

drainage district to enlarge the channel of its system, and to do all things necessary to accommodate the water accumulated therein and to prevent overflows thereof: *Provided*, That the amounts so paid on behalf of such Indians shall not exceed the rate of \$2 per acre for each acre of Indian land benefited nor a total of \$600.

Approved, February 25, 1933.

*Proviso.*  
Maximum amount.

[CHAPTER 124.]

AN ACT

To authorize the Veterans' Administration or other Federal agencies to turn over to superintendents of the Indian Service amounts due Indians who are under legal disability, or to estates of such deceased Indians.

February 25, 1933.  
[S. 4766.]  
[Public, No. 373.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That any money accruing from the Veterans' Administration or other governmental agency to incompetent adult Indians, or minor Indians, who are recognized wards of the Federal Government, for whom no legal guardians or other fiduciaries have been appointed may be paid, in the discretion of the Administrator of Veterans' Affairs, or other head of a governmental bureau or agency, having such funds for payment, to such superintendent or other bonded officer of the Indian Service as the Secretary of the Interior shall designate, for the use of such beneficiaries, or to be paid to or used for, the heirs of such deceased beneficiaries, to be handled and accounted for by him with other moneys under his control, in accordance with existing law and the regulations of the Department of the Interior.

Indian Service.  
Amounts due Indians under legal disability, etc., to be paid designated superintendent for use of beneficiaries, or their heirs.

Approved, February 25, 1933.

[CHAPTER 125.]

AN ACT

Authorizing the appropriation of funds for the payment of claims to the Mexican Government under the circumstances hereinafter enumerated.

February 25, 1933.  
[H. R. 13534.]  
[Public, No. 374.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That there are hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$15,000 for payment to the Government of Mexico for the account of the family of Emilio Cortez Rubio, and a further sum of \$15,000 for payment to the Government of Mexico for the account of the family of Manuel Gomez, as an act of grace and without reference to the question of legal liability of the United States, for the killing in or near Ardmore, Oklahoma, on June 7, 1931, of Emilio Cortez Rubio and Manuel Gomez by two deputy sheriffs of the State of Oklahoma.

Mexico.  
Payment to, authorized as indemnity for the killing of Emilio Cortez Rubio and Manuel Gomez.

Approved, February 25, 1933.

[CHAPTER 126.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

Authorizing the Comptroller of the Currency to exercise with respect to national banking associations powers which State officials, may have with respect to State banks, savings banks, and/or trust companies under State laws.

February 25, 1933.  
[S. J. Res. 266.]  
[Pub. Res., No. 68.]

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, the Comptroller of the Currency shall have and may exercise to such extent as he deems advisable with respect to any national banking association any powers which the State officials having supervision of State banks, savings

National banking associations.  
Authority of Comptroller of Currency over.