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SEVENTH CONGRESS of the UNITED STATES.

At the Second Session.

Began and held at the City of Washington, in the Territory of Columbia, on Monday the sixth of December, one thousand eight hundred and two.

AN ACT

For continuing in force a law, entitled "An act for establishing trading houses with the Indian tribes."

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That a law passed on the eighteenth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand seven hundred and ninety-six, entitled "An act for establishing trading houses with the Indian tribes," and which law was revived and continued by another, passed on the thirtieth day of April, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and two, shall be, and the same is hereby farther continued for the term of two years, from the fourth day of March next, and from thence until the end of the next session of Congress.

NATH. MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A. BURR,

Vice President of the United States, and President of the Senate.

Approved, Feb. 28th, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON,

AN ACT

In addition to an act, intitled "An act fixing the military peace establishment of the United States."

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That there be added to the regiment of artillery, two teachers of music, whose pay, rations, and clothing shall be the same as is by law allowed to the teachers of music in the regiments of infantry in the service of the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized to appoint one teacher of the French language and one teacher of drawing, to be attached to the corps of engineers, whose compensation shall not exceed the pay and emolument of a captain in the line of the army.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the commanding officer of the corps of engineers be authorized to enlist for a term not less than three years, one artificer and eighteen men, to aid in making practical experiments, and for other purposes; to receive the same pay, rations, and clothing as are allowed to the artificers and privates, in the army of the United States; and the same bounty when enlisted for five years; and to be subject to the rules and articles of war.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized to allow to the paymaster of the army, the adjutant and inspector of the army, and the military agent at Philadelphia, such sums not exceeding in the whole three thousand dollars, for clerk-hire, as their respective duties may, in his opinion, reasonably require.

NATH: MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A. BURR,

Vice President of the United States, and President of the Senate.

Approved, Feb. 28, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON,

President of the United States.

AN ACT

To make Beaufort and Passamaquoddy, ports of entry and delivery; to make Easton and Tiverton, ports of delivery; and to authorize the establishment of a new collection district on Lake Ontario.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That from and after the last day of June next, a district shall be formed from the district of Newbern, in North Carolina, to be called the district of Beaufort, which shall include the district of Beaufort and all the water and shore north and east of the said town, to Harbour Island, and all the water and shore south and west of the said town, to Dog Island, inclusive. And the town of Beaufort shall be the sole port of entry and delivery for the said dis-

trict; and a collector of the said port shall be appointed, to reside and keep his office at the said town of Beaufort, who shall be intitled to receive, in addition to the fees and other emoluments established by law, the annual salary of two hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That from and after the said thirtieth day of June, Easton, in the district of Oxford, in the State of Maryland, and Tiverton, in the district of Newport, and State of Rhode Island, shall be ports of delivery, and a surveyor shall be appointed to each, each of whom shall be entitled to receive, in addition to the fees and emoluments already allowed by law, a salary of two hundred dollars per annum.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That it shall be lawful for the President of the United States to establish, when it shall appear to him to be proper, in addition to the port of entry and delivery already established on Lake Ontario, one other port of entry and delivery on the said Lake, or on the waters or rivers emptying therein, and to appoint a collector of the customs, to reside and keep an office thereat.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That from and after the said thirtieth day of June next, such place within the district of Passamaquoddy, in the State of Massachusetts, as the Secretary of the Treasury may direct, shall be a port of entry and delivery, (at which place the collector shall reside,) as well for foreign, as for vessels of the United States.

NATH. MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

STEPHEN R. BRADLEY,

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Approved, March 3, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON,

AN ACT

Making an appropriation for the support of the navy of the United States, for the year one thousand eight hundred and three.

BE it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for defraying the expences of the navy of the United States, during the year one thousand eight hundred and three, and for making good deficiencies for the same, in the year one thousand eight hundred and two the following sums, including therein the sum of one hundred thousand dollars already appropriated by the "act making a partial appropriation for the naval service during the year one thousand eight hundred and three," be, and they are hereby respectively appropriated, that is to say:

For the pay and subsistence of the officers, and the pay of the seamen, two hundred and eighty thousand nine hundred and ninety-three dollars.

For provisions, one hundred and fifty-seven thousand three hundred and sixty dollars and twenty-seven cents.

For medicines, instruments, hospital stores, and all expences on account of the sick, seven thousand seven hundred dollars.

For the purchase of ordnance and other military stores, fifteen thousand dollars.

For the repairs of vessels, store-vent, and other contingent expences, one hundred and eighty-two thousand dollars.

