

the highest rate of disability, and so in proportion; which several pensions shall be paid, by direction of the Secretary of the Navy, out of the fund above provided, and from no other.

Commanding officers to enter the names, &c. of wounded persons in a journal.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the commanding officer of every vessel having a commission, or letters of marque and reprisal, shall enter in his journal the name and rank of any officer, and the name of any seaman, who, during his cruise, shall have been wounded or disabled as aforesaid, describing the manner and extent, as far as practicable, of such wound or disability.

Collectors to transmit a transcript of such journals to the Secretary of the Navy, &c.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That every collector shall transmit quarterly to the Secretary of the Navy, a transcript of such journals as may have been reported to him, so far as it gives a list of the officers and crew, and the description of wounds and disabilities, the better to enable the secretary to decide on claims for pensions.

APPROVED, February 13, 1813.

STATUTE II.

Feb. 13, 1813.

CHAP. XXIII.—*An Act confirming certain claims to lands in the district of Vincennes.*

Act of April 21, 1806, ch. 40.
Act of March 3, 1807, ch. 47.
Act of Feb. 19, 1814, ch. 14.
Act of April 16, 1816, ch. 52.

Certain decisions of the register and receiver of public monies confirmed.

1810, ch. 35.

Claims of certain persons confirmed.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all the decisions of the register and receiver of public monies for the district of Vincennes, made in favour of persons claiming donation lands in said district, as entered in a list of claims which in the opinion of the said register and receiver ought to be confirmed in pursuance of the act, entitled "An act providing for the sale of certain lands in the Indiana territory, and for other purposes," passed on the thirtieth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ten, which list is a part of their report to the Secretary of the Treasury, bearing date of the twenty-seventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, be, and the same are hereby confirmed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the following persons whose claims, according to the aforesaid report, are not embraced by the provisions of the above recited act, but which nevertheless in the opinion of the register and receiver ought to be confirmed, shall be, and their claims are hereby confirmed respectively, to the following quantities of land, that is to say: the heirs of Francis Peltier, the heirs of Bernice Lefevre, and the heirs of Jean Btt. Valecour, respectively, four hundred acres; Rene Campeau, Francois Cardinal, the heirs of Joseph Pancake, the heirs of Jacob Howell, the heirs of Alexander Wilson, the heirs of Daniel Sullivan, and the heirs of Jacob Tevebaugh, respectively, one hundred acres.

Locations to be entered accordingly.

1806, ch. 40.
1814, ch. 18.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the several persons whose claims are confirmed by this act, are hereby authorized to enter their locations with the register of the land-office at Vincennes, on any part of the tract set apart for that purpose in said district, by virtue of the act, entitled "An act respecting claims to lands in the Indiana territory and state of Ohio," and in conformity to the provisions of that act: *Provided*, that such locations shall be made prior to the first day of October next; and the right of any person who shall neglect to locate prior to that day shall become void and for ever be barred.

Persons entitled to land to receive certificates authorizing the granting of patents.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That every person, or the legal representative of every person, whose claim to a tract of land is confirmed by this act, shall, whenever his claim shall have been located and surveyed, be entitled to receive from the register of the land-office at Vincennes a certificate, stating that the claimant is entitled to receive a patent for such tract of land by virtue of this act; for which certificate the register shall receive one dollar; and which certificate shall entitle

the party to a patent for the said tract of land, which shall issue in like manner as is provided by law for the other lands of the United States.

APPROVED, February 13, 1813.

CHAP. XXIV.—*An Act making provision for an additional number of general officers.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President be, and he is hereby authorized by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, to appoint six major generals, in addition to those already authorized by law; each of whom shall be allowed two aids-de-camp to be taken from the officers of the line, and six brigadier generals, who shall be allowed a brigade major, and one aid-de-camp, each to be taken also from the officers of the line.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the officers authorized by this act shall receive the same pay, forage, rations, and other emoluments, as the officers of the same grade of the present military establishment.

APPROVED, February 24, 1813.

CHAP. XXVII.—*An Act authorizing the issuing of Treasury notes for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and thirteen.*(a)

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 treasury notes for such sum or sums as he may think expedient, but not exceeding in the whole the sum of five millions of dollars, to be prepared, signed, and issued, in the manner herein after provided.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized, in addition to the amount authorized by the next preceding section of this act, to cause treasury notes, for such sum or sums as he may think expedient, but not exceeding in the whole the further sum of five millions of dollars, to be prepared, signed, and issued in the manner herein after provided: *Provided,* that the amount of money borrowed or obtained, by virtue of the notes which may be issued by virtue of this section, shall be deemed and held to be in part of the sum of sixteen millions of dollars, authorized to be borrowed by virtue of the act to that effect, passed during the present session of Congress.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the said treasury notes shall be reimbursed by the United States, at such places respectively as may be expressed on the face of the said notes, one year respectively after the day on which the same shall have been issued; from which day of issue they shall bear interest, at the rate of five and two-fifths per centum a year, payable to the owner and owners of such notes, at the treasury, or by the proper commissioner of loans, or by the officer designated for that purpose, at the places and times respectively designated on the face of said notes, for the payment of principal.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted,* That the said treasury notes shall be respectively signed, in behalf of the United States, by persons to be appointed for that purpose by the President of the United States, two of which persons shall sign each note, and shall each receive, as a compensation for that service, at the rate of one dollar and twenty-five cents for every hundred notes thus signed by them respectively; and the said

STATUTE II.

Feb. 24, 1813.

[Obsolete.]

Act of March 3, 1815, ch. 78.

Six major generals to be appointed.

Two aids-de-camp allowed to each.

Six brigadier generals to be also appointed.

Aids, &c. &c. Their pay, &c. &c.

STATUTE II.

Feb. 25, 1813.

[Obsolete.]

Act of May 3, 1822, ch. 47.

Treasury notes for five millions of dollars to be prepared and issued.

Additional sum of five millions of dollars to be borrowed upon treasury notes.

Proviso.

1813, ch. 21.

Terms and places of reimbursement.

By whom the notes are to be signed.

Their compensation.

(a) See notes to act of June 30, 1812, chap. 111.