

July 23, 1868. CHAP. CCXXXIX. — *An Act making Appropriations for the Payment of invalid and other Pensions of the United States for the Year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine.*

Pensions ap-
propriation.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the payment of pensions for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine:

For invalid pensions under various acts, ten million dollars.

Invalid.
Revolutionary,
pension agents
and expenses of
agencies.

For pensions of widows, children, mothers, fathers, brothers, and sisters of soldiers, as provided by acts of March eighteen, eighteen hundred and eighteen; May fifteenth, eighteen hundred and twenty-eight; June seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-two; July fourth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six; July seventh, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight; March third, eighteen hundred and forty-three; June seventeenth, eighteen hundred and forty-four; February second, July twenty-first, and July twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and forty-eight; February third, eighteen hundred and fifty-three; June third, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight; and July fourteenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, with its supplementary acts; and for compensation to pension agents and expenses of agencies, twenty million dollars.

1818, ch. 19.
1828, ch. 53.
1832, ch. 126.
1836, ch. 862.
1838, ch. 189.
1843, ch. 102.
1844, ch. 102.
1848, ch. 8, 108,
129.
1853, ch. 41.
1858, ch. 85.
1862, ch. 166.
1864, ch. 247.
1865, ch. 84.
1866, ch. 106.
Navy pensions.

For navy pensions to invalids, widows and children, and other relatives of the officers and men of the navy dying in the line of duty, now provided by law, three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to be paid from the navy pension fund.

Rate of interest
on naval pension
fund.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That the interest on the fund known as the naval pension fund shall hereafter be at the rate of three per cent. per annum in lawful money, and shall be applicable exclusively to the payment of the navy pensions according to existing laws.*

APPROVED, July 23, 1868.

July 23, 1868. CHAP. CCXXX. — *An Act to incorporate the "Washington Target-shooting Association," in the District of Columbia.*

Washington
Target-shooting
Association in-
corporated.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Charles Kломann, Frederick Hügler, Charles Ebel, John H. Stailey, Adolf Cluss, G. Dill, Gustav Hartig, B. Henze, John Kessel, Caspar Kneessi, E. L. Schmidt, Richard Wallach, M. Michler, Lewis Clephane, and A. C. Richards, of Washington City, in the District of Columbia, and their associates and successors, be, and are hereby, incorporated and made a body corporate, by the name of the "Washington Target-shooting Association," and by that name may sue and be sued, plead and be impleaded, in any court of law of competent jurisdiction, and be entitled to use and exercise all the powers, rights, and privileges incident to such corporation, for the purpose of establishing and maintaining, in the District of Columbia, a "Park," designated and named the "Washington Schützen-Park," the object of which shall be moral and social, and to acquire proficiency and skill as marksmen.

Powers, &c.

Capital stock.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted, That the capital stock of said corporation shall not exceed one hundred thousand dollars, and that the stock shall be divided into shares of twenty-five dollars each, and shall be transferable in such manner as the said corporation, by its by-laws, may direct.*

Directors.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted, That the government and direction of the affairs of the corporation shall be vested in a board of directors, not less than nine in number, who shall be elected by the stockholders from among the corporators and their associates and successors, in such manner as the by-laws of the corporation may direct.*

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the said corporation shall have full power to make and prescribe such by-laws, rules, and regulations as they may deem needful and proper for the management of the stock, property, estate, and effects of the corporation, not inconsistent with the laws in force in the District of Columbia; to have and use a common seal, with the privilege of altering the same at pleasure; to purchase, take, and hold, by deed or otherwise, any property, real, personal, or mixed, and the same, or any part thereof, to dispose of at pleasure; and to execute such deed or deeds or other conveyances as may be necessary therefor; to issue stock, and make all suitable and necessary regulations for the purchase, sale, and transfer of the same; to borrow money; to impose fines upon the members, and collect the same as other small debts are collected; to expel members; to make provision for the admission of members, and to provide for the election of such officers as may be deemed necessary for the proper management of the affairs of said corporation; and generally to have and exercise all such other and further corporate powers as may be deemed necessary for the purpose of carrying out effectually the object and purposes of this act: *Provided*, That the property of the said association, real, personal, and mixed, shall be held for the purposes, and none other, expressed in the first section of this act.

By-laws.

Seal.

Real estate, &c.

Proviso.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the members of said corporation shall have power to exercise in target-shooting at any time they may deem proper, except on the Sabbath day, commonly called Sunday.

Members not to exercise in target-shooting on Sunday.

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That nothing in this act contained shall give to said corporation any banking privileges.

No banking privileges.

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That this act shall take effect from and after its passage; and that the same may be altered, amended, or repealed, at the pleasure of Congress.

When act takes effect; may be altered, &c.

APPROVED, July 23, 1868.

CHAP. CCXXXIII. — *An Act making Appropriations and to supply Deficiencies in the Appropriations for the Service of the Government for the fiscal Year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, and for other Purposes.*

July 25, 1868.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same are hereby, appropriated for the objects hereinafter expressed, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, viz. —

Deficiencies appropriation for year ending June 30, 1868.

Legislative. — For compensation of the clerks of committees, the additional pay ordered by the resolution of the House of Representatives, twenty-fifth May, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, five thousand nine hundred and thirty-two dollars.

Legislative. Clerks of committees.

For pay of additional messengers of the Senate, for the month of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, two thousand two hundred and forty-five dollars and four cents.

Messengers.

For the usual additional compensation to the reporters of the Senate for the Congressional Globe, for reporting the proceedings of the Senate for the second session of the fortieth Congress, eight hundred dollars each, four thousand dollars.

Additional compensation to reporters of the Senate and House.

For the usual additional compensation to the reporters of the House for the Congressional Globe, for reporting the proceedings of the House for the second session of the fortieth Congress, eight hundred dollars each, four thousand eight hundred dollars.

A sufficient sum is hereby appropriated to pay the official reporters of the Globe in each house the amount which the comptroller of the treasury may find severally due to them for services during the sessions of the fortieth Congress, under the eighteenth section of "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the government for the year ending

Official reporters of the Globe.

1866, ch. 296, § 18. Vol. xiv. p. 323.