

APPROPRIATIONS, NEW OFFICES, ETC.

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STATEMENTS

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JULY 1, 1879.

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PREPARED UNDER THE DIRECTION OF THE SECRETARY OF THE SENATE AND CLERK OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, IN COMPLIANCE WITH THE SIXTH SECTION OF THE "ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE APPOINTMENT OF ADDITIONAL PAYMASTERS, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES," APPROVED JULY 4, 1836.

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OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

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*Appropriations made during the first session of the Forty-sixth Congress.*

*By the act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

That for the purpose of providing for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the same sums of money and for the like purposes (and continuing the same provisions relating thereto), as were appropriated for the service of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, and for other purposes," approved June 19, 1878 (except as hereinafter declared), subject to all the limitations and conditions in respect to the disbursement of the appropriations hereby made that were imposed by said act and the other laws of the United States upon or in respect to the appropriations made by said act: *Provided*, That nothing is appropriated by this section for "the purchase of the copyright and plates to the Reference Index to the Revised Statutes of the United States"; for a telegraph operator at the Executive Office; for more than eighty clerks of the class paid \$900 per annum each, in the office of the Treasurer of the United States; for more than twenty-nine clerks of class one; for more than eighteen clerks of the class of \$900 under the same officer, "employed in redeeming national currency" (and seven of the clerks of class one so employed are hereby transferred to the office of the said Treasurer); "for temporary clerks for the Treasury Department"; "for replacing boilers and enlarging and rebuilding the boiler house of the mint at Carson, Nev."; "for repairs and machinery at the mint at New Orleans, La."; "for purchase of library for the use of the General Land Office"; "for legislative expenses" of the Territories of Arizona, of Dakota, of Idaho, or of Montana (but the usual annual amount of \$2,000 to each of said Territories for the expenses of the secretary's office is hereby appropriated); nor for rent of the "Towson House," or to repairs of the roof or flooring of the Army Medical Museum; "for the special purpose of investigating the history and habits of insects injurious to the cotton plant," other than that appropriated by this act to be expended by the Entomological Commission, or for the Southern Claims Commission.

And no more than the sums herein stated respectively are appropriated under this section for the following purposes, to wit: For the State Department: "For fuel," \$3,000; "for light," \$2,000. For the Treasury Department: "For carpets, oil-cloth, and matting, and repairs, cleaning, and laying the same," \$7,000; "for the additional duties imposed upon the Bureau of Statistics by the legislation of the second session of the Forty-third Congress," \$8,200; "for purchase of new plants and seeds for greenhouse, Agricultural Department," \$600.

And certain clauses in said act of June 19, 1878, are amended, for the purposes of the appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, as follows:

Under heading of "Senate", the clause commencing "For eight skilled laborers" is amended by striking out therefrom the name "Kate Dodson", and inserting in lieu thereof female attendant.

Under the head of contingent expenses of the Senate, the following clauses, namely: The clause commencing "For twenty-seven clerks to committees" is amended so as to read for twenty-five clerks to committees, and the sum of the clause shall read \$31,200; the clause commencing "For fourteen pages for the Senate Chamber" is amended by striking out the words "one page for the Vice-President's room," and the sum of the clause shall read \$10,265; the clause commencing "For fuel and oil for the heating apparatus" is amended by striking out the words "and of this amount not exceeding \$400 may be used for the purchase of platform-scales for weighing coal."

Under the heading of "House of Representatives", the clause commencing "For eight messengers" is hereby amended by striking out therefrom the name "Henry Douglas"; the clause among the contingent expenses for the House of Representatives, commencing "For twenty-one clerks to committees" is amended so as to read, for thirty-five clerks, and the sum of the clause shall read \$44,100; the clause commencing "twenty-eight pages" is amended to read twenty-nine, and the sum of the clause shall read \$15,865; the clause "For fuel and oil for the heating apparatus" is amended to include, also, and for steam-pump and condenser for same; and the clause "For miscellaneous items" is amended to read, \$70,000.

And the last clause under heading "Department of State" is amended to read as follows: For expenses of editing and distributing the laws enacted at the third session of the Forty-fifth Congress, and for editing and distributing the Statutes at Large, \$5,000.

And the clause under heading "Library of Congress", in said act, is amended as follows: In lieu of the number named it shall read twenty-one assistant librarians, and in lieu of "two" there shall be five assistants at \$1,200 each; and the total sum of the clause shall read, \$33,240.

And under the "Independent Treasury" heading, the last two clauses are amended as follows: In lieu of the sum stated for "checks and check-books" it shall read \$10,000; and in lieu of the sum stated "for contingent expenses", it shall read \$40,000.

And the clause "for contingent expenses" in the office of the Adjutant-General is amended so that the sum named therein shall read \$8,000; and the clause "for a foreman and laborers", under the heading of "Public Buildings and Grounds", is amended so that the sum named therein will read \$24,000; and the clause "for stationery, books, fuel, labor, postage and other contingent and miscellaneous expenses" under the heading "Court of Claims" is amended so that the sum therein will read, \$2,500.

And the clause "for contingent and miscellaneous expenses of the Patent Office" is amended so that the sum named therein shall read \$35,000.

For a scientific library for the Patent Office, \$5,000.

And the clause "for photo-lithographing or otherwise producing plates for the Official Gazette", and so forth, is amended so that the sum named therein shall read \$24,000.

