages, if any, from the ten per cent. reserved out of the price of the plank delivered, he is directed to certify what remains, if any deduction shall be made, and if not, then the entire amount of said ten per cent. to the Secretary of the Treasury, who is directed to pay said amount, so certified, to the legal representatives of the said Nathaniel P. Tatum, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of George Bender.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War settle and adjust the claim of George Bender, late a major in the army of the United States,

and allow him the same pay and emolument that a major of engineers would have received, (if discharging the same duties,) for the time he was actually superintending the construction of the Delaware break-water, under orders from the Quartermaster-General: and that the sum so found his due be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Allowed the pay of a major of engineers.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

CHAP. CXXXIX.—*An Act to revive and extend the provisions of an act passed on the twenty-fourth May, eighteen hundred and twenty-four, entitled "An act for the relief of the representatives of John Donelson, Stephen Heard, and others."*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That an act entitled "An act for the relief of the representatives of John Donelson, Stephen Heard, and others," be, and the same is hereby, revived and continued in force for the term of twelve months from and after the passage of this act; and that the said representatives, in addition to the states of Alabama and Mississippi, be, and they are hereby, authorized to enter said lands at any of the land offices in Louisiana or Arkansas.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

Act of March 24, 1824, ch. 142, extended. Act of May 19, 1832, ch. 81.

CHAP. CXL. — *An Act for the relief of David Browning.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That David Browning be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in such form as the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall prescribe, the south-east quarter of the north-east quarter of section number twenty, and township number forty-nine, north of the base line, range number two, east of the fifth principal meridian, in the district of lands now offered for sale at Palmyra, in the state of Missouri; and upon such relinquishment being made as aforesaid, the said Browning shall be, and he is hereby, authorized to enter any other quarter quarter section of land in the said district, which shall be liable to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

May relinquish a tract of land, and enter another in lieu thereof.

CHAP. CXLI.—*An Act for the relief of James Robertson, of South Carolina.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James Robertson of Charleston, South Carolina, the additional duty imposed by the act of the third March, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, on thirty bales of plains, ordered in October, in eighteen hundred and thirty-two, under the act of fourteenth July, of that year, and imported at the port of Charleston, in the months of June and August, eighteen hundred and thirty-three: *Provided,* That satisfactory proof shall be furnished to the Secretary of the Treasury, that the said plains were ordered previous to the passage of the act of the third of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-three; and that said duties have not been returned in debentures on the exportation of said merchandise.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

Amount of additional duty on certain merchandise to be refunded.

Act of July 14, 1832, ch. 227.

Proviso.

Act of March 2, 1833, ch. 55.

CHAP. CXLII.—*An Act for the relief of Samuel Hunt.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Samuel Hunt, of Oakham, in the county of Worcester, in the state of Massachusetts, on the roll of invalid pensioners, and pay to him eight dollars per month, during his natural life, commencing on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

APPROVED, June 23, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 23, 1836.

To be placed on pension roll.



STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLIII.—*An Act for the relief of John Pickard.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, required to place upon the roll of revolutionary pensioners, at the rate of forty dollars per annum, the name of John Pickard, of Livingston county, New York, and that said pension commence on the fourth day of March, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLIV. — *An Act for the relief of Richard Martin.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, required to place upon the roll of revolutionary pensioners, the name of Richard Martin, at the rate of eighty dollars per annum, to commence on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLV. — *An Act for the relief of Peter Dimick, of the state of New York.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War, be directed to place the name of Peter Dimick, of the state of New York, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay him twenty dollars per year, during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLVI. — *An Act providing that John Smith be placed on the list of invalid pensioners.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place upon the list of invalid pensioners, John Smith, late a private in Captain James McDaniel's company of the seventh rifle regiment of United States troops, at the rate of four dollars per month, during his natural life, commencing on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLVII.—*An Act for the relief of Peter Cook, a soldier in the last war.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby directed to place upon the list of invalid pensioners, the name of Peter Cook, a soldier of the late war, at the rate of five dollars and thirty-three and a half cents per month, during his natural life, to commence on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, to be paid out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Samuel Kincaid.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place the name of Samuel Kincaid, on the list of invalid pensioners, at the rate of twelve dollars per month, in lieu of his pension of eight dollars per month, which he at present receives, to commence from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXLIX.—*An Act for the relief of George Elliot.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of George Elliot, on the roll of invalid pensioners, and pay to him six dollars a month during his natural life, commencing on the seventh day of December, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CL.—*An Act for the relief of John Bennet.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of John Bennet on the roll of invalid pensioners, and to pay him seventeen dollars a month during his natural life, commencing on the seventh day of December, in the year of our Lord eighteen hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLI.—*An Act granting a pension to Samuel Cole.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of Samuel Cole, now of Bradford county, Pennsylvania, on the invalid pension roll, and that he be paid at the rate of eight dollars per month, commencing on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLII.—*An Act granting a pension to James Stevens.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to place on the pension roll of the United States, the name of James Stevens, of the county of Lincoln, and state of Maine, as an invalid pensioner; and that the said Stevens be allowed the sum of six dollars per month, to commence from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLIII.—*An Act for the relief of James Mullings.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and is hereby, required to place the name of James Mullings, of Charlotte, Virginia, on the pension roll of revolutionary pensioners, at the rate of thirty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLIV.—*An Act for the relief of Stephen Talmage.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place Stephen Talmage, of the county of Suffolk, in the State of New York, on the pension roll of the United States, and that there be allowed to the said Talmage, the sum of thirty-six dollars and seventy-five cents, per annum, during his natural life, to commence on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension list.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLV.—*An Act granting a pension to John Collins.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place on the revolutionary pension roll of the United States, the name of John Collins, of the State of Massachusetts, who shall be entitled to, and receive a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per annum, from the fourth day of March, A. D. eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLVI.—*An Act for the relief of Francis F. Saint Cyr.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to place the name of Francis F. Saint Cyr, of the county of Saint Charles, in the State of Missouri, upon the roll of invalid pensioners, and to pay him at the rate of eight dollars a month, during his natural life, commencing on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLVII.—*An Act for the relief of Luke Voorhise.*A pension  
granted to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Luke Voorhise, of the State of Ohio, a pension at the rate of eight dollars a month, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, and to continue during his natural life; to be paid out of any moneys in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLVIII.—*An Act for the relief of William Bowman.*May relinquish  
a tract of land,  
&c.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That William Bowman, of the state of Indiana, be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States the north-east quarter of section twenty-one, and the west half of the south-west quarter of section twenty-two, both in township number thirteen north, of range two west, in the district of lands offered for sale at Crawfordsville, in the state of Indiana, which were entered through mistake, and that he be permitted to enter in lieu thereof, at the office aforesaid, the north-east quarter of section twenty-eight, and the south half of the north-west quarter of section twenty-seven, same township and range, provided the same be vacant; if not, then, and in that case, to enter a like quantity of any of the public lands within said district subject to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLIX.—*An Act for the relief of Thomas Dixon and Company, of New York.*A certain pe-  
nalty remitted.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to remit the penalty incurred by Thomas Dixon and Company, of New York, on two invoices of woollens, imported by the ships Nestor and James Mouroe, in the month of July, eighteen hundred and twenty-one, from Liverpool, for the want of consular certificates, which were subsequently furnished, and to pay the same out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided*, That no greater amount shall be paid than was received into the treasury.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

Proviso.

CHAP. CLX.—*An Act for the relief of Robert McJimsey, surviving partner of the firm of Jackson and McJimsey.*

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Robert McJimsey, surviving partner of the firm of Jackson and McJimsey, of New York, the amount which may be found due the said firm for the drawback upon one hundred and fifty boxes of sugar exported at New York in the month of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty, in the ship Elizabeth Frith, for Leghorn.

Drawback on sugar allowed.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXI.—*An Act for the relief of John Frasier and Company, of Charleston, South Carolina.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to John Frasier and Company, of Charleston, South Carolina, the additional duty imposed by the act of the third March, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, on twenty bales of plains, ordered under the act of fourteenth July, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, by David Lamb, of Liverpool, and imported in the ship Lady Rowena, at the port of Charleston, in the month of August last: *Provided,* That satisfactory proof shall be furnished to the Secretary of the Treasury, that the said plains were ordered previous to the passage of the act of the third of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, and that said duties have not been returned in debentures on the exportation of said merchandise.

Amount of additional duty to be paid to them.  
Act of March 3, 1833, ch. 55.  
Act of July 14, 1832, ch. 227.

Proviso.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXII.—*An Act for the relief of John F. Lewis.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury refund to John F. Lewis, a sum equal to the increase of duty imposed by the act of the nineteenth of May, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, entitled "An act in alteration of the several acts imposing duties on imports," on a quantity of matting imported from China, invoiced at two thousand two hundred and ten dollars, and entered at the custom-house in Philadelphia, on the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight: *Provided,* That the Secretary of the Treasury shall not make the payment above directed until he shall have satisfactory proof that the duties have been actually paid, and have not been returned in debentures; that the order for the purchase of the said matting was given previously to the first of December, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-seven; and that the said John F. Lewis had it not in his power to countermand the said order after the passage of the said act of the nineteenth of May, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight: *And provided, further,* That satisfactory evidence be furnished to the Secretary of the Treasury, by the oath of the merchant, or otherwise, that the said John F. Lewis did not realize the ordinary profit on the said importation.

Amount of increased duty to be paid to him.  
Act of May 19, 1828, ch. 55.

Proviso.

Proviso.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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CHAP. CLXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Abraham Forbes, a spy in the late war.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Abraham Forbes be, and is hereby, allowed to enter three hundred and twenty acres of land, on any of the public lands subject to entry at private sale, for services rendered by him as a Canadian volunteer.

May enter a tract of land.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXIV.—*An Act granting a pension to Theophilus E. Beekman, late first lieutenant in the forty-first regiment of the United States infantry.*

To be placed on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Theophilus E. Beekman, late first lieutenant in the forty-first regiment of the United States infantry, on the roll of invalid pensioners, and pay to him the sum of seventeen dollars per month during his natural life, commencing on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXV.—*An Act for the relief of William Hewes.*

To receive \$20 per annum for life.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid to William Hewes, annually, for the term of his natural life, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty dollars, to commence on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Henry Keefer.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of Henry Keefer, upon the list of invalid pensioners, at the rate of eight dollars per month, commencing on the first of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay him out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Francis Bashford.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of Francis Bashford, upon the list of invalid pensioners, at the rate of eight dollars per month, the payment to commence on the twelfth of April, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, and pay him out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Bernard Pompilly.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the name of Bernard Pompilly be placed upon the list of invalid pensioners, at the rate of eight dollars per month, to commence on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXIX.—*An Act for the relief of Elisha Lucas.*

To be placed on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to place the name of Elisha Lucas, of the state of Vermont, on the list of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay him a pension, at the rate of twenty dollars per annum, from the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836. CHAP. CLXX.—*An Act granting pensions to certain persons therein named.*

To be placed on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and is hereby, directed to place on the invalid pension roll of the United States, the

names of the following, whereupon they, and each of them, shall be entitled to receive the pensions severally set to their names, respectively, during life—that is to say: James Whitsit, at the rate of eight dollars per month, commencing on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four; Jacob Stewart, at the rate of five dollars per month, to commence on the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXI.—*An Act for the relief of Thaddeus Tuttle.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to place the name of Thaddeus Tuttle upon the list of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay him at the rate of twenty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

To be placed on pension list.

