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[CHAPTER 105]

AN ACT

April 26, 1939
[H. R. 2073]
[Private, No. 33]

To allow credit in the accounts of certain former disbursing officers of the Veterans' Administration, and for other purposes.

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 is hereby authorized and directed in the settlement of the accounts of the following-named former disbursing officers of the Veterans' Administration, the Veterans' Bureau (now Veterans' Administration), and the present Chief Disbursing Officer, Treasury Department, to allow credit in the sums herein stated now standing as disallowances in the said accounts on the books of the General Accounting Office: *Provided*, That any amount herein allowed in the account of a disbursing officer shall not be chargeable to any administrative officer or employee of the Veterans' Administration: *Provided further*, That this Act shall not bar recovery of the amounts herein specified from the persons to whom such amounts have been paid.

Veterans' Administration.
Credit allowed in accounts of former disbursing officers.

Chief Disbursing Officer, Treasury Department.

Provisos.
Accountability.

Recovery not barred.

First: J. B. Schommer, former Disbursing Officer, Veterans' Administration, Washington, District of Columbia, in the sums of $25 and $95.25, which amounts were expended during the period from May 1933 to June 30, 1934 (symbols XXXX and XXXX).

J. B. Schommer.

Second: C. A. Wood, former Disbursing Officer, Veterans' Administration Facility, Atlanta, Georgia, in the sum of $509.75, which amount was expended during the period from August 1932 to June 30, 1933 (symbol XXXX).

C. A. Wood.

Third: Warren A. Minnis, former Disbursing Officer, Veterans' Administration Facility, Bay Pines, Florida, in the sum of $97.66, which amount was expended during the period from May 1933 to May 1934 (symbol XXXX).

Warren A. Minnis.

Fourth: H. R. Barraclough, former Disbursing Officer, Veterans' Administration, Boston, Massachusetts, in the sum of $47.63, which amount was expended during the period from May 1 to July 31, 1933 (symbol XXXX).

H. R. Barraclough.

Fifth: J. W. Reynar, former Disbursing Officer, Veterans' Administration, Charlotte, North Carolina, in the sum of $13.80, which amount was expended during the period from May 1 to August 31, 1933 (symbol XXXX).

J. W. Reynar.

Sixth: James H. Jones, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Cheyenne, Wyoming, in the sum of $1, which amount was expended during the period from August 1 to 31, 1934 (symbol XXXX).

James H. Jones.

Seventh: Marsden V. Bates, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration, Detroit, Michigan, in the sum of $6.94, which amount was expended during the period from February 1 to 28, 1934 (symbol XXXX).

Marsden V. Bates.

Eighth: E. J. Cooper, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Fort Harrison, Montana, in the sum of $8, which amount was expended during the period from October 1 to 31, 1933 (symbol XXXX).

E. J. Cooper.

Ninth: T. A. Dillon, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Indianapolis, Indiana, in the sum of $50.33, which amount was expended during the period from October 1, 1933, to May 31, 1934 (symbol XXXX).

T. A. Dillon.

Tenth: James J. Gallagher, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Lyons, New Jersey, in the sum of $72.71, which amount was expended during the period from April 1 to April 30, 1934 (symbol XXXX).

James J. Gallagher.

Don Iler.

Eleventh: Don Iler, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration, New York, New York, in the sum of $18, which amount was expended during the period from May 1 to 31, 1933 (symbol XXXX).

D. B. Kennedy.

Twelfth: D. B. Kennedy, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Palo Alto, California, in the sum of $15, which amount was expended during the period from January 1 to March 31, 1934 (symbol XXXX).

P. J. Carney.

Thirteenth: P. J. Carney, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, in the sum of $2.95, which amount was expended during the period from July 1, 1933, to July 31, 1934 (symbol XXXX).

J. William Yates, Jr.

Fourteenth: J. William Yates, Junior, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Tuscaloosa, Alabama, in the sum of $113, which amount was expended on May 9, 1929 (symbol XXXX).

A. G. Ferguson.

Fifteenth: A. G. Ferguson, former Disbursing Officer at Veterans' Administration Facility, Wadsworth, Kansas, in the sum of $134.90, which amount was expended during the period of July 1 to 31, 1933 (symbol XXXX).

G. F. Allen, Chief Disbursing Officer, Treasury Department.

Sixteenth: G. F. Allen, Chief Disbursing Officer, Treasury Department, in the sums of $30, $37.50, $539, $383.03, $286.39, and $384.71, which amounts were expended during the period from July 1, 1934, to March 31, 1937 (symbols XXXX, XXXX, XXXX, XXXX, XXXX, and XXXX), and for which certain employees in the Veterans' Administration are held financially liable.

Approved, April 26, 1939.

[CHAPTER 108]

May 2, 1939
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[Private, No. 34]

AN ACT

For the relief of Junius Alexander.

Junius Alexander. 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 Junius Alexander, of Chidester, Arkansas, the sum of $2,500 in full settlement of all claims against the United States on account of the death of his daughter, Lillie Mae Alexander, as the result of being struck by a Civilian Conservation Corps truck under supervision of the Forest Service, on November 26, 1935, near Chidester, Arkansas:

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 attorney on account of services rendered in connection with this claim, and the same shall be unlawful, any contract to the contrary notwithstanding.

Penalty for violation.

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.

Approved, May 2, 1939.

[CHAPTER 111]

May 3, 1939
[H. R. 2061]
[Private, No. 35]

AN ACT

For the relief of Ernest O. Robinette and others.

Ernest O. Robinette and others. 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