And the clause commencing "General Land Office: For the Commissioner", and so forth, is amended as follows: In lieu of the number named, it shall read, six clerks of class

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four; in lieu of the number named, it shall read, eighty clerks of class one; in lieu of the number named, it shall read, thirty clerks of class one thousand dollars, and nine copyists at \$900 each; in lieu of the number named, it shall read, nine assistant messengers; in lieu of the number named, it shall read, twelve laborers; and in lieu of the number named, it shall read, six packers; and the total sum of the clause shall correspond in amount to the change; and the sums of money necessary to carry out the foregoing amendments are hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. For salaries of certain offices created by acts of 1879, and for certain expenses rendered necessary by the removal of the offices of the War Department and of the Navy Department, and for matters heretofore provided for in other acts, and for the mints and assay-offices, and for other purposes, the following additional sums are hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated:

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

For two messengers in the House library, at \$3.60 per day.....	\$2, 635 20
and one additional engineer.....	1, 200 00
For messenger to the Speaker.....	1, 200 00
For laborer in the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms.....	660 00
For the person preparing the general index to the journals of Congress, under resolution of June 18, 1878.....	2, 500 00
For the journal clerk, for preparing Digest of the Rules.....	1, 000 00
For five folders in the folding-room.....	3, 600 00
For two additional watchmen on the Capitol police force, at \$900 each.....	1, 800 00

## SENATE.

For clerk to Committee on Military Affairs and for clerk to Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, at \$3, 220 each.....	4, 440 00
For assistant clerk to Committee on Appropriations.....	1, 200 00
For clerk to the Sergeant-at-Arms.....	2, 000 00
For messenger to the Vice-President's room, to be appointed by the Vice-President.....	1, 440 00
For miscellaneous items.....	20, 000 00

## LIBRARY OF CONGRESS.

To enable the Joint Committee on the Library to purchase works of art.....	5, 000 00
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## STATE DEPARTMENT.

That the sum of \$4,000 be, and is hereby, appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of printing 15,000 copies of the letter of the Secretary of State, with consular reports showing the rates of wages, hours of labor, prices of food, the general condition of the working classes in the several countries of Europe; to be available immediately.....	4, 000 00
For negotiation with foreign governments with a view to the international remonetization of silver, to be expended in the discretion of the President, \$20,000; and an account of the expenditure thereof shall be submitted to the Congress that meets December, 1880.....	20, 000 00
For Third Assistant Secretary of State.....	3, 500 00

## JUDICIAL.

For associate judge of the supreme court in the District of Columbia.....	4, 000 00
For a district judge for the northern district in Texas.....	3, 500 00

## TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE.—For five female clerks, at \$900.....	4, 500 00
FIRST COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.—For one clerk of class four.....	1, 800 00
FIRST AUDITOR.—For one clerk of class four.....	1, 800 00
For one skilled laborer in the office of the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Department.....	1, 000 00
Office of Life-Saving Service: For General Superintendent of the Life-Saving Service, \$4,000; assistant general superintendent of the Life-Saving Service, \$3,500; one principal clerk and accountant, \$1,800; two clerks of class three; one clerk of class two; one clerk of class one; one clerk, \$1,000; four clerks, at \$900 each; one assistant messenger, \$720; in all.....	19, 420 00

## INTERNAL REVENUE.

To meet a deficiency in the appropriation for salaries and expenses of agents and surveyors' fees and expenses of gaugers, salaries of storekeepers, and miscellaneous expenses, being for the present fiscal year.....	150, 000 00
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## FOR THE MINTS AND ASSAY-OFFICES.

Mint at Denver, Colorado: For assistant assayer, \$1,400; one clerk, \$1,400; for wages of workmen, \$2,500; for fuel, lights, and other necessities, \$3,000.....	8, 300 00
Mint at New Orleans, Louisiana: For wages of workmen and adjusters, \$12,000; for repairs and machinery, \$5,000.....	23, 000 00

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Assay-office at Helena, Montana: For wages of workmen, \$7,000; for fuel, crucibles, chemicals, and other necessities, \$9,485.....	\$16,485 00
Assay-office at Boise City, Idaho: For wages of workmen, fuel, crucibles, and other incidental expenses.....	4,000 00
Assay-office at Charlotte, North Carolina: For labor and other expenses.....	250 00
For the office of the Director of the Mint: For purchasing books, periodicals, and pamphlets containing information relative to monetary questions.....	200 00

GOVERNMENT IN THE TERRITORIES.

For salary of an associate judge in the Territory of Dakota .....	2,600 00
“For legislative expenses” for the biennial year in the following-named Territories, respectively:	
For the Territory of New Mexico .....	18,683 90
For the Territory of Utah .....	15,600 00
For the Territory of Washington .....	15,800 00
For the Territory of Wyoming .....	15,460 00
OFFICE OF DEPOSITARY AT TUCSON, ARIZONA.—For depositary, in addition to his pay as postmaster .....	800 00

WAR DEPARTMENT.

For eight charwomen, to be employed in the office of the Secretary of War, in the new State, War, and Navy Department building, at \$180 per annum each .....	1,440 00
For four watchmen, two firemen, and one laborer in the part of the Adjutant-General's Office to be located on the first and second floors of the old Navy Department building; in all .....	4,980 00
For contingent expenses of the Adjutant-General's Office, in the old Navy Department building, including fuel, light, heating apparatus, matting, cleaning, labor, and incidental items of care of two floors of Navy Department building to be occupied by the Adjutant-General's Office .....	2,000 00

NAVY DEPARTMENT.

To maintain a force of watchmen and laborers to protect and to attend to the old building occupied by the Navy Department, namely, for four watchmen and two laborers, to be put on duty when the building is vacated.....	4,200 00
For fuel, lights, and miscellaneous items .....	2,000 00
To provide for an additional force for the proper care of and for service in the new building, namely, one engineer, \$1,200; one assistant engineer, \$1,000; one conductor for the elevator, \$720; three firemen, at \$720 each; and eight charwomen, at \$180 each, to be employed when the new building shall be taken possession of, a sufficient sum is hereby appropriated. ....	6,520 00

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.—For one stenographer, \$1,800; two clerks of class four; two clerks of class one; and one assistant messenger .....	8,520 00
For casual repairs of the building .....	5,000 00
For stationery .....	5,000 00
OFFICE OF ASSISTANT ATTORNEY-GENERAL.—For three clerks, at \$2,000 each; and one clerk, at \$1,200; in all .....	7,200 00
INDIAN OFFICE.—For four clerks, at \$1,000 each; two copyists, at \$900 each; and one laborer; in all .....	6,460 00
PATENT OFFICE.—For seven copyists; five assistant messengers; and one folder and paster, at \$480; in all .....	10,380 00
BUREAU OF EDUCATION.—For collecting statistics and writing and compiling matter for annual and special reports, and editing and publishing circulars of information .....	7,000 00
PENSION OFFICE.—For compensation of the Commissioner of Pensions, \$3,600; deputy commissioner, \$2,400, said office to continue for one year only; chief clerk, \$2,000; medical referee, \$2,250; twenty-six clerks of class four; fifty-two clerks of class three; eighty-four clerks of class two; one hundred and forty-seven clerks of class one; ten clerks, at \$1,000 each; one skilled mechanic, at \$1,200; thirty copyists, at \$900 each; one engineer, at \$1,200; one assistant engineer, at \$1,000; one messenger and twelve assistant messengers; and for eight laborers and two watchmen; in all .....	489,350 00

This being in lieu of the paragraph of the same nature in the act of 1878, which is not continued and rendered available.

