

STATUTE II.

Aug. 1, 1842.

CHAP. CXIV.—*An Act for the relief of John P. Converse and Henry J. Rees.*

Payment to them.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Postmaster-General issue his warrant on the Treasury of the United States, registered and countersigned as provided by law, for the payment of John P. Converse and Henry J. Rees, out of the moneys paid into the treasury for the service of the Post Office Department, for the sum of six hundred and thirteen dollars and eighty-three cents, the interest on two drafts, (including the expense of a protest, of one dollar and seventy-five cents,) under date of March fourteenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, and accepted by the then treasurer of the Post Office Department, by direction of the Postmaster-General, at sixty and one hundred and twenty days; which drafts were negotiated at the Metropolis Bank, and not accounted for by the said department.

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CHAP. CXV.—*An Act for the relief of Benjamin F. Hard.*

Payment to him.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay Benjamin F. Hard the sum of one thousand three hundred and twenty-nine dollars and fifty cents, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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CHAP. CXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Sylvester Phelps and the heirs or legal representatives of Charles Landon, deceased.*

Payment for a house destroyed.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Sylvester Phelps and to the heirs or legal representatives of Charles Landon, the sum of two thousand one hundred dollars, the value of a house situate in South Hero, Vermont, and destroyed by fire in consequence of its occupation by United States' troops during the late war with Great Britain.

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CHAP. CXVII.—*An Act for the relief of Edwin H. Childers, administrator of John P. Hickman.*

Account as a paymaster to be settled.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to audit and settle the accounts of John P. Hickman, deceased, late a paymaster in the Tennessee volunteers engaged in the service of the United States; and to credit the estate of said Hickman for all moneys which shall appear, upon satisfactory proof, to have been actually expended by said Hickman, for the use and benefit of the United States, for any purpose authorized by law.

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CHAP. CXVIII.—*An Act to authorize the Shenandoah Bridge Company, at Harper's Ferry, to erect a Bridge on the land of the United States at the town of Harper's Ferry.*

Authority to erect the bridge and make a road.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Shenandoah Bridge Company, at Harper's Ferry, be and they are hereby authorized to erect a bridge across the river Shenandoah, on the lands belonging to the United States, at or near the town of Harper's Ferry, and to connect the same by a sufficient road or passway through the said lands, with the road on the east side of said river and the main street of the said town: *Provided,* that, in the construction of said bridge, and the said road or passway to and from it, the said company shall not, in virtue of this act, inter-

Proviso; in doing so not to interfere with the rights of others.