For rebuilding Fort Trumbull, New London, Connecticut, ten thousand dollars; Fort Trumbull.

For Fort Schuyler, Long Island Sound, New York, ten thousand dollars; Fort Schuyler.

For repairs of Fort Wood, and sea-wall of Bedlow's Island, New York, ten thousand dollars; Fort Wood.

For batteries on Soller's Point Flats, Baltimore Harbor, fifteen thousand dollars; Soller's Point Flats.

For Fort Monroe, Hampton Roads, Virginia, twenty thousand dollars; Fort Monroe.

For preservation of site of Fort Moultrie, Charleston Harbor, South Carolina, ten thousand six hundred dollars; Fort Moultrie.

For dike on Drunken Dick Shoal, Charleston Harbor, South Carolina, fifteen thousand dollars; Drunken Dick Shoal.

For Fort Sumpter, Charleston Harbor, South Carolina, twenty thousand dollars. Fort Sumpter.

For Fort Pulaski, Savannah River, Georgia, eight thousand dollars; Fort Pulaski.

For repairs of Fort Jackson, Savannah River, Georgia, twenty thousand dollars; Fort Jackson, Georgia.

For Fort McRee, Pensacola Harbor, Florida, fifty thousand dollars. Fort McRee.

For Fort Barancas and barracks thereat, Pensacola Harbor, Florida, forty thousand dollars; Fort Barancas.

For repairs of Fort Morgan, Mobile Point, Alabama, twenty thousand dollars; Fort Morgan.

For repairs of battery Bienvenue, Louisiana, three thousand dollars; Battery Bienvenue, Louisiana.

For repairs of Fort Jackson, Mississippi River, Louisiana, five thousand dollars; Fort Jackson, Louisiana.

For repairs of Fort St. Philip, Mississippi River, Louisiana, twenty thousand dollars; Fort St. Philip.

For Fort Livingston, Grand Terre Island, Louisiana, ten thousand dollars; Fort Livingston.

For fortifications at Key West, Florida, fifty thousand dollars; Key West.

For fortifications at Garden Key, Tortugas Island, Florida, twenty-five thousand dollars; Tortugas Island.

For protection of Great Brewster Island, and security and defence of the principal ship channels into the harbor of Boston, Massachusetts, forty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no portion of said sum of forty thousand dollars shall be expended for the objects aforesaid, until the United States shall procure a good and valid title to so much of said Great Brewster Island as may be necessary to the construction of the proposed fortifications; Great Brewster Island. Proviso as to title.

For additional preservation of the site of Fort Moultrie, in Charleston Harbor, three thousand dollars; Additional for Fort Moultrie.

For Fort Delaware, on the Pea Patch Island, Delaware River, fifty thousand dollars. Fort Delaware.

Approved, July 20, 1848.

Chap. CVIII. — *An Act amending the Act entitled "An Act granting Half Pay to Widows or Orphans, where their Husbands and Fathers have died of Wounds received in the Military Service of the United States," in Case of deceased Officers and Soldiers of the Militia and Volunteers, passed July fourth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six.* July 21, 1848.

1836, ch. 362.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of the first section of the act entitled "An Act granting half pay to widows or orphans, where their husbands and fathers have died of wounds received in the military service of the United States, in certain cases, and for other purposes," approved July fourth, eighteen hun- Provisions of the act of July 4, 1836, ch. 362, granting half pay to widows or orphans, &c., made

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applicable to all widows or orphans of officers, soldiers, &c., who were in the army 1st March, 1846, and during the present war with Mexico.

dred and thirty-six, shall be applicable to all widows and orphans of officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, and soldiers of the army of the United States, who were in the army of the United States on the first day of March, eighteen hundred and forty-six, or at any subsequent period during the present war between the United States and Mexico.

Widows and orphans herein provided for to receive the same rate of pensions as is provided for in the above act.

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all widows and orphans of officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates, whether of the regular army or of volunteers, who have died since the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six, or who may die during the war with Mexico, from wounds received or from disease contracted while in the line of duty, shall be entitled to the same rate of pension as is provided for in the first section of the before-mentioned act, under like limitations and restrictions: *Provided*, Said death has occurred, or may hereafter occur, while said officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, or privates, were in the service of the United States, and in the line of duty; or while returning to their usual place of residence in the United States, after having received a discharge upon a surgeon's certificate for disability incurred from wounds received, or disease contracted, while in the line of duty, or while on their march to join the army in Mexico: *And provided further*, That this act shall not be applicable to the widows and orphans of such officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, or privates, who have not served in Mexico, or at posts or stations on the borders of Mexico; except where such officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, or privates, have died while on their march to join the army in Mexico.

Proviso.

Proviso.

Pensions under this act to be granted under such rules, &c., as the Secretary of War may prescribe.

Sec. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That all pensions under this act shall be granted under such rules, regulations, restrictions, and limitations as the Secretary of War, with the approbation of the President of the United States, may prescribe.

Approved, July 21, 1848.

July 25, 1848.

Chap. CIX. — *An Act to authorize the Sale of a Part of Public Reservation numbered Thirteen, in the City of Washington, and for other Purposes.*

Sale of a portion of public reservation No. 13 to the vestry of Washington parish authorized.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Commissioner of Public Buildings in the city of Washington be, and he is hereby, authorized to sell to the vestry of Washington parish such portion of the public reservation of land in the city of Washington, numbered thirteen, called the Hospital Square, as the said vestry may desire to purchase, for the purpose of enlarging the Washington parish burial ground, not exceeding six acres: *Provided*, The Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy shall be of opinion that the said land can be sold without injury to the public service; and, upon payment being made to the said Commissioner for the said land, at the same price per acre which the United States received for the adjoining square of ground, numbered eleven hundred and fifteen, he shall execute a conveyance therefor to the said vestry, in the same manner as he now conveys public lands when sold.

Proviso.

Upon payment of purchase money, deed of conveyance to be executed.

Said vestry may enclose and occupy portions of certain streets;

Sec. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the vestry of Washington parish shall have authority to enclose, possess, and occupy so much of Ninteenth Street east as passes between square numbered eleven hundred and fifteen, in the city of Washington, (the present burial-ground,) and the land proposed by the first section of this act to be sold; and also, with the consent of the corporate authority of the city of Washington, the said vestry may enclose, possess, and occupy so much of any street or streets as may pass between the said square