And the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to rent such buildings as may be necessary from time to time for the purpose of the census, the total expenditure not to exceed \$25,000, to be paid from the amount authorized to be expended by section 20 of the act of March 3, 1879, census act

Also to enable him to provide offices for the Geological Survey, and offices for additional accommodation of pension clerks .....	3,000 00
UNDER THE ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL.—For person in charge of heating apparatus of the Congressional Library and Supreme Court, \$264; for one laborer in charge of water closet in central portion of the Capitol, \$660; for three laborers for cleaning rotunda, corridors, and dome, at \$660 each; for the pay of six watchmen employed on the Capitol grounds, at \$720 each; in all .....	7,824 00
OFFICE OF AUDITOR OF RAILROAD ACCOUNTS.—For Auditor, \$3,600; bookkeeper, \$2,400; assistant bookkeeper, \$2,000; railroad engineer, \$2,000; one clerk, \$1,400; one copyist, \$900; traveling and other expenses, \$1,500; incidental expenses, \$250; in all .....	14,050 00

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## SOUTHERN CLAIMS COMMISSION.

For pay of three commissioners to the 10th day of March, 1880, at the rate of \$5,000 per annum each; one clerk, at the rate of \$2,500; one stenographer, at the rate of \$2,500; one messenger, at the rate of \$1,200; three additional clerks, at the rate of \$1,200 each; in all .....	\$17,222 21
For compensation of three investigating agents, at \$5 per day when actually employed; also traveling expenses of agents, fees and mileage to government witnesses, costs of summoning government witnesses, fees to commissioners for taking testimony, fees for abstracts and exemplifications of public records relating to claims and claimants .....	6,000 00
For contingent expenses, namely, office rent furniture, fuel, stationery, printing and binding, postage and expressage, labor, and assistance to shorthand reporter when needed .....	4,000 00
UNITED STATES ENTOMOLOGICAL COMMISSION.—To provide for the investigation into the habits of the cotton-worm and other insects injurious to the cotton-plant and to agriculture, with a view of preventing their injuries.....	5,000 00

## POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

THIRD ASSISTANT POSTMASTER-GENERAL.—In the office of the Third Assistant Postmaster-General the following increase of force over that of the current year is hereby authorized and appropriated for, namely: One clerk of class four; two clerks of class three; three clerks of class two; one clerk of class one; and three female clerks, at \$900 per annum each; in all .....	13,100 00
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## AGRICULTURAL DEPARTMENT.

For the continuance of the investigation of the diseases of swine, and infectious and contagious diseases to which all other classes of domesticated animals are subject .....	10,000 00
That sections forty-seven hundred and seventy-one, forty-seven hundred and seventy-two and forty-seven hundred and seventy-three of the Revised Statutes of the United States, providing for biennial examinations of pensioners, are hereby repealed: <i>Provided</i> , That the Commissioner of Pensions shall have the same power as heretofore to order special examinations, whenever, in his judgment, the same may be necessary, and to increase or reduce the pension according to right and justice; but in no case shall a pension be withdrawn or reduced except upon notice to the pensioner and a hearing upon sworn testimony, except as to the certificate of the examining surgeon. In order to provide for the speedy payment of arrearages of pensions, the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and directed to issue immediately in payment thereof, as they may be adjusted, the legal-tender currency, now in the United States Treasury, held as a special fund for the redemption of fractional currency under section one of joint resolution number seventeen of the Congress of the United States, approved July 22, 1876; and fractional currency presented for redemption shall be redeemed in any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.	
That the pay of assistant messengers, firemen, watchmen, and laborers provided for in this act, unless otherwise specially stated in particular cases in the act of June 19, 1878, which it continues and makes available (except as declared in the first section of this act), shall be as follows: For assistant messengers, firemen, and watchmen, \$720 per annum each; for laborers, \$66 per annum each; and a sufficient amount to meet the provisions of this section is hereby appropriated .....	Indefinite.
The amount appropriated by this act is \$16,246,743.73, including deficiency items, aggregating \$151,227.42.	
Total .....	16,286,743 73

*By the act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

For expenses of the Commanding General's office .....	\$2,500 00
For expenses of recruiting and transportation of recruits from rendezvous to depot. And no money appropriated by this act shall be paid for recruiting the Army beyond the number of twenty-five thousand enlisted men, including Indian scouts and hospital-towards; and thereafter there shall be no more than twenty-five thousand enlisted men in the Army at any one time, unless otherwise authorized by law. Nothing, however, in this act shall be construed to prevent enlistments for the Signal Service, which shall hereafter be maintained, as now organized and as provided by law, with a force of enlisted men not exceeding four hundred and fifty, after present terms of enlistment have expired.	75,000 00
For contingent expenses of the Adjutant-General's Department at the headquarters of military divisions and departments .....	3,000 00
For expenses of the Signal Service of the Army, purchase, equipment, and repair of electric field-telegraphs and signal equipments .....	10,500 00
PAY DEPARTMENT.—For pay of the commissioned and non-commissioned officers, privates (including those employed as Indian scouts), storekeepers, musicians, and veterinary surgeons, artificers, farriers, and saddlers except as hereinafter enumerated .....	9,880,000 00
MISCELLANEOUS.—For the pay of contract surgeons .....	165,000 00
For the pay of fifty-four paymasters' clerks .....	64,800 00
For the pay of one hundred and eighty-six hospital-stewards .....	66,000 00
For the pay of two hundred hospital-matrons .....	24,000 00
For one hundred and forty-seven commissary-sergeants .....	59,000 00
Carried forward .....	10,340,800 00



