vided however, That the above-mentioned allowance shall not exceed the accustomed rates of hospital charges in similar cases.

Approved, February 24, 1815.

Statute III.

Feb. 24, 1815.

Chap. LV.—*An Act for the relief of Daniel Perine.*

Authorized to enter certain lands.

Be it enacted, &c., That the register and receiver of public moneys for the district of Cincinnati, shall permit Daniel Perine of Indiana territory to enter and become the purchaser at private sale of the south-east quarter of section numbered twenty-five, of township numbered six, in range numbered one, west, in the Cincinnati district: if, on due inquiry, the said register and receiver shall be satisfied that the said quarter section does not contain any salt spring or springs valuable for the purpose of making salt. And the said Daniel Perine shall be entitled to a grant for the aforesaid quarter section on completing the payments therefor, on the terms and conditions provided for the sale of public land sold at private sale.

Approved, February 24, 1815.

Statute III.

Feb. 27, 1815.

Chap. LVII.—*An Act for the relief of Edward Hallowell.*

May avail himself of the provisions of act of Jan. 2, 1813, ch. 7.

Be it enacted, &c., That Edward Hallowell, of the city of Philadelphia, who imported into the district of Wilmington, certain goods, wares and merchandise, from the port of Liverpool, which goods were put on board the ship Tiber, William Porter, master, on the fifth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, shall be entitled to, and may avail himself of, all the benefits, privileges, and provisions, of the act, entitled "An act directing the Secretary of the Treasury to remit fines, forfeitures and penalties, in certain cases," passed on the second day of January, one thousand eight hundred and thirteen, in like manner and on the same conditions, as though the said vessel had departed from the kingdom of Great Britain between the twenty-third day of June, and the fifteenth day of September, mentioned in such act.

Approved, February 27, 1815.

Statute III.

Feb. 27, 1815.

Chap. LVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Jacob Shinnick, and Schoultz and Vogeler, of Christian Chapman, and the legal representatives of John Calef, deceased.*

Compensation for property destroyed.

Be it enacted, &c., That the proper accounting officers of the war department be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed to audit and settle the several claims and accounts of Jacob Shinnick, and Schoultz and Vogeler, of Christian Chapman, and the legal representative of John Calef, deceased, on account of the destruction, by the United States, of their rope-walks, and other property therein deposited, in the vicinity of Baltimore, in such manner and upon such terms as may embrace the justice of their claim.

Appropriation.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the amount thereof, when audited by the competent authority, shall be paid to the proper owners thereof, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, upon such claimant releasing to the United [States] all claim on account of the property aforesaid.

Approved, February 27, 1815.

Statute III.

Feb. 27, 1815.

Chap. LIX.—*An Act for the relief of Joshua Sands.*

Case of brigs Harriet and Jennet.

Be it enacted, &c., That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and hereby are, authorized and directed to liquidate and adjust with

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