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receipts of the office by Mary Hemke, widow of the said Edward Hemke, who, without prior designation by the Postmaster General, performed the duties of postmaster at the post office at Weisburg from January 8, 1933, the day after the death of said Edward Hemke, to May 10, 1933, both dates inclusive, such sum representing the amount of compensation which Mary Hemke would have been entitled to receive had she been regularly designated as acting postmaster for such period.

Approved, May 6, 1936.

[CHAPTER 369.]

AN ACT

May 6, 1936.
[H. R. 11573.]
[Private, No. 546.]

To amend the Act entitled "An Act for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey", approved August 19, 1935.

Brooklawn, N. J.
Ante, p. 2147.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 1 of the Act entitled "An Act for the relief of certain purchasers of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, State of New Jersey", approved August 19, 1935, is amended to read as follows:

Refunds to certain purchasers of lands.

"That the United States Shipping Board Bureau is authorized and directed to make refunds to present owners of lands in the Borough of Brooklawn, in the State of New Jersey, which have been purchased from the United States, of 14 per centum of the purchase price of such purchased lands where the full purchase price of said lands or where the full amount of principal due on purchase money bonds and mortgages given to the United States of America, represented by the United States Shipping Board, covering such lands, has been paid by such owners into the Treasury of the United States, prior to November 1, 1931."

Funds available.

SEC. 2. The appropriation made in section 2 of such Act approved August 19, 1935, shall be available for making refunds under such Act of August 19, 1935, as amended by this Act.

Approved, May 6, 1936.

[CHAPTER 372.]

AN ACT

May 7, 1936.
[H. R. 5491.]
[Private, No. 547.]

For the relief of the Bethlehem Fabricators, Incorporated.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Bethlehem Fabricators, Incorporated, a corporation organized and existing under the laws of the State of Pennsylvania, and having its principal place of business at Bethlehem, Pennsylvania, is hereby authorized to bring suit against the United States of America in the Court of Claims to recover damages or compensation for any loss or losses which it may have suffered by reason of any work done, or moneys expended, in performing or attempting to perform any contract, formal or informal, or otherwise, with the United States Shipping Board or Emergency Fleet Corporation; or moneys expended or expenses incurred at the request of the officers of said United States Shipping Board or said Emergency Fleet Corporation, including unabsorbed overhead and cost of plant extension, and damages suffered by reason of the cancelation of any contract.

Bethlehem Fabricators, Incorporated.
Claim of, submitted to Court of Claims.

Jurisdiction conferred.

Jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the Court of Claims of the United States to hear, consider, and determine such action upon its merits and according to the equities of the case with the view of