

303b), for temporary periods and revocable at any time, upon such terms and conditions as he may determine to be in the public interest, surplus space in the old post-office building at Portland, Oregon, situate on property bounded by southwest Morrison, Yamhill, Fifth, and Sixth Streets, to the State of Oregon, for the use of the Battleship Oregon Commission in storing, housing, and displaying to the public the relics and historical objects from the battleship Oregon, together with all other historical objects, and relics of Oregon and the Old Oregon Country in the custody of the Battleship Oregon Commission: *Provided*, That the activities of the Battleship Oregon Commission, while occupying such space, shall be subject to such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Commissioner of Public Buildings.

Approved June 30, 1944.

[CHAPTER 331]

AN ACT

To authorize the attendance of the Marine Band at the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Des Moines, Iowa, September 10 to 14, inclusive, 1944.

June 30, 1944
[H. R. 4825]
[Public Law 389]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the President is authorized to permit the band of the United States Marine Corps to attend and give concerts at the national encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic to be held at Des Moines, Iowa, from September 10 to 14, inclusive, 1944.

Marine Band.
Attendance at
G. A. R. encampment.

SEC. 2. For the purpose of defraying the expenses of such band in attending and giving concerts at such encampment, there is authorized to be appropriated the sum of \$9,734.30, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to carry out the provisions of this Act: *Provided*, That in addition to transportation and Pullman accommodations the leaders and members of the Marine Band be allowed not to exceed \$6 per day each for additional living expenses while on duty, and that the payment of such expenses shall be in addition to the pay and allowances to which they would be entitled while serving at their permanent station.

Appropriation au-
thorized.

Approved June 30, 1944.

[CHAPTER 332]

AN ACT

To extend for an additional two years the suspension in part of the processing tax on coconut oil, and to correct a typographical error in the Individual Income Tax Act of 1944.

June 30, 1944
[H. R. 4837]
[Public Law 390]

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 2 of the Act of September 16, 1942, entitled "An Act to suspend in part the processing tax on coconut oil", is amended by striking out "June 30, 1944" and inserting in lieu thereof "June 30, 1946".

Coconut oil tax.
56 Stat. 753.
26 U. S. C., Supp.
III, § 2470 note.

SEC. 2. (a) Section 400 of the Internal Revenue Code, as amended, is amended by striking out, in the third column of the table contained therein, the figures "100" the second time they appear in such column and inserting in lieu thereof the figures "110".

Individual Income
Tax Act of 1944,
amendment,
Ante, p. 233.

(b) The amendment made by subsection (a) shall apply to the computation of income tax under Supplement T of Chapter 1 of such Code in the case of taxable years beginning after December 31, 1943.

Ante, p. 232.

Approved June 30, 1944.

[CHAPTER 333]

AN ACT

To extend the Civilian Pilot Training Act of 1939.

June 30, 1944
[S. 1432]
[Public Law 391]

53 Stat. 856.
49 U. S. C. § 757.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 7 of the Civilian Pilot Training Act of 1939, as amended, is amended by striking out the date "July 1, 1944" in the second sentence of such section and inserting in lieu thereof the date "July 1, 1946".

Approved June 30, 1944.

[CHAPTER 334]

AN ACT

To amend the National Housing Act, as amended.

June 30, 1944
[S. 1947]
[Public Law 392]

National Housing
Act, amendment.
55 Stat. 56; 57 Stat.
571.
12 U. S. C., Supp.
III, § 1738 (a).

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That section 603 (a) of the National Housing Act, as amended, is hereby amended by (1) striking out "\$1,600,000,000" and inserting in lieu thereof "\$1,700,000,000"; and (2) inserting in the third proviso after the word "except" the figure "(1)" and striking the period at the end of the third proviso and inserting in lieu thereof a semicolon and the following: "or (2) a mortgage that is given to refinance an existing mortgage insured under this title and which does not exceed the original principal amount and unexpired term of such existing mortgage."

Approved June 30, 1944.

[CHAPTER 335]

AN ACT

To provide additional pay for enlisted men of the Army assigned to the Infantry who are awarded the expert infantryman badge or the combat infantryman badge.

June 30, 1944
[S. 1973]
[Public Law 393]

Combat ground
forces of the Army.
Additional pay.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That during the present war and for six months thereafter, any enlisted man of the combat ground forces of the Army who is entitled, under regulations prescribed by the Secretary of War, to wear the expert infantryman badge or the combat infantryman badge, shall be paid additional compensation at the rate of \$5 per month when he is entitled to wear the expert infantryman badge and at the rate of \$10 per month when he is entitled to wear the combat infantryman badge: *Provided,* That additional compensation for both awards may not be paid at the same time.

Funds available.

SEC. 2. The appropriations heretofore or hereafter made for "Finance Service, Army", shall be available for carrying into effect the provisions of this Act.

Effective date.

SEC. 3. The provisions of this Act shall become effective as of January 1, 1944.

Approved June 30, 1944.

[CHAPTER 357]

AN ACT

To provide night differential for certain employees.

July 1, 1944
[H. R. 3891]
[Public Law 394]

Bureau of Engrav-
ing and Printing.
Night differential
for certain employees.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That all employees of the Bureau of Engraving and Printing who hold positions in the