

missioner of the General Land Office may prescribe, be considered, for the time being, as withdrawn from sale, and not subject to entry.

APPROVED, February 26, 1845.

STATUTE II.
Feb. 26, 1845.

CHAP. XXVI.—*An Act to amend the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the naval service for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five."*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the third section of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the naval service for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five," approved June seventeen, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, shall not be understood or construed to apply to the claim of an officer employed on a foreign station who would be entitled, under the provisions of previous acts of Congress, to receive the pay of a higher grade, while temporarily performing the duties of such higher grade, until information of the passage of the said act shall have been received on board of the vessel to which such officer was or is attached.

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3d sec. act 17th June 1844, ch. 107, not applicable to officers on foreign stations, until after receipt of information of its passage.

STATUTE II.
Feb. 26, 1845.

CHAP. XXVIII.—*An Act to authorize a relocation of land warrants number three, four, and five, granted by Congress to General Lafayette.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the legal holders or assignees of land warrants numbered three, four, and five, granted by the act of Congress of twenty-seventh March, one thousand eight hundred and four, to General Lafayette, and located at Point Coupee, in the State of Louisiana, in three adjoining surveys of one thousand acres each, and which locations are shown to have been made in material conflict with several older and better grants, shall, upon exhibiting to the register and receiver of any land office within the State of Louisiana, his or their evidence of right to the warrants above described, be permitted, under the same rules and restrictions of the original law under which said locations were authorized, to enter and locate a like quantity of land on any of the unappropriated public lands in the State of Louisiana: *Provided,* That, before any such register and receiver shall issue to such holders or assignees any certificate of relocation, the holders or assignees shall deposit a copy of their derangement of title from General Lafayette, and a release of title to the lands located at Point Coupee.

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Act of March 27, 1804, ch. 61, sec. 14. Holders of the warrants authorized to enter other lands, &c.

Proviso.

STATUTE II.
March 1, 1845

CHAP. XXXV.—*An Act to change the time for holding the Circuit and Criminal Courts in the county of Washington.*

Be it enacted, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Circuit Court of the United States for the county of Washington, District of Columbia, shall hereafter be held on the third Monday of October of each year, instead of the fourth Monday of November designated by law.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That hereafter there shall be but three terms of the criminal court for Washington county, in the District of Columbia, instead of the four terms of said court now fixed by law; and that said three terms hereafter shall commence and be held on the first Monday in March, the third Monday in June, and the first Monday in December, in each and every year. All process whatsoever in the said criminal court now issued or which may be issued in the county of Washington, in said District, returnable to the days now fixed by law

Time of holding fall term of circuit court changed.

Times of holding criminal court now fixed

Process returnable on days now fixed.

for said county, shall be returnable and returned on the days for holding said criminal court, prescribed by this statute.

APPROVED, March 1, 1845.

STATUTE II.

March 1, 1845.

CHAP. XXXVI. — *An Act in alteration of an act entitled "An act to establish a port of delivery at the city of Lafayette, in the State of Louisiana."*

Vessels may, after proceeding to Lafayette, make report and entry at New Orleans.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all vessels bound to the city of Lafayette, in the State of Louisiana, may, after proceeding thereto, and making report and entry at the port of New Orleans, within the time limited by law, be permitted to unlade their cargoes at said Lafayette, under the rules and regulations prescribed by law, and such further regulations as the Secretary of the Treasury may deem necessary. And so much of the first section of the act entitled "An act to establish a port of delivery at the city of Lafayette, in the State of Louisiana," approved June twelve, one thousand eight hundred and forty-four, as is inconsistent with this act, is hereby repealed.

Act of June 12, 1844, ch. 46.

APPROVED, March 1, 1845.

STATUTE II.

March 1, 1845.

[Obsolete.]

CHAP. XXXVII. — *An Act making appropriations for the payment of navy pensions for the year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and forty-six.*

Invalid pensions.
Privateer pensions.
Widows' pensions.
Deficiency in widows' pensions.
Act of June 30, 1834, ch. 134.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the payment of navy pensions for the year ending the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and forty-six.

To pay invalid pensions, forty thousand dollars;

To pay the privateer pensions, three thousand dollars;

To pay widows' pensions, twelve thousand dollars;

To supply a deficiency in the appropriation for paying widows' pensions under the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, for the year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and forty-five, six thousand dollars.

APPROVED, March 1, 1845.

STATUTE II.

March 1, 1845.

[Obsolete.]

CHAP. XXXVIII. — *An Act to authorize the sale of two Arabian horses, received as a present by the Consul of the United States at Zanzibar, from the Imaum of Muscat.*

Horses, when to be sold.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to cause the two horses received as a present by the Consul of the United States at Zanzibar, from the Imaum of Muscat, to be sold in Washington city by public auction, on the last Saturday of February, one thousand eight hundred and forty-five, and to cause the proceeds thereof to be placed in the Treasury of the United States.

APPROVED, March 1, 1845.

STATUTE II.

March 1, 184 .

CHAP. XXXIX. — *An Act to change the time of holding the Federal courts in Kentucky, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Alabama and Louisiana.*

Circuit and district courts in Kentucky.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the passage of this act the fall sessions of the circuit and district courts of the said United States for the district of Kentucky, heretofore commenced and held on the third Monday in November, annually, shall in-