PRIVATE LAW 704—JUNE 22, 1956 [70 STAT.

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, the sum of $1,000 to Joe Bargas, of Trinidad, Colorado, father of Eddie Bargas, a minor, in full settlement of all claims against the United States on account of the death of the said Eddie Bargas as a result of injuries sustained on the United States post-office grounds at Trinidad, Colorado, on July 12, 1950; the claim of the said Joe Bargas is not a claim that is cognizable under the Federal Tort Claims Act: Provided, That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act 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 June 22, 1956.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Lieutenant Commander Mortimer T. Clement, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired, is hereby relieved of all liability to repay to the United States the sum of $6,638.66, which sum represents an overpayment of retired pay received by him for the period June 1, 1942, to July 31, 1949, inclusive.

Sec. 2. The Secretary of the Treasury is authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to Lieutenant Commander Mortimer T. Clement, Medical Corps, United States Navy, retired, the sum of $1,651.33, which sum was repaid by him to the United States through a checkage of his retired pay account pursuant to a decision of the Comptroller General (B-105596, February 4, 1952) disallowing payment of such retired pay for the period August 1, 1949, to December 31, 1951, inclusive.

Approved June 22, 1956.

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 the funds of the District of Columbia, to Colonel John A. O'Keefe (0-277514),
retired, the sum of $1,653.00 in full satisfaction of all claims of the
said John A. O'Keefe against the District of Columbia for compen­
sation for the services performed by him as Adjutant General of the
District of Columbia National Guard in the grade of colonel for the
period from October 10, 1949, to December 13, 1949, inclusive, no com­
pensation having been received by him for such services because of the
unavailability of appropriated funds for such purpose: Provided,
That no part of the amount appropriated in this Act 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 June 25, 1956.

Private Law 707  CHAPTER 449
June 25, 1956
[ H. R. 8041]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary
of Agriculture is authorized and directed to pay, out of money hereto­
fore made available for the eradication of the disease vesicular exan­
thema in swine, to Clyde R. Stevens, San Antonio, Texas, the sum of
$13,539.06. The payment of such sum shall be in full settlement of all
claims of the said Clyde R. Stevens against the United States arising
out of the destruction, in January, April, and May of 1953, of swine
owned by him because of the infection and exposure of such swine to
the contagious disease vesicular exanthema. Such sum represents
50 per centum of the amount of losses incurred by the said Clyde R.
Stevens by reason of the destruction of such swine, 50 per centum of
the amount of such losses having been heretofore paid to him by the
State of Texas: 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 June 25, 1956.

Private Law 708  CHAPTER 450
June 25, 1956
[ H. R. 9377]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the
United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Admin­
istrator of the General Services Administration is authorized and
directed to convey to the Eagle Rock Young Men’s Christian Asso­
ciation, a nonprofit corporation of Los Angeles, California, all the
right, title, and interest of the United States in and to certain real