

[CHAPTER 210.]

AN ACT

March 3, 1933.
[H. R. 12328.]
[Public, No. 426.]

To authorize the assignment of awards entered by the Mixed Claims Commission, United States and Germany, the Tripartite Claims Commission, and the War Claims Arbitrer.

Settlement of War
Claims Act of 1928,
amendments.
Vol. 45, p. 255,
amended.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That subsection (g) of section 2 of the Settlement of War Claims Act of 1928 is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

Mixed Claims Com-
mission.
Assignment of award.

“(5) In the case of an assignment of an award, or an assignment (prior to the making of the award) of the claim in respect of which the award was made, by any such person, made in writing, duly acknowledged, and filed with the application for payment, such payment shall be made to the assignee.”

Payment to assignee.

German claims
against United States.
Vol. 45, p. 259.
Assignment of award.

SEC. 2. Subsection (k) of section 3 of such Act is hereby amended by adding at the end thereof a new paragraph to read as follows:

Assignment of award.

“(5) In the case of an assignment of an award, or an assignment (prior to the making of the award) of the claim in respect of which the award was made, by any such person, made in writing duly acknowledged, and filed with the application for payment, such payment shall be made to the assignee.”

Payment to assignee.

Claims against Aus-
tria, etc.
Payments restricted.

SEC. 3. Subsection (f) of section 5 and subsection (h) of section 6 of such Act are hereby amended by striking out “(4)” where it occurs in such subsections and inserting in lieu thereof “(5).”

Approved, March 3, 1933.

[CHAPTER 211.]

AN ACT

March 3, 1933.
[H. R. 12651.]
[Public, No. 427.]

For the relief of the Uintah, White River, and Uncompahgre Bands of Ute Indians of Utah, and for other purposes.

Uintah, etc., bands
of Ute Indians, Utah.

Pro rata payments
to members of, from
tribal funds.

Vol. 46, p. 1092.

Proviso.
Deposit of shares.

Use of such funds.

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 be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to withdraw from the Treasury of the United States the total funds on deposit to the credit of the Uintah, White River, and Uncompahgre Bands of Ute Indians, arising under the provisions of the Act of February 13, 1931 (46 Stat. 1092), including the accrued interest thereon and cause the total sum to be paid in pro rata shares to all members of the said Uintah, White River, and Uncompahgre Bands of Ute Indians who were alive and entitled to enrollment with such Indians on February 13, 1931: *Provided*, That the said Secretary, under such rules and regulations as he may prescribe, shall cause the shares of all Indians, including minors, to be deposited as individual Indian money in banks bonded and designated as depositaries for individual Indian moneys, to remain subject to disbursement for the benefit of the Indians entitled thereto as are other individual Indian moneys under existing laws.

SEC. 2. The funds when so deposited to the credit of each individual Indian shall become immediately available for the purpose of improving their lands, the erection of suitable homes, the purchasing of building material, farming equipment, livestock, feed, food, seed, grain, tools, machinery, implements, household goods, bedding, clothing, and any other equipment or supplies necessary to enable the Indians to fit themselves for or to engage in farming, livestock industry, or such other pursuits or avocations as will enable them to become self-supporting under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior for their actual benefit and

welfare: *Provided*, That in cases of the aged, infirm, decrepit, or incapacitated members their shares may be used for their proper maintenance and support in the discretion of the Secretary of the Interior.

Proviso.
Maintenance of aged, etc., members.

SEC. 3. The funds deposited to the credit of minors, under authority of this Act, may be invested or expended in the same manner and for the same purposes as are herein provided for the adults: *Provided*, That where the funds of any minor are invested or expended it shall be done with the consent of the parents and the approval of the Secretary of the Interior.

Investing funds of minors.

Proviso.
Consent required.

SEC. 4. In no event shall any of this money become liable, payable, or subject to any debt or debts contracted prior to the passage of this Act.

Sums not subject to prior debts.

Approved, March 3, 1933.

[CHAPTER 212.]

AN ACT

Making appropriations for the Treasury and Post Office Departments for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1934, and for other purposes.

March 3, 1933.
[H. R. 13520.]
[Public, No. 428.]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,

TITLE I—TREASURY DEPARTMENT

That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the Treasury Department for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1934, namely:

Treasury Department appropriations, fiscal year 1934.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Secretary's office.

Salaries: Secretary of the Treasury, Under Secretary of the Treasury, three Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury, and other personal services in the District of Columbia, \$145,538: *Provided*, That in expending appropriations or portions of appropriations contained in this Act for the payment of personal services in the District of Columbia in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, with the exception of the Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury, the average of the salaries of the total number of persons under any grade in any bureau, office, or other appropriations unit shall not at any time exceed the average of the compensation rates specified for the grade by such Act, as amended: *Provided*, That this restriction shall not apply (1) to grades 1, 2, 3, and 4 of the clerical-mechanical service, or (2) to require the reduction in salary of any person whose compensation was fixed, as of July 1, 1924, in accordance with the rules of section 6 of such Act, (3) to require the reduction in salary of any person who is transferred from one position to another position in the same or different grade in the same or a different bureau, office, or other appropriation unit, (4) to prevent the payment of a salary under any grade at a rate higher than the maximum rate of the grade when such higher rate is permitted by the Classification Act of 1923, as amended, and is specifically authorized by other law, or (5) to reduce the compensation of any person in a grade in which only one position is allocated.

Secretary, Under Secretary, Assistants, and office personnel.

Provisos.
Salaries limited to average rates under Classification Act.
Vol. 42, p. 1488; Vol. 46, p. 1003.
U. S. C., p. 65; Supp. VI, p. 31.

Exception.
Not applicable to clerical-mechanical service.

No reduction in fixed salaries.
Vol. 42, p. 1490; Vol. 46, p. 1005.

Transfers to another position without reduction.

Higher salary rates permitted.

If only one position in a grade.

OFFICE OF CHIEF CLERK AND SUPERINTENDENT

Chief clerk's office.

Salaries: For the chief clerk, who shall be the chief executive officer of the department and who may be designated by the Secretary of the Treasury to sign official papers and documents during the tem-

Chief clerk, and office personnel.