CHAP. CLXXII.—*An Act for the relief of James Steel.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place James Steel on the list of revolutionary pensioners of the United States, at the rate of thirteen dollars and thirty-five cents per month, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, to continue during his natural life.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That Elizabeth Steel, the wife of the said James Steel, be, and is hereby, authorized and empowered to claim for and receive said pension, for and in behalf of the said Steel, on furnishing satisfactory proof of the identity and residence of the said James Steel and Elizabeth Steel.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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To be placed on pension list.

Pension may be claimed by his wife.

CHAP. CLXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Davis Hunt.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place upon the list of revolutionary pensioners, Davis Hunt, of New York; and that said Davis Hunt be paid at the rate of forty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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To be placed on pension list.

CHAP. CLXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Relief Harris.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there shall be paid out of the treasury of the United States, to Relief Harris, widow and administratrix of Oliver Harris, deceased, the sum of eight hundred and forty dollars, being the arrears of pension due to the said Oliver Harris, as a revolutionary soldier, from April seven, eighteen hundred and eighteen, up to August nine, eighteen hundred and twenty-six, at eight dollars per month; which said sum shall be paid the proper accounting officers of the treasury, out of any moneys therein, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

Arrears of pension to be paid to her.

CHAP. CLXXV.—*An Act for the relief of James Taylor.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James Taylor, of Massachusetts, a revolutionary soldier, a pension from the eighteenth day of March, one

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Amount of pension to be paid to him.

thousand eight hundred and thirty, at the rate of eight dollars a month, to the fourth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of John Dal.*

To be placed  
on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place John Dal, on the list of revolutionary pensioners of the United States, at the rate of twenty-three dollars and thirty-three cents per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXVII.—*An Act granting a pension to William Lawrence, late a colonel in the army.*

To receive a  
pension from  
the date of his  
resignation.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby is, authorized and required to pay to William Lawrence, late a colonel in the army, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, a pension at the rate of thirty dollars a month, to commence at the date of his resignation and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXVIII.—*An Act granting a pension to Peter L. Allen.*

To be placed  
on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Peter L. Allen on the invalid pension roll, and that he be paid at the rate of thirteen dollars and thirty-three cents and one-third per month, being the one-third of a captain's pay, to commence on the first of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of John Logan.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of John Logan, of Ohio, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners; and that said Logan be paid the sum of thirty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXX.—*An Act for the relief of John Conkin.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and hereby is, directed to place on the invalid pension roll John Conkin, to be paid out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated, during life, at the rate of four dollars per month, commencing on the first day of February, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXXI.—*An Act for the relief of Thaddeus Potter, of the State of New York.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Thaddeus Potter, on the revolutionary pension roll, and allow him a pension at the rate of twenty dollars per year, to commence on the fourth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CLXXXII.—*An Act for the relief of William Foxworthy.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place upon the roll of revolutionary pensioners, the name of William Foxworthy, of Kentucky, and that he be paid the sum of thirty dollars per annum, from the fourth day of March, A. D. eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLXXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Ephraim F. Gilbert.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized, empowered, and directed to place the name of Ephraim F. Gilbert, late a captain in the army of the United States, on the roll of invalid pensioners of the United States, at and after the rate of fifteen dollars per month, commencing on the first of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, and to pay him from that time, at that rate, during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Godfrey Vought.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place Godfrey Vought, of the county of Bradford, in the state of Pennsylvania, on the pension roll of the United States, and that there be allowed to the said Godfrey Vought, the sum of seventy dollars per annum, during his natural life, to commence on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLXXXV.—*An Act for the relief of John Lent.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place John Lent, of the county of Bradford, in the state of Pennsylvania, on the pension roll of the United States, and that there be allowed to the said John Lent, the sum of eighty dollars per annum, during his natural life, to commence on the eighth day of May, eighteen hundred and thirty-three.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

To be placed  
on pension roll.

CHAP. CLXXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Patrick McEwen.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, required to pay to Patrick McEwen eleven hundred and twenty-nine dollars and fourteen cents, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated; the same being in full for pension due him, the said Patrick McEwen, a revolutionary pensioner of the United States.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

Amount of  
pension to be  
paid to him.

CHAP. CLXXXVII.—*An Act granting a pension to Charles Blake.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Charles Blake, of Northfield, in the state of Massachusetts, formerly a surgeon's mate in the navy of the United States, a pension at the rate of fifteen dollars a month, to commence on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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A pension  
granted to him.



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CHAP. CLXXXVIII.—*An Act granting a pension to Walter Dyer.*Name to be  
reinstated on  
pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to reinstate the name of Walter Dyer, on the invalid pension roll, and that he be paid at the rate of four dollars per month, from the time his pension was stopped to the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and from the last date at the rate of eight dollars per month, during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CLXXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of Jeremiah Goldsmith.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Jeremiah Goldsmith of Massachusetts, upon the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay him at the rate of thirty dollars per annum, during his natural life, the said pension to commence on the fourth day of March, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXC.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph Tuttle.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of Joseph Tuttle, of New York, on the revolutionary pension roll, and to pay him at the rate of forty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, anno Domini eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXCI.—*An Act for the relief of Mathias Traverse.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to place the name of Mathias Traverse, of Dorchester county, Maryland, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners; and to pay him a pension at the rate of one hundred and twenty dollars per annum, to commence and be computed from the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXCV.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph Danforth.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, instructed to place the name of Joseph Danforth, of New Hampshire, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and that he cause to be paid to said Danforth the sum of twenty dollars per annum during his natural life, to commence on the fourth day of March, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXCVI.—*An Act for the relief of Jacob Wallace.*To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, instructed to place the name of Jacob Wallace, of New York, upon the pension roll of revolutionary soldiers: and that he cause to be paid to said Jacob Wallace the sum of twenty-five dollars per annum during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXCIV.—*An Act for the relief of Jonathan Dow.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be authorized and directed to place the name of Jonathan Dow on the pension roll of the United States, and that he pay the said Dow the sum of twenty dollars per annum, to commence the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

To be placed on pension roll.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXC.V.—*An Act for the relief of James Scott, Richard Severson, and Lot Leonard, soldiers of the revolutionary war.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be required to place the names of James Scott, of Sparta, in the state of New York, Richard Severson, of the town of Preble, in the state of New York aforesaid, and Lot Leonard, of Green county, Pennsylvania, upon the pension roll, and pay each of them as follows, to wit: The said James Scott, twenty dollars a year; the said Richard Severson, thirty dollars a year; and the said Lot Leonard, forty dollars a year. The time of payment to commence on the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

To be placed on pension roll.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXC.VI.—*An Act for the relief of John Boone.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, required to place John Boone, of Charles county, Maryland, upon the list of revolutionary pensioners, and cause to be paid to said John Boone the pension allowed to lieutenants in the line, for service for one year and five months, under the law of June seven, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two; the said pension to commence on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

To be placed on pension list.

Act of June 7, 1832, ch. 126.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXC.VII.—*An Act for the relief of John Herrick.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War pay to John Herrick, an invalid pensioner, an arrearage of pension at the rate of two dollars per month, commencing at the time his name was placed on the list of invalid pensioners, and continuing to the time when his pension was increased to the sum of eight dollars per month; to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Arrears of pension to be paid to him.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXC.VIII.—*An Act for the relief of Ann Evans.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid to Ann Evans, widow of George Evans, late of the city of Washington, deceased, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sum equal to five years' half pay of a private soldier in the army of the United States, the said George Evans having been injured while in the service of the navy department, of which injury he subsequently deceased.

Five years' half pay of a soldier allowed to her.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CXC.IX.—*An Act granting a pension to Ebenezer Dewey.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place the name of Ebenezer Dewey, of Roy-alton, in the county of Windsor, and state of Vermont, on the roll of revolutionary pensions, and to pay him at the rate of forty dollars per

To be placed on pension roll.

annum during his natural life, to commence on the fourth day of March, anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CC. — *An Act granting pensions to Benjamin Parkhurst and Daniel Havens.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to place the names of Benjamin Parkhurst and Daniel Havens, both of Royalton, in the county of Windsor, and state of Vermont, upon the roll of revolutionary pensions, and to pay them each at the rate of forty dollars per annum, during their natural lives, to commence on the fourth day of March, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCI. — *An Act granting a pension to Jonas Comins.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to place the name of Jonas Comins, of Calais, in the county of Washington, and state of Vermont, upon the roll of revolutionary pensions, and to pay him at the rate of twenty dollars per annum, during his natural life, to commence on the fourth day of March, anno Domini, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCII. — *An Act for the relief of Isaac Ruland.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to pay Isaac Ruland, of the state of Missouri, the sum of eight dollars per month, from the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCIII. — *An Act for the relief of Job Daniels.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place Job Daniels, of the state of New Jersey, upon the roll of revolutionary pensioners of the United States, at the rate of forty-five dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCIV. — *An Act for the relief of Daniel Trabue.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary for the War Department be, and he is hereby, directed to place Daniel Trabue, of the state of Kentucky, upon the roll of the revolutionary pensioners of the United States, at the rate of twenty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCV. — *An Act for the relief of Benjamin Coit.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be authorized and required to place the name of Benjamin Coit on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and that he be paid the sum of fifty-three dollars and thirty-three cents per annum, commencing on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCVI.—*An Act for the relief of Robert Smith.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be required to place the name of Robert Smith, of Connecticut, on the list of revolutionary pensioners, and that he pay him forty dollars per annum, commencing on the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, and to continue during his natural life.

To be placed on pension roll.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCVII. — *An Act granting a pension to John Daw.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of John Daw, of Gilmonton, in the county of Stafford, in the state of New Hampshire, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and pay to him twenty dollars per annum during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, anno Domini one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

To be placed on pension roll.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCVIII.—*An Act granting a pension to Andrew Gray.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Andrew Gray, of Sparta, in the county of Livingston, in the state of New York, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay him at the rate of eighty dollars per annum during his natural life, to commence on the fourth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one.

