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the sum of $682.64. Such sum represents the balance of a shortage in such account caused by the embezzlement of post-office funds by one of the postal clerks at such post office. Any recovery hereafter made by the Government in respect of such shortage may, in the discretion of the Comptroller General, be credited to the account of such former postmaster in the event that any additional shortage in his account is disclosed, if such additional shortage has occurred without fault or negligence on the part of such former postmaster.

Approved, August 9, 1939.

[CHAPTER 630]

August 9, 1939
[H. R. 4885]
[Private, No. 222]

AN ACT

For the relief of James M. Harwood.

James M. Harwood. Determination of disability claim of.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the United States Employees' Compensation Commission be, and it is hereby, authorized and directed to determine the merits of the claim of James M. Harwood, Johnson City, Tennessee, for disability alleged to have resulted from an injury sustained by him on January 3, 1929, while in the performance of his duties as a war attendant in the dental clinic of the Veterans' Administration facility, Johnson City, Tennessee, under the provisions 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, except that the time limitations in sections 15 to 20, inclusive, of said Act shall be, and are hereby, waived: *Provided*, That no benefits shall accrue prior to the approval of this Act: *And provided further*, That claim hereunder be filed within six months after the approval of this Act.

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

Provisos.
No prior benefits.
Time for filing claim.

Approved, August 9, 1939.

[CHAPTER 631]

August 9, 1939
[H. R. 6259]
[Private, No. 223]

AN ACT

For the relief of Jack D. Collins.

Jack D. Collins. Provisions of Employees' Compensation Act extended to.

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 is hereby authorized and directed to consider the claim of Jack D. Collins, filed with the United States Employees' Compensation Commission on January 10, 1939, for disability alleged to have been incurred by him May 3, 1935, when engaged in authorized activities while an enrollee of the Civilian Conservation Corps, and to determine said claim upon its merits under the provisions of said Act applicable to enrollees of the Civilian Conservation Corps: *Provided*, That no benefits shall accrue prior to the approval of this Act: *Provided further*, That claim hereunder shall be filed within ninety days from the approval of this Act.

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

Provisos.
No prior benefits.
Time for filing claim.

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