Tie votes.

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37 Stat. 514. 48 U. S. C. § 75. Presiding officers.

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37 Stat. 516. 48 U. S. C. § 87. Annual appropriations by Congress.

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be elected from each district for such office, receiving the highest number of votes of the electors of such district for such office, shall be elected. In case of a tie vote in any election for senator or representative, the candidates affected shall settle the question by lot.

"(e) In case of a vacancy in either branch of the legislature the Governor shall order an election to fill such vacancy, giving due and proper notice thereof.

"(f) Each member of the legislature shall be paid by the United States the sum of \$15 per day for each day's attendance while the legislature is in session, at each regular biennial session thereof, and mileage, in addition, for each such session, at the rate of 15 cents per mile for each mile from his home to the capital and return by the nearest traveled route. All other legislative expenses, including salaries and mileage of the members at other than regular biennial sessions, shall be paid by the Territory."

Sec. 2. Section 7 of said Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 7. Organization of Legislature.—That when the legislature shall convene under the law, the senate and house of representatives shall each organize by the election of one of their number as presiding officer, who shall be designated in the case of the senate as 'president of the senate' and in the case of the house of representatives as 'speaker of the house of representatives,' and by the election by each body of the subordinate officers provided for in section 'eighteen hundred and sixty-one of the United States Revised Statutes of eighteen hundred and seventy-eight,' and each of said subordinate officers shall receive the compensation provided in that section, which shall be paid by the Territory."

SEC. 3. Section 15 of said Act is amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 15. Payment of Legislative Expenses.—There shall be annually appropriated by Congress a sum sufficient to pay the salaries and mileage of members of the legislature for each regular biennial session. All other legislative expenses, including the salaries and mileage of the members of the legislature for other than the regular biennial sessions, the salaries of the employees of the legislature, the printing of the laws, and all other incidental expenses of the legislature, shall be appropriated and paid by the Territory. All of the sums so appropriated by Congress shall be disbursed by the Governor of Alaska, under sole instructions of the Secretary of the Treasury, and the Governor shall report quarterly to the Secretary of the Treasury for the manner in which said funds have been expended. No expenditure, to be paid out of money to be appropriated by Congress, shall be made by the Governor or by the legislature for objects not authorized by the acts of Congress making appropriations nor beyond the sum thus appropriated for such objects."

Sec. 4. (a) The amendments made by this Act shall take effect only with respect to the seventeenth and succeeding legislatures of the Territory of Alaska.

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[CHAPTER 638]

AN ACT

November 13, 1942 [H. R. 7528] [Public Law 772]

To amend the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940 by providing for the extension of liability.

Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, amendments. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That so much of the first sentence of section 3 (a) of the Selective Training and Service Act of 1940, as amended, as precedes the first proviso is

hereby amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 3. (a) Except as otherwise provided in this Act, every male citizen of the United States, and every other male person residing in the United States, who is between the ages of eighteen and fortyfive at the time fixed for his registration, shall be liable for training and service in the land or naval forces of the United States."

Sec. 2. Section 5 (f) of such Act, as amended, is hereby amended

to read as follows:

"(f) Any person eighteen or nineteen years of age who, while pursuing a course of instruction at a high school or similar institution of learning, is ordered to report for induction under this Act during the last half of the academic year at such school or institution, shall, upon his request, have his induction under this Act postponed until the end of such academic year."

Sec. 3. Section 15 (a) of such Act, as amended, is hereby amended

to read as follows:

"(a) The term 'between the ages of eighteen and forty-five' shall refer to men who have attained the eighteenth anniversary of the day of their birth and who have not attained the forty-fifth anniversary of the day of their birth; and other terms designating different age groups shall be construed in a similar manner."

SEC. 4. Section 5 of such Act, as amended, is amended by adding

at the end thereof the following new subsections:

"(i) Notwithstanding any other provisions of law, no person between the ages of eighteen and twenty-one shall be discharged from service in the land or naval forces of the United States while this Act is in effect because such person entered such service without the consent of his parent or guardian.

"(j) No individual who has been convicted of any crime which may not be punished by death or by imprisonment for a term exceeding one year shall, by reason solely of such conviction, be relieved

from liability for training and service under this Act.

"(k) Every registrant found by a selective service local board, subject to appeal in accordance with section 10 (a) (2), to be necessary to and regularly engaged in an agricultural occupation or endeavor essential to the war effort, shall be deferred from training and service in the land and naval forces so long as he remains so engaged and until such time as a satisfactory replacement can be obtained: Provided, That should any such person leave such occupation or endeavor, except for induction into the land or naval forces under this Act, his selective service local board, subject to appeal in accordance with section 10 (a) (2), shall reclassify such registrant in a class immediately available for military service, unless prior to leaving such occupation or endeavor he requests such local board to determine, and such local board, subject to appeal in accordance with section 10 (a) (2), determines, that it is in the best interest of the war effort for him to leave such occupation or endeavor for other work."

SEC. 5. Section 3 (a) of such Act, as amended, is amended by striking out the period at the end thereof and inserting in lieu thereof a colon and the following: "Provided further, That no man, without his consent, shall be inducted for training and service under this Act after he has attained the forty-fifth anniversary of the day of his birth."

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54 Stat. 885. 50 U. S. C., Supp. I, app. § 303 (a).

Age limits.

54 Stat. 889. 50 U. S. C., app. § 305 (f).

Postponement of instudents.

54 Stat. 896. 50 U. S. C., Supp. I, app. § 315 (a).

"Between the ages of eighteen and forty-five."

54 Stat. 887. 50 U. S. C., app. § 305; Supp. I, § 305. Ante, p. 386; supra. Persons between ages of 18 and 21. Restriction on dis-charge.

Persons convicted of Liability for service.

Deferment of essential agricultural workers.
54 Stat. 893.
50 U. S. C., app.
§ 310 (a) (2).

Proviso. Reclassification on leaving occupation.

54 Stat. 885. 50 U. S. C., Supp. I, app. § 303 (a). Supra. Restriction on in-duction of men 45 years of age.