

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1831. CHAP. CVII.—*An Act for the relief of Brevet Major Riley, and Lieutenants Brook and Seawright.*

Payment for horses lost.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the sum of two hundred and ten dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, be, and the same hereby is, appropriated, to be paid to Brevet Major Bennet Riley, Lieutenant F. J. Brook, and Lieutenant J. D. Seawright, of the army of the United States, under the orders of the Secretary of War, for the loss of three horses, captured from them in an action with the Camanche and other Indians, on the Sante Fé trace, in the summer of one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, while giving convoy to a caravan of traders from United States to the Mexican dominions, under the orders of the President of the United States.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

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CHAP. CVIII.—*An Act for the relief of Duval and Carnes.*

Payment for losses by an illegal seizure of their property.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the sum of three thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight dollars and forty-nine cents, be paid to Duval and Carnes, merchants in company, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, in full of all claims for losses and damages sustained by them in consequence of an unlawful seizure of their goods, in the Territory of Arkansas, by Colonel Arbuckle, on the fifth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

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March 3, 1831.

CHAP. CIX.—*An Act for the relief of the legal representatives of General Moses Hazen, deceased.*

Payment of interest.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the legal representatives of the said Moses Hazen, the amount of interest due on the sum of thirteen thousand three hundred and eighty-six dollars and two-nineteenths of a dollar, a balance found to be due to the said Hazen, agreeably to a resolution of Congress of the twenty-fifth of April, anno domini, seventeen hundred and eighty-one.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

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CHAP. CX.—*An Act for the relief of Benjamin S. Smoot, of Alabama.*

Payment for property destroyed.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to Benjamin S. Smoot one thousand dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, being the value of a store-house owned by him, and destroyed by order of the officers of the United States, to prevent its being shelter to the British, in their attack upon Fort Bowyer, in one thousand eight hundred and fourteen.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

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March 3, 1831.

CHAP. CXI.—*An Act for the relief of John Nicholson.*

Allowance for maintenance of Africans, &c.

*Be it enacted, &c.,* That the proper officers of the Treasury settle and pay to John Nicholson, Marshal of the eastern district of Louisiana, such sums as may reasonably be due, or may hereafter become due, to him, for the care, custody, maintenance and clothing of such Africans as may have been brought into the port of New Orleans, and legally

committed to his custody by order of the court of the United States for the said district, and that such payment be made out of any funds in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

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CHAP. CXII.—*An Act for the relief of John Gough, and other Canadian refugees.*

March 3, 1831.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the President of the United States be authorized to issue to John Gough, of Indiana, a patent for the north-east quarter of section eleven, in township twelve, north, of range nine, west, in the Vincennes land district, upon the condition expressed therein, that neither said John, nor any person under him, shall claim any benefit under a patent erroneously issued for the south-east quarter of said section, and alleged to be lost.

Land patent to issue.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the existing laws for the correction of errors in the purchase of the public land, shall be equally applicable to erroneous locations of the warrants of the Canadian refugees.

Existing laws applicable to correction of errors, &c.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

STATUTE II.

CHAP. CXIII.—*An Act to extend the patent of Samuel Browning for a further period of fourteen years.*

March 3, 1831.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That there be, and hereby is, granted unto Samuel Browning, a citizen of the United States, his heirs, administrators and assigns, for the term of fourteen years from the twenty-fourth day of November, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight, the full and exclusive right and liberty of making, constructing, using, and vending to others to be used, his improvement called a "magnetic separating machine," a description of which is given in a schedule annexed to letters patent granted to the said Samuel Browning for the same, on the twenty-fifth day of November, eighteen hundred and fourteen.

Patent right extended for 14 years.

APPROVED, March 3, 1831.

STATUTE II.

CHAP. CXIV.—*An Act for the relief of John Culbertson, and to provide an interpreter for the district court of the United States for the eastern district of Louisiana.*

March 3, 1831.

*Be it enacted, &c.*, That the sum of three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three and one-third cents be paid by the Marshal of the United States for the eastern district of Louisiana to John Culbertson, for his services rendered as interpreter to the United States' court for said district under the provisional appointment of the Judge, for each regular term of said court, from the December term of one thousand eight hundred and twenty-five, inclusively, up to the time of the passage of this act.

Payment for services as interpreter.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Judge of the district court of the United States for the eastern district of Louisiana, be and is hereby, authorized to appoint an interpreter to said court, and to allow him a compensation not exceeding three hundred and thirty-three dollars and thirty-three and one-third cents, for his services at each regular term of said court, to be holden subsequently to the passage of this act; and the Marshal is authorized to pay the same upon the order of the Judge: *Provided, always*, That it shall be the duty of the said interpreter, during his continuance in office, to attend all and every of the called or irregular sessions of the said court, without any additional compensation therefor: *Provided, also*, That the said interpreter shall not receive, under this act, more than one thousand dollars for each year.

An interpreter created.

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