His pension to be increased.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCIX.—*An Act for the relief of George Fields.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the pension granted by an act, approved March second, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, to George Fields, be, and the same is hereby, raised to the sum of ten dollars per month, the said Fields having been a captain in the service of the United States; and the Secretary of War is hereby authorized to pay said Fields the arrears of his pension, computed at that rate from the ninth day of November, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, the day on which he was wounded, deducting from the sum now due to him, the amount he has already received; said sum to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

A pension granted to him.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCX.—*An Act for the relief of Samuel M. Asbury.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, required to pay out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Samuel M. Asbury, the sum of four dollars per month during his natural life, to commence on the twenty-eighth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

A pension granted to him.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXI.—*An Act granting a pension to John Miles.*

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized and required to pay to John Miles, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, a pension at the rate of four dollars

A pension granted to him.

a month, to commence on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXII.—*An Act for the relief of Josiah Curtis.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to pay unto Josiah Curtis, of Clermont county, Ohio, a sum at the rate of eight dollars per month, from the first day of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, during his natural life, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXIII.—*An Act for the relief of William Pattie, of Virginia.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of William Pattie, of Fauquier county, of Virginia, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and pay him forty dollars per annum during the term of his natural life; to commence and take effect at and from the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXIV.—*An Act for the relief of John Scott.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of John Scott, on the invalid pension roll of the United States, at the rate of eight dollars per month, from and after the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and pay to said Scott, the said sum of eight dollars per month, during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CCXV.—*An Act for the relief of Travis Fritters.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Travis Fritters, alias Fritter, on the invalid pension roll of the United States, at the rate of eight dollars per month, from and after the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and pay to said Fritters, the said sum of eight dollars per month during his natural life.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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CHAP. CCXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Balaam Bowers, of Virginia.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, required to place upon the roll of revolutionary pensioners, Balaam Bowers, of Virginia, at the rate of sixty dollars per annum, the said pension to commence and take effect from the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Singleton Ketcham.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place the name of Singleton Ketcham, on the invalid pension roll of the United States, and that he pay him at and after the rate of six dollars per month during his natural life, commencing on the first day of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Elizabeth Swain.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to cause to be paid to Elizabeth Swain, of Hawkins county, Tennessee, widow of Charles Swain, a deceased soldier of the revolution, the amount which would have accrued to the said Charles as a pension, at the rate of forty-four dollars and sixty-seven cents a year, from the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, to July eleven, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, the time of his death, to be paid out of any moneys appropriated for the payment of revolutionary pensions.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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June 28, 1836.

Amount of pension due Charles Swain, to be paid to her.

CHAP. CCXIX.—*An Act for the relief of Peggy Abel, Sally Rolls, and Elijah Green.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Peggy Abel, Sally Rolls, and Elijah Green, in the state of Virginia, children and heirs at law of Elijah Green, late of said state, deceased, the sum of nine hundred and sixty dollars, it being the amount of ten years' pension in arrear to the said Elijah Green, senior, in consequence of his name having been stricken from the pension roll by a decision of the Department of War, and afterwards restored by a reversal of said decision.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

Amount of pension to be paid to them.

CHAP. CCXX.—*An Act granting a pension to Micajah Ricketts.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Micajah Ricketts on the invalid pension roll, and that he be paid at the rate of four dollars per month, during his natural life, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

To be placed on pension roll.

CHAP. CCXXI.—*An Act for the relief of Henry Maggart.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of Henry Maggart, of Sullivan county, Tennessee, upon the list of invalid pensions, and to pay him eight dollars per month, from the first of January, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, during his natural life, out of any moneys in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
June 28, 1836.

To be placed on pension roll.

CHAP. CCXXII.—*An Act for the relief of Mary Lampkin.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Mary Lampkin, the widow of John Lampkin, late of Culpeper county, in the state of Virginia, deceased, and who was pensioned for revolutionary services, under the act of eighteenth March, eighteen hundred and eighteen, such sum of money as the said John Lampkin would have been entitled to receive had his name not been stricken from the roll of revolutionary pensioners after he was first placed thereon: *Provided,* That said Secretary of War shall become satisfied, from proper testimony, that the said John Lampkin was in

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To be paid the amount of pension, &c. Act of March 18, 1818, ch. 19.

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1820, ch. 53.

such indigent circumstances as to have been justly entitled to a pension, agreeably to the provisions of the act of June [May] first, eighteen hundred and twenty.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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CHAP. CCXXXIII.—*An Act granting a pension to William Warden.*

A pension  
granted to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, authorized and required to pay William Warden, a soldier of the thirteenth regiment, Kentucky militia, in the last war, a pension at the rate of eight dollars per month, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to continue during his natural life, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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CHAP. CCXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of George White.*

A pension  
granted to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay George White, a soldier in the company of Captain Staunton Sholes, in the last war, attached to the second regiment United States artillery, a pension, at the rate of four dollars per month, commencing on the first of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, and to continue during his natural life, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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CHAP. CCXXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Daniel Cobb.*

To be restored  
to pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the name of Daniel Cobb, of the state of Maine, be restored to the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and that he be paid at the rate of eighty dollars per annum, during his natural life; the said payment to commence from the time he was last paid his said pension.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

STATUTE I.

June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXXXVI.—*An Act granting a pension to Daniel Granger.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Daniel Granger, of Saco, in the county of York, and state of Maine, on the roll of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay him twenty dollars per annum during his natural life, commencing on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Jonathan Flint.*

To be replaced  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and required, to reinstate the name of Jonathan Flint, on the revolutionary pension roll; and that he pay him such sum as he would have been entitled to receive had he not been stricken from the roll.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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June 28, 1836.

CHAP. CCXXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Ellen Ahern Schmuck.*

To be paid  
half the month-  
ly pay of a cap-  
tain, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to pay out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Ellen Ahern Schmuck, widow of Jacob Schmuck, late a captain of the United States artillery, half of the monthly pay to which the deceased was entitled at the time of his death for and during the term of five years from the tenth day of April, eighteen hundred and

thirty-five, *Provided*, That in the event of her death or marriage before the expiration of said five years, the half pay for the remainder of the time shall go to the child of said Captain Schmuck.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

Proviso.

CHAP. CCXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of Alpheus Hutchins.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be directed to pay to Alpheus Hutchins, of Coos county, state of New Hampshire, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four dollars per month, during his natural life; payment commencing on the first January, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, June 28, 1836.

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A pension granted to him.

CHAP. CCXXXVII. — *An Act for the relief of Joseph W. Green and the owners and crew of the fishing schooner Two Brothers, of Marblehead, in the state of Massachusetts.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Collector of the Customs for Marblehead, in the state of Massachusetts, is hereby authorized to pay to Joseph W. Green and the crew of the fishing schooner Two Brothers, to be distributed according to law, the same said vessel would have been entitled to receive as a bounty or drawback if she had been actually at sea during the whole time required by law to be entitled to said bounty; she having been lost before she had accomplished her full term required by law.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

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July 1, 1836.

Allowance to a fishing schooner lost at sea.

CHAP. CCXXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of James Tucker and John Judge.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there shall be paid to James Tucker and John Judge, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars; which sum so paid to them shall be in full consideration for the use of their patent in the construction of anchors for the navy of the United States, and in full of all claims of the said James Tucker and John Judge against the United States for the use of said patent from the time of granting the same until its final termination.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 1, 1836.

Payment for the use of a certain patent.

CHAP. CCXXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of Andrew Hoover, of Indiana.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper officer of the treasury pay to Andrew Hoover, of Marion county, Indiana, ninety dollars in full, for a horse lost in the service of the United States, in June, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, which horse was lost while in the use of John Steale as a mounted volunteer: *Provided*, The said Hoover shall file his bond with sufficient security to indemnify the United States against the claim of any other person or persons for said property.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 1, 1836.

Payment for a horse lost.

Proviso.

CHAP. CCXL.—*An Act for the relief of James Alexander, and Ira Nash.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to pay out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James Alexander, the sum of four hundred and three dollars, and to Ira Nash, the sum of five hundred and seventy-five dollars; it being for losses they sustained by depredations committed upon their property by a band of Sac and Fox Indians, in the year eighteen hundred and fourteen.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

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Payment for Indian depredations.



## STATUTE I.

July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCXXI.—*An Act for the relief of the heirs of William Forbes, deceased.*Payment for  
property de-  
stroyed.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, to Gordon Forbes, John A. Parker, and Robert M. Forbes, (heirs at law of William Forbes, deceased,) two thousand one hundred dollars, for certain houses belonging to them, which were destroyed at Kinsale, in Virginia, by the enemy in the late war with Great Britain.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

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CHAP. CCXXII.—*An Act for the relief of John Cowper.*Payment for  
prosecuting cer-  
tain claims.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to John Cowper, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight dollars and thirty-four cents, for prosecuting the claims of Theodore Armstead, Moses Myers, and James Thorburn, before the commission under the Spanish treaty, commonly called the Florida treaty, which claims enured to the benefit of the United States.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of John S. Devlin.*Payment for  
services as  
clerk.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay to John S. Devlin, quartermaster sergeant of the United States marine corps, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and ninety dollars, being in full for extra services rendered in the capacity of clerk.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCXXIV.—*An Act authorizing the Commissioner of the General Land Office, to issue to David J. Talbot, a patent for a quarter section of land in Missouri.*Land patent  
to issue to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Commissioner of the General Land Office be, and he hereby is, authorized and directed to issue to David J. Talbot, of Missouri, a patent for the north-west quarter section of section twenty-five, township forty-six, north of the base line, and range five, west of the fifth principal meridian, in Missouri, in conformity with the entry heretofore made by the said David J. Talbot, as assignee of Haile Talbot, in the land office of St. Louis, Missouri: *Provided, however*, That the said David J. Talbot, before the issuing of said patent, procure to be surrendered to the United States, at the General Land Office, to be cancelled, the patent for the same quarter section which, erroneously and by mistake, was issued to one Robert Wash, upon the New Madrid claim of one Peter Perron, and which the said Robert Wash is hereby authorized to surrender accordingly.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

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CHAP. CCXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Scioto Evans.*Payment for a  
horse, saddle,  
&c.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to Scioto Evans, of Indiana, the sum of fifty-five dollars, for a horse, saddle, bridle, and blanket, furnished Robert Robertson, for the use of the United States, in an expedition against

the hostile Indians in eighteen hundred and thirty-two: *Provided*, The said Evans shall file his bond, with sufficient security, to indemnify the United States against the claim of any other person or persons to the said property.

