

Public Law 400

CHAPTER 304

AN ACT

To amend section 1923 (a) of title 28, United States Code, relating to docket fees.

June 18, 1954
[S. 251]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the first item listed in section 1923 (a) of title 28, United States Code, is amended to read as follows:

Docket fees.
62 Stat. 956.

“\$20 on trial or final hearing (including a default judgment whether entered by the court or by the clerk) in civil, criminal, or admiralty cases, except that in cases of admiralty and maritime jurisdiction where the libellant recovers less than \$50 the proctor’s docket fee shall be \$10;”.

Approved June 18, 1954.

Public Law 401

CHAPTER 305

AN ACT

To authorize the Secretary of Agriculture to sell certain improvements on national forest land in Arizona to the Salt River Valley Water Users Association, and for other purposes.

June 18, 1954
[S. 1399]

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 hereby authorized in his discretion to sell to the Salt River Valley Water Users Association of Arizona, for cash, at a fair appraised value to be determined by him, the following described improvements on national forest lands situated in an unsurveyed portion of township 4 north, range 12 east, Gila and Salt River Meridian, estimated to be within the southwest quarter of the northeast quarter of section 20 of that township in Gila County, State of Arizona:

Roosevelt, Ariz.
Sale of Forest
Service improve-
ments.

all buildings and other physical improvements owned by the United States and under the administration of the Forest Service, Department of Agriculture, situated at the reclamation settlement of Roosevelt, Arizona.

The proceeds of such sale or sales shall, if sufficient for the purpose, be available to the Secretary of Agriculture for the development and improvement of a Forest Service ranger dwelling located elsewhere in the Tonto National Forest. If the development and improvement of such ranger dwelling cannot be accomplished without the use of funds in excess of such proceeds, such proceeds shall be covered into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

Use of proceeds.

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Public Law 402

CHAPTER 306

AN ACT

To allow credit in connection with certain homestead entries for military or naval service rendered during the Korean conflict, and for other purposes.

June 18, 1954
[S. 1823]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That (a) the first sentence of the first section of the Act of September 27, 1944, as amended (43 U. S. C. 279-284), is amended to read as follows: “That any person who has served in the military or naval forces of the United

Homestead en-
tries.
Korean veterans.
58 Stat. 747.