Chap. XXXVII.—An Act making further appropriations for fortifying the ports and harbors of the United States.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That a sum of money not exceeding one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, in addition to the sums heretofore appropriated, be, and the same is hereby appropriated, to enable the President of the United States to cause the ports and harbors of the United States to be better fortified and protected.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the money appropriated by this act, shall be paid out of any money in the treasury of the United States, not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 3, 1807.

Chap. XXXIX.—An Act authorizing the employment of the land and naval forces of the United States, in cases of insurrections.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in all cases of insurrection, or obstruction to the laws, either of the United States, or of any individual state or territory, where it is lawful for the President of the United States to call forth the militia for the purpose of suppressing such insurrection, or of causing the laws to be duly executed, it shall be lawful for him to employ, for the same purposes, such part of the land or naval force of the United States, as shall be judged necessary, having first observed all the pre-requisites of the law in that respect.

Approved, March 3, 1807.

Chap. XL.—An Act in addition to an act entitled “An act in addition to an act entituled An act supplementary to the act providing for a naval peace establishment, and for other purposes.”

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, in addition to the present naval peace establishment, to employ a number of able seamen, ordinary seamen and boys, not exceeding five hundred, should the exigency of the public service require the same.

Approved, March 3, 1807.

Chap. XLI.—An Act making appropriations for carrying into effect certain treaties with the Cherokee and Piankeshaw tribes of Indians.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for carrying into effect a convention between the United States and the Cherokee nation of Indians, the following sums, to be paid out of any monies in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, be, and the same hereby are appropriated; that is to say—to the said Cherokee nation, two thousand dollars, and the further annual sum of two thousand dollars for four years successively; and to the Cherokee chief, called the Black Fox, the annual sum of one hundred dollars, during his natural life.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That for carrying into effect a treaty between the United States and the Piankeshaw tribe of Indians, concluded at Vincennes, on the thirtieth day of December, one thousand eight hundred and five, there shall be, and hereby are appropriated, in addition to appropriations for carrying into effect former treaties, a sum
of one thousand dollars, and a further annual sum of three hundred dollars, to be paid out of any monies in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, March 3, 1807.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1807.

[Repealed.]

Act of April 28, 1810, ch. 30, sec. 2.
Post roads established.

A road to be opened, on the route from Athens to New Orleans.

Unexpended balance of a former appropriation to be applied to this object.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1807.

CHAP. XLIII.—An Act to establish certain Post Roads; and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following post roads be established:

In Orleans.—From New Orleans to the Balize, and from New Orleans, by the mouth of the Fourche, mouth of the canal of Attakapas, lake Veret, the ferry of lake Veret, the mouth of Teache, the church of Attacapas, and the church of Appelousas, to Rapides. And the Postmaster-General be, and he is hereby authorized to allow and pay to the postmaster, which may be appointed at the Balize, in addition to the legal fees of office, such sum as he may judge reasonable, not exceeding four hundred dollars per annum, as a compensation for his services.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States is hereby authorized, to cause to be opened a road from the thirty-first degree of north latitude to New Orleans, on the route from Athens to New Orleans, under such regulations as may be agreed upon for that purpose, between the executive of the United States and the Spanish government: and he is hereby authorized to expend, in opening the same, any part of the money heretofore appropriated for opening a road on the said route, from the frontier of Georgia to the thirty-first degree of north latitude, which remains unexpended.

Approved, March 3, 1807.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1807.

CHAP. XLIV.—An act disapproving of an act passed by the governor and judges of the territory of Michigan, intituled "An act concerning the Bank of Detroit."

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That an act, intituled "An act concerning the bank of Detroit," adopted and published by the governor and judges of the territory of Michigan, on the nineteenth day of September, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and six, is hereby disapproved of by Congress, and that the same shall be of no force or effect.

Approved, March 3, 1807.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1807.

CHAP. XLV.—An Act making compensation for extra services, to the governor, judges and secretary of the Indiana territory.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is directed to pay to the governor, judges and secretary of the Indiana territory, out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of three hundred dollars each, as a compensation for the extra services by them performed, in obedience to the act, intituled "An act erecting Louisiana into two territories, and providing for the temporary government thereof."

Approved, March 3, 1807.