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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 August 14, 1950.

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[CHAPTER 710]

August 14, 1950
[S. 2242]
[Private Law 812]

AN ACT

For the relief of John E. Dwyer.

John E. Dwyer.

*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 John E. Dwyer, of 504 Halsey Avenue, San Jose, California, the sum of $1,666.50, in full satisfaction of his claim against the United States for reimbursement of medical and hospital expenses incurred by him for the treatment of a disease from which he was suffering at the time he was released from active duty in the Army by special orders numbered 35 of the Infantry School, Fort Benning, Georgia, dated February 19, 1941: *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 August 14, 1950.

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[CHAPTER 711]

August 14, 1950
[H. R. 4528]
[Private Law 813]

AN ACT

Conferring jurisdiction on the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Louis J. Marx.

Louis J. Marx.

62 Stat. 984.
28 U. S. C., Sup. III, § 2680.
64 Stat., Pt. 1, p. 1043.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That, notwithstanding the provisions of title 28, United States Code, section 2680, jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York to hear, determine, and render judgment upon the claim of Louis J. Marx, New York, New York, against the United States on account of personal injuries sustained allegedly as a result of an assault by a soldier in the United States Army.

SEC. 2. Notwithstanding any statute of limitations or lapse of time, suit upon such claim may be instituted within any time of one year of the enactment of this Act. In any such suit brought pursuant to this Act, proceedings shall be had and the liability, if any, of the United States shall be determined in accordance with the provisions of law applicable in the case of tort claims against the United States (U. S. C., title 28, sec. 1346 (b)): *Provided, however*, That nothing in this Act does or shall constitute an admission of liability on the part of the United States.

62 Stat. 933.
28 U. S. C., Sup. III, § 1346 (b).

Approved August 14, 1950.