For completing the contracts made for the timber, ordnance, and other materials for the seventy-four gun ships, including their transportation, &c. one hundred and fourteen thousand four hundred and seventy-five dollars.

For the expence of erection of sheds, and other buildings, to be used for the introduction of Lord's carriage to Bonaparte, the Chief of the French army, sent to Lord Whitworth, to that he would send the Government carriage and six for his ship, and that the latter's carriage might follow. Lord Whitworth replied, that as he retained the King of Great Britain should not permit his carriage to go with four, whilst the French had six. After an hour's consultation, Bonaparte declared that what was proposed was agreeable to him, according to the French, it

For medicines, medical services, hospital stores, and all expences on account of the sick of the marine corps, one thousand dollars.

For quarter-masters' and barrack-masters' stores, officers' travelling expences, armourers' and carpenters' bills, and other contingent expences, nine thousand four hundred and sixty-one dollars.

To make good deficiencies in the appropriations for the navy of the United States, in the year one thousand eight hundred and two, that is to say:

For pay and subsistence of the officers, the pay of the seamen, provisions, repairs, and expences incurred in the year one thousand eight hundred and one, and which have been paid out of an appropriation made in the year one thousand eight hundred and two, including a deficiency for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and two, one hundred and sixty-eight thousand four hundred and thirty-nine dollars and eighty-one cents.

For salaries of superintendants of navy yards, store keepers, and clerks, store-vent, hire of labourers, &c. on account of the expences incurred in the year one thousand eight hundred and one, including a deficiency for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and two, eight hundred and seventy-five dollars and sixty-eight cents.

For navy yards, docks and wharfs eleven thousand five hundred and thirty-five dollars and twenty-eight cents.

For medicine, medical services, and hospital stores for the marine corps, on account of expences incurred in the year one thousand eight hundred and one, including a deficiency for the service of the year one thousand eight hundred and two, five hundred ninety-six dollars and thirty-nine cents.

For marine barracks, on account of expences incurred in the year one thousand eight hundred and one, four hundred and one dollar and ninety-three cents.

For the payment of a balance due the estate of John Taberham, late collector at Savannah, for naval materials ascertained at the Treasury, for sundry payments made by him to John H. Morel, on the same account, including a commission on the said payments, at one per cent, sixteen thousand nine hundred and forty-eight dollars and thirty-seven cents.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the several sums of money herein specifically appropriated, and amounting together to the sum of one million and ninety-eight thousand seven hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifty-six cents, shall be paid first out of the sum of one hundred thousand dollars already appropriated for the naval service during the year one thousand eight hundred & three, and secondly out of any monies in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

NATH. MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A. BURR,

Vice-President of the United States, and President of the Senate.

Approved, March 3, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON.

AN ACT

In addition to the act, intitled "An act concerning the registering and recording of ships and vessels of the United States," and to the act, intitled "An act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage."

Be it enacted, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That if any person shall knowingly make, utter or publish any false sealetter, Mediterranean passport, or certificate of registry, or shall knowingly avail himself of any such Mediterranean passport, sealetter or certificate of registry, he shall forfeit and pay a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars, to be recovered by action of debt, in the name of the United States, in any court of competent jurisdiction; and if an officer of the United States, he shall for ever thereafter be rendered incapable of holding any office of trust or profit under the authority of the United States.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That it shall be the duty of the comptroller of the treasury, to cause to be provided, blank certificates of registry, with such water and other

secret marks as he may direct, which marks shall be made known only to the collectors and their deputies, and to the consuls or commercial agents of the United States; and from and after the thirty-first day of December next, no certificate of registry shall be issued, except such as shall have been provided and marked as aforesaid; and the ships or vessels of the United States, which shall have been duly registered as such, shall be intitled to new certificates of registry (gratis) in exchange for their old certificates of registry: And it shall be the duty of the respective collectors, on the departure of any such ship or vessel after the said thirty-first day of December, from the district to which such ship or vessel shall belong, to issue a new certificate accordingly, and to retain and deface the former certificate.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That when any ship or vessel, which has been or which shall be registered pursuant to any law of the United States, shall whilst such ship or vessel is without the limits of the United States, be sold or transferred in whole or in part to a citizen or citizens of the United States, such ship or vessel on her first arrival in the United States therefor shall be entitled to all the privileges and benefits of a ship or vessel of the United States: Provided, That all the requisites of law, in order to the registry of ships or vessels, shall be complied with, and a new certificate of registry obtained for such ship or vessel, within three days from the time at which the master or other person having the charge or command of such ship or vessel is required to make his final report upon her first arrival afterwards as aforesaid, agreeably to the thirtieth section of the act, passed on the second day of March, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-nine, entitled "An act to regulate the collection of duties on imports and tonnage." And it shall be lawful to pay to the collector of the district within which such ship or vessel may arrive as aforesaid, the duties imposed by law on the tonnage of such ship or vessel at any time within three days from the time at which the master or other person having the charge or command of such ship or vessel, is required to make his final report as aforesaid, any thing to the contrary in any former law notwithstanding: Provided always, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to repeal or in anywise change the provisions, restrictions or limitations of any former act or acts, excepting so far as the same shall be repugnant to the provisions of this act.

