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attorneys, to exact, collect, withhold, or receive any sum of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof on account of services rendered in connection with said claim, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding $1,000.

Penalty for violation.

Approved, March 23, 1934.

[CHAPTER 83.]

AN ACT

For the relief of the estate of Victor L. Berger, deceased.

March 23, 1934.
[H.R. 7229.]
[Private, No. 46.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be paid out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, to the legal heirs of the estate of Victor L. Berger, deceased, the sum of $9,856.12, in full settlement of all claims against the Government of the United States, the same being the unpaid balance, and without interest, of the salary to which the said Victor L. Berger would have been entitled as a member of Congress in the Sixty-sixth Congress, to which he had been regularly and duly elected but denied his seat therein because of his conviction for an alleged violation of the Espionage Act, which conviction was subsequently reversed by the United States Supreme Court, and the indictments nolle prossed on January 23, 1923, in the United States District Court for the Northern District of Illinois: *Provided*, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or agents, attorney or attorneys, on account of services rendered in connection with said claim. It shall be unlawful for any agent or agents, attorney or attorneys, to exact, collect, withhold, or receive any sum of the amount appropriated in this Act in excess of 10 per centum thereof on account of services rendered in connection with said claim, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding. Any person violating the provisions of this Act shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding $1,000.

Victor L. Berger.
Balance of salary as a Member of Congress, to be paid to estate of.

Proviso.
Limitation on attorney's, etc., fees.

Penalty for violation.

Approved, March 23, 1934.

[CHAPTER 85.]

AN ACT

For the relief of Pinkie Osborne.

March 25, 1934.
[H.R. 3554.]
[Private, No. 47.]

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 money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Pinkie Osborne, of Elizabethtown, Hardin County, Kentucky, the sum of $2,500 in full settlement of all claim against the United States for injuries arising out of a gunshot wound inflicted by the discharge of a machine gun at Elizabethtown on April 6, 1918: *Provided*, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act shall be paid or delivered or received by any agent or agents, attorney or attorneys, on account of services rendered in connection with said claim. It shall be unlawful for any agent or agents, attorney or attorneys, to exact, collect, withhold or receive any sum of the amount appropriated in this Act on account of services rendered in connection

Pinkie Osborne.
Payment to, for personal injuries.

Proviso.
Limitation on attorney's, etc., fees.