whatever balance may be found to be due to her late husband, upon a final settlement of his accounts, in the manner directed by the first section of this act.

APPROVED, February 28, 1855.

Feb. 28, 1855.

CHAP. CXXXI. — *An Act granting Bounty Land to Susan Palmer.*

Susan Palmer, grant of bounty land to.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he is hereby, authorized to issue unto Susan Palmer, widow of Lieutenant Innis B. Palmer, deceased, a land-warrant certificate for one hundred and sixty acres of land, in consideration of his services during the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, in the same manner as if the said Innis B. Palmer's name had been enrolled as a lieutenant, and not as a deputy wagon-master.

APPROVED, February 28, 1855.

Feb. 28, 1855.

CHAP. CXXXII. — *An Act for the Relief of Lot Davis.*

Lot Davis to be placed on pension roll for life, at $6 per month, from Jan. 1, 1850.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior cause the name of Lot Davis to be placed upon the roll of invalid pensioners, at the rate of six dollars per month, during his life, to commence January first, eighteen hundred and fifty.

APPROVED, February 28, 1855.

March 2, 1855.

CHAP. CXLVIII. — *An Act for the Relief of the Heirs of Brigadier-General Richard B. Mason.*

Act of 1853, ch. 58, extended to heirs of Gen. R. B. Mason.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all the provisions of the act approved February third, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, entitled "An act for the relief of Brevet Brigadier-General Riley, and to enable him to settle his accounts with the United States," be, and they are hereby, applied to the heirs of Brigadier-General Richard B. Mason, in reference to all moneys raised and collected by him for contributions, penalties, internal assessments, duties, or other objects, in California, from June first, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, to April fifteenth, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, and that the proper accounting officers of the Treasury Department, in settling the accounts of the said Mason, be, and they are hereby, authorized and required to allow, as a credit, a commission of one and a half per cent. upon the moneys so raised, collected, and disbursed by the said Mason while he was governor of California during the time stated above.

APPROVED, March 2, 1855.

March 2, 1855.

CHAP. CXLIX. — *An Act for the Relief of John R. Bowes, Agent in charge of the Property of the United States at Michigan City, in the State of Indiana, and of Isaac S. Smith, of the City of Buffalo, New York.*

John R. Bowes to be paid $470.33.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and are hereby, authorized and directed to pay to John R. Bowes, of the State of Indiana, agent in charge of the property of the United States at Michigan City, in said State, the sum of four hundred and seventy dollars and thirty-three cents, in payment and in full discharge of all claims of said Bowes against the United States for services as said agent.

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