Proviso.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCXLVI.—*An Act for the relief of Doctors J. E. B. Findly, and A. H. Deas.*

STATUTE I.

July 1, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, 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 Doctor J. E. B. Findly, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars, and a like sum of one hundred and fifty dollars to Doctor A. H. Deas, on account of medical services rendered by them to four companies of United States troops, on their passage from Charleston, South Carolina, to Old Point Comfort, in the state of Virginia.

Payment for medical services.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCXLVII.—*An Act for the relief of Joshua Pitcher.*

STATUTE I.

July 1, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to allow to Joshua Pitcher, the sum of one hundred dollars in the settlement of his accounts as Indian agent, in addition to three hundred dollars authorized by law to be paid to an interpreter.

Allowance to him as Indian agent.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCL.—*An Act confirming to the legal representatives of Thomas F. Reddick, a tract of six hundred and forty acres of land.*

STATUTE I.

July 1, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That all the right, title, claim and interest, that the United States have in and unto a certain tract or parcel of land, containing six hundred and forty acres, situate on the left bank of the Mississippi river, about eighteen miles above the mouth of the Des-moines river, in fractional township number sixty-six, north of the base line of range number five, west of the fifth principal meridian, in the territory recently attached to the Territory of Michigan, as will more fully appear on reference to the plat of survey, executed by Jenifer T. Sprigg, be, and the same is hereby, relinquished to the heirs of Thomas F. Reddick: *Provided, nevertheless*, If said lands shall be taken by any older or better claim, not emanating from the United States, the government will not be in anywise responsible for any remuneration to said heirs: *And provided, also*, That should said tract of land be included in any reservation heretofore made under treaty with any Indian tribe, that the said heirs be, and they hereby are, authorized to locate the same quantity, in legal divisions or subdivisions, on any unappropriated land of the United States in said Territory subject to entry at private sale.

Right, &c. of U. S. to a certain tract of land, relinquished to them.

Proviso.

Proviso.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

CHAP. CCLI.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Michael Fenwick, deceased.*

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*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to the legal representatives of Michael Fenwick, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand dollars, the value of a dwelling-house occupied by the troops of the United States, during the late war with Great Britain, and destroyed by the enemy, when so occupied, and in consequence thereof.

Payment for a house destroyed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Third Auditor of the Treasury decide on the testimony that the legal representatives of said Michael Fenwick may produce, as to the occupation of other buildings

Testimony to be taken respecting other losses, &c.

of the said Michael Fenwick, by the troops in the service of the United States during said war, by order of an officer, for military purposes, and as to the destruction of said buildings by the enemy when so occupied, and in consequence thereof, and as to the value of said buildings; and the sum awarded by said Third Auditor, the Secretary of the Treasury is directed to pay to said legal representatives out of any money not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 1, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXII.—*An Act for the relief of John Howell.*

Land claim confirmed.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That John Howell be, and he is hereby, confirmed in his title to a tract of land, containing six hundred and forty acres, claimed by virtue of a settlement made thereon in the year one thousand eight hundred and two, situated on the river Dardenne, in the county of Saint Charles, state of Missouri, to be surveyed in a square, or as near as may be, so as to include his improvement; and in the event of there not being unappropriated public land adjoining his said settlement sufficient for the purpose, then the deficiency may be located upon any unappropriated land of the United States within the land district embracing said tract, subject to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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CHAP. CCLXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of George Dawson.*

His account for mason work to be settled, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to settle upon principles of equity the accounts of George Dawson, late a contractor for mason work on the Cumberland road, and that the balance found due to him be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CCLXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Nancy Haggard, and for other purposes.*

Seven years' half pay of a captain of infantry allowed to Nancy Haggard.

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*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, required to pay to Nancy Haggard, only daughter and surviving heir of William Grymes, who was a captain in the Virginia line, on the continental establishment, during the revolutionary war, and who died in the service of the United States, during the said war, the aggregate amount of the half pay of a captain of infantry for seven years, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided*, That the said Nancy Haggard, before the payment thereof, do exhibit such proof to the Secretary of the Treasury, as will satisfy him that she is the only daughter and heir of said William Grymes.

R. Jouett's representatives to be paid. Act of May 20, 1836, ch. 78.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the sum of money allowed to the representative of Robert Jouett, deceased, by the act passed at the present session of Congress, entitled "An act for the relief of the representative of Robert Jouett, deceased," be paid out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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CHAP. CCLXXV.—*An Act for the relief of the sureties of Nicholas Kern.*

Released from liability as sureties, and suits to be discontinued.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the sureties of Nicholas Kern, who are bound with him to the United States, in two bonds, one dated the thirteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and fourteen, and the other dated the seventeenth day of October, eighteen hundred and sixteen, given by the said Nicholas Kern, as collector of direct taxes and inter-

nal duties for the eighth collection district of Pennsylvania, and their legal representatives, are released from all liability for Nicholas Kern, as sureties in said bonds—the Commissioner of the Revenue and the Agent of the Treasury having extended the time of payment without the consent of the said sureties—and the Solicitor of the Treasury is hereby directed to discontinue the suits which have been brought against them severally on said bonds: *Provided*, That said Nicholas Kern, his heirs, executors and administrators, shall nevertheless be held bound and liable to pay the whole amount that may [be] due by him as said collector.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Proviso.

CHAP. CCLXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Nathaniel Platt.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Nathaniel Platt, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two hundred and eighty-three dollars and fifty cents, in full compensation of his claim, for rent, forage, and provisions, furnished the troops under command of General Mooers, in eighteen hundred and fourteen, and for all damages done to the premises of the said Platt, in consequence of the occupancy thereof by the troops aforesaid.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

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Payment for rent, forage, &c.

CHAP. CCLXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of the Lexington and Ohio Railroad Company.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to refund to the Lexington and Ohio Railroad Company, the sum of nineteen hundred and eighty-four dollars, paid by said company into the treasury of the United States, as duties on railroad iron imported into the United States, in the years eighteen hundred and thirty-two and eighteen hundred and thirty-three, for making of a railroad from Lexington, in Kentucky, to the Ohio river, whenever it shall be made appear to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury that said iron has been applied to the uses for which it was imported.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Duties on certain rail-road iron to be refunded.

CHAP. CCLXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of the heirs of James Moore.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury department be, and they hereby are, directed to ascertain and allow to Mrs. Sarah Swan and Mrs. Mary Waters, the only surviving children of James Moore, late a brigadier-general in the army of the revolution, the amount of seven years' half pay, at a rate corresponding with the pay to which the said Moore was entitled at the time of his death; and that the said amount, when so ascertained, shall be paid to the said Sarah Swan and Mary Waters, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Seven years' half pay of a brigadier-general allowed.

CHAP. CCLXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of William P. Rathbone.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized to settle the accounts of William P. Rathbone, late a district paymaster in the army of the United States; and also his accounts as an army contractor, under his contracts of the first of November, eighteen hundred and sixteen, and of the fifth of November, eighteen hundred and seventeen, upon principles of justice and equity; and

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His accounts as paymaster and contractor to be settled.

that the balance, if any, which may be found due to the said William P. Rathbone, be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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CHAP. CCLXXX.—*An Act for the relief of Henry Newman, and others.*

Erroneous numbers of certain sections of land to be corrected.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the irregular numeration of the fractional sections west of the Tombeckbe river, of township number four, in range number two east, marked on the official maps or plats returned by the Surveyor-General as being numbers thirty-five, thirty-six, and thirty-seven, be corrected on the maps in the office of the Surveyor-General, and on those returned by him to the General Land Office, and to the land office for the district of St. Stephen's, so that the number five shall stand thereon instead of the number thirty-five, the number six instead of the number thirty-six, and the number seven instead of the number thirty-seven.

Patents issued to Wm. Crawford and to Henry Newman to be corrected.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the letter patent issued on the fifteenth day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty, granting to William Crawford, assignee of Ann Dunham, the fractional section then designated on the said maps by the number thirty-five, and the patent issued on the first day of September, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, granting to Henry Newman the fractional section then designated on the same maps by the number thirty-six; and also the patent issued on the first day of June, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, granting to William Crawford the fractional section then designated on the same maps as number thirty-seven, all lying in the township number four, of range number two, east, aforesaid, be, and all, each of them, equally legal and valid, as if the same fractional sections had been designated on said maps by their regular numbers, when said patents were issued; and the Commissioner of the General Land Office, and the register of the land office at St. Stephen's, are hereby directed to note the foregoing correction in the proper places on the books, maps, and records of their respective offices, referring to this act by its date; and the Commissioner of the General Land Office is hereby also directed to certify, accordingly, the correction affecting each of the said patents, in this respect, upon the back thereof, when presented, with special reference to this act, by which it is authorized.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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CHAP. CCLXXXI.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of David Caldwell, deceased.*

Account to be settled, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized and required to settle the account of the legal representatives of David Caldwell, deceased, late clerk of the circuit court of the United States for the eastern district of Pennsylvania, for fees and allowances certified by the said court to be due to the said Caldwell, for official services to the United States, and to pay or cause to be paid to them, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four thousand four hundred and ninety-six dollars thirty-eight cents, with interest thereon, after the rate of six per centum per annum, from the twenty-fifth day of November, eighteen hundred and thirty, till paid.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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CHAP. CCLXXXII.—*An Act for the relief of Gabriel W. Denton, and others.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Gabriel W. Denton, and his sureties, namely, H. W. and S. Hills, C. Adams, jr., G. W. Huntington, and John Barstow, be, and they are hereby, acquitted and discharged of and from a certain joint and several promissory note, executed by them to William W. Mann, for the sum of thirty-two thousand seven hundred and six dollars and thirty cents; which said note bears date New York, July twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, is payable twelve months after date, at the city of Augusta, in the state of Georgia, and was given in consideration of five several judgments rendered in August eighteen hundred and nineteen, by the District Court of the United States for the District of Georgia, in favor of the United States, against Joshua E. White and others, of whom said Denton was one, and which said note, though made payable to William W. Mann, is really and in truth for the use and benefit of the United States: *Provided, however,* That nothing in this act contained shall be held to discharge the other parties against whom said judgments were rendered, or to prevent the enforcement thereof against them, their heirs or representatives.

Discharged from the payment of a certain joint and several promissory note.

Proviso.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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CHAP. CCLXXXIII.—*An Act providing for the further payment of a pension to Mary J. Babbit.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the provisions of a law approved the second day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, granting a pension to Mary J. Babbit, be further extended for the time of five years from the twenty-ninth day of November last, provided she lives so long, otherwise, during her life.

