pensation for the loss of such leave which was earned by him in the period January 1, 1962 through December 31, 1968, inclusive, while he was employed by the United States Post Office Department, and which, through administrative error, was not credited to his leave account.

Sec. 2. Section 203(c) of the Annual and Sick Leave Act of 1951, as amended (65 Stat. 680, 67 Stat. 137; 5 U.S.C. 2062(c)), shall not apply with respect to the leave granted by this Act, and such leave likewise shall not affect the use or accumulation, pursuant to applicable law, of other annual leave earned by the said John Allunario. None of the leave granted by this Act shall be settled by means of a cash payment in the event such leave or part thereof remains unused at the time the said John Allunario is separated by death or otherwise from the Federal service.

Approved July 1, 1968.

Private Law 90-281

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Clara B. Hyssong of Winchester, Virginia, is relieved of liability to the United States in the amount of $1,448.40 representing a portion of the amount of sums paid to her during the period January 1957 through November 1962 as widow's benefits under title 38, United States Code, in violation of certain provisions of such title (relating to income limitation) which were applicable to her. In the audit and settlement of the accounts of any certifying or disbursing officer of the United States, credit shall be given for amounts for which liability is relieved by this Act.

Sec. 2. The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the said Clara B. Hyssong an amount equal to the aggregate of the amounts paid by her, or withheld from sums otherwise due her, with respect to the liability to the United States specified in the first section of this Act. No part of the amount appropriated in this section 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 section shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction thereof shall be fined in any sum not exceeding $1,000.

Approved July 1, 1968.

Private Law 90-282

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 shall pay to Mrs. Mary F. Thomas, of Yonkers, New York, the amount certified to him by the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs pursuant to section 2 of this Act. The payment of such amount