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"(f) For all services in each case in which the commissioner under the authority of section 1 of the Act approved October 9, 1940 (54 Stat. 1058; U. S. C., of 1940, title 18, sec. 576), and under the rules promulgated by the Supreme Court under the authority of section 2 of said Act (U. S. C., of 1940, title 18, sec. 576a), conducts the trial or on a plea of guilty imposes sentence, a fee of $10 in lieu of all other fees herein provided. Conduct of trial, etc. 54 Stat. 1059.

"(g) For all purposes of this section, each accused shall be considered as a 'case'." "Case."

SEC. 2. Each United States commissioner shall be entitled to the following-named fees for the following services in connection with civil cases: Civil cases.

(a) For attending to a reference in a litigated matter in a civil cause or in admiralty in pursuance to an order of the court, $5 a day.

(b) For taking and certifying depositions to file in civil cases, 10 cents for each folio; for each copy of the same furnished to a party on request, 10 cents for each folio.

(c) For the purpose of computing the compensation of commissioners as provided in this amendment, services performed in a case in connection with the issuance of an attachment and subsequent hearing in Internal Revenue matters as provided for in section 3615 (e) of the Internal Revenue Code, approved February 10, 1939 (53 Stat. 439, 26 U. S. C., sec. 3615 (e)), and services performed in a case in connection with settling or certifying the nonpayment of a seaman's wage, as provided for in sections 4546 and 4547 of the Revised Statutes of the United States as amended (46 U. S. C., secs. 603 and 604), shall be considered as cases under section 21 (b) of the Act of May 28, 1896 (ch. 252, 29 Stat. 184, 28 U. S. C. 597) as amended by this Act and shall be charged for and compensated accordingly.

SEC. 3. No commissioner may receive compensation for his services in that capacity in excess of $7,500 for any one calendar year (exclusive of additions under section 521 of the Federal Employees Pay Act of 1945 as amended by section 6 of the Federal Employees Pay Act of 1946). Restriction on compensation. 59 Stat. 301. 5 U. S. C., Supp. V, § 934. *Ante*, p. 217.

SEC. 4. None of the provisions hereof shall apply to United States commissioners in the Territory of Alaska. Commissioners in Alaska.

SEC. 5. This Act shall become effective on the first day of the month succeeding its approval and shall apply to all cases arising thereafter. A case shall be deemed to arise when it first requires action of a commissioner. Effective date.

Approved August 1, 1946.

[CHAPTER 722]

AN ACT

Authorizing rehabilitation on the island of Guam.

August 1, 1946
[S. 1466]
[Public Law 583]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized to construct such permanent facilities for the civil populace of the island of Guam as he may deem necessary for their economic rehabilitation at a cost not to exceed $6,000,000 in aggregate amount.

SEC. 2. There is hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sums as may be necessary to effectuate the purpose of this Act. Appropriation authorized.

Approved August 1, 1946.