Act of March 2, 1833, ch. 124, extended.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

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July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of William B. Stokes, Richard C. Stockton, Lucius W. Stockton, and Daniel Moore.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Solicitor of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to settle and adjust the claims of William B. Stokes and Richard C. Stockton, of Maryland, and Lucius W. Stockton and Daniel Moore, of Pennsylvania, for extra services performed by them as contractors for carrying the mail under and by virtue of certain contracts therefor by them alleged to have been made and entered into with them by William T. Barry, late Postmaster General of the United States, and for this purpose, to inquire into and determine the equity of the claims of them or any of them for or on account of any contract or additional contract with the said Postmaster General on which their pay may have been suspended by the present Postmaster General, and to make them such allowances therefor as, upon a full examination of all the evidence, may seem right, according to the principles of equity; and that the Postmaster General be, and he is hereby, directed to credit such mail contractors with whatever sum or sums of money, if any, the said Solicitor shall so decide to be due to them for and on account of any such service or contract; and the Solicitor is hereby authorized to take testimony, if he shall judge it to be necessary to do so; and that he report to Congress at its next session, the law and the facts upon which his decision has been founded: *Provided,* The said Solicitor is not authorized to make any allowance, for any suspension, or withholding of money by the present Postmaster General, for allowances, or overpayments, made by his predecessor, on route number thirteen hundred and seventy-one, from Philadelphia to Baltimore, for carrying the mail in steamboats, when it was not so

Claims for extra services as mail contractors to be settled.

Proviso.

carried by said Stockton and Stokes, but by the steamboat company. Nor for any suspension or withholding of money as aforesaid, for allowances or overpayments made as aforesaid, for carrying an express mail from Baltimore to York, or Lancaster. Nor for any suspension or withholding of money, as aforesaid, for allowances or overpayments made as aforesaid, on route number thirteen hundred and ninety-one, from Westminster to McConnellstown as described in the improved bid. Nor for any suspension or withholding of money as aforesaid for allowances or overpayments made as aforesaid on the route from Baltimore to Wheeling for running a certain daily line between Hagerstown and Wheeling, from the first of September, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, to the first of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-three, when the line referred to only run tri-weekly. Nor for any suspension or withholding of money as aforesaid for allowances or overpayments made, as aforesaid, on the route from Baltimore to Washington, under the contract of eighteen hundred and twenty-seven : but nothing in this proviso shall prejudice any application they may make hereafter in reference to these routes, if they shall think it proper to make such application. (a)

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXXV.—*An Act for the relief of the widow of Peter Smith.*

Amount of P.  
Smith's pension  
to be paid to  
her.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to the widow of Peter Smith, of Walpole in the state of Massachusetts, the amount of pension which would have accrued to her husband, if he had been placed on the pension roll, at the rate of twenty dollars a year, from the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, to the time of his death.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Larned Swallow.*

To be placed  
on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be directed to place the name of Larned Swallow on the invalid pension list, and cause him to be paid at the rate of twenty-four dollars a month, during life, to commence on the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, in lieu of the pension to which he is now entitled by law.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Ephraim Page.*

To be placed  
on pension list.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Ephraim Page, a soldier in the late war, upon the list of invalid pensioners, and to pay him at the rate of eight dollars a month, during his natural life, commencing on the first day of May, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Parker Chase.*

To be placed  
on pension roll.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Parker Chase, an officer of the late war, on the roll of invalid pensioners, and allow and pay to him a pension at

(a) See *Kendall v. The United States*, 12 Peters, 544; *Kendall against Stokes and others*, 3 Howard, 87.

the rate of nine dollars and seventy-five cents a month during his natural life, commencing on the first day of June, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCLXXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of John Randolph Clay and others.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officer of the treasury do pay to John Randolph Clay, the sum of three thousand three hundred eighty-one dollars and forty-one cents, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Payment to  
J. R. Clay.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That there be paid to Thomas P. Barton, an outfit and salary as Charge d'Affaires at the court of France, to commence on the twenty-eighth of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, deducting therefrom any sums which may have been, or may be paid to him as Secretary of Legation for the same period.

Outfit and salary to be paid to T. P. Barton.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the Fifth Auditor of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to pass to the credit of Thomas L. L. Brent, in the settlement of his accounts, the sum of two thousand nine hundred and eighty-five dollars, being the amount suspended on account of payments made by him for translations and copying papers, in relation to claims on account of spoliations.

A credit allowed to T. L. L. Brent.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That there be paid to George F. Brown, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine dollars, seventy-four and two-third cents, in full settlement of his accounts as Consular Agent of the United States at Algiers.

Payment to G. F. Brown.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCXCI.—*An Act for the relief of John S. Stiles.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to John S. Stiles, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, one hundred and forty dollars, being the amount to which he was entitled for delivery of bread per requisition for Mahon, in the winter of one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, over the amount he received.

Payment for bread delivered.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCXCII.—*An Act to provide for the issuing a land patent to Thomas B. Clarke.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and required to cause to be issued to Thomas B. Clarke, assignee of David Thompson, who was assignee of James Cisni, a patent for a tract of land containing about one hundred and thirty-four acres, lying on the river Rouge, in the Territory of Michigan, and confirmed to said Cisni by the Commissioners of Private Land Claims in said Territory; the patent to be issued conformably to a patent certificate issued by the register of the land office at Detroit, on the 2d day of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, except that it shall not include that part of said claim lying north of the "Chicago road."

Land patent to be issued.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.



## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Payment to  
him in full of  
all claims.

CHAP. CCXCIII.—*An Act additional to the act for the relief of James L. Calhcart.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James L. Cathcart, the sum of fifteen hundred and eighty-three dollars and thirty-three cents, in full satisfaction of all claims against the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Authorized to  
locate a tract  
of land.

Proviso.

CHAP. CCXCIV.—*An Act for the relief of Antonio Segura, and others.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That each of the following persons be, and they are hereby, authorized to locate a quarter section of land, out of any unappropriated lands, subject to private entry, within the southwestern district of Louisiana, south of Red river, to wit: the widow of Francisco Segura, Antonio Romero, Louis Segura, Eloy Segura, Rafael Segura, St. Jago Segura, Nicholas Goudran, the widow Viator, and Matildo Segura, wife of Juan Miguel: *Provided,* That in making said location they shall conform to the lines of the public surveys. And it shall be the duty of the Commissioner of the General Land Office to issue to each of the above-named persons, or their legal representatives, a patent for said lands, as soon as they shall have located the same.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Amount of cer-  
tain debenture  
certificates to be  
refunded.

CHAP. CCXCV.—*An Act for the relief of A. and J. Dennistoun and Company, of New Orleans.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper officers of the treasury pay to A. and J. Dennistoun and Company, of New Orleans, the sum of fourteen hundred seventeen dollars and four cents, being the amount of certain debenture certificates which were refunded because the said Dennistoun and Company failed to procure the certificates required by law that certain goods were landed in Havana.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Authorized to  
locate two  
tracts of land.

Proviso.

CHAP. CCXCVI.—*An Act for the relief of the heirs, or their legal representatives, of William Conway, deceased.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the heirs of William Conway, deceased, or their legal representatives, be, and they are hereby, authorized to locate, within twelve months from the passage of this act, on any unappropriated public lands in the state of Louisiana, one thousand and seventy acres thereof, in a body in contiguous tracts according to the legal subdivisions of the public surveys; and that they are further authorized to locate, on any of the public lands in said state subject to entry, the quantity of two thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine acres, under the same limitations; and that the proper officers of the Government of the United States be authorized and directed to issue a patent or patents accordingly: *Provided, however,* That the said heirs of William Conway, or their legal representatives, within one year after the passage of this act, and previous to making the locations authorized by it, shall execute a release, in favor of the United States, of the land originally included in three grants from the Government of Spain, and confirmed by the commissioners for investigating land titles in the district west of Pearl river, by the reports numbered forty-eight, forty-nine, and fifty.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCXCVII.—*An Act for the relief of Henry H. Hall.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized and required to issue scrip to the amount of one hundred dollars, to and in favor of Henry H. Hall, in lieu of that amount of scrip by him paid into the land office at Springfield, Illinois, for eighty acres of land; which said land was afterwards sold by the United States to James J. Mosely, by virtue of a pre-emption right thereto. Said scrip, when so issued, shall be receivable in payment for any lands within the state of Illinois, which are subject to entry at private sale.

Scrip for \$100 to be issued.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCXCVIII.—*An Act for the relief of the owners, officers, and crews of the private armed vessels Neptune and Fox.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid to the owners, officers, and crews of the private armed vessels Neptune and Fox, or their legal representatives, by the proper officers of the treasury, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, the sum of twenty-five dollars for each of sixty-nine prisoners captured by said Neptune and Fox on the St. Lawrence river, on the nineteenth day of July, eighteen hundred and thirteen, and delivered to the authorized agent of the United States at Sackett's Harbor.

Allowance for prisoners captured by them.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCXCIX.—*An Act for the relief of Joshua Hatch and others, interested in a fishing vessel which was lost at sea.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the collector of the port of Boston and Charlestown be, and he hereby is, directed to pay to Joshua Hatch and to the heirs at law or legal representatives of the officers and crew of the schooner Joseph, late of Boston, lost on a fishing voyage, such a sum as said vessel would have been entitled to receive as a bounty, if she had regularly completed her fishing season; she being of the burden of fifty-nine tons twenty-seven one hundredths of a ton; which sum shall be distributed in the same manner and proportions as the law would have distributed the bounty if said vessel had completed her fishing season.

Allowance of bounty to fishing schooner.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCC.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representative of Nathaniel Canada.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officer of the treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to ascertain the actual damage sustained by Nathaniel Canada from the burning of his toll-house and bridge, across Niantic river, in the state of Connecticut, in the year eighteen hundred and fourteen, by the British, while said toll-house and bridge were occupied by the troops of the United States.

