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CHAP. 333.—An Act For the relief of George W. Boyer.

George W. Boyer.
May bring suit for collision damages to barge "Pine Grove," in district court.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the claim of George W. Boyer, of Pine Grove, Pennsylvania, owner of the barge Pine Grove, against the United States of America for damages alleged to have been caused by collision on December 7, 1925, between said barge and the highway bridge at Coinjock, North Carolina, while said bridge was owned and operated by the United States, may be litigated and determined in the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, sitting as a court of admiralty and acting under the rules governing such courts, and said court shall have jurisdiction to hear and determine such suit and to enter a judgment or decree for the amount of such damages and costs, if any, as shall be found to be due against the United States of America in favor of said George W. Boyer, or against said George W. Boyer in favor of the United States of America, ascertained upon the principles and measures of liability applicable in like cases in admiralty between private persons or corporations, with the same right of appeal: *Provided*, That notice of any suit brought by George W. Boyer by virtue hereof shall be given to the Attorney General of the United States in the manner provided by any order entered by the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of Virginia, at Norfolk, in said cause, and it shall be the duty of the Attorney General of the United States to cause the United States attorney for the eastern district of Virginia, at Norfolk, to appear on behalf of the United States and protect and defend its interests: *Provided further*, That the proceeding hereby authorized shall be begun within four months from the date of the passage of this Act.

Jurisdiction of court.

Provisos.
Notice to Attorney General.

Commencement of suit.

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CHAP. 348.—An Act For the relief of Charles H. Niehaus.

Charles H. Niehaus.
Payment to.

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 is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and in full settlement against the Government, the sum of $33,121 to Charles H. Niehaus, of Grantwood, New Jersey, to compensate the said Niehaus for losses suffered by him in the designing and erection by the said Niehaus of the Francis Scott Key Memorial at Fort McHenry, Baltimore, Maryland, under his contract with the United States, dated October 19, 1916, said memorial having been completed by the said Niehaus and accepted by the United States June 14, 1922.

Approved, April 10, 1928.

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CHAP. 349.—An Act For the relief of George A. Winslow.

George A. Winslow.
Military record corrected.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That in the administration of any laws conferring rights, privileges, and benefits upon honorably discharged soldiers, George A. Winslow, who was a member of Company M, Third Arkansas Volunteer Cavalry, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been discharged honorably from the military service of the United States as a lieutenant of that