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pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of John A. Hardy, late of Company H, Third Ohio Volunteers, Mexican war, and pay him a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month in lieu of that he is now receiving.

Approved, March 3, 1901.

March 3, 1901.

CHAP. 923.—An Act For the relief of the heirs of Joseph T. Stout.

Joseph T. Stout. Payment to heirs of, authorized.

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 Alfred Ford, executor of the last will and testament of Joseph T. Stout, late of Cecil County, in the State of Maryland, the sum of seven hundred and ninety-two dollars and fifty-six cents, in full payment for the following-described unregistered United States bond, with unpaid coupons thereon from December, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, to September first, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, inclusive, fifty-two coupons at five dollars and sixty-two and one-half cents each, which said bond and coupons were stolen from the said Joseph T. Stout on the thirteenth day of November in the year eighteen hundred and seventy-eight, and is supposed to have been destroyed, to wit: Coupon bond of the United States numbered twelve thousand eight hundred and forty-three, for five hundred dollars, issued under the Act of July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy, four and one-half per centum consols of eighteen hundred and ninety-one: *Provided*, That before the redemption of said bond and coupons the said Alfred Ford, executor as aforesaid, shall execute or cause to be executed and deposited with the Secretary of the Treasury, a bond of indemnity with good and sufficient security, subject to the approval of said Secretary, to secure the United States against loss or damage in consequence of the redemption of said bond and coupons.

Indemnity bond.

Approved, March 3, 1901.

March 3, 1901.

CHAP. 924.—An Act Granting an increase of pension to Nellie T. P. Koehler.

Nellie T. P. Koehler. Pension increased.

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 Nellie T. P. Koehler, widow of Edgar F. Koehler, late first lieutenant, Ninth United States Infantry, and pay her a pension at the rate of twenty-five dollars per month in lieu of that she is now receiving.

Approved, March 3, 1901.

March 3, 1901.

CHAP. 925.—An Act Granting a pension to Sallie B. Wilson.

Sallie B. Wilson. 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 is hereby, authorized and directed to place on the pension roll, subject to the provisions and limitations of the pension laws, the name of Sallie B. Wilson, widow of Samuel B. Wilson, late of Company C, Eighth Regiment United States Infantry, and pay her a pension at the rate of twelve dollars per month, and two dollars per month additional for each of the two minor children of said soldier, until such children shall have arrived at the age of sixteen years.

Approved, March 3, 1901.