Amount of damages to be ascertained.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the amount, when so ascertained, be paid to the legal representative of the said Nathaniel Canada, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Appropriation.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCL. — *An Act for the relief of Nancy Leamaster, widow of James Leamaster.*

Payment for provisions and forage.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Nancy Leamaster, widow of James Leamaster, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, one hundred dollars, for provisions and forage taken from the farm of James Leamaster, in the year eighteen hundred and twelve, by mounted volunteers in the service of the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCII. — *An Act for the relief of Noah Brown and the legal representatives of Adam Brown.*

Payment for losses sustained by the sale of treasury notes.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Noah Brown and the legal representatives of Adam Brown, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of five thousand and thirty dollars, being the amount of losses sustained by Adam and Noah Brown upon the sale of treasury notes made by them in the years eighteen hundred and fourteen and eighteen hundred and fifteen, under an agreement with the commissioners for building the steam-frigate Fulton the first.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCIII. — *An Act for the relief of Ebenezer Spaulding.*

Patent fees to be returned to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Ebenezer Spaulding, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, thirty dollars, the sum paid by him into the treasury for a patent, which patent has never been issued.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCIV. — *An Act for the relief of the executors of James O'Harra, late of Pittsburg, deceased.*

Land claims to be confirmed.

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To be located in Illinois.

Act of April 16, 1814, ch. 61.

Executors may assign certificates.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the register of the land office at Kaskaskia be required to issue certificates of confirmation on the several claims to land confirmed to the said James O'Harra by the Governor of the Indiana Territory, upon those claims whereon such certificates have not heretofore been issued: *Provided,* That the whole amount of such certificates shall not be for more than six thousand six hundred acres of land.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That said certificates may be located upon land subject to private entry in any land office in Illinois, established for the sale of the public land agreeably to the provisions of the act entitled "An act confirming certain claims to land in the Illinois Territory, and providing for their location;" and patents shall be issued therefor, agreeably to the said act.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the executors of said James O'Harra are hereby authorized to locate or assign said certificates, as they may deem most beneficial, to the heirs and representatives of said O'Harra.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCV.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives and sureties of James Brobson.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Solicitor of the Treasury be authorized to settle the accounts of James Brobson, late marshal of the Delaware district, and allow such credits as shall be satisfactorily proven to be due in equity and justice; and if the sum so allowed shall be equal to the debt due from said Brobson, the suit now pending against his sureties shall be dismissed at the cost of said sureties; but if less than the debt be allowed, whatever that sum is, shall be credited on said debt.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Account to be settled, and allowance made, &c.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCVI.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph Bogy.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War shall cause to be paid to Joseph Bogy, of the state of Missouri, six thousand dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full satisfaction for his merchandise and property seized, taken, and carried away or destroyed by the Choctaw Indians, in the then territory of Louisiana, in the year eighteen hundred and seven.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the Secretary of War shall cause the treasury of the United States to be reimbursed said sum of money, by ordering the person whose duty it may be to pay the annuity due or to become due, to the Choctaw Indians, to retain and deduct the same out of said annuity.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Payment for property carried away by Choctaws.

Treasury to be reimbursed from annuity due to them.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCVII.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Joseph Hazlet, and Jemima Monro, surviving children of the late Colonel John Hazlet, of the state of Delaware, deceased.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers ascertain what will be the amount of seven years' half pay due to the children of the said Colonel John Hazlet, deceased.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That said accounting officers do pay whatever sum may be so found to be due to the legal representatives of Joseph Hazlet and of Jemima Monro, the two surviving children of the said Colonel John Hazlet, deceased, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Amount of seven years' half pay to be ascertained. Payment to them.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCVIII.—*An Act for the relief of John Cummins.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to repay to John Cummins, his heirs or legal representatives, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred dollars and twenty cents, the same being the amount paid by him on the seventeenth February, eighteen hundred and thirty-one, for the entry of the west half of the south-west quarter of section twenty-one, township nine, of range ten, in the district of lands subject to sale at Zanesville, in Ohio, which entry was adjudged void, and the same half quarter granted to one William C. Bay.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Payment for land to be refunded.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCIX.—*An Act for the relief of Isaac Means and others, late owners of the schooner Elizabeth.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper officers of the treasury pay to the said Means and others, late owners of the schooner Elizabeth, which

Payment to them.

was condemned and sold by a decree of the district court for the district of Massachusetts, at a term thereof held at Boston in September, A. D. eighteen hundred and thirty-two, the sum of three hundred dollars and twenty-one cents, being that portion of the avails of the sale which was paid into the treasury of the United States; it appearing that the condemnation of said vessel was without fault on the part of said owners.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCX. — *An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Henry Richardson and Samuel Stout, and for the relief of Lieutenant John Rudd.*

Payment to representatives of H. Richardson.

Act of April 20, 1816, ch. 65.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay to the legal representatives of Henry Richardson, deceased, out of the navy pension fund, the sum of two hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty cents, it being the amount due to the said representatives of Henry Richardson, deceased, a marine on board the United States sloop of war Wasp, under the act of Congress of the sixth of April, eighteen hundred and sixteen, and passed to the navy pension fund in consequence of not being claimed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the following sums of money heretofore appropriated and carried to the surplus fund be, and the same are hereby, directed to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated; to wit:

Payment of prize money to John Rudd.  
Act of July 14, 1832, ch. 269.

To Lieutenant John Rudd, for his proportion of prize money in virtue of the act entitled "An act for the relief of Thomas Holdup Stevens, and others," approved the fourteenth July, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, forty dollars:

Payment of prize money to representatives of S. Stout.  
Act of April 27, 1816, ch. 119.

To the legal representatives of Samuel Stout, deceased, for his proportion of prize money in virtue of the act entitled "An act providing for the distribution of one hundred thousand dollars among the captors of the Algerine vessels captured and restored to the Dey of Algiers," approved twenty-seventh April, eighteen hundred and sixteen, twenty dollars and eighty-five cents.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXI. — *An Act for the relief of Seaborn Jones and Joel Crawford.*

A judgment against them as securities to be opened.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That, at the next term of the district court of the United States for the district of Georgia, Seaborn Jones and Joel Crawford be permitted to open a judgment lately obtained against them in said court as the securities of Thomas F. Green, late postmaster at Milledgeville, Georgia, at the suit of the Postmaster-General of the United States. And that the said Seaborn Jones and Joel Crawford be permitted to make the same defence to said suit that they might or could have made had said judgment not have been rendered.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXII. — *An Act for the relief of Don Carlos Dehault Delassus.*

Interest on a certain sum to be allowed to him.

Act of July 14, 1832, ch. 256.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there be paid to Don Carlos Dehault Delassus, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, interest at the rate of six per centum per annum on the sum of one thousand three hundred and thirty-three dollars, that being the amount allowed him under the act of the fourteenth of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, for his relief, on account of moneys taken from him at the capture of Baton Rouge, in Louisiana, on the twenty-third day of September,

eighteen hundred and ten; the said interest to be allowed from the said twenty-third day of September, eighteen hundred and ten, to the fourteenth day of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-two.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXIII.—*An Act for the relief of the trustees of common schools in township eight, range eleven east, in the state of Mississippi.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the trustees of common schools in township eight, range eleven east, in the state of Mississippi, be authorized to locate, for the use of schools in said township, one section of six hundred and forty acres of land, by sectional lines, of any of the public lands in the state of Mississippi, subject to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Authorized to locate a tract of land.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXIV.—*An Act to confirm the title of the heirs of M. de la Carera to a tract of land.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That a gratuitous grant of seven hundred and ninety-eight arpens of land, situated on the Escambia river, in West Florida, made by the Intendant, General Morales, on the fifth of May, one thousand eight hundred and nine, to Milan de la Carera, be, and the same is hereby, confirmed to the heirs or legal representatives of said Carera: *Provided,* That this confirmation shall only operate as a relinquishment of the title of the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Grant of land confirmed.

Proviso.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXV.—*An Act for the relief of John La Tourette.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay John La Tourette, out of any money in the treasury, one hundred and twenty dollars, which sum was overpaid by said La Tourette on the purchase of a tract of land in the state of Indiana, being the north-west quarter of section twenty-nine, township thirteen, range twelve east.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Amount overpaid by him to be refunded.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXVI.—*An Act for the relief of David McCord.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be authorized and required to credit the accounts of David McCord, late receiver of public money for the Cahaba land district, in the state of Alabama, with the sum of seven thousand three hundred dollars, which was lost by the burning of the steamboat Florida, while in the possession of Alexander Pope, who was taking it to Mobile, to be deposited in the Branch Bank of the United States, according to directions given him by the Secretary of the Treasury.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

To be credited with money lost.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Charles I. Catlett.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury department be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to settle, upon the principles of the acts of Congress of the ninth April, eighteen hundred and sixteen, and third of March, eighteen hundred and seventeen, the claim of Charles I. Catlett for tobacco which belonged to him at Magruder's warehouse, Cedarpoint warehouse, and Nottingham warehouse, all in the state of Maryland; and was lost, captured, or destroyed, by the British or American troops during the

Amount of loss by capture of tobacco, &c., to be credited to him.  
Act of April 9, 1816, ch. 40.  
Act of March 3, 1817, ch. 110.

last war between the United States and Great Britain; which said allowance shall be carried to the credit of the said Charles I. Catlett on the books of the treasury.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXVIII. — *An Act for the relief of Martin Prindle.*

Payment for a horse and sleigh lost.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, directed to pay to Martin Prindle, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars, being the value of a horse and sleigh lost while in the service of the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXIX. — *An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of the late Theodore W. Maurice.*

Accounts to be settled, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized to settle the accounts of the late Theodore W. Maurice, upon the principles of equity and justice; and that any balance which may be found due, be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXX.—*An Act for the relief of Henry Wainwright.*

Amount of duties overpaid on lead to be refunded.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be refunded to Henry Wainwright, of Boston, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirteen hundred and twenty-eight dollars and fifty-eight cents, being the amount of an over-payment made by him, on the importation of certain quantities of lead, in March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXI.—*An addition to the act for the relief of the legal representatives of George Hurlbut, deceased.*

Amount payable on settlement certificates to be ascertained and paid.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury ascertain the amount that would have been payable on four final settlement certificates, issued on the twelfth day of March, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-four, in the name of George Hurlbut, and afterwards recalled and cancelled, namely:

Number thirty-five thousand three hundred and thirty-six, for one thousand dollars; number thirty-five thousand three hundred and thirty-seven, for one thousand dollars; number thirty-five thousand three hundred and thirty-eight, for nine hundred and fifty dollars; number thirty-five thousand three hundred and thirty-nine, for fifty dollars; (making together three thousand dollars,) if the said certificates had not been recalled and cancelled, but had been subscribed to the debt of the United States, under the act of August fourth, one thousand seven hundred and ninety; and that, after deducting from the amount so ascertained, the sum paid to the legal representatives of said George Hurlbut, under the act of June thirtieth, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-four for their relief, the balance be paid to the said legal representatives, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Act of August 4, 1790, ch. 34.

Act of June 30, 1834, ch. 214.

