$10,000 to be paid for use of surf car by the United States &c.

priated, the sum of ten thousand dollars, in full compensation for the use of his invention of the life or surf car by the United States, and also to enable him further to test the practicability of adapting such car to the rescuing of passengers and crews during violent gales at sea.

APPROVED, February 14, 1859.

Feb. 18, 1859.

CHAP. XXXVI.—*An Act for the Relief of Mary Boyle.*

Mary Boyle to have pension of $20 a month from Jan. 1, 1858.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the name of Mary Boyle be placed on the pension roll, at the rate of twenty dollars per month, from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight.

APPROVED, February 18, 1859.

Feb. 18, 1859.

CHAP. XXXVII.—*An Act for the Relief [of] A. Baudouin and A. D. Robert.*

$2,000 to be paid for sinking a flat-boat of ice, &c.

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, directed to pay, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of two thousand dollars to A. Baudouin and A. D. Robert, in full compensation for the damages sustained by them arising from the sinking of a flat-boat of ice, at New Orleans, by a steamboat in the service of the United States.

APPROVED, February 18, 1859.

Feb. 18, 1859.

CHAP. XXXVIII.—*An Act for the Relief of Dinah Minis.*

Sums due on loan office certificates to be paid.

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, directed to pay to Dinah Minis, or her legal representatives, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sums due on loan office certificates—number ninety-three, for thirty-seven dollars and twenty-seven and two thirds cents; number ninety-four, for seventy-four dollars and fifty-five and one third cents; and number one hundred and four, for eighty-one dollars and sixty-six cents; all dated August nineteen, seventeen hundred and ninety-one, and signed by Richard Wylly, commissioner of loans—on the surrender of the said original certificates at the Treasury Department.

APPROVED, February 18, 1859.

Feb. 18, 1859.

CHAP. XXXIX.—*An Act for the Relief of Wright Fore.*

Wright Fore to have pension at $6 a month from Nov. 9, 1852.

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 Wright Fore on the invalid pension roll, at the rate of six dollars per month, to commence on the ninth day of November, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, and to continue during his natural life.

APPROVED, February 18, 1859.

Feb. 18, 1859.

CHAP. XL.—*An Act for the Relief of Evelina Porter, Widow of the late Commodore David Porter, of the United States Navy.*

Evelina Porter to have pension of $30 a month from February 9, 1858.

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 directed to place the name of Evelina Porter, widow of the late Commodore Porter, deceased, of the United States navy, upon the list of pensioners, to be paid at the rate of thirty dollars per month, from the ninth day of February, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight.

APPROVED, February 18, 1859.

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