

## [CHAPTER 224]

## AN ACT

To increase the salary of the executive secretary of the Nurses' Examining Board of the District of Columbia.

July 2, 1945  
[H. R. 2839]  
[Public Law 117]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the second sentence of section 9 of the Act entitled "An Act to amend the Act of February 9, 1907, entitled 'An Act to define the term "registered nurse" and to provide for the registration of nurses in the District of Columbia'", approved March 2, 1929, be, and the same is hereby, amended to read as follows: "The executive secretary of said Board may receive a salary to be fixed by said Board at its annual organization meeting in accordance with the Classification Act of 1923, as amended."

Nurses' Examining Board, D. C.  
Salary of executive secretary.

45 Stat. 1521.  
D. C. Code § 2-408.

42 Stat. 1488.  
5 U. S. C. § 661;  
Supp. IV, § 661 *et seq.*  
*Ante*, p. 298 *et seq.*

Approved July 2, 1945.

## [CHAPTER 225]

## AN ACT

To extend five-year-level-premium-term policies for an additional three years.

July 2, 1945  
[H. R. 2940]  
[Public Law 118]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the five-year-term period under all national service life insurance issued on or before December 31, 1945, and not exchanged or converted prior to that date to a plan other than five-year-level-premium-term insurance is hereby extended for an additional period of three years. The premiums actually chargeable for such additional period shall be the same as during the original five-year period notwithstanding that the premiums due under section 602 (e) of the National Service Life Insurance Act of 1940 are those for a three-year-level-premium-term insurance at the attained age of the insured at the commencement date of such three-year period: *Provided*, That the Administrator of Veterans Affairs is authorized to make such adjustments as he may determine to be proper in reserves and any dividends.

National service life insurance.

Premiums.

54 Stat. 1009.  
38 U. S. C. § 802 (e).

Adjustments.

Approved July 2, 1945.

## [CHAPTER 226]

## AN ACT

To permit waiving of the bonds of Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks, and for other purposes.

July 2, 1945  
[H. R. 3193]  
[Public Law 119]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That section 3 of the Act of August 24, 1912 (37 Stat. 554), as amended (39 U. S. C., Supp. III, sec. 135), is hereby further amended to read as follows: "Every Navy mail clerk and assistant Navy mail clerk and every Coast Guard mail clerk and assistant Coast Guard mail clerk shall give bond to the United States in such penal sum as the Postmaster General may deem sufficient for the faithful performance of his duties as such clerk: *Provided*, That the Secretary of the Navy may waive the giving of bond in the cases of Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks. Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks whose bonds are so waived shall not be entitled to the extra

Navy mail clerks.

Bonds.

Waiving of requirement.

Reimbursements.

compensation otherwise authorized to be paid them by law. The Post Office Department shall be reimbursed annually by the Navy Department in an amount equal to funds embezzled by unbonded Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks, and funds expended in payment of claims arising from errors, losses, or defalcations by unbonded Navy mail clerks and assistant Navy mail clerks."

Appropriation authorized.

SEC. 2. There are hereby authorized to be appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such amounts as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved July 2, 1945.

[CHAPTER 227]

AN ACT

July 2, 1945  
[H. R. 3233]  
[Public Law 120]

To permit members of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, Coast Guard, Coast and Geodetic Survey, Public Health Service, and their dependents, to occupy certain Government housing facilities on a rental basis without loss of rental allowances.

Government housing facilities. Designated personnel may occupy on rental basis.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That notwithstanding the provisions of any other law (including any laws restricting the occupancy of housing facilities under the jurisdiction of Government departments or agencies by personnel, and dependents of personnel, of the Army, Navy, Marine Corps, and Coast Guard above specified ranks, or by personnel, and dependents of personnel, of the Coast and Geodetic Survey and the Public Health Service), personnel of any of the services mentioned herein and their dependents may be accepted as tenants in and may occupy on a rental basis any such housing facilities, other than public quarters constructed or designated for assignment to and occupancy without charge by such personnel and their dependents if any, and such personnel shall not be deprived by reason of such occupancy of money allowances to which they are otherwise entitled for rental of quarters.

Approved July 2, 1945.

Exception.

Allowances.

[CHAPTER 228]

JOINT RESOLUTION

July 2, 1945  
[H. J. Res. 136]  
[Public Law 121]

To provide for the establishment, management, and perpetuation of the Kermit Roosevelt fund.

Kermit Roosevelt fund. Establishment of board of trustees, duties, etc.

Composition of board.

*Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there is hereby established in the War Department a board to be known as the Trustees of the Kermit Roosevelt Fund, whose duty it shall be properly to administer all money and property which hereafter may come under its control as part of the Kermit Roosevelt fund, created pursuant to section 2 hereof. The board shall be composed of the Chief of Finance, United States Army, ex officio, and three general officers of the Army who shall be appointed to the board and may be replaced thereon by the Secretary of War.

Acceptance of gifts from Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt.

SEC. 2. The board is hereby authorized to accept from Mrs. Kermit Roosevelt such money and property as she may tender, to receipt therefor on behalf of the United States, and to deposit the funds so received in the Treasury of the United States as the original corpus of a trust fund, to be known as the Kermit Roosevelt fund, which shall be used for the purpose of fostering a better understanding and a closer relationship between the military forces of the United States and those of the United Kingdom by sponsoring lectures or courses of instruction to be delivered by officers of the British Army at the United States Military Academy and elsewhere in the United

Purpose of fund.