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mate, United States Navy, in the rating held by him when last discharged therefrom, and to transfer him immediately to the Fleet Naval Reserve in that rating and with all the benefits and emoluments thereof which he would have been entitled to receive had he been transferred thereto under the provisions of the Act of July 1, 1922 (volume 42, Statutes at Large, page 786), immediately after the passage of said Act.

Pay, etc.

Vol. 42, p. 786.

Approved, March 4, 1925.

March 4, 1925.
[S. 3717.]
[Private, No. 271.]

CHAP. 587.—An Act Conferring jurisdiction upon the Court of Claims of the United States or the District Courts of the United States to hear, adjudicate, and enter judgment on the claim of Solomon L. Van Meter, junior, against the United States, for the use or manufacture of an invention of Solomon L. Van Meter, junior, covered by letters patent numbered 1192479, issued by the Patent Office of the United States July 25, 1916.

Solomon L. Van Meter, junior.
Jurisdiction of Federal court to adjudicate claim of, for use by Government of patented invention, without license, etc.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the Court of Claims or the District Courts of the United States, notwithstanding the lapse of time or the statute of limitations and the fact that Solomon L. Van Meter, junior, is an employee of or in the Air Service of the United States, to hear, examine, adjudicate, and render judgment on the claim of Solomon L. Van Meter, junior, for the use and manufacture by or for the United States without license of the owner thereof or lawful right to use or manufacture the same, of an invention of Solomon L. Van Meter, junior, described in or covered by letters patent numbered 1192479, issued by the Patent Office of the United States on the 25th day of July, 1916, prior to the time Solomon L. Van Meter, junior, entered the service of the United States.

Appeals allowed.

SEC. 2. From any decision in any suit prosecuted under the authority of this Act an appeal may be taken by either party as is provided for by law in other cases.

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[S. 3830.]
[Private, No. 272.]

CHAP. 588.—An Act To authorize and direct the Secretary of the Interior to issue patents upon the small holding claims of Constancio Miera, Juan N. Baca, and Filomeno N. Miera.

Constancio Miera, Juan N. Baca, and Filomeno N. Miera.
Patents issued to, for small holdings in New Mexico.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to issue patents for the following small holding claims, to wit: Numbered 4245, embracing the southeast quarter northwest quarter, northeast quarter southwest quarter, north half southeast quarter, section 7, township 4 south, range 4 east, New Mexico principal meridian, containing one hundred and sixty acres, to Constancio Miera, his heirs and assigns; numbered 5411, embracing the southeast quarter southeast quarter, section 31, township 3 south, range 4 east, and lot 1, section 6, township 4 south, range 4 east, New Mexico principal meridian, containing eighty-one and ninety-eight one-hundredths acres, to Juan N. Baca, his heirs and assigns; and numbered 5159, embracing the south half southeast quarter, section 7, and east half northeast quarter, section 18, township 4 south, range 4 east, New Mexico principal meridian, containing one hundred and sixty acres, to Filomeno N. Miera, his heirs and assigns.

Approved, March 4, 1925.