from the seventh to the twenty-seventh day of April, eighteen hundred and sixty-five.

J. G. BLAINE,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
SCHUYLER COLFAX,
Vice-President of the United States and President of the Senate.

Received by the President, January 24, 1871.

[Note by the Department of State. — The foregoing act having been presented to the President of the United States for his approval, and not having been returned by him to the House of Congress in which it originated within the time prescribed by the Constitution of the United States, has become a law without his approval.]

CHAP. XLI. — *An Act for the Relief of H. Lawrence Scott, late Agent for the Sale of internal Revenue Stamps in the thirteenth District of Pennsylvania.* Feb. 9, 1871.

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 hereby are, required to pay to H. Lawrence Scott, late agent for the sale of internal revenue stamps in the thirteenth congressional district of Penns ylvania, the sum of one thousand two hundred and twenty-nine dollars and eighty-one cents, for that amount of stamps stolen from him, and since accounted for with the commissioner of internal revenue. Payment to H. Lawrence Scott.

Approved, February 9, 1871.

CHAP. XLII. — *An Act for the Relief of Janes, Fowler, Kirtland, and Company.* Feb. 9, 1871.

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 Janes, Fowler, Kirtland, and Company, of New York, contractors for building the dome of the Capitol at Washington, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of sixty thousand dollars in full satisfaction of all claim for losses or damages arising from the action of the government in stopping, ordering, and directing the construction of said work. Payment to Janes, Fowler, Kirtland, and Company.

Approved, February 9, 1871.

CHAP. XLIII. — *An Act for the Relief of John Wilson.* Feb. 9, 1871.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there shall be paid to John Wilson, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three thousand dollars, for his services in superintending and directing the preparation of maps of the land States, for the use of the committee on the public lands of the House of Representatives, under a resolution of May fourth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight. Payment to John Wilson.

Approved, February 9, 1871.

CHAP. XLIV. — *An Act for the Relief of Hiram A. Cutting.* Feb. 9, 1871.

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 is her[e]by directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of fifty dollars to Hiram A. Cutting, of Lunenburgh, Essex county, Vermont, the same being for that amount of revenue stamps destroyed by fire. Payment to Hiram A. Cutting.

Approved, February 9, 1871.

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