ment of slaves by the said board which sat under the said convention,) who was conveyed from the United States on board the British fleet, in the year eighteen hundred and fourteen, and not recovered by the said Hewitt.

Approved, March 3, 1839.

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Statute III.

March 3, 1839.

Chap. CL. — *An Act for the relief of Benjamin Hewitt.*

Claim to be examined, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized to examine and decide upon the claim of Benjamin Hewitt, agreeably to the provisions of the resolution of the tenth of February, eighteen hundred and thirty-two, empowering the Secretary of the Navy to settle certain contracts and relinquish certain forfeitures, and to extend to him the full benefit of said resolution, if he finds and adjudges his case to be within the principle thereof.

Approved, March 3, 1839.

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Statute III.

March 3, 1839.

Chap. CLI. — *An Act for the relief of Spencer C. Gist.*

Allowed for services as an acting lieutenant.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the proper accounting officers of the treasury be authorized to settle and adjust the account of Spencer C. Gist, a midshipman in the navy of the United States, for his services as an acting lieutenant on board the frigate Guerriere, Captain Thompson, in the Pacific ocean, from the tenth of March eighteen hundred and thirty, to the twenty-eighth December eighteen hundred and thirty-one; and to allow him the extra pay and emoluments to which he may be entitled, over and above the amount already received by him as midshipman and acting sailing-master of said ship; and the amount so found due to the [said] Spencer C. Gist shall be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 3, 1839.

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Statute III.

March 3, 1839.

Chap. CLII. — *An Act for the relief of the widow and other heirs at law of Alexander Hamilton, deceased.*

A bounty land warrant to be issued.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the Secretary of War cause to be issued to Elizabeth Hamilton widow, and the other heirs at law of Alexander Hamilton, who was a lieutenant-colonel in the revolutionary army, a bounty land warrant for four hundred and fifty acres of land, in lieu of a warrant for a like quantity issued in the name of said widow and heirs the thirtieth day of July, eighteen hundred and thirteen, and numbered six hundred and twenty-two; and which said last-mentioned warrant never has been surrendered to the General Land Office for the purpose of being satisfied, but is represented to have been lost or mislaid.

Approved, March 3, 1839.

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Statute III.

March 3, 1839.

Chap. CLIII.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of Daniel Warner.*

Authorized to enter land, free of cost.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the legal representatives of Daniel Warner, deceased, late a private in Captain Peters's company of the twenty-seventh regiment of infantry of the army of the United States, be, and they are hereby, authorized to enter free of cost, one quarter section of one hundred and sixty acres, of any of the public lands subject to sale at private entry, and that a patent issue to them for the same; which quarter section shall be taken for and in full consideration of the land bounty to which, by the act of one thousand eight hundred and twelve, the said Daniel Warner would be entitled to if living.

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