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Provisos.
Retirement, allowance, etc., of officers.

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receipts from dog licenses, a sufficient amount to meet any deficiency in the policemen's fund or firemen's fund: *Provided*, That the chief engineer of the fire department and all other officers of said department of and above the rank of captain, the superintendent, assistant superintendent, any captain or lieutenant of police, in case of retirement as now provided by law, shall receive relief not exceeding one hundred dollars per month; and in case of the death from injury or disease of any member of the police or fire department, if he be unmarried and leave a dependent mother, who is a widow, the same shall be for her relief during the period of widowhood, or if he leave a widow, or children under sixteen years of age, the same shall be for their relief during the period of widowhood, or until such children reach the age of sixteen years: *Provided*, That in no case shall the amount paid to such dependent mother, or widow exceed fifty dollars per month, nor shall the amount paid for a child exceed twenty-five dollars per month.

Approved, March 1, 1905.

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[H. R. 17353.]
[Public, No. 121.]

CHAP. 1300.—An Act To make Gloucester, Massachusetts, a port to which merchandise may be imported without appraisement.

Customs.
Gloucester, Mass., granted immediate transportation privileges.
Vol. 21, p. 174.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the privileges of section seven of the Act approved June tenth, eighteen hundred and eighty, governing the immediate transportation of dutiable merchandise without appraisement, be, and the same are hereby, extended to the port of Gloucester, Massachusetts.

Approved, March 1, 1905.

March 2, 1905.
[S. 6314.]
[Public, No. 122.]

CHAP. 1302.—An Act For the relief of certain receivers of public moneys, acting as special disbursing agents, in the matter of amounts expended by them for per diem fees and mileage of witnesses in hearings, which amounts have not been credited by the accounting officers of the Treasury Department in the settlement of their accounts.

Public lands.
Relief of special disbursing agents.
Vol. 32, p. 573.
Ante, pp. 33, 483.

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, out of any unexpended balances of the appropriations made by the sundry civil Act of March third, nineteen hundred and three, the deficiency Act of February eighteenth, nineteen hundred and four, and the sundry civil Act of April twenty-eighth, nineteen hundred and four, for expenses of hearings in land entries and for contingent expenses of land offices, to certain receivers of public moneys acting as special disbursing agents, such amounts as they may have expended for per diem fees and mileage of witnesses during the period beginning July first, nineteen hundred and three, and ending September thirtieth, nineteen hundred and four, in the conduct of hearings ordered by the Commissioner of the General Land Office as have not been credited by the accounting officers of the Treasury Department in the settlement of the accounts of said special disbursing agents and as may have been heretofore or may be hereafter approved by the Commissioner of the General Land Office.

Approved, March 2, 1905.