

and costs, if any, as shall be found to be due against the United States in favor of the Eastern Transportation Company, or against the Eastern Transportation Company in favor of the United States upon the same principles and measures of liability as in like cases in admiralty between private parties and with the same rights of appeal: *Provided*, That such notice of the suit shall be given to the Attorney General of the United States as may be provided by order of the said court, and it shall be the duty of the Attorney General to cause the United States attorney in such district to appear and defend for the United States: *Provided further*, That said suit shall be brought and commenced within four months of the date of the passage of this Act.

Approved, March 30, 1920.

Provisos.
Notice, etc.

Commencement of
suit.

March 30, 1920.
[H. R. 946.]
[Private, No. 33.]

CHAP. 115.—An Act For the relief of James A. Showen.

James A. Showen.
Gratuity pay to, as
father of Arthur J.
Showen.

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to pay to James A. Showen, of Spencer, Roane County, West Virginia, out of any funds in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$144, being six months' gratuity pay under the provision of the Act of May 13, 1908, of Arthur J. Showen, late corporal of Company F, Second Regiment United States Infantry, who died in service on the 27th of July, 1908, from disease contracted in line of duty, leaving no widow, and without having designated a beneficiary under the said Act, the said James A. Showen being the father of said Arthur J. Showen, late corporal of Company F, Second Regiment United States Infantry.

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Approved, March 30, 1920.

March 30, 1920.
[H. R. 1317.]
[Private, No. 34.]

CHAP. 116.—An Act For the relief of Robert T. Legge.

Robert T. Legge.
Payment to.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the sum of \$150 be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to pay Robert T. Legge, a citizen of McCloud, Shasta County, in the State of California, compensation for professional operation performed on John Moran, who was injured while an employe of the United States Forest Service.

Approved, March 30, 1920.

March 31, 1920.
[S. 696.]
[Private, No. 35.]

CHAP. 117.—An Act To carry out the findings of the Court of Claims in the case of Frank S. Bowker.

Frank S. Bowker.
Payment to, for dam-
ages to schooner "Wil-
liam H. Davenport."

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 is hereby, authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$2,759.80 to Frank S. Bowker, of Phippsburg, Maine, as managing owner of the schooner William H. Davenport and of the cargo thereof, for the damages caused to said schooner and her cargo of lumber by a collision with the United States lighthouse steamer Azalea, which occurred on the 2d day of October, 1899, as found by the Court of Claims and reported in House Document Numbered 334 of the Sixty-fifth Congress, first session.

Approved, March 31, 1920.