March 3, 1853.

CHAP. CXXIX.—*An Act for the Relief of Gilman Smith, of Sycamore, in the State of Illinois.*

Gilman Smith to be placed on pension roll at $8 per month, from January 1, 1852, for life.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby directed to place the name of Gilman Smith, of Sycamore, in the State of Illinois, on the roll of invalid pensioners, and pay to him the sum of eight dollars a month, from the first day of January, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, March 3, 1853.

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CHAP. CXXX.—*An Act granting a Pension to Elizabeth Monroe.*

Elizabeth Monroe to have a pension.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be, and hereby is granted to Elizabeth Monroe, widow of Thomas J. C. Monroe, late of the army of the United States, for the space of five years, to commence from the first day of January, anno Domini, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, a pension, payable semi-annually, equal to one half the pay to which the said Thomas J. C. Monroe was entitled at the time of his decease, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, March 3, 1853.

March 3, 1853.

CHAP. CXXXI.—*An Act for the Relief of Maria Taylor*

Mrs. Maria Taylor confirmed in the title to certain land.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Mrs. Maria Taylor, wife of William R. Taylor, of the parish of Ascension, State of Louisiana, claiming in her own right a certain tract of land situated in the parish of Ascension aforesaid, near its upper limits, on the left bank of the river Mississippi, containing eleven and a half arpents front by forty in depth, bounded above by the land of late Jean Louis Parent, and below by the land of late Pierre Prospere, together with the tract immediately adjacent to and back of said front tract, containing a front of twelve arpents, by forty additional arpents depth, with such diverging of the lateral lines as to embrace an area of five hundred acres, be and she is hereby, confirmed in the title thereto: *Provided*, That this act shall only be construed as a relinquishment of the government of all claim to said tract of land: *And provided also*, That this act shall not operate against the claim of any third person to said tract of land.

Proviso.

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APPROVED, March 3, 1853.

March 3, 1853.

CHAP. CXXXII.—*An Act for the Relief of Betsey Norton.*

Betsey Norton to be placed on pension roll at $8 per month, from January 1, 1853.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place the name of Betsey Norton, widow of Freeman Norton, upon the list of revolutionary pensioners, and to pay her the sum of eight dollars per month, commencing on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and fifty-three.

APPROVED, March 3, 1853.

March 3, 1853.

CHAP. CXXXIII.—*An Act for the Relief of Mary Woodward.*

Mary Woodward to be placed on the pension roll at $30 per month.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and is hereby authorized and required to place the name of Mary Woodward, who is the widow of the late Lieutenant Kirby S.

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