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Brought forward.....	\$10,340,800 00
For messengers to paymasters.....	15,000 00
For extra-duty pay to enlisted men.....	30,000 00
For travel-pay and commutation of subsistence to discharged soldiers.....	370,000 00
For retained pay to discharged men.....	340,000 00
For commutation of officers' quarters at places where there are no public quarters.....	156,000 00
<i>Provided, That no allowance shall be made for claims for quarters for servants heretofore or hereafter; and that the rate of commutation shall hereafter be \$12 per room per month for officers' quarters, in lieu of \$10, as now provided by law.</i>	
For pay to soldiers for clothing not drawn.....	450,000 00
For additional pay to enlisted men.....	440,000 00
For mileage of officers of the Army when traveling under orders.....	170,000 00
For cost of telegrams; and telegrams are authorized to be transmitted by railroad companies which may have telegraph lines, and which shall file their written acceptance of the restrictions and obligations imposed on telegraph companies by title 65 of the Revised Statutes, for the government and for the general public, at rates to be fixed by the government, according to the provisions of title 65 of the Revised Statutes; and also for compensation of citizen witnesses attending upon courts-martial, military commissions, courts of inquiry; traveling expenses of paymasters' clerks.....	70,000 00
<i>Provided, That the appropriations under the head of "Pay Department" in this act, amounting to \$12,299,800, shall be accounted for by disbursing officers under the title of "Pay, and so forth, of the Army, 1880".</i>	
<b>SUBSISTENCE DEPARTMENT.</b> —For subsistence of 25,000 enlisted men, 120 additional half-rations for sergeants and corporals of ordnance, women to companies (landresses), 1,875 civilian employes, 125 contract-surgeons, 200 hospital-matrons, 110 military convicts, and 500 prisoners of war (Indians) in all, 10,901,455 rations, at 20 cents each; for difference between cost of rations and commutation thereof for detailed men, and for enlisted men and recruits at recruiting stations, and for cost of hot coffee and cooked ration for troops traveling on cars; for subsistence stores for Indians visiting military posts, and Indians employed without pay as scouts, and guides.....	
Of which amount \$300,000 shall be available from and after the passage of this act for the purchase of stores necessary to be transported to distant posts in advance of the 30th of June, A. D. 1879: <i>Provided, That to the cost of all stores and other articles sold to officers and men, except tobacco, as provided for in section 1,149 of the Revised Statutes, 10 per centum shall be added to cover wastage, transportation, and other incidental charges.</i>	2,300,000 00
<b>QUARTERMASTER'S DEPARTMENT.</b> —For the regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department, consisting of stoves for heating and cooking; of fuel for officers, enlisted men, guards, hospitals, storehouses, and offices; of forage in kind for the horses, mules, and oxen of the Quartermaster's Department at the several posts and stations, and with the armies in the field; for the horses of the several regiments of cavalry, the batteries of artillery, mounted men of the Signal Service, and such companies of infantry and scouts as may be mounted, and for the authorized number of officers' horses, including bedding for the animals; of straw for soldiers' bedding; and of stationery, including blank books for the Quartermaster's Department, certificates for discharged soldiers, blank forms for the Pay and Quartermaster's Departments, and for printing of division and department orders and reports.....	
For incidental expenses, to wit: For postage and telegrams or dispatches; extra pay to soldiers employed under the direction of the Quartermaster's Department in the erection of barracks, quarters, storehouses, and hospitals, in the construction of roads, and other constant labor, for periods of not less than 10 days, including those employed as clerks at division and department headquarters and signal-service sergeants; expenses of express to and from the frontier posts and armies in the field; of escorts to paymasters and other disbursing officers, and to trains where military escorts cannot be furnished; expenses of the interment of officers killed in action, or who die when on duty in the field, or at posts on the frontiers, or when traveling on orders, and of non-commissioned officers and soldiers; authorized office furniture; hire of laborers in the Quartermaster's Department, including the hire of interpreters, spies, and guides for the Army; compensation of clerks to officers of the Quartermaster's Department; compensation of forage and wagon masters authorized by the act of July 5, 1833; for the apprehension, securing, and delivering of deserters, and the expenses incident to their pursuit; and for the following expenditures, required for the several regiments of cavalry, the batteries of light artillery, and such companies of infantry and scouts as may be mounted, and for the trains, to wit: hire of veterinary surgeons, medicine for horses and mules, picket-ropes, and for shoeing the horses and mules; also, generally, the proper and authorized expenses for the movement and operations of the Army not expressly assigned to any other department.....	
For the purchase of horses for the cavalry and artillery, and for the Indian scouts, and for such infantry as may be mounted.....	3,600,000 00
For transportation of the Army, including baggage of the troops, when moving either by land or water; of clothing and camp and garrison equipage from the depots of Philadelphia and Jeffersonville to the several posts and Army depots, and from those depots to the troops in the field; of horse equipments and of subsistence stores from the places of purchase and from the places of delivery, under contract, to such places as the circumstances of the service may require them to be sent; of ordnance, ordnance stores, and small-arms from the foundries and armories to the arsenals, fortifications, frontier posts, and Army depots; freights, wharfage, tolls and ferriages; the purchase and hire of horses, mules, oxen, and harness, and the purchase and repair of wagons, carts, and drays, and of ships and other sea-going vessels and boats required for the transportation of supplies, and for garrison purposes; for drayage and cartage at the several posts; hire of teamsters; transportation of funds for the pay and other disbursing departments; the expenses of sailing public transports on the various rivers, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Atlantic and Pacific; for procuring water at such posts as, from their	1,000,000 00
	200,000 00
Carried forward.....	19,481,800 00

