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Fannie T. Sayles, executrix.
Duplicate check to.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That George A. Bartlett, disbursing clerk of the Treasury Department, be, and is hereby, instructed to issue a duplicate of said original check, under such regulations in regard to its issue and payment as have been prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury for the issue of duplicate checks under the provisions of section thirty-six hundred and forty-six, Revised Statutes of the United States.

R. S., sec. 3646, p. 717.

Approved, February 10, 1903.

February 10, 1903.
[Private, No. 462a]

CHAP. 541a.—An Act For the relief of Clara H. Fulford.

Clara H. Fulford.
Redemption of burned bonds authorized.

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 is hereby, instructed to redeem, in favor of Mrs. Clara H. Fulford, widow of D. Fulford, two bonds of the United States, of the denominations of fifty dollars and fifty dollars, and known as five-twenties, said bonds having been destroyed by fire the ninth day of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, and to pay to Mrs. Clara H. Fulford, widow of said D. Fulford, the amount of said bonds, together with accrued interest from July first, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, to the date of the maturity of said bonds.

Indemnity bond.

SEC. 2. That the said Mrs. Clara H. Fulford, widow of D. Fulford, shall also execute and file with the Secretary of the Treasury a bond with sufficient sureties, to be approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, in the penalty of three hundred dollars, conditioned to save harmless the United States from loss or liability on account of said bonds or the interest accrued thereon.

Approved, February 10, 1903.

February 12, 1903.
[Private, No. 463.]

CHAP. 549.—An Act For the relief of William M. Bird, James F. Redding, Henry F. Welch, and others.

William M. Bird, James F. Redding, Henry F. Welch, etc.
Relief of, as sureties on contract of D. A. J. Sullivan.
Ante, p. 1037.

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 is hereby, authorized to examine into the circumstances of the performance and execution by William M. Bird, James F. Redding, Henry F. Welch, and others, as sureties of D. A. J. Sullivan, of the work in the construction of the new United States post-office and court-house in Charleston, South Carolina, under the contract of the said D. A. J. Sullivan to construct the same, dated January thirteenth, eighteen hundred and ninety, and ascertain what work was done thereunder, and whether for any reason the said parties who performed said work are justly and equitably entitled to be reimbursed the amount by them expended in performing said work over and above the original contract price; and the said Secretary is authorized to take evidence to ascertain the facts in the case, notwithstanding the terms of the contract, and to determine the amount that should fairly and equitably be allowed said parties, and to pay such sum as he may determine shall be allowed, not to exceed, however, the sum of twenty-two thousand seven hundred and four dollars. And a sufficient amount of money is hereby appropriated, out of the funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to pay the amount so found to be fairly and equitably due, not exceeding the sum of twenty-two thousand seven hundred and four dollars.

Appropriation.

Approved, February 12, 1903.