May 9, 1848.

CHAP. XXXVIII. — *An Act for the Relief of Mrs. Harriet Barney.*

Pension renewed for five years from 1st December, 1843.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the pension heretofore allowed Harriet Barney, and which expired on the first day of December, eighteen hundred and forty-three, shall be, and the same is hereby, renewed for five years, to be computed from and after the first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and forty-three.

APPROVED, May 9, 1848.

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CHAP. XXXIX. — *An Act for the Relief of John Black, late Consul of the United States at the City of Mexico.*

John Black to be paid for his diplomatic services in Mexico, at the rate of compensation allowed by law to chargé d'affaires.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be paid to John Black, late consul of the United States at the city of Mexico, the rate of compensation allowed by law to a chargé d'affaires of the United States, for his diplomatic services to the United States in Mexico during the suspension of diplomatic intercourse between Mexico and the United States, from the tenth of May, eighteen hundred and forty-five, to the third day of April, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, inclusive, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Also to be paid such additional sum as may be found due for extraordinary expenditures incurred by him.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That there be paid, as aforesaid, to the aforesaid John Black, such additional sum as may be found due by the proper accounting officers of the treasury, to cover his extraordinary expenditures incurred by him, the said Black, in consequence of his forcible expulsion from Mexico, and in bringing with him to the United States the archives of legation of the United States: *Provided, however*, That the sum thus allowed for indemnity shall not exceed eleven hundred and twenty-four dollars.

Proviso.

APPROVED, May 9, 1848.

May 17, 1848.

CHAP. XLV. — *An Act to authorize the issuing of a Register to the Brig Encarnacion.*

A register to be issued.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be issued, under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, a register to the brig Encarnacion, formerly a Danish vessel, but now owned by John B. Brown, Jedediah Jewett, and Mark P. Emery, of Portland, in the State of Maine, citizens of the United States, the said vessel having sustained great damage on a voyage from St. Thomas to Portland, and the aforesaid owners having caused the said vessel to be repaired and refitted for sea at great expense: *Provided*, It shall be proved to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury that the cost of the repairs and refitting said vessel in the United States exceeds three fourths of the original cost of building a vessel of the same tonnage in the United States.

Proviso as to cost of repairs.

APPROVED, May 17, 1848.

May 17, 1848.

CHAP. XLVI. — *An Act for the Relief of William P. Brady.*

A pension of $10 per month allowed to William P. Brady.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to place the name of William P. Brady, of the State of Pennsylvania, on the roll of invalid pensioners, and that he be allowed a pension of ten dollars a month

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