

## [CHAPTER 164]

## AN ACT

To provide a right-of-way across Camp Wallace Military Reservation, Philippine Islands.

June 3, 1941  
[S. 167]

[Public Law 96]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered, under such terms and conditions as are deemed advisable by him, to grant to the Standard-Vacuum Oil Company, its successors and/or assigns, an easement for rights-of-way for oil and/or gasoline pipe lines over, across, in, and upon the Camp Wallace Military Reservation, Philippine Islands: *Provided,* That such easement shall be granted only upon a finding by the Secretary of War that the same will be in the public interest of the United States in the property affected thereby: *Provided further,* That all or any part of such easement may be annulled and forfeited by the Secretary of War if the property is needed for governmental purposes or for failure to comply with the terms or conditions of any grant hereunder, or for nonuse or for abandonment of rights granted under authority hereof: *And provided further,* That all moneys which may accrue to the United States under the provisions of this Act shall be deposited in the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts.

Camp Wallace Military Reservation, P. I.  
Easement for rights-of-way across.

*Provisos.*

Approved, June 3, 1941.

## [CHAPTER 165]

## AN ACT

To create the grade of aviation cadet in the Air Corps, Regular Army, and to prescribe the pay and allowances therefor, and for other purposes.

June 3, 1941  
[S. 840]

[Public Law 97]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the grade of aviation cadet is hereby created as a special and separate enlisted grade in the Air Corps, Regular Army, in substitution for the grade of flying cadet, created by the Act approved July 11, 1919, entitled "An Act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1920, and for other purposes". Wherever, in any Act of Congress, the designation "flying cadet" shall appear, it shall be construed to mean aviation cadet.

Army Aviation  
Cadet Act.  
Creation of grade of  
aviation cadet.

41 Stat. 109.  
10 U. S. C. § 297.

SEC. 2. The Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed to establish and maintain one or more schools for the training and instruction of aviation cadets.

Schools.

SEC. 3. Under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe, male citizens of the United States may enlist as aviation cadets, and enlisted men in the Regular Army may be appointed by the Secretary of War as aviation cadets. Each aviation cadet shall, at the time of his enlistment or appointment as such, be required to sign an agreement that upon his successful completion of the prescribed course of training and instruction as an aviation cadet he will accept a commission as second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, and will serve as such for a continuous period of three years on active duty, unless sooner released: *Provided,* That in the case of a minor, such agreement shall be signed with the consent of his parents or guardian. Upon the successful completion of such prescribed course of training and instruction, each aviation cadet shall be commissioned as a second lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve, and upon the completion of such period of three years on active duty each such second lieutenant shall be promoted to the grade of first lieutenant, Air Corps Reserve. The Secretary of War may at any time discharge any aviation cadet or release from active duty any such officer in the Air Corps Reserve.

Persons eligible.

Agreement to accept  
commission.

*Proviso.*  
Minors.

Commissions.

Pay, allowances,  
etc.

SEC. 4. The base pay of any aviation cadet shall be \$75 per month, which pay shall include extra pay for flying risk, as provided by law. Aviation cadets shall be paid, in addition, a money allowance for subsistence of \$1 per day and shall, while undergoing training, be furnished quarters, medical care, and hospitalization and shall be issued uniforms, clothing, and equipment at Government expense. No aviation cadet shall be entitled to receive longevity pay. While traveling under orders, they shall, under such regulations as the Secretary of War may prescribe, receive transportation and reimbursement for necessary expenses incurred which are incident to such travel, or cash in lieu thereof. When traveling by air under competent orders, they shall receive the same allowances for traveling expenses as are now or may hereafter be authorized by law for officers of the Army. When commissioned as second lieutenants, Air Corps Reserve, pursuant to this Act, they shall be paid a uniform allowance of \$150.

Government life in-  
surance.

SEC. 5. Aviation cadets shall be issued Government life insurance in the amount of \$10,000, the premiums on which shall be paid by the Government. Upon being commissioned as second lieutenants, Air Corps Reserve, they shall have the option of continuing such policies at their own expense.

10 U. S. C. § 300a.

SEC. 6. Section 2 of the Act of June 16, 1936 (49 Stat. 1524), as amended, is hereby amended to read as follows:

Air Corps Reserve  
officers.  
Lump-sum pay-  
ments.

"SEC. 2. Whenever any Air Corps Reserve officer who has not been selected for commission in the Regular Army is released from active duty that has been continuous for one or more years, he shall be paid a lump sum of \$500 for each complete year of active service as such officer, and if released from active duty otherwise than upon his own request, or as a result of inefficient or unsatisfactory service as determined by the Secretary of War, such lump-sum payment shall be prorated for fractional parts of each year of such active service. The lump-sum payments herein authorized shall be in addition to any pay, allowances, compensation, or benefits which such officers may otherwise be entitled to receive."

Repeals.

SEC. 7. All laws and parts of laws inconsistent with or in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

Short title.

SEC. 8. This Act may be cited as the "Army Aviation Cadet Act".

Approved, June 3, 1941.

[CHAPTER 166]

AN ACT

To provide increased pay for certain military personnel while engaged on parachute duty.

June 3, 1941  
[S. 1063]  
[Public Law 98]

Parachute duty.  
Additional pay for  
certain personnel.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That hereafter any officer, warrant officer, or enlisted man of the Army, Navy, or Marine Corps of the United States not in flying-pay status who is assigned or attached as a member of a parachute unit, including parachute-jumping schools, and for whom parachute jumping is an essential part of his military duty and who, under such regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of War or the Secretary of the Navy, has received a rating as a parachutist or is undergoing training for such a rating shall receive, while engaged upon duty designated by the head of the department concerned as parachute duty, additional pay at the rate of \$100 per month in the case of any such officer or warrant officer, and additional pay at the rate of \$50 per month in the case of any such enlisted man.

Approved, June 3, 1941.