city of Boston for the purpose of ornamenting the grounds on which is
the city's monument in honor of her deceased soldiers and sailors.
Approved, March 1, 1879.

March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 121.—An act releasing title to a certain cemetery lot to the city of Mont-
gomery, Alabama.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That whereas by deed dated
July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, the city of Montgomery,
Alabama, voluntarily granted to the United States a certain lot of land
in the cemetery of the said city of Montgomery, to be used for the burial
of United States soldiers, and for no other purpose; and whereas the
United States, having removed the bodies of soldiers buried therein to
Atlanta, have no longer need of the same; and whereas the said lot of
land is now needed by the city of Montgomery, Alabama, for burial pur-
poses; Now, therefore, all right, title, and interest of the United States
in and to said cemetery lot is hereby released and forever quit-claimed
to the said city of Montgomery.
Approved, March 1, 1879.

March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 122.—An act to place Lewis Leftman, ordnance-sergeant United States Army
on the retired list.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That Lewis Leftman, ordnance-
sergeant United States Army, be, and he is hereby, placed on the retired
list of the Army, with the full pay and allowances of an ordnance-sergeant
for and during his natural life, he having served faithfully and honorably
in the Army of the United States for more than fifty-three years, and
since July twentieth, eighteen hundred and forty, continuously therein
as ordnance-sergeant.
Approved, March 1, 1879.

March 1, 1879.

CHAP. 123.—An act to authorize the Secretary of War to convey to Jacob A. T.
Wendell, Henry Van Allen, and John R. Bailey, a part of the military reservation
of Fort Mackinac.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be,
and he is hereby, authorized and directed to convey, by proper deed, to
Jacob A. T. Wendell, Henry Van Allen, and John R Bailey, all the right,
title, and interest of the United States in and to the following described
part of the military reservation of Fort Mackinac, Michigan, of which
the said Jacob A. T. Wendell shall be entitled to one-fourth, Henry
Van Allen two-fourths, and John R Bailey one-fourth: Beginning at a
stone monument marking a corner of the military reservation, and stand-
ing between the said military reservation and property of Jacob A. T. Wen-
dell; and running in continuation of a line now between said properties
north one degree east fifty-eight feet six inches; thence east two hun-
dred and forty-one and five-tenths feet; thence south one degree west
parallel with the first line, fifty-eight feet six inches, to a stone monument
marking a corner of the military reservation, and standing between the
said military reservation and property of John R Bailey; thence west par-
allel with the second line, along a line of the official survey made by Ma-
jor G. Weitzel, United States Army, in eighteen hundred and seventy-
five, two hundred and forty-one and five-tenths feet, to the stone monu-
ment at the place of beginning.
Approved, March 1, 1879.