CHAP. CCCXXII.—*An Act for the relief of James F. Sothoron.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Third Auditor of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to ascertain the amount of loss sustained by James F. Sothoron, on account of the damage to, and the destruction of the buildings upon his farms in St. Mary's county, in the state of Maryland, by the enemy, during the late war, in consequence of the military occupation of the said buildings by troops in the service of the United States; and that the amount thereof when so ascertained, be paid to the said James F. Sothoron, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

Value of property destroyed to be ascertained and paid.

CHAP. CCCXXIII.—*An Act for the relief of John M. Gamble.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be paid to John M. Gamble, out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated, twenty-five cents for each ration furnished by him to seventeen seamen and four marines, together with six prisoners of war, under his command, when left by Commodore Porter in charge of prizes in the Pacific ocean, during the years eighteen hundred and thirteen, and eighteen hundred and fourteen.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

Value of rations furnished by him to be paid.

CHAP. CCCXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Nathaniel Shaver, deceased.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the legal representatives of Nathaniel Shaver, deceased, to whom a certificate was issued by the recorder of land titles at St. Louis, Missouri, pursuant to the act entitled "An act for the relief of the inhabitants of the late county of New Madrid, in the Missouri Territory, who suffered by earthquakes," approved the seventeenth of February, eighteen hundred and fifteen, for four hundred arpens, or three hundred and forty acres and twenty-eight one-hundredths of an acre of land, and whose location of said tract has been found deficient by the quantity of one hundred and fifty acres and forty-three one-hundredths of an acre, be, and they hereby are, authorized to locate one quarter section on any of the public lands of the United States within the state of Missouri unappropriated and subject to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

Authorized to locate a tract of land.  
Act of Feb. 17, 1815, ch. 45.

CHAP. CCCXXV.—*An Act to refund the duties paid upon the importation of certain bells.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to refund to the Rector, Churchwardens, and Vestrymen, of Christ Church, in the city of Philadelphia, the amount of duties which they have paid on the importation of two bells belonging to the said church, one whereof was heretofore exported by the said church from the port of Philadelphia to England, and the other has been cast in England, to supply the place of a broken bell of the said church, also exported as aforesaid.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

Duties on certain bells, &c. to be refunded.



## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Thornton Taylor, deceased.*

Account to be settled, and allowance made for pay as ensign.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, required to settle the account of Thornton Taylor, deceased, and allow to his legal representatives five years' full pay as an ensign in the Virginia line, on continental establishment, without interest; which five years' full pay is the commutation of his half pay for life; to be paid to the said legal representatives of Thornton Taylor, deceased, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Josette Beaubien and her children.*

Allowed to relinquish certain lands, and enter another tract.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Josette Beaubien be, and she hereby is, permitted, under such instructions as may be given by the Secretary of the Treasury, for herself and her children, to relinquish to the United States all the right, title, interest, claim, and demand that she and her children have, or ever had, to two sections of land reserved to her and them in, and by virtue of, a treaty made at Tippecanoe, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, between the United States and the Pottawatamie tribe of Indians; and that, in lieu thereof, she be permitted to locate, for herself and her said children, twelve hundred and eighty acres of land, in legal subdivisions, upon any of the public lands subject to private entry, situate and lying within the bounds of the lands to which the Indian title was extinguished by virtue of said treaty.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXVIII.—*An Act for the relief of James Sutherland and Rebecca his wife, formerly Rebecca Parkerson.*

Seven years' half pay of a lieutenant to be allowed.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers shall ascertain the amount due to the said Rebecca, the only child of James Parkerson, who was a lieutenant in the continental line during the revolutionary war, and who died in the service, for the seven years' half pay of a lieutenant, promised by a resolution of the Congress of the United States, and when ascertained, that they pay said sum to the said James Sutherland and Rebecca his wife, in full compensation for said seven years' half pay, as promised by said resolution.

Appropriation.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the sum found to be due be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXIX.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Captain David Hopkins.*

Five years' full pay of a captain allowed.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers ascertain the amount of five years' full pay of a captain serving to the end of the revolutionary war on continental establishment, and pay the same, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the legal representatives of the late Captain David Hopkins, in full satisfaction of the commutation money promised by a resolution of the Congress of the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXX. — *An Act for the relief of Duncan L. Clinch.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Duncan L. Clinch and John H. McIntosh, assignees of George J. F. Clarke, be authorized to enter, at the mini-

mum price for which the public lands are sold, a tract of land in East Florida, containing three thousand acres, in Cones' or Moody hammock, south of Mizzell's lagoon, west of the river St. John, upon which they have made their settlements under a grant from Don Jose Coppinger, governor of that province, dated sixth of April, eighteen hundred and sixteen; and a survey made by Don Andres Burgevin, bearing date the twelfth day of March, eighteen hundred and nineteen, in lieu of the same quantity of land confirmed to them in another place by the decree of the Supreme Court, at January term, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, in the case of George J. F. Clarke against the United States, upon their filing in the office of the register of public lands for the district of East Florida, a relinquishment of all their right, title, claim, and demand, in and to the land last mentioned.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Authorized to enter a tract of land.

CHAP. CCCXXXI.—*An Act for the relief of Hiram A. Hunter.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be paid, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Hiram A. Hunter, late orderly sergeant of Captain Robert F. Crittenden's company of volunteers, the sum of seventy dollars, being the value of a horse lost by him in the service of the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Payment for a horse lost.

CHAP. CCCXXXII. — *An Act for the relief of Elijah Simmons.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Elijah Simmons be, and he is hereby, authorized to locate six hundred and forty acres of the public lands of the United States within the state of Alabama, subject to entry at private sale, in lieu of eight hundred arpens situated on the east side of the Alabama river, in what is commonly called the fork, near the Tensaw river, and to which he was entitled by the laws of Spain, on which he had settled, had cultivated and inhabited in seventeen hundred and ninety-seven, and which has been sold by the United States as public lands: *Provided,* That the said location be made in conformity with the legal divisions and subdivisions of public lands, and in quantities not less than one hundred and sixty acres; and on the execution, by the said Elijah Simmons, of a good and sufficient release to the United States of all his right, title, and interest to the said lands as aforesaid, to be filed in the proper land office, patents shall be issued to him for the quantity of one section, as above mentioned.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Authorized to locate a tract of land.

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CHAP. CCCXXXIII. — *An Act for the relief of Samuel Smith, Lynn MacGhee, and Semoice, friendly Creek Indians.*

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Samuel Smith, Lynn MacGhee, and Semoice, friendly Creek Indians, who were entitled, under the treaty with the Creek nation of Indians, ratified on the sixteenth of February, eighteen hundred and fifteen, to reservations of six hundred and forty acres of land each, including their improvements, which lands have been sold by the United States, be, and they are hereby, authorized to enter, without payment, with the register and receiver of the land office for the land district in which the same may lie, in Alabama, one entire section each of land subject to entry at private sale; to be held by them on the same terms and conditions as the reservations given by said treaty.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Authorized to enter a tract of land.  
Act of March 2, 1837, ch. 29.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Authorized to enter a tract of land.  
Act of March 2, 1837, ch. 29.

CHAP. CCCXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Susan Marlow.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Susan Marlow, only surviving child of James Marlow, a Creek Indian, who lost his life at the destruction of Fort Mimms, be, and she is hereby, authorized to enter with the proper land officers for the district, without payment, one entire section of any of the public lands of the United States within the state of Alabama, subject to entry at private sale; to be held by her upon the same terms and conditions as reservations allowed to the friendly Creek Indians by the treaty of Fort Jackson.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Payment for a boat impressed.

CHAP. CCCXXXV.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph Hertick.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is directed to pay to Joseph Hertick, of the state of Missouri, the sum of one hundred and forty dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated; the same being the value of a boat, belonging to said Hertick, that was pressed into the service of the United States, and lost in the year eighteen hundred and twelve.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

## STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

Patent for making corks extended for 14 years.

CHAP. CCCXXXVI.—*An Act to extend two patents of James Barron.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be, and hereby is, granted to James Barron, his heirs, administrators, and assigns, for the term of fourteen years from the fourteenth day of January, anno Domini eighteen hundred and thirty-three, the full and exclusive right and liberty of making, constructing, using, and vending to others to be used, his improvement in the apparatus or machinery for manufacturing bottle corks, a description of which is given in a schedule annexed to letters patent granted to the said James Barron on the thirteenth day of January, anno Domini eighteen hundred and nineteen.

Patent for a pump extended for 14 years.

*Sec. 2. And be it further enacted,* That there be, and hereby is, granted to the said James Barron, his heirs, administrators, and assigns, for the term of fourteen years from the twentieth day of February, anno Domini eighteen hundred and thirty-three, the full and exclusive right and liberty of making, constructing, using, and vending to others to be used, his improvement in the pump for air or water, a description of which is given in a schedule annexed to letters patent granted to the said James Barron for the same, on the twentieth day of February, anno Domini eighteen hundred and nineteen: *Provided,* That all rights and privileges heretofore sold or granted by said patentee, to make, construct, use, or vend the said improvements, or either of them, and not forfeited by the purchasers or grantees, shall enure to, and be employed by, such purchasers or grantees, respectively, as fully, and upon the same conditions, during the periods thereby granted, as for the term which did exist when such sale or grant was made.

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Persons who have constructed, &c., may use the same.

*Sec. 3. And be it further enacted,* That any person who has bona fide erected or constructed any manufacture or machine, for the purpose of putting said improvements, or either of them, into use, after the expiration of said patents heretofore granted, or is now erecting or constructing any manufacture or machine for the purpose aforesaid, shall have and enjoy the right of using such improvement or improvements now erected or constructed, or now being erected or constructed.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
 July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Walter Loomis and Abel Gay.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to settle, upon principles of equity, the accounts of Walter Loomis and Abel Gay, so far as they are original contractors for the making of the Cumberland road, and to pay any balance that may be found due, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated: *Provided,* That the said balance shall not exceed forty-one dollars and seventy-one cents.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Accounts as contractors, &c. to be settled and paid.

Proviso.

STATUTE I.  
 July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXVIII.—*An Act confirming the title of Joseph Sorin, alias Larochelle, and those claiming under him, to a tract of land in Missouri.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the title of Joseph Sorin, alias Larochelle, and those claiming under him, be, and the same is hereby, confirmed to a tract of land, two arpents in front by forty arpents in depth, situated in the second line of concessions or grants adjacent to the city of St. Louis, at a place called the "Cul de Sac," bounded on the front by the west line of the forty arpents lots, and adjoining at its western boundary and depth to the "Royal Domain;" on the north adjoining to the land of Madame Camp; and on the south to that of M. Yosti: *Provided,* That this confirmation shall only operate as a relinquishment on the part of the United States to all claim in and to the said land; but shall not affect the right of any other person or persons, if such there be, having a just claim to the said land.

