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city of Boston for the purpose of ornamenting the grounds on which is the city's monument in honor of her deceased soldiers and sailors.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 121.—An act releasing title to a certain cemetery lot to the city of Montgomery, Alabama.

Montgomery, Ala.
Quit-claim of U. S. to land in.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That whereas by deed dated July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the city of Montgomery, Alabama, voluntarily granted to the United States a certain lot of land in the cemetery of the said city of Montgomery, to be used for the burial of United States soldiers, and for no other purpose; and whereas the United States, having removed the bodies of soldiers buried therein to Atlanta, have no longer need of the same; and whereas the said lot of land is now needed by the city of Montgomery, Alabama, for burial purposes; Now, therefore, all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to said cemetery lot is hereby released and forever quit-claimed to the said city of Montgomery.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 122.—An act to place Lewis Leffman, ordnance-sergeant United States Army on the retired list

Lewis Leffman.
Placed on retired list, Army.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Lewis Leffman, ordnance-sergeant United States Army, be, and he is hereby, placed on the retired list of the Army, with the full pay and allowances of an ordnance-sergeant for and during his natural life, he having served faithfully and honorably in the Army of the United States for more than fifty-three years, and since July twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty, continuously therein as ordnance-sergeant.

Approved, March 1, 1879.

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CHAP. 123.—An act to authorize the Secretary of War to convey to Jacob A. T. Wendell, Henry Van Allen, and John R. Bailey, a part of the military reservation of Fort Mackinac.

Fort Mackinac military reservation.
Part of, to be conveyed to J. A. T. Wendell and others.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to convey, by proper deed, to Jacob. A. T. Wendell, Henry Van Allen, and John R Bailey, all the right, title, and interest of the United States in and to the following described part of the military reservation of Fort Mackinac, Michigan, of which the said Jacob A. T. Wendell shall be entitled to one-fourth, Henry Van Allen two-fourths, and John R Bailey one-fourth: Beginning at a stone monument marking a corner of the military reservation, and standing between the said military reservation and property of Jacob A. T. Wendell, and running in continuation of a line now between said properties north one degree east fifty-eight feet six inches; thence east two hundred and forty-one and five-tenths feet; thence south one degree west parallel with the first line, fifty-eight feet six inches, to a stone monument marking a corner of the military reservation, and standing between the said military reservation and property of John R Bailey; thence west parallel with the second line, along a line of the official survey made by Major G. Weitzel, United States Army, in eighteen hundred and seventy-five, two hundred and forty-one and five-tenths feet, to the stone monument at the place of beginning.

Approved, March 1, 1879.