March 3, 1857.

CHAP. LXXXIX.—*An Act for the Relief of Jedediah H. Lathrop and his Sureties.*

Jedediah H. Lathrop and his sureties released from certain judgments.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Jedediah H. Lathrop and his sureties be and they are hereby released from the judgments recovered against them by the United States, at the October term, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, of the circuit court for the District of Columbia, in the sum of seven thousand nine hundred and fifty-seven dollars and twenty-five cents, and interest thereon from the twenty-third day of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, upon the official bond of said Jedediah H. Lathrop, as navy agent at the city of Washington, in said District: *Provided*, said Lathrop and his sureties shall pay all costs accrued on the said judgments.

Costs to be paid.

APPROVED, March 3, 1857.

March 3, 1857.

CHAP. CXXII.—*An Act for the Relief of William L. Davidson.*

Half-pay to children of Col. Wm. Davidson in full.

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 they are hereby directed to ascertain and allow to William L. Davidson, for himself and the other children of Lieutenant-Colonel William Davidson, of the North Carolina line, in the continental army of the United States, who was killed in battle on the first of February, seventeen hundred and eighty-one, at Cowan's ford, on the Catawba River, the amount of the half-pay for seven years of the said Colonel Davidson, as a lieutenant-colonel of infantry. The said sum of money, when ascertained, to be paid, without interest, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, and to be in full of all claims which the children of the said William Davidson may have against the United States under the resolution of Congress of the twenty-fourth of August, seventeen hundred and eighty.

APPROVED, March 3, 1857.

March 3, 1857.

CHAP. CXXIII.—*An Act for the Relief of Commander John L. Saunders.*

Payment to John L. Saunders.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Commander John L. Saunders, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, ten dollars a day from ninth of September, eighteen hundred and forty-five, to sixteenth of September, eighteen hundred and forty-five, both inclusive, in full compensation for entertaining on board the ship St. Mary's, Colonel John C. Eldridge, whilst a bearer of despatches from Pensacola to Aransas, in September, eighteen hundred and forty-five.

APPROVED, March 3, 1857.

March 3, 1857.

CHAP. CXXIV.—*An Act to authorize Issue of Register to the Bark "Ann Elizabeth."*

Registry to issue to the bark Ann Elizabeth.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be issued, under directions of the Secretary of the Treasury, a certificate of registry for the bark "Ann Elizabeth," a vessel built in the United States, but wrecked in the waters of the British West Indies, sold to British subjects, and afterwards repaired within the United States, and purchased and now owned by William Cummings and Thomas A. Norgrave, of Philadelphia, in the State of Pennsylvania, whenever the said Cummings

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