that was recovered in the year eighteen hundred and twenty-four, in the court of the United States for the northern district of the state of New York.

Approved, March 2, 1839.

Statute III.
March 2, 1839.

Chap. LXI.—*An Act for the relief of Thomas McClelland and James Smith.*

Sureties of S. Smith, receiver of public moneys, released from their liabilities.

Be it enacted, &c., That Thomas McClelland and James Smith, sureties of the late Samuel Smith, receiver of public moneys at Saint Stephen's, in an official bond, bearing date the fifth day of August, eighteen hundred and twelve, be, and they are hereby, released from their said liabilities: *Provided*, That nothing in this act contained shall be held to discharge the estate of the said Samuel Smith from the payment of any balance which may be due the United States for moneys received by him while receiver as aforesaid.

Proviso.

Approved, March 2, 1839.

Statute III.
March 2, 1839.

Chap. LXII.—*An Act for the relief of Archibald R. S. Hunter.*

Payment for forage taken for public service.

Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of the Treasury pay to Archibald R. S. Hunter the sum of twenty-five dollars, for forage taken for the use of a troop of volunteer militia, who were in the service of the United States during the year eighteen hundred and thirty-six, while said troop were without the rations of forage allowed by law.

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Statute III.
March 2, 1839.

Chap. LXIII.—*An Act for the relief of Hiner Stigermire.*

Upon relinquishing certain land, may enter another tract.

Be it enacted, &c., That Hiner Stigermire be, and he is hereby, authorized to relinquish to the United States, in such form as the Commissioner of the General Land Office shall prescribe, the south-east quarter of the south-west quarter of section thirty-one, township forty-five north, in range one east of the fifth principal meridian, in the district of lands now offered for sale at Saint Louis, in the state of Missouri; and upon such relinquishment being made as aforesaid, the said Stigermire shall be, and he is hereby, authorized to enter the south-west quarter of the north-west quarter of section thirty-one, township forty-five north, in range one east, being the same which the said Stigermire originally intended to enter, as set forth in his petition: *Provided*, That the same is still subject to entry.

Proviso.

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Statute III.
March 2, 1839.

Chap. LXIV.—*An Act for the relief of Joseph M. Hernandez.*

Claims for corn, cattle, &c. to be examined.

Be it enacted, &c., That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be, and they are hereby, authorized to examine and adjust all claims of Joseph M. Hernandez which have arisen since the commencement of the late hostilities with the Seminole Indians in Florida, and allow him for all corn taken and put into pits by order of an officer in the service of the United States, deducting from the same any sum he may have realized from a sale of a part thereof in a damaged state by order of General Eustis, and for all corn at his plantation that was used by troops in the military service, and for all cattle killed and for forage taken by order of an officer, and for cane taken for forage by the troops, the value of the cane to be fixed at what it was worth as an article of forage, and for property impressed into the military service of the United States by order of an officer, where the same was never regained by him, deducting any sum which may appear to have been paid for the use of the same while in the service aforesaid; likewise for any claim for the

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