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[CHAPTER 570.]

AN ACT

For the relief of Bernard F. Hickey.

June 15, 1936.
[S. 4119.]
[Private, No. 617.]

Bernard F. Hickey.
Payment to.

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 Bernard F. Hickey, a major, United States Marine Corps, retired, the sum of $1,587.25 in full satisfaction of all his claims against the United States for the loss of certain of his personal property on September 1, 1923, in the earthquake and fire at Kamakura, Japan, while serving as an assistant attaché of the American Embassy at Tokyo, Japan.

Approved, June 15, 1936.

[CHAPTER 571.]

AN ACT

For the relief of Homer Brett, American Consul at Rotterdam, Netherlands.

June 15, 1936.
[S. 4140.]
[Private, No. 618.]

Homer Brett.
Payment to.

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 Homer Brett, American consul at Rotterdam, Netherlands, the sum of $116.58 in full settlement of his claim against the United States for the unrecovered amount of Government funds stolen from the safe of the American consulate at Rotterdam, Netherlands, on the night of September 27, 1935: *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 attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, 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.

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

Penalty for violation.

Approved, June 15, 1936.

[CHAPTER 572.]

AN ACT

For the relief of William H. Brockman.

June 15, 1936.
[S. 4233.]
[Private, No. 619.]

William H. Brockman.
Certain charges, pay accounts of, canceled.

Reimbursement of pay deductions.

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 cancel the charges entered on the pay accounts of William H. Brockman, lieutenant (junior grade), United States Navy, in the amount of $317.34, and to pay to said William H. Brockman, out of money appropriated for the pay of Navy personnel, any amount heretofore deducted from his pay on account of such charges; such charges having been entered on the accounts of said William H. Brockman by reason of extra pay received by him for the performance of duty at submarine escape training tanks, and a subsequent ruling that he was not entitled to such extra pay because such duty was not actually performed on board a submarine.

Approved, June 15, 1936.