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no estate whatever, and no widow or child under sixteen years of age: and

Whereas William J. Owings, of Randolph County, Missouri, a son of said Henry Owings, had the entire care and support of his father, the said Henry Owings, for ten years immediately preceding his death, he being then very old and enfeebled by age having died on the date aforesaid in his eighty-fourth year: and

Whereas under existing laws no money can be drawn on said pension-certificate except an amount sufficient to pay the expenses of the last sickness and burial of said deceased pensioner, a sum wholly inadequate to reimburse said William J. Owings for his support of the deceased pensioner in his old age: Therefore,

Wm. J. Owings. Payment to, of pension due Henry Owings.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioner of Pensions is directed to pay to William J. Owings of Randolph County, Missouri, the amount of pension which had accrued to Henry Owings, deceased, at the time of his death, December twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, by virtue of certificate numbered twenty-five thousand six hundred and thirty-nine, for original-service pension, dated March sixth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Approved, February 21, 1887.

CHAP. 168.—An act for the relief of James M. Hagar.

Feb. 21, 1887.

James M. Hagar. Payment to.

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 hereby is, directed to pay, from any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to James M. Hagar, managing owner of the ship Saint James, of Richmond, Maine, the sum of one thousand one hundred and twelve dollars and seventy-eight cents, that being the amount illegally exacted from said ship by the United States consul at Bremerhaven and covered into the Treasury, which sum said James M. Hagar is entitled to have refunded to him, as appears by statements of the Secretary of State and Fifth Auditor of the Treasury.

Approved, February 21, 1887.

CHAP. 169.—An act for the relief of Caroline P. Bolton.

Feb. 21, 1887.

Caroline P. Bolton. Pension.

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 hereby is, authorized and directed to place on the pension-roll of the United States the name of Caroline P. Bolton, mother of Edwin W. Bolton, deceased, late a member of Company I, of the Twenty-first Regiment Iowa Volunteer Infantry, subject to the provisions, limitations, and restrictions of the pension laws.

Approved, February 21, 1887.

CHAP. 170.—An act for the relief of Mrs. Sophia Sprain, widow, and two minor children of Louis F. Sprain.

Feb. 21, 1887.

Sophia Sprain. Pension to, and minor children.

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, directed to place on the pension-roll, the name of Mrs. Sophia Sprain, widow, and two minor children of Louis F. Sprain, late a private in Company D, Fourteenth Wisconsin Volunteers, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws.

Approved, February 21, 1887.