H. R. 407.

February 23, 1832.
Read twice, and committed to a Committee of the Whole House to-morrow.

Mr. Bullard, from the Committee on Private Land Claims, reported the following bill:

A BILL
For the relief of John L. Lobdell.

1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That
2. John L. Lobdell be, and he is hereby, confirmed in his title to a tract of land containing seven hundred superficial arpens,
3. situated on the west bank of the Mississippi, in the parish of West Baton Rouge, opposite Brown's island; it being the same tract of land granted to Stephen Watts, by the Spanish Government, on the twelfth day of December, one thousand seven hundred and ninety-eight, by patent bearing that date,
4. as the same was surveyed by Carlos Trudeau, at that time Surveyor General of the province of Louisiana: Provided, That
5. this act shall be taken and construed only as a relinquishment on the part of the United States, and not to prejudice the rights of third persons.