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Brought forward.....	\$19,481,800 00
situation, require it to be brought from a distance; and for clearing roads and for removing obstructions from roads, harbors, and rivers, to the extent which may be required for the actual operations of the troops in the field.....	4,200,000 00
For hire of quarters for troops, of storehouses for the safe keeping of military stores, of offices, and of grounds for camp and summer cantonments, and for temporary frontier stations, for the construction of temporary huts and stables; and for repairing public buildings at established posts.....	880,000 00
<i>Provided</i> , That of said sum \$30,000, or so much thereof as shall be necessary, in the discretion of the Secretary of War, be expended in the construction of a necessary storehouse and depot building at the city of Omaha, in the State of Nebraska: <i>And provided further</i> , That no part of said sum shall be used in the purchase of the ground required for such purchase. The Secretary of War is hereby authorized to receive, by donation of citizens or others, the title for any lots or tracts of land necessary to the proper location of the building or buildings hereinbefore provided for.	
For the construction of a military post near the Niobrara River in Northern Nebraska or Dakota, at a point to be selected by the General of the Army, with the approval of the Secretary of War, \$50,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary.....	50,000 00
For construction and repair of hospitals, as reported by the Surgeon-General of the Army.....	75,000 00
For purchase and manufacture of clothing and camp and garrison equipage, and for preserving and repacking the stock of clothing and camp and garrison equipage and materials on hand at the Philadelphia, Jeffersonville, and other depots of the Quartermaster's Department.....	900,000 00
For maintaining and improving national cemeteries, \$100,000. And the board of managers of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers may charge the regulation stone to be used in the Central Branch, at a cost not exceeding \$1.50 additional for each one.....	100,000 00
For pay of seventy-one superintendents of the same.....	59,000 00
For all contingent expenses of the Army not provided for by other estimates, and embracing all branches of the military service, to be expended under the immediate orders of the Secretary of War.....	40,000 00
<b>MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.</b> —For purchase of medical and hospital supplies, medical care and treatment of officers and soldiers on detached duty, expenses of purveying-depots, advertising, and other miscellaneous expenses of the Medical Department.....	200,000 00
For the Army Medical Museum, and for medical and other works for the library of the Surgeon-General's Office.....	10,000 00
<b>ENGINEER DEPARTMENT.</b> —For engineer depot at Willets Point, New York, namely: For purchase of engineering materials to continue the present course of instruction of the engineer battalion in field engineering.....	1,000 00
For incidental expenses of the depot, remodeling ponton-trains, repairing instruments, purchasing fuel, forage, stationery, chemicals, extra-duty pay to soldiers engaged in special skilled labor, and ordinary repairs.....	4,000 00
<b>ORDNANCE DEPARTMENT.</b> —For the ordnance service, required to defray the current expenses at the arsenals; of receiving stores and issuing arms and other ordnance supplies; of police and office duties; of rents, tolls, fuel, and lights; of stationery and office furniture; of tools and instruments for use; of public animals, forage, and vehicles; incidental expenses of the ordnance service, including compensation of workmen in the armory and museum building connected with the Ordnance Office and those attending practical trials and tests of ordnance, small-arms, and other ordnance supplies.....	110,000 00
<i>Provided</i> , That none of the money hereby appropriated shall be expended, directly or indirectly, for any use not strictly necessary for, and directly connected with, the military service of the government; and this restriction shall apply to the use of public animals, forage, and vehicles.	
For manufacture of metallic ammunition for small-arms.....	75,000 00
For overhauling, cleaning, and preserving new ordnance stores on hand at the arsenals..	25,000 00
For dismantling guns and removing the armament from forts being modified or repaired, including heavy carriages returned to arsenals for alteration and repairs, and other necessary expenses of the same character, and for repairing ordnance and ordnance stores in the hands of troops and for issue at the arsenals and depots, and for extra duty for enlisted men detailed for ordnance service.....	30,000 00
For purchase and manufacture of ordnance stores, to fill requisitions of troops.....	115,000 00
For infantry, cavalry, and artillery equipments, consisting of clothing-bags, haversacks, canteens, and great-coat straps, and repairing horse equipments for cavalry troops....	75,000 00
For purchase of site for powder-depot and commencing the erection of suitable buildings.....	50,000 00
For manufacture of arms at national armories.....	250,000 00
For conversion of smooth-bore guns.....	50,000 00
For leveling, clearing, and grading range-ground at Sandy Hook common, building plank roads, targets, cranes, and similar necessaries, and for telegraph poles and wires for ballistic instruments.....	5,000 00
For quarters for superintendent of the proving-ground at Sandy Hook.....	2,500 00
That the Secretary of War is authorized and directed to cause all the regulations of the Army and general orders now in force to be codified and published to the Army, and to defray the expenses thereof out of the contingent fund of the Army.	
And the examiner of State claims in the office of the Secretary of War shall have, while on such duty, the pay, emoluments, and allowances of mounted officers one grade higher than that held by him in his regiment or corps.	
That when a vacancy occurs in the office of professor of the French language or in the office of professor of the Spanish language in the Military Academy, both these offices shall cease, and the remaining one of the two professors shall be professor of modern languages; and thereafter there shall be in the Military Academy one, and only one, professor of modern languages; and that section 1336 of the Revised Statutes be, and is hereby, amended by inserting, after the word "service" in the first line, the words "as professor".	
Carried forward.....	26,788,300 00



*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

Brought forward .....	\$26,788,300 00
That each member of the graduating classes of the Military Academy, of 1879, and 1880, after graduation, may elect, with the assent of the Secretary of War, to receive the gross sum of \$750 and mileage to his place of residence .....	Indefinite.
<p>And the acceptance of this gross sum shall render him ineligible to appointment in the Army, except in the event of war, until two years after his graduation; and the amount required to defray the expenditure herein provided for shall be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.</p> <p>That no money appropriated in this act is appropriated or shall be paid for the subsistence, equipment, transportation, or compensation of any portion of the Army of the United States to be used as a police force to keep the peace at the polls at any election held within any State.</p> <p>That the Secretary of War shall be authorized to detail an officer of the Army, not above the rank of captain, for special duty with reference to Indian education.</p> <p>That section 6 of the act approved June 18, 1878, making appropriations for the support of the Army, be, and is hereby, repealed: <i>Provided</i>, That when the economy of the service requires, the Secretary of War shall direct the establishment of military headquarters at points where suitable buildings are owned by the government.</p>	
Total .....	26,788,300 00