Land title confirmed.

Proviso.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
 July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXXXIX.—*An Act to provide for the settlement of the claim of Mary O'Sullivan.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause the claim of Mary O'Sullivan, widow and executrix of John O'Sullivan, deceased, to be examined by the proper accounting officers of the treasury; and that there be allowed and paid to the said Mary O'Sullivan, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the amount of actual loss which may be shown to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury to have been sustained by the said John O'Sullivan, in consequence of the act of the late John M. Forbes, commercial and political agent of the United States of America at Buenos Ayres, in detaining the vessel of the said O'Sullivan, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, and causing her to be sent to the United States.

Claim for loss by detention of vessel, to be paid.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
 July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXL.—*An Act for the relief of Robert Abbott, and the other heirs of James Abbott, deceased.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be granted to Robert Abbott and the other heirs of James Abbott, deceased, one section of land, containing six hundred and forty acres, to be located in the Territory of Michigan, on any of the lands belonging to the United States subject to entry at private sale.

A section of land granted to them.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
 July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLI.—*An Act for the relief of James Thomas.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper accounting officers of the treasury department be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to

Account as contractor to be settled, &c.

adjust and settle the accounts between the United States and James Thomas, upon principles of equity and justice; and that, in the settlement of his accounts as contractor, the said accounting officers be required to recognise the judicial decision of the District Court of the United States for the Southern District of New York, as settling the true construction of the contract, and the relative rights of the parties under the same; and if, upon such settlement, there shall appear to be a balance due to the said James Thomas, that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLII.—*An Act for the relief of John Alman and George Woolsey.*

J. Alman authorized to relinquish a tract of land, and to enter another.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That John Alman, of the county of Pike and state of Indiana, be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States in such manner and form as have been or may hereafter be prescribed by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, the north half of the north-west quarter of section number three, in township number three south, of range eight west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands sold at Vincennes, Indiana; and upon such relinquishment having been made as aforesaid, the said John Alman is hereby authorized to enter, in lieu of the lands so relinquished, the north half of the north-west quarter of section two, township three south, range eight west.

G. Woolsey authorized to relinquish, &c.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That George Woolsey, of the county and state aforesaid, be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in manner and form aforesaid, the south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section number thirty-three, in township number two south, of range eight west, of the second principal meridian, in the district of lands sold at Vincennes, in the state of Indiana; and upon such relinquishment as aforesaid having been made, the said George Woolsey is hereby authorized to enter, in lieu of the lands so relinquished, the south-east quarter of the north-west quarter of section thirty-four, township two south, range eight west.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLIII.—*An Act for the relief of Tobias Crum.*

Authorized to relinquish a tract of land, and to enter another.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That Tobias Crum, of the state of Indiana, be, and he is hereby, permitted and allowed to enter the north-west quarter of the south-east quarter of section number twenty, in township five north, of range six east, in the Jeffersonville land district, in the state of Indiana, for which he shall be entitled to a patent on his relinquishing to the United States the north-east quarter of the south-east quarter of section number twenty, in township five north, of range six east, in said district, which lot he entered through mistake.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLIV.—*An Act for the relief of William Pollard's heirs.*

Title to a lot of ground in Mobile confirmed to them.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there shall be, and hereby is, confirmed unto the heirs of William Pollard, deceased, a certain lot of ground, situated in the city of Mobile, and bounded as follows, to wit: on the north, by what was formerly known as John Forbes and company's canal; on the west by Water street; on the south, by the King's wharf; and on the east, by the channel of the river; and that a patent shall issue in the usual form for the same: *Provided,* That this act shall only

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operate as a relinquishment, on the part of the United States, of all their right and claim to the above described lot of ground, and shall not interfere with or affect the claim or claims of third persons. (a)

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLV.—*An Act for the relief of James Bradford, of Louisiana.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That James Bradford, of Louisiana, shall be, and he hereby is, confirmed in his right to four hundred and twenty-seven arpens of land, situated in the parish of West Feliciana, in the state of Louisiana, fronting on the Mississippi river, three quarters of a mile below the mouth of Bayou Sarah, bounded on the upper side by lands granted to William Williams; below by those of Augustin Allain; and back by those of the aforesaid Williams and others; and the register of the land office in the proper district, on a presentation of the survey and Spanish patent for the said tract, shall cause an entry thereof to be made, and grant him a certificate therefor, whereupon a patent shall issue for the same in due form: *Provided, however,* That this act shall operate only as a relinquishment, on the part of the United States, of their right and claim to the said tract of land, but shall not interfere with the claim or claims of other persons.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

Confirmed in his right to a tract of land.

Proviso.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLVI.—*An Act for the relief of Coleman A. Collier.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Coleman A. Collier on the roll of invalid pensioners, and pay him ten dollars a month during his natural life, commencing on the seventh day of December, A. D. eighteen hundred and thirty-five.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

To be placed on pension roll.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLVII.—*An Act for the relief Jean Baptiste Janis, senior, of Missouri.*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of War be, and he hereby is, directed to place the name of Jean Baptiste Janis, senior, of Missouri, on the roll of officers and soldiers under the act entitled "An act supplementary to 'the Act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the revolution,' approved the seventh June, eighteen hundred and thirty-two," and to cause him to be paid in the same manner as the persons already inscribed on said roll, at the rate of ten dollars per month, from and after the fourth day of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-one.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

To be placed on pension roll.

Act of June 7, 1832, ch. 126.

STATUTE I.  
July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLVIII.—*An Act amendatory of the act entitled "An act to incorporate the Provident Association of Clerks in the Civil Department of the Government of the United States in the District of Columbia."*

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That from and after the passage of this act, the President and Board of Officers of the Provident Association of Clerks be, and they are hereby, authorized to invest the funds of said Association, in the stocks of any of the states, or in any other stocks that the President and Board of Officers may judge advisable from time to time.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

May invest their funds in state or other stocks.

1819, ch. 23.

(a) See the case of Pollard against Kibbe, 14 Peters, 353.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCXLIX.—*An Act for the relief of the representatives of Jacob Shoemaker, deceased.*

Duties on sugar refunded.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That there be refunded to Mercy Shoemaker, widow, for herself and the children of Jacob Shoemaker, deceased, the duties paid on one hundred and two hogsheads and four barrels of sugar exported by said Jacob Shoemaker, from the port of Philadelphia to Bordeaux, in France, in the month of August, eighteen hundred and five, in the ship Thomas, Captain Jones; the drawback of which duties was withheld because the oath was not taken, and the export bond signed, within ten days required by law: *Provided,* That, before said payment be made, the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that said sugar was actually landed without the United States.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCL.—*An Act for the relief of John H. Holland.*

Payment on account of Africans placed in his charge.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to John H. Holland, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, thirteen hundred and seventy-one dollars and forty-seven cents, for his expense and charges incurred in the care, clothing, and subsistence of a number of Africans placed in his charge, as marshal of the eastern district of Louisiana, under the laws of the United States relative to the slave trade.

Testimony to be received respecting certain charges.

[SEC. 2.] *And be it further enacted,* That the Secretary of the Navy take and receive further testimony relative to so much of the account of said John H. Holland, as is embraced in the charges of Dr. James S. McFarlan for professional services and medicine, and allow a reasonable and just amount for the services actually rendered by said McFarlan, and medicine furnished said Africans; and that he report said amount so allowed to the Secretary of the Treasury, who is directed to pay said amount so certified, to the said John H. Holland, out of any money not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 2, 1836.

CHAP. CCCLI.—*An Act for the relief of James Baldrige.*

Land title confirmed.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That James Baldrige be, and he is hereby, confirmed in his title to a tract of land containing six hundred and forty acres, situated on the river Dardenne, in the county of Saint Charles, state of Missouri, claimed by virtue of a settlement made thereon in the year eighteen hundred and two, to be surveyed in a square, or, as near as may be, so as to include his improvement; and in the event of there not being sufficient public land adjoining said improvement upon which to make such survey, then, and in that case, the deficiency may be located upon any unappropriated public land in the district embracing said settlement, in legal subdivisions, subject to entry at private sale.

APPROVED, July 2, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 4, 1836.

CHAP. CCCLVIII.—*An Act confirming claims to land in the State of Louisiana.*

Decisions of the Register confirmed, with certain exceptions.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the decisions in favor of land claimants made by the register and receiver of the land office in New Orleans, under date the first of December, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, by virtue of an act entitled "An act for the final adjustment of claims to land in the State of Louisiana," which have been laid before Congress at the present session by the Secretary of the Treasury, be, and the same are hereby, confirmed, with the exception of the claims of Nar-

cisse Carmouche, Julie Alexandrie, and Martin Major, Nicholas Bara, and Francis Menard, saving and reserving, however, to all adverse claimants, the right to assert the validity of their claims in a court of justice.

APPROVED, July 4, 1836.

CHAP. CCCLXV.—*An Act for the relief of Frederick C. De Kraft.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, directed to audit and settle the account of Frederick C. De Kraft, United States surveyor of the city of Washington from June first, eighteen hundred and twenty-two, to the period of his appointment as surveyor of the said city, under an act of the corporation thereof, passed August the thirteenth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, and that he be allowed the same annual rate of compensation as was allowed to his immediate predecessor in office; together with such allowance for office rent and other contingencies as had been usual and customary, or as shall to the accounting officers seem just and proper; and that, after deducting from the amount such sums as may have been paid him by the Commissioner of Public Buildings, for services rendered in his official capacity, the balance, if any, be paid to the said Frederick C. De Kraft, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, July 4, 1836.

STATUTE I.

July 4, 1836.

His account as surveyor of the city of Washington to be settled.

STATUTE I.

July 4, 1836.

CHAP. CCCLXVI.—*An Act granting a pension to General Eleazer W. Ripley.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Eleazer W. Ripley on the invalid pension list of the United States, and to pay him a pension at the rate of thirty dollars per month, from and after the first day of February, in the year one thousand eight hundred and twenty, during his life.

APPROVED, July 4, 1836.

To be placed on pension list.

STATUTE I.

July 4, 1836.

CHAP. CCCLXVII.—*An Act to authorize the corporation of Georgetown to close certain streets in said town.*

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the corporation of Georgetown, in the District of Columbia, be, and is hereby, authorized to sell, in fee simple, or otherwise dispose of, and convey, all that portion of Fayette street, and Lingan street, in said town, lying south of the canal: *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall affect the right of any individual.

APPROVED, July 4, 1836.

Portions of certain public streets may be sold.

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