

**CHAP. 399.**—An Act To authorize the President of the United States to place upon the retired list of the United States Navy Lieutenant-Commander James H. Reid, with the rank of commander.

June 25, 1910.  
[H. R. 14760.]

[Public, No. 281.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to place upon the retired list of the United States Navy, with the rank of commander, the name of Lieutenant-Commander James H. Reid.

Navy.  
James H. Reid may be retired as commander.

Approved, June 25, 1910.

**CHAP. 400.**—An Act For the relief of the Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black River band of Chippewa Indians in the State of Michigan, and for other purposes.

June 25, 1910.  
[H. R. 16032.]

[Public, No. 282.]

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

**SECTION 1.** That jurisdiction is hereby conferred upon the Court of Claims, with the right of appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States, to consider and adjudicate any claim, arising under treaty stipulations or otherwise, which the Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black River band of Chippewa Indians, of the State of Michigan, have against the United States; and such suit or suits as may be instituted hereunder shall, upon notice, be advanced upon the docket of either of said courts for trial, and be determined at the earliest practicable time.

Chippewa Indians, Mich.  
Claims of Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black River bands referred to Court of Claims.

Advancement on docket.

**SEC. 2.** That upon the final determination of such suit or suits the Court of Claims shall decree such fees as the court shall find to be reasonable upon a quantum meruit for services performed, to be paid to the attorney or attorneys employed by the said band of Indians, and the same shall be paid out of the sum found to be due said band of Indians when an appropriation therefor shall have been made by Congress: *Provided,* That in no case shall the fees decreed by the court amount in the aggregate to more than ten per centum of the amount of the judgment recovered, and in no event shall the aggregate exceed ten thousand dollars.

Attorneys' fees.

*Proviso.*  
Limit.

**SEC. 3.** That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he hereby is authorized to permit any religious or missionary organization having lands reserved for mission and school purposes on the Yuma Reservation in California, to select irrigable lands on said reservation equal in area to, and in lieu of, lands so reserved, and to issue a patent in fee therefor.

Yuma Reservation, Cal.  
Religious organizations may select irrigable lands on.

Approved, June 25, 1910.

**CHAP. 401.**—An Act To amend section thirteen of an Act entitled "An Act to establish a Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization, and to provide for a uniform rule for the naturalization of aliens throughout the United States," and for other naturalization purposes.

June 25, 1910.  
[H. R. 16871.]

[Public, No. 283.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That section thirteen of the Act approved June twenty-ninth, nineteen hundred and six, entitled "An Act to establish a Bureau of Immigration and Naturalization, and to provide for a uniform rule for the naturalization of aliens throughout the United States," is hereby amended by striking out the last sentence of the section, which reads as follows: "And in case the clerk of any court collects fees in excess of the sum of six thousand dollars in any one year, the Secretary of Commerce and Labor may allow to such clerk from the money which the United States shall receive additional compensation for the employment of additional clerical assistance, but for no other purpose, if in the opinion of

Immigration.  
Extra allowance to clerks of courts.  
Vol. 34, p. 600, amended.