*By the act making appropriations for certain judicial expenses for the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

For payment of district attorneys and their assistants, \$300,000;	
For fees of clerks, \$160,000;	
For fees of United States commissioners, \$140,000;	
For fees of jurors, \$400,000;	
For fees of witnesses, \$550,000;	
For support of United States prisoners, \$193,000;	
For rent of United States court-rooms, \$67,000;	
For expenses of bailiffs, criers, stationery, fuel, lights, furniture, watchmen and janitors, cleaners and sweepers, extra meals for impaneled jurors, transportation of prisoners, moving of records, salaried officers of the government summoned as witnesses, travel in collecting evidence in United States cases, for holding seizures, for fees of justices of the peace acting as United States commissioners, for stenographers, for post-mortem examinations, for expenses of judges holding extra terms of court outside their districts, of interpreters, fees to township officers in summoning jurors, extra pay to experts as witnesses, for storage for surveys required as evidence, and for all other necessary miscellaneous expenditures, \$280,000; making in all .....	\$2,090,000 00

*By the act making additional appropriations for the service of the Post-Office Department for the fiscal years ending June 30, 1879, and June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

For payment to letter-carriers for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and to extend the service of such carriers for said year under the provisions of the act approved February 21, 1879, entitled "An act to fix the pay of letter-carriers", in addition to the sum heretofore appropriated .....	\$415,000 00
For payment of increased salary to letter-carriers under the provisions of existing law, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879 .....	71,000 00
To enable the Commissioner of the General Land Office to adjust and settle the claims of the several States, under the act of Congress approved September 28, 1850, and the act supplemental thereto and amendatory thereof, for swamp lands, including all claims for swamp-land indemnity under the acts of March 2, 1855, and March 3, 1857, and other acts .....	15,000 00
For payment of judgments of the Court of Claims .....	100,000 00
For interest due Osages on avails of diminished reserve lands in Kansas, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880. This amount to be expended for the Osage Indians, in accordance with section 12 of the act of July 15, 1870, being interest at 5 per cent, per annum from March 1, 1879, to March 1, 1880, on \$1,206,257.29, aggregate of net avails of Osage trust and diminished reserve lands sold prior to March 1, 1879, as provided for by section 2 of the act approved May 9, 1872 .....	60,312 86
For salary of the additional associate justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, appointed under the act of Congress approved February 25, 1879, from the date of his appointment to and including June 30, 1879 .....	1,122 22
<p>Or so much thereof as may be necessary; and the paragraph relating to Reform School, in section 3 of an act entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes", is hereby amended by inserting, after the word "improvements", in said paragraph, the words "and support of boys sent to said school".</p>	
Total .....	662,435 08

*By the act to provide for certain expenses of the present session of Congress, and for other purposes.*

SENATE.

To meet certain expenses of the Senate during the current fiscal year, as follows, namely:	
For the payment of Lycurgus Dalton, as clerk to the Sergeant-at-Arms of the Senate, from the 1st day of April to the 30th day of June, inclusive, at the rate of \$2,200 per annum .....	\$368 70
For horses and mail-wagons for mail and document purposes .....	1,200 00
Carried forward .....	1,568 70

*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

Brought forward.....	\$1,568 70
For furniture and repairs of furniture.....	3,000 00
For miscellaneous items, exclusive of labor.....	5,000 00
That the employes of the Senate who have served during the present session of Congress shall be paid their respective salaries out of the fund already appropriated for such service from the time they entered upon their duties until the time they took the oath required by law.	

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

To meet the miscellaneous expenses of the House of Representatives during the current fiscal year, to be disbursed by the Clerk of the House.....	20,000 00
To pay Wat-on Boyle, H. A. Olcott, and W. H. Smith, employed under resolutions of the House, at \$3.60 per day each from and including March 1, to June 30, 1879.....	1,317 60
To pay William Douglass in charge of water closet from and including March 1 to June 30, 1879.....	282 30
To pay person employed in preparing general index to journals of Congress under resolution of the House of June 18, 1878, at the rate of \$2,500 per annum, from and including March 1 to June 30, 1879.....	840 30
To pay eight messengers in the post-office of the House, two of them from and including April 1 and the remaining six from and including April 4, 1879, until the conclusion of the present session of Congress during the present fiscal year at the rate of \$800 each for seven months.....	Indefinite.

## MINT AND ASSAY-OFFICES.

To provide for deficiencies in the appropriations for mints and assay-offices for the current fiscal year, as follows, namely:	
Mint at Philadelphia: For contingent expenses.....	10,000 00
Mint at Denver, Colorado: For wages of workmen.....	800 00
For contingent expenses.....	700 00
Assay-office at Charlotte, North Carolina: For wages and contingent expenses.....	375 00
Assay-office at Boise City, Idaho: For wages and contingent expenses.....	2,000 00
Assay-office at Helena, Montana: For wages of workmen.....	2,000 00
For contingent expenses.....	3,000 00
Total.....	50,883 90

*By the act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to contract for the purchase or construction of a refrigerating ship for the disinfection of vessels and cargoes, and for other purposes.*

That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, authorized to contract for the purchase or construction of such steam vessel, and refrigerating machinery, or to arrange with the Navy Department for the use of such vessel as may be recommended by the National Board of Health, to disinfect vessels and cargoes from ports suspected of infection with yellow fever or other contagious disease; the construction of the same, if such construction shall be recommended by said Board of Health, to be under the inspection of an officer of the Bureau of Steam Engineering of the Navy, who may, at the request of the Secretary of the Treasury, be detailed by the Secretary of the Navy for that purpose; and for the purpose of such purchase or construction, the sum of \$200,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be immediately available, is hereby appropriated.....	\$200,000 00
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*By the act providing for a new propeller for the United States ship "Alarm."*

