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

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.

Penalty for violation.

Approved, June 20, 1938.

[CHAPTER 545]

AN ACT

For the relief of Lewis M. Foster.

June 20, 1938
[S. 3470]
[Private, No. 637]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That notwithstanding the provisions and limitations of sections 15 to 20, both inclusive, of the Act entitled "An Act to provide compensation for employees of the United States suffering injuries while in the performance of their duties, and for other purposes", approved September 7, 1916, as amended, the United States Employees' Compensation Commission be, and the same is hereby, authorized and directed to receive and consider, when filed, the claim of Lewis M. Foster, of Warren, Ohio, for fracture of the left elbow incurred by him on May 12, 1936, allegedly while in the performance of his duties as an employee of the Works Progress Administration in Trumbull County, Ohio, and to determine said claim upon its merits under the remaining provisions of said Act as extended and limited by the Act of February 15, 1934 (48 Stat. 351): *Provided*, That claim hereunder shall be filed within six months after the approval of this Act: *Provided further*, That no benefits shall accrue prior to the enactment of this Act.

Lewis M. Foster.
Provisions of Employees' Compensation Act extended to.

39 Stat. 746, 747.
5 U. S. C. §§ 765–770.

48 Stat. 351.
5 U. S. C. § 796; Supp. III, § 796.

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Time limitation for filing claim.
No prior benefits.

Approved, June 20, 1938.

[CHAPTER 546]

AN ACT

For the relief of Elizabeth Cory.

June 20, 1938
[S. 3512]
[Private, No. 638]

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 Elizabeth Cory, of College Park, Maryland, the sum of $2,000 in full settlement of her claim against the United States for medical expenses and personal injuries incurred as a result of a collision between the car which she was driving and a United States Army truck at the intersection of College Avenue and United States Highway Numbered 1, College Park, Maryland, on April 30, 1937: *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.

Elizabeth Cory.
Payment to.

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

Penalty for violation.

Approved, June 20, 1938.