PUBLIC ACTS OF THE THIRTIETH CONGRESS
OF THE
UNITED STATES,

Passed at the second Session, which was begun and held at the City
of Washington, in the District of Columbia, on Monday, the 4th day
of December, 1848, and ended Saturday, March 3, 1849.

JAMES K. POLK, President; GEORGE M. DALLAS, Vice-President, and
President of the Senate; DAVID R. ATCHISON, President of the Sen-
ate, pro tempore, on and after March 2, 1849; ROBERT C. WIN-
THROP, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CHAP. XIV. — An Act to extend certain Privileges to the Town of Whitehall, in the
State of New York.

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, on the recommendation of the Secretary of the
Treasury, be authorized to extend to the town of Whitehall the same
privileges as are conferred on certain ports named in the seventh
section of an act entitled "An Act allowing drawback upon foreign
merchandise exported in the original packages to Chihuahua and Santa
Fe, in Mexico, and to the British North American provinces adjoining
the United States," passed third March, eighteen hundred and forty-
five, in the manner prescribed by the proviso contained in said section.
Approved, January 10, 1849.

CHAP. XIX. — An Act supplemental to the Act approved the sixth Day of July,
eighteen hundred and forty-two, entitled "An Act confirming certain Land Claims
in Louisiana."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That a further term
of two years, from and after the passage of this act, be, and the same
is hereby, conceded to locate the claim named and alluded to in the
third and sixth sections of the act to which this act is supplemental,
and therein designated as claim number eight.
Approved, January 19, 1849.

CHAP. XX. — An Act to continue the Office of the Commissioner of Pensions.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That the authority
given to continue the office of Commissioner of Pensions by the act of
the fourteenth of January, eighteen hundred and forty-six, entitled
"An Act to continue the office of Commissioner of Pensions," be
extended until further legislation by Congress; and that said Commis-

1846, ch. 4.
Salary. An Act to supply Deficiencies in the Appropriations for the Service of the fiscal Year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-nine.

Chap. XXIV. — 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 to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, namely:

- For contingent expenses of the General Land Office, to cover a deficiency in appropriation for parchment, the increase required to satisfy military locations being much greater than was estimated, four thousand dollars.

- For contingent expenses of the office of the Register of the Treasury, for amount due on an account for printing and binding blank books for the entry of the collectors’ quarterly returns of the commerce and navigation of their several districts, nine hundred and seventy-five dollars.

- For salary of the governor and superintendent of Indian affairs of Oregon Territory, from eighteenth August, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, to thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, at three thousand dollars per annum, per act fourteenth August, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, two thousand six hundred and seventy-four dollars and forty-seven cents.

- For the re-appropriation of this sum, (carried to the surplus fund,) being for the purchase of agricultural implements, cattle, and mechanics’ tools, for the Ottowas and Chippewas, stipulated in the fourth clause of the fourth article of the treaty of twenty-eighth March, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, five thousand four hundred and sixty dollars and forty-seven cents.

- For payment of services of blacksmith and striker of the Choctaws, rendered after the treaty provisions had expired by limitation, and before he was notified thereof, and for coal furnished the shop during the same time, one hundred and fifty-six dollars and ninety-eight cents.

- For expenses of an agent in taking the census of the North Carolina Cherokees, under the fourth section of the act of twenty-ninth July, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, four hundred dollars.