To enable the Secretary of the Navy to fit a new propeller to the United States torpedo-boat "Alarm," and to conduct experiments as to the best mode of propelling and steering said vessel.....	20,000 00
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*By the act making appropriations for constructing jetties and other works at South Pass, Mississippi River*

That the requisite amount is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to enable the Secretary of War to cause to be paid all money that may become due and owing to James B. Eads and his associates, or that may become payable to said Eads, his assigns or legal representatives, in accordance with the provisions of the act approved March 3, 1875, and the acts amendatory thereof, and to continue the monthly payments in the manner and to the full extent of the amount specified in the act approved June 29, 1878, chapter 313, Statutes at Large.....	Indefinite.
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*Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be held or construed as waiving or impairing any right which the United States may have under the original act hereinbefore referred to or the several acts amendatory thereof: *And provided further*, That nothing in this act shall be construed as making an appropriation for the payment of the \$1,000,000 which by the provisions of the act of March 3, 1875, are to remain as security in the possession of the United States, and only to become payable, one-half at the end of ten years, and the residue at the end of twenty years after the completion of the work provided for in said acts as ascertained and determined by the Secretary of War.

*By the act to authorize the employment of three additional assistants in the Library of Congress.*

That the Librarian of Congress be authorized to employ three additional assistants, at a yearly compensation of \$1,200 each; and the sum necessary is hereby appropriated....	\$3,600 00
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*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

*By the act to prevent the introduction of contagious or infectious diseases into the United States.*

To meet the expenses to be incurred in carrying out the provisions of this act, the sum of \$500,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury on estimates to be made by the National Board of Health, and to be approved by him. Said National Board of Health shall as often as quarterly make a full statement of its operations and expenditures under this act to the Secretary of the Treasury, who shall report the same to Congress .....

\$500,000 00

*By the act to confer upon the Commissioners of the District of Columbia certain powers, duties, and limitations contained in chapter eight (Water Service) of the Revised Statutes of the United States relating to the District of Columbia, and for other purposes.*

That the Commissioners of the District of Columbia shall have all the powers and be subject to all the duties and limitations provided in chapter eight of the Revised Statutes of the United States relating to the District of Columbia, excepting such powers and duties as belong to the Chief of Engineers: *Provided*, That water-main taxes and water rents shall be uniform in said District: *And provided further*, That the rate of interest specified in section two hundred and two of said Revised Statutes shall be increased to ten per centum per annum from and after the passage of this act.

SEC 2. That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, directed to advance to said Commissioners the sum of \$25,000, to be reimbursed by payment into the Treasury of the United States, until said sum is paid in full of all collections of water-main taxes now due said District; and the money so advanced shall be expended to improve the water supply on Capitol Hill .....

25,000 00

*By the act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to negotiate for the purchase at private sale, or, if necessary, procure by condemnation, a site for a post-office in the city of Baltimore, State of Maryland.*

That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to negotiate and contract for the conditional purchase, at private sale, or, if necessary, procure by condemnation, in pursuance of the statutes of the State of Maryland now in force, or any statute of said State which may hereafter be passed by its legislature for that purpose, a suitable piece of ground or site in the city of Baltimore in the State of Maryland for the erection of a building to be used for a post-office, court-house, and other public offices, the cost of the same not to exceed the sum of \$500,000; and the sum of \$4,000 is hereby appropriated, or so much as may be necessary therefor, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the costs and expenses of condemnation of said ground or site, if proceedings of condemnation are, in the judgment of the Secretary of the Treasury, required to procure the same: *Provided*, That no money except the sum hereinbefore appropriated for expenses of condemnation be expended for purchase of said site until the purchase and contract for the same shall have been approved by Congress nor until a valid title to such ground or site is vested in the United States, and the State of Maryland shall have released and relinquished jurisdiction over the same, and exempted from taxation such site and such buildings as may hereafter be erected thereon, so long as the same are the property of the United States .....

4,000 00

*By the act to provide for the appointment of a "Mississippi River Commission" for the improvement of said river from the Head of the Passes near its mouth to its headwaters.*

The Secretary of War is hereby authorized to expend the sum of \$175,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the payment of the salaries herein provided for, and of the necessary expenses incurred in the completion of such surveys as may now be in progress, and of such additional surveys, examinations, and investigations as may be deemed necessary, reporting the plans and estimates, and the plans, specifications, and estimates contemplated by this act, as herein provided for .....

175,000 00

*By the joint resolution to repeal certain clauses in the sundry civil appropriation act approved March 3 1879, and for other purposes.*

That the clause in the "Act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1879, making appropriation to pay B. R. Lewis and J. J. Coffee the balances due them respectively as marshal and clerk at the consulate-general at Shanghai, China, be amended by striking out the words: "And said Lewis and Coffee shall receive no allowance for witness fees and travelling expenses." And that the following clause in said act, in relation to the publications of the Geological Survey, namely, the words "under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, \$100,000," be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

That the paragraph in said act relating to the extension of the military telegraph lines from Fort Buford to Helena, Dakota Territory, be amended so as to read as follows, namely: "For the extension of the military telegraph lines to Helena, Montana Territory, and the new post on the Milk River, and such other points as may be necessary, \$20,000."

That the paragraph in said act relating to the extension of the military telegraph lines from Fort Elliott, Texas, westward, be amended so as to read as follows, namely: "For the extension of the military telegraph lines to Fort Elliott, Texas, and westward, as may be necessary, \$20,000."

