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Katherine Patee MacMillian, of Canada;

Rose O'Connell Shaefer, of China;

Laura Finnegan Cheatham, Margaret MacEachern Edwards, Marie Murray Grant, Lillian Cooper Harrington, and Julia Weber, all of Hawaii;

and their associates and successors are created a body corporate and politic, in the District of Columbia, by the name of "The National Yoemen¹ F", for patriotic, historical, and educational purposes; to foster and perpetuate the memory of the service of Yoemen¹ (f) in the United States Naval Reserve Force of the United States Navy during the World War; to preserve the memories and incidents of their association in the World War by the encouragement of historical research concerning the service of Yoemen¹ (f); by the promotion of celebrations of all patriotic anniversaries to cherish, maintain, and extend the institutions of American freedom; to foster true patriotism and love of country, and to aid in securing for mankind all the blessings of liberty.

(June 15, 1936, ch. 546, § 1, 49 Stat. 1501.)

§ 139a. Right to hold property; constitution, by-laws and seal

Said organization is authorized to hold real and personal estate in the United States so far only as may be necessary to its lawful ends, to an amount not exceeding \$50,000, and may adopt a constitution and bylaws not inconsistent with law, and may adopt a seal.

(June 15, 1936, ch. 546, § 2, 49 Stat. 1506.)

§ 139b. Deposit of historical material

The regents of the Smithsonian Institution are authorized to permit said national organization to deposit its collections, manuscripts, books, pamphlets, and other material for history in the Smithsonian Institution or in the National Museum, at their discretion, upon such conditions and under such rules as they shall prescribe.

(June 15, 1936, ch. 546, § 3, 49 Stat. 1506; June 29, 1960, Pub. L. 86-533, § 1(23), 74 Stat. 249.)

AMENDMENTS

1960—Pub. L. 86-533 struck out provisions which required organization to report annually to Secretary of Smithsonian Institution concerning its proceedings, and required Secretary to communicate to Congress such portions thereof as he may deem of national interest and importance.

CHAPTER 8B—NAVY CLUB OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

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CROSS REFERENCES

Navy Wives Clubs of America, see section 2801 et seq. of this title.

§ 140. Corporation created

Sigfred A. Sandeen, national commandant; Ernest C. Fiedler, national senior executive offi-

¹ So in original. Probably should be "Yeomen".

cer; Thomas D. Hickey, national junior executive officer; Forest F. Bodiker, national paymaster; V. Homer Peabody, national chaplain; Mason C. Martin, national historian; and John F. McCullough, medical doctor, national medical officer, are created a body corporate of the name, "Navy Club of the United States of America."

(June 6, 1940, ch. 239, §1, 54 Stat. 232.)

RESERVATION OF RIGHT TO ALTER CHAPTER

Section 5 of act June 6, 1940, provided: "That the right to alter, amend, or repeal this Act [enacting this chapter] at any time is hereby expressly reserved."

§ 140a. Purposes of corporation

The purposes of this corporation shall be (a) to further, encourage, promote, and maintain comradeship among those persons who are or have been in the active service of the United States Navy, the United States Marine Corps, or the United States Coast Guard; (b) to revere, honor, and perpetuate the memory of those persons who have been such members and have departed this life; (c) to promote and encourage further public interest in the United States Navy, the United States Marine Corps, and the United States Coast Guard and the history of said organizations; (d) to uphold the spirit and ideals of the United States Navy, the United States Marine Corps, and the United States Coast Guard; (e) to promote the ideals of American freedom and democracy and to fit its members for the duties of citizenship and to encourage them to serve as ably as citizen¹ as they have served the Nation under arms; and (f) to maintain true allegiance to American institutions.

(June 6, 1940, ch. 239, §2, 54 Stat. 232.)

§ 140b. Powers of corporation

The corporation (a) shall have perpetual succession; (b) may charge and collect membership dues and receive contributions of money or property to be devoted to carrying out the purposes of the organization; (c) may sue or be sued; (d) may adopt a corporate seal and alter it at pleasure; (e) may adopt and alter bylaws not inconsistent with the Constitution and laws of the United States or of any State; (f) may establish and maintain offices for the conduct of its business; (g) may appoint or elect officers and agents; (h) may choose a board of trustees, consisting of not more than fifteen persons nor less than five persons, to conduct the business and exercise the powers of the corporation; (i) may acquire, by purchase, devise, bequest, gift, or otherwise, and hold, encumber, convey, or otherwise dispose of such real and personal property as may be necessary or appropriate for its corporate purposes; and (j) generally may do any and all lawful acts necessary or appropriate to carry out the purposes for which the corporation is created.

(June 6, 1940, ch. 239, §3, 54 Stat. 233.)

§ 140c. Annual report

The corporation shall, on or before the 1st day of December in each year, transmit to Congress

a report of its proceedings and activities for the preceding calendar year. Such reports shall not be printed as public documents.

(June 6, 1940, ch. 239, §4, 54 Stat. 233; Aug. 30, 1964, Pub. L. 88-504, §4(11), 78 Stat. 637.)

AMENDMENTS

1964—Pub. L. 88-504 struck out "including the full and complete statement of its receipts and expenditures" after "calendar year".

CHAPTER 9—NATIONAL OBSERVANCES

- Sec.
- 141. Display of flag on buildings on second Sunday in May.
- 142. Second Sunday in May designated as Mother's Day.
- 142a. Third Sunday in June designated as Father's Day; display of flags on buildings; observance.
- 142b. National Grandparents Day; proclamation, designation; observance.
- 142c. Parents' Day; establishment.
- 142c-1. Recognition of Parents' Day.
- 143. First Monday in October designated as Child Health Day.
- 144. Transferred.
- 145. May twenty-second designated as National Maritime Day.
- 146. Second Monday in October as Columbus Day.
- 147. Display of flag on buildings on last Sunday in September.
- 148. Last Sunday in September designated as Gold Star Mother's Day.
- 149. April thirteenth for commemoration of Thomas Jefferson's birth.
- 150. April as Cancer Control Month.
- 151. August nineteenth as National Aviation Day.
- 151a. December seventeenth as Pan American Aviation Day.
- 152. Repealed.
- 153. Citizenship Day; designation; proclamation; observance.
- 154. Address to newly naturalized citizens.
- 155. National Disability Employment Awareness Month.
- 155a. President's Committee on Employment of People With Disabilities; authorization of appropriations.
- 155b. Acceptance of voluntary services, gifts, devises, bequests, etc., by President's Committee on Employment of People With Disabilities.
- 156. National Freedom Day.
- 157. Flag Day; designation; proclamation; observance.
- 157a. National Flag Week.
- 157b. Honor America Days.
- 158. Stephen Foster Memorial Day.
- 159. Constitution Week; designation; proclamation; observance.
- 160. National Defense Transportation Day; proclamation; designation; observance.
- 161. National Safe Boating Week.
- 162. Loyalty Day.
- 163. National Forest Products Week.
- 164. Law Day, U.S.A.; designation; proclamation; observance.
- 165. National Poison Prevention Week.
- 166. National Transportation Week.
- 167. Peace Officers Memorial Day.
- 168. National School Lunch Week.
- 169. Wright Brothers Day.
- 169a. Save Your Vision Week.
- 169b. American Heart Month.
- 169c. Leif Erikson Day.
- 169d. White Cane Safety Day.
- 169e. Steelmark Month.

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