the consent of the chief judge or judicial council of the circuit from which a referee is to be designated and assigned. All designations and assignments of referees shall be filed with the clerks and entered on the minutes of the courts from and to which made. The Chief Justice of the United States or a chief judge of a circuit or a judge or chief judge of a district may make new designations and assignments in accordance with the provisions of this subsection, and may revoke those previously made by him."

Approved September 19, 1950.

[CHAPTER 955]

AN ACT

To provide greater security for veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection, in the granting of out-patient treatment by the Veterans' Administration.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Public, Numbered 62, Seventy-sixth Congress, approved May 3, 1939 (53 Stat. 652; 38 U. S. C. 706a), is hereby amended by substituting a colon for the period at the end thereof and adding the following: "Provided, That veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and the Philippine Insurrection, who are in need of out-patient treatment, shall, upon application for such out-patient treatment by the Veterans' Administration, be deemed, for the purposes of such out-patient treatment to have incurred their diseases or disabilities as a direct result of military or naval service, in line of duty, during such war."

SAM RAYBURN

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

ALBEN W. BARKLEY

Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate.

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, U. S.

September 14, 1950

The House of Representatives having proceeded to reconsider the bill (H. R. 6217) entitled "An Act to provide greater security for veterans of the Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection, in the granting of out-patient treatment by the Veterans' Administration," returned by the President of the United States with his objections, to the House of Representatives, in which it originated, it was

Resolved, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the House of Representatives agreeing to pass the same.

Attest:

RALPH R. ROBERTS

Clerk.

By H. H. MORRIS

I certify that this Act originated in the House of Representatives.

RALPH R. ROBERTS

Clerk.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES,

September 19 (legislative day, July 20), 1950.

The Senate having proceeded to reconsider the bill (H. R. 6217) entitled "An Act to provide greater security for veterans of the
Spanish-American War, including the Boxer Rebellion and Philippine Insurrection, in the granting of out-patient treatment by the Veterans' Administration", returned by the President of the United States with his objections, to the House of Representatives, in which it originated, and passed by the House of Representatives on reconsideration of the same, it was

Resolved, That the said bill pass, two-thirds of the Senators present having voted in the affirmative.

Attest:

LESLEY L. BIFFLE
Secretary.

[CHAPTER 956]

AN ACT

To incorporate The Military Chaplains Association of the United States of America.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That Alva J. Brasted, of Virginia; Henry Darlington, of New York; Simpson B. Daugherty, of Pennsylvania; Monroe Drew, Junior, of California; Clifford M. Drury, of California; Harold G. Elsam, of Illinois; Edward L. R. Elson, of California; Ira S. Ernst, of the District of Columbia; Joshua L. Goldberg, of New York; Augustus S. Goodyear, of New York; Cecil H. Lang, of Texas; Daniel Lynch, of Massachusetts; Arlington A. McCallum, of the District of Columbia; John W. McQueen, of Alabama; Cyrus W. Perry, of New York; Frederick C. Reynolds, of Maryland; George F. Rixey, of Missouri; Patrick J. Ryan, of California; Harris E. Starr, of Connecticut; Gustav Stearns, of Wisconsin; Edward J. Smith, of Iowa; Francis V. Sullivan, of Massachusetts; John M. Thomas, of Vermont; Edmund W. Weber, of Minnesota; Robert J. White, of Maine; Julian E. Yates, of the District of Columbia; Nils M. Ylvisaker, of Minnesota; and their successors, who are, or who may become, members of The Military Chaplains Association of the United States of America, a national association of chaplains and former chaplains of the armed services, and such national associations are hereby created and declared to be a body corporate by the name of "The Military Chaplains Association of the United States of America".

SEC. 2. That said persons named in section 1, and such other persons as may be selected from among the membership of The Military Chaplains Association of the United States of America, a national association of chaplains and former chaplains of the armed services, are hereby authorized to meet to complete the organization of said corporation by the selection of officers, the adoption of a constitution and bylaws, and to do all other things necessary to carry into effect the provisions of this Act, at which meeting any person duly accredited as a delegate from any area, State, or local chapter of the organization of the existing national association known as The Military Chaplains Association of the United States of America, shall be permitted to participate in the proceedings thereof.

SEC. 3. That the purpose of this corporation shall be:

(a) To safeguard and to strengthen the forces of faith and morality of our Nation; (b) to perpetuate and to deepen the bonds of understanding and friendship of our military service; (c) to preserve our spiritual influence and interest in all members and veterans of the armed forces; (d) to uphold the Constitution of the United States; and (e) to promote justice, peace, and good will.

SEC. 4. That the corporation (a) shall have perpetual succession; (b) shall have power to make its own organization, including its constitution, bylaws, rules, and regulations; (c) may adopt a corporate