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[CHAPTER 658]

June 25, 1938
[S. 3957]
[Private, No. 717]

AN ACT

For the relief of James Thow, Charles Thow, and David Thow.

James Thow, Charles Thow, and David Thow. Payments 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 James Thow the sum of $1,583, to Charles Thow the sum of $178, and to David Thow the sum of $56, in full satisfaction of their claims against the United States for damages resulting from property damage, personal injuries, and medical expenses sustained by them, as a result of the automobile in which they were riding having been struck by a United States Army truck on Route 14 near Barre, Vermont, on September 2, 1936: *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 such 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 25, 1938.

[CHAPTER 659]

June 25, 1938
[S. 4005]
[Private, No. 718]

AN ACT

For the relief of Ida May Swartz.

Ida May Swartz. 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 is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Ida May Swartz, of Elko, Nevada, the sum of $40.45, in full satisfaction of her claim against the United States for services rendered as United States commissioner in the district of Nevada, for the quarter beginning September 1, 1937, and ending November 30, 1937, for which services she has received no compensation.

Determination of amount.

SEC. 2. For the purpose of determining the amount of compensation to which said Ida May Swartz is entitled for any services rendered by her as United States commissioner in the district of Nevada during the quarter beginning December 1, 1937, and ending February 28, 1938, said Ida May Swartz shall be deemed to have been reappointed as United States commissioner in the district of Nevada effective September 8, 1937.

Limitation on attorney's, etc., fees.

SEC. 3. No part of any sum paid to said Ida May Swartz by reason of the enactment of this Act in excess of 10 per centum therof [1] shall be paid or delivered to or received by any agent or attorney on account of services rendered in connection with the claim of said Ida May Swartz for compensation for services rendered by her as United States commissioner in the district of Nevada. Any person violating any provision of this section 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 25, 1938.

[1] So in original.