

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 July 11, 1952.

Private Law 845

CHAPTER 692

July 11, 1952
[H. R. 5917]

AN ACT

To authorize the sale of land on the Crow Reservation, Montana, allotted to William Big Day.

William Big Day.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Interior, upon application in writing, is authorized to sell, under applicable regulations, the homestead land contained in allotment numbered 1997 of William Big Day, described as the northwest quarter of the southeast quarter, the northeast quarter of the southwest quarter, and the west half of the southwest quarter, section four, township 6 south, range 31 east, Montana principal meridian, containing one hundred and sixty acres.

Approved July 11, 1952.

Private Law 846

CHAPTER 693

July 11, 1952
[H. R. 6558]

AN ACT

For the relief of George Blech and others.

Lt. (jg) George
Blech and others.

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 the following members of the naval service the amounts listed opposite their names, representing amounts repaid by them to the United States to cover the costs of shipments of household effects, including packing, crating, drayage, and unpacking, from one residence or location to another residence or location in the same city or area, within the period from March 1, 1946, to January 31, 1949, which shipments at Government expense, although accomplished in good faith, have been held not to have been authorized:

Blech, George, lieutenant (junior grade), United States Naval Reserve, \$20.88;

DuBois, Samuel W., captain, United States Navy, \$226.25;

Foley, Charles T., lieutenant commander, United States Navy, \$122.20;

Shaw, Willis A., lieutenant, United States Naval Reserve, \$137.03;

Van Keuren, Alexander H., rear admiral, United States Navy, retired, \$183.69;

Whitehead, Ely L., captain, United States Navy, retired, \$175.20;

Young, David B., captain, United States Navy, \$292.66:

Provided, That no part of the amounts 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 any of these claims, 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.

SEC. 2. The following members of the naval service are hereby relieved of liability to the United States in the amounts stated opposite their names, representing costs of shipments of household effects, including packing, crating, drayage, and unpacking, from one residence or location to another residence or location in the same city or area, during the period from March 1, 1946, to January 31, 1949, which shipments at Government expense, although accomplished in good faith, have been held not to have been authorized:

Commander Louis
C. Covell, Jr.

Covell, Louis C., Junior, commander, United States Naval Reserve, \$293.11;

Smith, William W., vice admiral, United States Navy, retired, \$386.45;

Verner, James M., lieutenant (junior grade), United States Naval Reserve, \$282.90;

Wolohan, Eugene C., lieutenant commander, United States Naval Reserve, \$262.82.

SEC. 3. The Comptroller General of the United States is directed to allow credits in the settlement of the accounts of the disbursing officers concerned for payments heretofore made for the costs of the shipments of household effects, including packing, crating, drayage, and unpacking, set forth in section 2 of this Act.

Approved July 11, 1952.

Private Law 847

CHAPTER 694

AN ACT

For the relief of Annalyn Earley.

July 11, 1952
[H. R. 7665]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, for the purposes of sections 4 (a) and 9 of the Immigration Act of 1924, as amended, the minor child, Annalyn Earley, shall be held and considered to be the natural-born alien child of Mr. and Mrs. Douglas C. Earley, citizens of the United States.

43 Stat. 155, 157.
8 USC 204(a),
209.

Approved July 11, 1952.

Private Law 848

CHAPTER 710

AN ACT

For the relief of Stella Jean Stathopoulou.

July 12, 1952
[S. 54]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That, in the administration of the immigration and naturalization laws, Stella Jean Stathopoulou shall be held and considered to have been lawfully admitted into the United States for permanent residence as of the date of the enactment of this Act, upon payment of the required head tax and visa fee. Upon the enactment of this Act, the Secretary of State is authorized and directed to instruct the proper quota-control officer to deduct one number from the appropriate quota for the first year that such quota is available.

Quota deduction.

Approved July 12, 1952.