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March 3, 1823.

Chap. XCIV. — *An Act for the relief of Abraham Snyder.*

Enabled to take the benefit of the act.

Be it enacted, &c., That Abraham Snyder, of Ulster county, in the state of New York, who is imprisoned within the limits of the jail of the said county, on execution issued out of the District Court of the Southern District of New York, at the suit of the United States, shall be entitled to the relief and benefit of the act, entitled "An act for the relief of persons imprisoned for debt," passed January sixth, one thousand eight hundred, in the same manner, and to the same effect, as if he were imprisoned at the suit of an individual creditor: *Provided*, That the notice required by the said act to be given to the creditor, his agent or attorney, shall be given to the District Attorney of the United States for the Southern District of New York: *And provided, further*, That such discharge of the said Abraham Snyder shall not be deemed to affect the right or remedy of the United States against his sureties, or either of them.

Act of Jan. 6, 1800, ch. 4.

Proviso.

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Approved, March 3, 1823.

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Chap. XCV. — *An Act for the relief of Nathan Branson.*

669 dollars and 3 cents restored to him.

Be it enacted, &c., That there be paid to Nathan Branson, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of six hundred and sixty-nine dollars and three cents, being the amount recovered from him in the District Court for the district of Alabama, on two bonds given by him for duties on goods, on which duty had already been paid, according to law, on their original importation into the United States.

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Chap. XCVI. — *An Act for the relief of Ebenezer Stevens and others.*

Award to be paid to the representatives of Comfort Sands, and others.

Be it enacted, &c., That there be paid, after the first day of March, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-three, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Ebenezer Stevens and Austin L. Sands, representatives of Richardson Sands, deceased; to Robert Morris, surviving assignee, under the late United States' law of bankruptcy, of Comfort Sands, or to whomsoever shall appear to the Comptroller of the Treasury to be entitled to his share; and to Joshua Sands, the sum of twenty-two thousand nine hundred and seventy-eight dollars, in full satisfaction of their claim upon the United States under an award of referees in favor of them and others, dated at New York, on the twenty-fifth of October, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-seven, and the contracts therein referred to; one third part of which sum is to be paid to each of the said Richardson, Comfort, and Joshua Sands, or to their legal representatives as above mentioned: *Provided*, That, before such payment, each of the said parties shall relinquish to the United States all further claim against them on account of said award, and the several contracts upon which that award was founded.

Proviso.

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March 3, 1823.

Chap. XCVII. — *An Act for the relief of Samuel Hodgdon.*

Accounts of John Smith to be revised.

Be it enacted, &c., That the accounting officers of the treasury department be, and they are hereby, authorized to revise the accounts of John Smith, late of Ohio, as contractor for the supply of the army of the United States, arising out of the contracts in which the said Samuel Hodgdon was one of the sureties of said contractor, and to cause the judgment, obtained by the United States against said Samuel, on such contracts, to be credited with all such sums as shall appear to be equitably due to said contractor upon such contractors.

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