

day in November, 1812.

the present session, the next meeting of Congress shall be on the first Monday of November next.

APPROVED, July 6, 1812.

STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CXXXIII.—*An Act respecting the pay of the Army of the United States.*

[Obsolete.]
Act of March 3, 1815, ch. 78.
Pay of the army fixed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates of the army of the United States shall receive the same pay, forage, rations, clothing, and other emoluments, as the officers of the same grade and corps, non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates, are entitled to by the act, entitled "An act to raise for a limited time an additional military force," passed April twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and eight; and to the aid-de-camp of a brigadier, to a brigade quartermaster, brigade inspector and adjutant, there shall be allowed forage for one horse only, or in lieu thereof ten dollars per month; and to the brigade majors, under the act passed January the eleventh, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, there shall be allowed forage for one horse, or in lieu thereof ten dollars per month; and the pay of a quartermaster sergeant shall be nine dollars per month.

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STATUTE I.

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CHAP. CXXXIV.—*An Act supplementary to the act entitled "An [act] giving further time to purchasers of public lands northwest of the river Ohio, to complete their payments."*

[Obsolete.]
Act of April 23, 1812, ch. 64.
Provisions of the act to which this is a supplement extended to purchasers of certain fractional townships, without reservation.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the provisions of the act to which this act is a supplement shall be, and they are hereby extended to the several purchasers of the fractional sections, which were by the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, classed together for sale, according to the ninth section of an act, entitled "An act making provision for the disposal of the public lands in the Indiana territory, and for other purposes," passed on the twentieth of March, one thousand eight hundred and four, notwithstanding the quantity of land contained in any one tract, composed of such fractional sections, so classed together, and purchased by a single contract, shall exceed six hundred and forty acres.

Act of March 26, 1804, ch. 35.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the assignee or assignees of any original purchaser of land from the United States, the lands being purchased prior to the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eight, shall be entitled to the benefit of the provisions of the act, to which this act is a supplement, and the last preceding section, in every case where it shall appear to the satisfaction of the register and receiver of public monies of the district within which the land may lie, that the assignment by which he or they so claim was bona fide made prior to the passing of the aforesaid act, that the whole lands claimed by virtue of such assignment does not exceed six hundred and forty acres, unless it comes within the provision of the preceding section, and that the lands or some one tract thereof is inhabited and cultivated by or for the use of the assignee or assignees.

Assignee or assignees of original purchasers of land from the United States entitled to the benefits of this act.

Original purchasers or their assignees may in certain cases where their lands have reverted to the

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That in every case where any tract or tracts of land purchased prior to the first day of April, one thousand eight hundred and eight, not exceeding six hundred and forty acres, unless such tract shall come within the provision of the first section of this act, has since the first day of April last, reverted, or that may before the first day of August next, revert to the United States, for default of

payment: the person or persons claiming such tract or tracts, whether as an assignee or an original purchaser, may again re-enter the same: and all monies which such assignee or original purchaser may have paid shall be replaced to his credit, by the register and receiver of public monies of the district in which the lands may lie, and such repurchaser or repurchasers shall be allowed the same benefit of the extension of the time of payment, provided by the act to which this is a supplement, as though no such reversion had occurred; provided such assignee or assignees, original purchaser or purchasers shall make to the proper land-officer application for such re-entry on or before the first day of September next, and that the lands so re-entered shall not have been re-sold previous to such application.

United States re-enter upon the same.

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CHAP. CXXXV.—*An Act authorizing a subscription for the old six per cent. and deferred stocks, and providing for an exchange of the same.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a subscription to the full amount of the old six per cent. and deferred stocks be, and the same is hereby proposed to the proprietors thereof; for which purpose books shall be opened at the treasury of the United States and by the several commissioners of loans, on the first day of October next, to continue open till the seventeenth day of March ensuing inclusively, the fourteen last days of each quarter excepted, for such part of the above mentioned stocks as shall, on the day of subscription, stand on the books of the treasury and of the several commissioners of loans respectively; which subscription shall be effected by a transfer to the United States, in the manner provided by law for such transfers, of the credit or credits standing on the said books, and by a surrender of the certificates of the stock subscribed.

Books to be opened at the treasury for a subscription to the old six per cent. stock of the U. States.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That for such part of the amount of old six per cent. or deferred stock, thus subscribed, as shall remain unredeemed on the day of such subscription, credits shall be entered to the respective subscribers, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans where such subscription shall have been made, and the subscriber or subscribers shall be entitled to receive a certificate or certificates purporting that the United States owe to the holder or holders thereof, his, her, or their assigns, a sum to be expressed therein, equal to the unredeemed amount of the principal of the old six per cent. or deferred stocks, subscribed as aforesaid, bearing an interest of six per centum per annum, payable quarter yearly, from the first day of the quarter during which such subscription shall have been made, transferable in the same manner as is provided by law for the transfers of the stock subscribed, and subject to redemption at the pleasure of the United States at any time after the thirty-first day of December, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four: *Provided,* that no reimbursement shall be made except for the whole amount of the stock standing at the time, to the credit of any proprietor, on the books of the treasury or of the commissioners of loans respectively, nor till after at least six months' previous public notice of such intended reimbursement.

Terms upon which subscriptions may be made.

Proviso.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the same funds which heretofore have been, and now are pledged by law for the payment of the interest and for the redemption or reimbursement of the stock which may be subscribed by virtue of the provisions of this act, shall remain pledged for the payment of the interest accruing on the stock created by reason of such subscription, and for the redemption or reimbursement of the principal of the same. It shall be the duty of the commissioners of

Funds to be pledged.