Not to trade in the manner of a bank, &c. Penalty for so doing.

note in the nature of a bank note, nor transact any other kind of business, or deal in any other manner or thing than is expressly authorized by the second section of this act; and any officer or officers who shall have assented to any such dealing or trade, shall, on conviction thereof in the proper court, forfeit and pay the sum of five hundred dollars, one half to the use of the poor of the city of Washington, District of Columbia, and the other half to the use of the person who may prosecute for the same: *Provided, always,* That Congress may, at any time, amend, alter, or annul this act.

Proviso.

Approved, July 27, 1842.

Statute II.

July 27, 1842.

Chap. LXXXIII. — *An Act for the relief of Daniel Chase.*

To be placed on pension roll.

Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to place the name of Daniel Chase on the invalid pension roll, and that he be entitled to receive at the rate of five dollars and thirty-four cents per month during his natural life, commencing on the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty.

Approved, July 27, 1842.

Statute II.

July 27, 1842.

Chap. LXXXIV.—*An Act for the relief of John Randall and Charles York.*

Released from certain judgments against them as sureties, &c.

Be it enacted, &c., That John Randall and Charles York be, and they are hereby, released from judgments obtained against them by the United States, in October, eighteen hundred and forty, as sureties of Silas Holmes, deceased, late collector of direct taxes and internal revenue for the nineteenth collection district of the state of New York, said Randall and York having paid already the costs of recovering said judgments: *Provided,* That nothing in this act contained shall be so construed as to release any other person or persons than said Randall and York.

Proviso.

Approved, July 27, 1842.

Statute II.

July 27, 1842.

Chap. LXXXV. — *An Act for the relief of James Williams.*

To be discharged from a certain judgment.

Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby authorized to compromise and finally discharge James Williams from a judgment had against him in the circuit court of the United States for the District of Columbia, as one of the sureties of Henry Ashton, late marshal of said District, on his securing the payment of one sixth part of the principal of said judgment, on such time as the said Secretary, in his discretion, shall see fit to grant: *Provided,* That nothing in this act contained shall be held to discharge the other sureties of the said Henry Ashton from their liability, or to prevent the enforcement thereof against them, or either of their heirs or representatives: *Provided, however,* The Secretary of the Treasury be authorized to compromise and settle with the other sureties, or their representatives, on such terms as to him shall seem just and equitable.

Proviso.

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Approved, July 27, 1842.

Statute II.

July 27, 1842.

Chap. LXXXVI.—*An Act for the relief of Thomas Collins.*

To be placed on pension roll.

Be it enacted, &c., That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby directed to place the name of Thomas Collins, of the state of Tennessee, upon the roll of invalid pensioners, as a pensioner, at the rate of ninety-six dollars per annum; the pension to commence on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, and to continue during his natural life.

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