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of that organization on the 6th day of July 1864: *Provided*, That no bounty, back pay, pension, or allowance shall be held to have accrued prior to the passage of this Act.

Approved, May 10, 1935.

Proviso.
No back pay, etc.

[CHAPTER 116.]

AN ACT

To authorize the settlement of individual claims for personal property lost or damaged, arising out of the activities of the Civilian Conservation Corps, which have been approved by the Secretary of War.

May 15, 1935.
[S. 553.]
[Private, No. 37.]

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, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Kenneth R. Betts, Chillicothe, Ohio, \$14.45; Frank W. Brunner, Springfield, Illinois, \$38.55; W. J. Conley, Dunsmuir, California, \$99.80; H. B. Clifton, Savanna, Illinois, \$60.75; Frank E. Daley, Severna Park, Maryland, \$84.70; Mazie J. Donaldson, Oakland, California, \$49.10; F. T. H. Kelley, Thompson, Connecticut, \$7.10; Meriam H. Lyter, Williamsport, Pennsylvania, \$5; Robert E. Patnaude, Deer River, Minnesota, \$25; Van's Battery and Electric Company, Inc., Green Bay, Wisconsin, \$92.28; and Earl W. Williams, Bennington, Vermont, \$15.35, in full settlement for damages sustained by reason of the operation of the Civilian Conservation Corps in which claims have been approved by the Secretary of War: *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.

Civilian Conserva-
tion Corps.
Settlement of indi-
vidual claims.

Proviso.
Limitation on attor-
ney's, etc., fees.

Penalty for violation.

Approved, May 15, 1935.

[CHAPTER 117.]

AN ACT

To authorize settlement, allowance, and payment of certain claims.

May 15, 1935.
[S. 559.]
[Private, No. 38.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Comptroller General of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to adjust and settle the following claims and certify the same to Congress:

Claims.
Adjustment of cer-
tain, authorized.

(a) R. D. Jacques in the amount of \$3,332.15 for damage to his furniture, clothing, and effects, and \$6,862.50 for damage to his house; Rudolph J. Gasser, \$2,841.51 for damage to his household goods, wares, merchandise, and personal belongings, these three claims being the result of an airplane accident at Chicago, Illinois, on April 30, 1932, when an Army airplane piloted by Second Lieutenant Charles A. Fargo, Air Corps Reserve, on an authorized flight, crashed into the house of Mr. Jacques, killing the pilot and his passenger and setting fire to the building in which the claimants were then living.

R. D. Jacques.