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Czechoslovakia, in the sum of $10,000, due to the United States on account of consular fees, which represented funds in said amount regularly mailed to the State Department by said Winans in November, 1920, and stolen while in the course of transmission through official pouch.

Approved, April 20, 1928.

April 20, 1928.
[H. R. 10032.]
[Private, No. 76.]

CHAP. 390.—An Act For the relief of the widows of certain Foreign Service officers.

Death allowances to widows of designated Foreign Service officers.

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 Mabel Rees Coffin, widow of William Coffin, late American Consul General at Berlin, Germany, the sum of $9,000, being one year's salary of her deceased husband, who died while in the Foreign Service; to Sarah Linard, widow of the late Drew Linard, late American Consul at Piedras Negras, Coahuila, Mexico, the sum of $3,500, being one year's salary of her deceased husband, who died of illness incurred while in the Consular Service; to Catherine ReQua Johnson the sum of $6,000, being a year's salary of her deceased husband, Stewart Johnson, who was killed while American chargé d'affaires in Egypt; and there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sufficient sum to carry out the purpose of this Act.

Mabel Rees Coffin.

Sarah Linard.

Catherine ReQua Johnson.

Appropriation for.

Approved, April 20, 1928.

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[H. J. Res. 118.]
[Priv. Res., No. 2.]

CHAP. 391.—Joint Resolution Authorizing the Secretary of War to award a duplicate Congressional Medal of Honor to Lieutenant Colonel William J. Sperry.

Lieutenant Colonel William J. Sperry.
Duplicate Congressional Medal of Honor issued to.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to issue a duplicate Congressional Medal of Honor to William J. Sperry, late lieutenant colonel, Sixth Vermont Infantry, Civil War, who was awarded a Congressional Medal of Honor for most distinguished gallantry at Petersburg, Virginia, April 2, 1865; and that the duplicate medal be presented to the widow of the above-mentioned officer.

To be presented to officer's widow.

Approved, April 20, 1928.

April 21, 1928.
[H. R. 1970.]
[Private, No. 77.]

CHAP. 402.—An Act For the relief of Dennis W. Scott.

Dennis W. Scott.
Military record corrected.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the administration of any laws conferring rights, privileges, and benefits upon honorably discharged soldiers, Dennis W. Scott, who was a member of Company B, Thirty-second Regiment United States Volunteer Infantry, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been honorably discharged from the military service of the United States as a private of that organization on the 31st day of October, 1898: *Provided*, That no bounty, back pay, pension, or allowance shall be held to have accrued prior to the passage of this Act.

Proviso.
No back pay, etc.

Approved, April 21, 1928.