

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.

Approved, December 3, 1941.

[CHAPTER 558]

AN ACT

For the relief of William E. Thomas.

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 William E. Thomas, of Washington, District of Columbia, the sum of \$500, in full satisfaction of all claims against the United States for personal injuries sustained when his right foot was crushed between a subway car and the loading platform beneath the Capitol Building, September 13, 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.

Approved, December 4, 1941.

December 4, 1941
[H. R. 768]
[Private Law 231]

William E. Thomas.
Payment to.

Proviso.

[CHAPTER 559]

AN ACT

For the relief of Fred Spencer.

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 Fred Spencer the sum of \$3,700. The payment of such sum shall be in full settlement of all claims against the United States for personal injuries sustained on August 3, 1938, when the car in which he was riding was struck by a truck in the service of the Bureau of Reclamation, Department of the Interior: *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.

Approved, December 4, 1941.

December 4, 1941
[H. R. 3774]
[Private Law 232]

Fred Spencer.
Payment to.

Proviso.

[CHAPTER 560]

AN ACT

For the relief of Margaret M. Cutts.

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 Margaret M. Cutts, widow of the late Colonel Richard M. Cutts,

December 5, 1941
[H. R. 4270]
[Private Law 233]

Margaret M. Cutts.
Payment to.