CHAP. CCXXXVII.—An Act to amend the act, entitled "An act for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the army of the revolution."

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 for the relief of certain surviving officers and soldiers of the army of the revolution," approved the fifteenth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-eight, shall not be construed to embrace invalid pensioners; and that the pension of invalid soldiers shall not be deducted from the amount receivable by them under the said act.

APPROVED, July 14, 1832.

CHAP. CCXXXVIII.—An Act repealing a part of the fifth section of an act, entitled "An act to establish ports of delivery at Port Pontchartrain and Delaware city, and for other purposes."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That so much of the fifth section of an act, entitled "An act to establish ports of delivery at Port Pontchartrain and Delaware city, and for other purposes," approved March second, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, as provides for the appointment of a surveyor to reside at Prospect, in the district of Belfast, in the state of Maine, be, and the [same] is hereby repealed.

APPROVED, July 14, 1832.

CHAP. CCXXXIX.—An Act to amend the several acts for the establishment of a territorial government in Florida. (a)

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the court of appeals in the territory of Florida, established in virtue of the fourth section of the act of the twenty-sixth of May, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-four, to which this act is an amendment, shall be composed of the judges of the superior courts in said territory respectively, a majority of whom shall be necessary to be present to constitute a quorum to hear and decide causes; but any two of the said judges shall be sufficient to make any interlocutory order, or to grant any writ authorized by any of the acts to which this is an amendment.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the provisions and regulations contained in the twenty-fifth section of the act of the twenty-fourth of September, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine, entitled "An act to establish the judicial courts of the United States," in regard to writs of error and appeals to the Supreme Court of the United States, from a final judgment or decree in any suit in the highest court of law or equity of a state, shall be applicable to writs of error and appeals to the Supreme Court of the United States from the highest court of law or equity in said territory, having jurisdiction of the subject matter, in the same manner as writs of error and appeals are authorized now to be taken and prosecuted under the aforesaid twenty-fifth section of the act of the twenty-fourth of September, one thousand seven hundred and eighty-nine, from any court in any state; and writs of error and appeals, in virtue of the said twenty-fifth section, are hereby authorized to be taken and prosecuted from the highest court of law or equity having jurisdiction of the subject matter in the said territory.

(a) Notes of the acts relative to the territorial government of Florida, vol. iii. p. 523.
SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That the regulations prescribed by the second section of the act entitled "An act in addition to an act entitled An act to amend the judicial system of the United States," approved the third of March, one thousand eight hundred and three, as far as said regulations shall be practicable, shall be observed in respect to all writs of error and appeals from the said court of appeals in the said territory to the Supreme Court of the United States.

SEC. 4. And be it further enacted, That appeals and writs of error may be taken and prosecuted, in all cases, from the decisions and judgments of the highest court of said territory to the Supreme Court of the United States, where the amount in controversy exceeds one thousand dollars.

APPROVED, July 14, 1832.

CHAP. CCXL.—An Act to authorize the sale of certain public lands in the state of Ohio.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the lands heretofore reserved for certain Indian tribes in the state of Ohio, and which were ceded to the United States by treaties ratified on the twenty-fourth day of March, in the year one thousand eight hundred and thirty-one, and the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-two, be, and the same are hereby attached to, and made to form part of, the land districts in which they are respectively situated, and liable to be sold as other public lands in the state of Ohio.

APPROVED, July 14, 1832.

CHAP. CCXL1.—An Act to authorize the disposition of the fund arising from the sale of a quarter section of land, reserved for the use of schools, in Florida.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That the commissioners elected by the qualified voters in township five, range eleven, north and west, in the county of Jackson, in the territory of Florida, in obedience to an act of Congress, entitled "An act to authorize the establishment of a town on land reserved for the use of schools, &c.,” approved the second of March, one thousand eight hundred and twenty-nine, be, and they are hereby authorized to vest the money arising from the sale in said act authorized, in some productive fund under the authority of the governor and legislative council of the territory, the proceeds of which shall for ever be applied to common schools in said township.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the said commissioners be, and they are hereby authorized to make sale of the remainder of said lots to be applied to the objects aforesaid; and all provisions of the act aforesaid, inconsistent with this act, be, and the same are hereby repealed: Provided, That the governor and legislative council of said territory authorize such sale, with the assent of the majority of the inhabitants of said township.

APPROVED, July 14, 1832.