

mento annexo of the estate of Haller Nutt, deceased, late of Natchez, Mississippi, in full settlement of any and all claims against the Government of any nature whatsoever on the part of said estate, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$75,000, due the estate of the said Haller Nutt for one mill and seven hundred bales of cotton taken for use by the United States military authorities, in compliance with the findings of the Court of Claims reported to Congress February 18, 1915.

Approved, May 29, 1928.

CHAP. 943.—An Act For the relief of the State of Florida.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That notwithstanding the provisions of section 3646, as amended, of the Revised Statutes of the United States, the disbursing clerk of the Department of Agriculture is authorized and directed to issue, without the requirement of an indemnity bond, a duplicate of original check numbered 1567677, drawn August 22, 1927, in favor of "State treasurer of Florida" for \$11,789.53 and lost, stolen, or miscarried in the mails.

Approved, May 29, 1928.

May 29, 1928.
[S. 3917.]
[Private, No. 249.]

State of Florida.
Duplicate check in favor of, substituted for lost original.
R. S. sec. 3646, p. 717, waived.

CHAP. 944.—An Act For the relief of Robert W. Miller.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to summon Robert W. Miller, late first lieutenant of Cavalry of the Regular Army of the United States, before a retiring board for the purpose of a hearing of his case and to inquire into and determine all the facts touching on the nature of his disabilities and his separation from the service, and to find and report the disabilities which in its judgment have produced his disability, if any, and whether such disability, if it exists, is an incident of service; that upon the findings of such a board the President is further authorized, in his discretion, to nominate and appoint, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, the said Robert W. Miller a first lieutenant of Cavalry and either to place him immediately thereafter upon the retired list of the Army, with the same privileges and retired pay as are now or may hereafter be provided by law or regulation for the officers of the Regular Army, or to retain him on the active list of the Army in his original place immediately following Bryan L. Davis, Field Artillery, on the promotion list: *Provided*, That the said Robert W. Miller shall not be entitled to any back pay or allowances by the passage of this Act.

Approved, May 29, 1928.

May 29, 1928.
[S. 2519.]
[Private, No. 250.]

Robert W. Miller.
Summoned before Army retiring board to inquire into his disabilities, etc.

Action to be taken on finding of the board.

Proviso.
No back pay, etc.

CHAP. 945.—An Act To quiet title and possession with respect to certain lands in Faulkner County, Arkansas.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all right, title, and interest of the United States in and to the lands situated in Faulkner County, Arkansas, described as follows: The south half southwest quarter section 36, township 7 north, range 13 west, fifth principal meridian, Arkansas, according to the official plat thereof

May 29, 1928.
[S. 3602.]
[Private, No. 251.]

Faulkner County, Ark.
Preemption claim to certain lands in, granted to owners of title thereto.