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[CHAPTER 257.]

AN ACT

May 7, 1934.
[H.R. 6690.]
[Private, No. 127.]

For the relief of certain officers of the Dental Corps of the United States Navy.

Dental Corps, Navy.
Status of certain officers of, defined.
Vol. 41, p. 834.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all commissioned officers now on active duty in the Dental Corps of the United States Navy who, while heretofore on active duty as reserve or temporary commissioned officers, had qualified for appointment to the Dental Corps of the United States Navy pursuant to an examination held at the United States Naval Medical School, Washington, District of Columbia, in January 1920, and who since that date have continuously served on active duty, shall hereafter be entitled to a position on the precedence list in accordance with that attained in said examination: *Provided*, That such officers of the Dental Corps shall be assigned running mates for promotion purposes in accordance with their precedence as so determined: *And provided further*, That no back pay or allowances shall accrue to any officer by reason of the passage of this Act.

Provisos.
Assignment.

No back pay, etc.

Approved, May 7, 1934.

[CHAPTER 258.]

AN ACT

May 7, 1934.
[H.R. 6862.]
[Private, No. 128.]

For the relief of Martha Edwards.

Martha Edwards.
Payment to, for personal injuries.

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 the legal guardian of Martha Edwards, of East Camp, Norfolk, Virginia, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of $3,000 in full settlement of all claims against the Government of the United States for permanent injuries sustained by her as a result of being struck by a United States naval airplane on the premises of her father at East Camp, Norfolk, Virginia, on October 30, 1929; and in addition, pay to the Norfolk Protestant Hospital the sum of $177, and to Doctor Julian L. Rawls the sum of $150, due them for care and attention to her as a result of said injury: *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.

For medical care.

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

Penalty for violation.

Approved, May 7, 1934.

[CHAPTER 259.]

AN ACT

May 7, 1934.
[H.R. 909.]
[Private, No. 129.]

For the relief of Elbert L. Grove.

Elbert L. Grove.
Naval 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 sailors Elbert L. Grove, late of United States Navy, shall hereafter be held and considered to have been honorably