tively in possession or control of the assets of such corporation or company shall be deemed valid notwithstanding proceedings in bankruptcy may have been commenced and be pending against such corporation or company.

APPROVED, February 13, 1873.

CHAP. CXXXVI. — *An Act to provide for the Appointment of a Commission to complete the Boundary Line between the Territory of the United States and the Possessions of Great Britain, not completed under the Act of August eleventh, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, to carry into Effect the first Article of the Treaty of fifteenth June, eighteen hundred and forty-six.*

Feb. 14, 1873.
1856, ch. 87.
Vol. xi. p. 42.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to appoint the Secretary of State, or either of the assistant secretaries, or the United States minister at London, or in his discretion by and with the advice and consent of the Senate to appoint a commissioner to act jointly with such officer or commissioner as may be named by her Britannic Majesty, for the purpose of completing the determination of so much of the boundary line between the territory of the United States and the possessions of Great Britain as was left uncompleted by the commissioners appointed under the act of Congress of August eleventh, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, to carry into effect the first article of the treaty of the fifteenth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-six, between the United States and Great Britain.

Commission to complete the boundary line between the United States and the possessions of Great Britain.

Vol. ix. p. 869.

SEC. 2. That the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be required, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to carry into effect the provisions of this act.

Appropriation

APPROVED, February 14, 1873.

CHAP. CXXXVII. — *An Act authorizing the Secretary of the Treasury to refund the differential Duty on Articles actually on Ship-board in French Vessels destined for the United States on the fifth of November, eighteen hundred and seventy-two.*

Feb. 14, 1873.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That goods, wares, and merchandise imported in French vessels from countries other than France, and which were on ship-board and bound to the United States on the fifth day of November, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, are hereby relieved from liability to discriminating duty under the seventeenth section of the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, revived on such goods by the proclamation of the President of the United States, dated October thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two; and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized, in any such case, to refund such discriminating duty which may have been paid on such goods, wares, and merchandise, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Discriminating duty paid on goods, &c., in French vessels, on, &c., to be refunded.
1864, ch. 171, § 17.
Vol. xiii. p. 215.

See Proclamation, No. 14, *Post*, p. 957.

APPROVED, February 14, 1873.

CHAP. CXXXVIII. — *An Act making Appropriations for the current and contingent Expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling Treaty Stipulations with various Indian Tribes, for the Year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and for other Purposes.*

Feb. 14, 1873.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appropriated, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, and fulfilling treaty stipulations

Appropriations for expenses of the Indian Department, treaty stipulations, &c.

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