

CHAP. CLXII. — *An Act for the Relief of Joseph Perry, a Choctaw Indian, or his Assignees* Aug. 11, 1848.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in lieu of section thirty-five, of township twenty-five, range six east, to which Joseph Perry, a Choctaw Indian, was entitled, and of which he was deprived by operation of the Chickasaw treaty of eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and the action of the government of the United States, the said Joseph Perry or his assignees shall be entitled to locate one section of land, in quantities not less than one quarter section by the legal subdivisions, upon any of the public lands not otherwise appropriated, subject to private entry.

Joseph Perry authorized to locate one section of land, in lieu of a section of which he was deprived by the Chickasaw treaty

APPROVED, August 11, 1848.

CHAP. CLXIII. — *An Act for the Relief of the Heirs and Widow of François Gramillion.* Aug. 11, 1848.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claim of the widow and heirs of François Gramillion, to a tract of seventeen arpens front, by forty deep, in the parish of Avoyelles, Louisiana, be, and the same is hereby confirmed, according to a survey executed in February, eighteen hundred and twenty-six, by Kenneth McCrummen, deputy surveyor; and it shall be the duty of the commissioner of the General Land Office to order an official survey to be returned for the said claim, conforming as near as may be to a survey made in February, eighteen hundred and twenty-six, by Kenneth McCrummen, accompanying the petition for confirmation; and upon the return to the General Land Office of an official survey, properly executed and certified, a patent shall issue: *Provided*, That the confirmation and patent shall only operate as a relinquishment of title on the part of the United States, and shall in no way prejudice any adverse rights which may exist to any part of the premises before such official survey shall be made.

The claim of heirs and widow of François Gramillion to a tract of land confirmed.

Proviso.

APPROVED, August 11, 1848.

CHAP. CLXIV. — *An Act for the Relief of John Farnham.*

Aug. 11, 1848.

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 he is hereby, directed to place the name of John Farnham, of Woolwich, in the county of Lincoln, and State of Maine, on the roll of invalid pensions, and that he pay to him the sum of five dollars per month, to commence on the first day of January, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, to continue during his natural life.

A pension of \$5 per month allowed to John Farnham.

APPROVED, August 11, 1848.

CHAP. CLXV. — *An Act for the Relief of Francis M. Holton.*

Aug. 11, 1848.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, required to place the name of Francis M. Holton on the roll of invalid pensions, at the rate of eight dollars per month; and that he be paid at that rate during his natural life, to commence from the first day of January, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

A pension of \$8 per month allowed to Francis M. Holton.

APPROVED, August 11, 1848.