

Auditors, in addition to an unexpended balance of three thousand two hundred and one dollars and forty-five cents, eight hundred dollars.

Proviso in act of 7th May, 1846, ch. 13, repealed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the proviso to the second section of the act entitled "An Act making appropriations for the payment of revolutionary and other pensions of the United States for the year ending the thirtieth June, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, and for other purposes," approved May seventh, eighteen hundred and forty-six, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

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1813, ch. 42.

CHAP. LXXII. — *An Act to amend the Act entitled "An Act for the Regulation of Seamen on board the public and private Vessels of the United States,"* passed the third of March, eighteen hundred and thirteen.

Repeal of clause requiring a continued residence of five years in the United States previous to naturalization.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the last clause of the twelfth section of the act hereby amended, consisting of the following words, to wit, "without being at any time during the said five years out of the territory of the United States," be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

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CHAP. LXXIII. — *An Act to regulate the Exchange of certain Documents and other Publications of Congress.*

Agents for the exchange and donation of documents, &c., to be appointed.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the joint committee on the Library shall appoint such agents as they may from time to time deem requisite, to carry into effect the donation and exchange of such documents and other publications as have been, or shall be, placed at their disposal for the purpose.

Books transmitted through such agents to be duty free.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That all books transmitted through such agents for the use of the government of the United States, or of any government of a State or of its legislature, or of any department of the government of the United States or of a State, or of the Academy at West Point, or of the National Institute, shall be admitted into the United States duty free.

Appropriation.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the sum of two thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated; and the same is put at the disposal of the Library Committee, for the purpose of carrying into effect such agency and donation, and exchange, and of paying the expenses already incurred in relation thereto.

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CHAP. LXXIV. — *An Act giving further Time for satisfying Claims for Bounty Lands, and for other Purposes.*

Time for satisfying claims for bounty lands extended.

1842, ch. 69.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the act of the second session of the twenty-ninth [twenty-seventh] Congress, chapter sixty-nine, entitled "An Act to provide for satisfying claims for bounty lands for military services in the late war with Great Britain, and for other purposes," approved July twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and forty-two, and also the two acts approved January twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-five, therein and thereby revived, shall be, and the same are hereby, revived, and continued in force for five years, to be computed from and after the passage of this act.

1835, ch. 6 and 7.

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