
IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

MARCH 17, 1869.

Mr. WILSON asked, and by unanimous consent obtained, leave to bring in the following bill; which was read twice, referred to the Committee on Military Affairs, and ordered to be printed.

A BILL

Relating to the Freedmen's Bureau.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*
3 That the second section of the act entitled "An act relating
4 to the Freedmen's Bureau and providing for its discontin-
5 uance," passed on the twenty-fifth day of July, eighteen
6 hundred and sixty-eight, shall be so construed that the educa-
7 tional department of the said bureau and the collection and
8 payment by the Commissioner of said bureau of moneys due
9 to colored soldiers, sailors, and marines, or their heirs, shall
10 be continued until the first day of January, eighteen hundred
11 and seventy-one.

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