Sec. 4. And be it further enacted, That the power vested in the Secretary of the Treasury, to remove disabilities incurred under the act to which this is a supplement, and under the act, intitled "An act for enrolling and licensing ships or vessels to be employed in the coasting trade and fisheries," for regulating the same, shall extend to the remission of any foreign duties which shall have been or shall be incurred by reason of such disabilities.

NATH. MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

A. BURR,

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

Approved March 3, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON.

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Military establishment of the United States, in the year one thousand eight hundred and three.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America, in Congress assembled, That for defraying the several expences of the military establishment of the United States for the year one thousand eight hundred and three; for the Indian department, and for the erection of fortifications; the following sums be, and the same hereby are respectively appropriated, that is to say, For the pay of the army of the United States, two hundred and ninety nine thousand one hundred and twenty four dollars.

For forage, four thousand and fifty six dollars.

For the subsistence of the officers of the army and the corps of engineers, twenty nine thousand and

eighty six dollars and eighty five cents.

For the subsistence of non-commissioned officers and privates, one hundred and fifty four thousand five hundred and forty dollars and seventy five cents.

For clothing, fifty six thousand nine hundred and sixty dollars.

For bounties and premiums, eight thousand dollars.

For the medical and hospital department, ten thousand dollars.

For camp equipage, fuel, tools and transportation, and contingent expences, fifty eight thousand dollars.

For fortifications, arsenals, magazines and armouries, one hundred and nine thousand six hundred and ninety-six dollars and eighty eight cents.

For the Indian department, seventy three thousand five hundred dollars.

For purchasing maps, plans, books and instruments for the department of war and the military academy, two thousand dollars.

For postage on letters on public service to and from the offices of the Adjutant and Inspector and Paymaster of the army four thousand five hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. And be it further enacted, That the sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, including any unexpended balance of former appropriations for the same object be, and the same hereby is appropriated for defraying the expences of any treaty or treaties which may be held with the Indians: Provided, That the compensation to be allowed to any commissioner appointed or who may be appointed, for negotiating such treaties shall not exceed exclusive of travelling expences, the rate of eight dollars a day during the actual service of such commissioner.

Sec. 3. And be it further enacted, That the several appropriations herein before made, shall be paid and discharged, first out of any balance remaining unexpended of former appropriations for the same objects respectively, and secondly, out of any monies in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

NATH. MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

STEPHEN R. BRADLEY,

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Approved March 3, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON,

President of the United States.

AN ACT

Concerning the Salt Springs on the waters of the Wabash River.

Be it enacted, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of procuring articles necessary to the establishment of salt works at the springs near the Wabash river, which have been ceded to the United States, by certain Indian tribes, the sum of three thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby appropriated, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the treasury, and under the direction of the President of the United States, who is hereby authorized to cause the said springs to be worked at the expence of the United States, or if he shall deem it more proper, to lease the same for a term not exceeding three years, on such conditions as will ensure the working the same the most extensively, and to the most advantage to the United States.

NATH. MACON,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

STEPHEN R. BRADLEY,

President of the Senate pro tempore.

Approved March 3, 1803.

TH: JEFFERSON.

NOTICE.

AT A Court of Pleas and Quarter Sessions held for Orange County, on the 4th Monday of February last, the subscribers qualified as Executors of the last Will and Testament of Abraham Taton, deceased. They have duly complied with the requisites of an act of the General Assembly, passed in the year 1789, entitled "An act concerning proving of Wills and granting Letters of Administration," and will avail themselves thereof against all Demands which may be exhibited within the Time prescribed by said Act; those who have Claims against the Estate will therefore see the Necessity of bringing them forward without Delay; all Persons indebted to the deceased will make speedy Payment.

SAMUEL GOODWIN,

CATLETT CAMPBELL,

DUNCAN CAMERON,

Hillsborough, March 4, 1803.