terior be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of J. W. Cronkite, late acting lieutenant-colonel, one hundred and twenty-first regiment New York volunteers, and to pay him a pension as a lieutenant-colonel in lieu of his pension as a major. J. W. Cronkite.

APPROVED, June 10, 1872.

CHAP. CDLVII. — *An Act for the Relief of Elbridge Gerry.* June 10, 1872.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be, and is hereby, appropriated, out of any moneys in the treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, the sum of thirteen thousand and two hundred dollars, to be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury to Elbridge Gerry, in full compensation for valuable services rendered the government in eighteen hundred and sixty-four, and for all claims for Indian depredations up to the date of the passage of this act. Payment to Elbridge Gerry.

APPROVED, June 10, 1872.

CHAP. CDLVIII. — *An Act granting a Pension to L. Adelia Foster.* June 10, 1872.

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 on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of L. Adelia Foster, widow of George Foster, late acting major of the sixty-seventh regiment New York volunteers, and to pay her a pension as the widow of a major, in lieu of the pension of the widow of a captain which she is now receiving. Pension to L. Adelia Foster.

APPROVED, June 10, 1872.

CHAP. CDLIX. — *An Act for the Relief of Frederick P. Dimpfel.* June 10, 1872.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the patent heretofore granted Frederick P. Dimpfel, on the sixteenth of July, eighteen hundred and fifty, for an improvement in steam-boilers, be, and the same is hereby, extended for seven years from and after the sixteenth of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-one: *Provided*, That all persons that have engaged in the use or manufacture of said invention, since the expiration of said patent, shall be authorized to continue the same notwithstanding the passage of this act. Patent of Frederick P. Dimpfel extended. Proviso.

APPROVED, June 10, 1872.

CHAP. CDLX. — *An Act for the Relief of Harriet Spring, the Heir of Captain Williams Barker, deceased.* June 10, 1872.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be paid to Harriet Spring, of Waterville, Maine, the heir of Captain Williams Barker, of Waterville, Maine, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the half-pay of a captain from the end of the revolutionary war to the death of Captain Barker, February nineteenth, eighteen hundred and nineteen; and that a warrant be issued to the said Harriet Spring for such bounty-land as she, in virtue of the services of the said Captain Williams Barker, deceased, as a private soldier in said war is entitled to receive. Payment to Harriet Spring.

APPROVED, June 10, 1872.

CHAP. CDLXI. — *An Act to authorize the Payment of Bounty to Ann McCarthy.* June 10, 1872.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Second Auditor of Bounty certifi-

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