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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.

Penalty for violation.

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 777.]

AN ACT

For the relief of Emma M. Pearson.

June 24, 1936.
[H. R. 5754.]
[Private, No. 684.]

Emma M. Pearson.
Provisions of Employees' Compensation Act extended to.
Vol. 39, p. 746.
U. S. C., p. 100.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the limitations of time in sections 15 to 20, both inclusive, of the Act entitled "An Act to provide compensation for the employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916, as amended, are hereby waived in favor of Emma M. Pearson, of Santa Monica, California, and the Employees' Compensation Commission is hereby authorized to receive and consider her claim, if filed within six months after the approval of this Act, under the remaining provisions of the said Act of September 7, 1916, as amended, for disability alleged to have been incurred by her while employed in the nurses' home, Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia, between September 1918 and May 1919, or as laboratory technician at the General Hospital, Fort Sheridan, Illinois, between May 1919 and October 1920: *Provided*, That no benefits shall accrue prior to the approval of this Act.

Proviso.
No prior benefits.

Approved, June 24, 1936.

[CHAPTER 778.]

AN ACT

For the relief of Daniel J. Hagerty.

June 24, 1936.
[H. R. 5829.]
[Private, No. 685.]

Daniel J. Hagerty.
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, and in full settlement of all claims against the Government of the United States, to Daniel J. Hagerty, the sum of $2,500 said sum being the amount of bond placed for the appearance of a defendant in the United States District Court, District of New Hampshire, for prosecution under the National Prohibition Act, which defendant was duly tried and convicted, but after the sum mentioned was ordered deposited in the Treasury of the United States, by decree of the court, to apply on unpaid fines and costs in the said criminal case: *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.

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

Penalty for violation.

Approved, June 24, 1936.