*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

That the following paragraph in said act, namely: "That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and empowered to lease the water power at Moline, or such portion as may be agreed upon, to the Moline Water Power Company, upon such terms and conditions, and for such term of years, as may be agreed upon, if the same can be done consistently with the interests of the Government of the United States; said lease to be made upon the condition that the said Moline Water Power Company shall go on and complete the development of the water power and maintain it at its own cost and expense," be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

That in the final settlement of the accounts of Henry C. De Abna, late collector of customs at Sitka, Alaska, the proper accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized and directed to allow and pay to the said De Abna the further sum of \$2,000, in full compensation and final discharge for all expenses incurred and losses sustained by said De Abna in traveling to and from Alaska and in obtaining and furnishing the Treasury Department with reports concerning the condition of public affairs in said Territory. And said sum of \$2,000 is for that purpose hereby appropriated . . . . . \$2,000 00

That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purposes namely:

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

To pay the widow and heirs of Hon. Rush Clark, deceased, to be distributed in the proportion prescribed by the law of descent of the State of Iowa . . . . . 6,000 00

To pay the widow of Hon. Gustave Schleicher, deceased . . . . . 6,000 00

To pay Johan C. Kondrup, messenger of reporters of debates, House of Representatives, for the present session, at the rate of \$3.33 per month, a sufficient sum is hereby appropriated . . . . . Indefinite.

For salary of an additional associate justice of the supreme court of the Territory of Dakota, appointed under act of Congress approved March 3, 1879, from the date of his appointment to the 30th day of June, 1879, the sum of \$680, or so much thereof as may be necessary . . . . . 680 00

## WAR DEPARTMENT.

For deficiency in the appropriation for pay of cadets at the Military Academy, for the current fiscal year . . . . . 7,500 00

## INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

That the sum of \$9,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated to pay adjusted accounts for service or expenses incurred in completing the eighth census . . . . . 9,000 00

That the sum of \$4,090.69 is hereby appropriated to pay adjusted accounts for service or expenses incurred in completing the ninth census . . . . . 4,090 69

To pay Semmes and Barbour, or their legal representatives, as recommended by the Secretary of the Interior, this amount in full satisfaction for their claim for rent of buildings for the use of the Pension Office, on Louisiana avenue and C street, northwest, known as the Seaton House, and the building adjoining it on the west, known as Nos. 624, 626, and 628, Louisiana avenue, and Nos. 619, 621, 623, C street, and for damage to the said buildings sustained while occupied by the government, and also in full satisfaction for rent for and damages to said buildings subsequent to September 15, 1876, \$9,316.94, to be paid out of the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the contingent fund of the Pension Office for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1877 . . . . . 9,316 94

That the second clause under the heading "Geological Survey" in the act of March 3, 1879, entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes," is hereby amended by adding at the end of the said clause the words "to be immediately available."

Total . . . . . 44,587 63

*By the joint resolution authorizing the printing of a portrait of the late Joseph Henry, to accompany the memorial volume heretofore ordered.*

That the Secretary of the Treasury have printed the portrait of Prof. Joseph Henry, to accompany the memorial volume already ordered by Congress; and the sum of \$500 is hereby appropriated to defray the cost thereof . . . . . 500 00

*By the joint resolution in relation to the international exhibitions to be held at Sydney and Melbourne, Australia, in 1879 and 1880.*

Whereas, the British Government have communicated to the Government of the United States an invitation on behalf of the colony of New South Wales to take part in a universal exhibition of products, manufactures, and arts, to be held in Sydney in the month of August next; and

Whereas, the colony of Victoria has set on foot a similar exhibition, to be held at Melbourne during the coming year, and in the organization and conduct of which the commissioners and exhibitors of the United States are desired to participate;

That to provide for the acceptance of said invitation and the representation of the United States in said exhibitions, there be, and hereby is, appropriated the sum of \$20,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to effect the purpose of this resolution, to be expended in the discretion of the Secretary of State, for the purpose of effecting such representation at both or either of the said exhibitions . . . . . 20,000 00

*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

*By the joint resolution directing a monument to be erected to mark the birthplace of George Washington.*

For the purpose of erecting a monument at, and to mark, the birthplace of George Washington, which said sum shall be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State, who shall have the management and control of the erection of said monument..... \$3,000 00

*By the joint resolution fixing the date on which the pay of the committee clerks, pages, and laborers of the House of Representatives, who are paid during the session only, shall begin for this session, and for other purposes.*

That the pay of the thirty-five clerks to committees of the House of Representatives heretofore authorized by resolutions of the House, and of the twenty-nine pages, and of the laborers of the House, heretofore authorized by law or by resolution of the House, who are paid during the session only, shall begin for this session on the day of the organization of the House, the 18th day of March, 1879; and the clerk of the House is hereby authorized and directed to pay them from that date without regard to the date of their respective oaths of office.

That the officers, clerks to committees, and employes of the Senate including the Capitol police, who were employed previous to the 4th day of March, 1879, and who continued in said employment to and including the 4th day of April, who have since ceased to be so employed, or who may cease to be so employed prior to December 1, 1879, shall be paid a sum equal to one month's pay at the rate per annum they were paid when their employment ceased; and a sufficient sum for this purpose is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated..... Indefinite.

To enable the Secretary of the Senate to pay Lord Harleston as special messenger assisting on the floor of the Senate, from April 4, 1879, to June 30, 1879, inclusive, at the usual salary of messenger, and S. B. Pennybaker as a page for the same period to the Senate, such sums as may be necessary are hereby appropriated, but they shall not be paid any moneys under section two of this joint resolution..... Indefinite.

*By the joint resolution to provide for the purchase of the stereotype plates of the final reports of the Centennial Commission upon the Centennial Exhibition of 1876.*

That to purchase the stereotype plates of the final reports of the Centennial Commission upon Centennial Exhibition of 1876 as transmitted by the United States Centennial Commission, said plates being now in the hands of the Centennial Board of Finance, the sum of \$8,600 is hereby appropriated..... \$8,600 00

*By the joint resolution in relation to committee clerks, pages, and other employes of the Senate and House of Representatives, and for other purposes.*

That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives are hereby authorized and directed to pay all committee clerks, pages, messengers, and other employes of the Senate and House of Representatives who do not receive annual salaries, and who are in such employ at the passage of this resolution, their present rate of compensation respectively for fifteen days from the date of the adjournment of this session of Congress; and the money required to pay the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and shall be immediately available. Indefinite.

That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, namely:  
To enable the Clerk of the House of Representatives to pay John E. Kelley, for services as messenger to the Committee of Ways and Means, during the present session of Congress, at the rate of \$1,000 per annum..... Indefinite.

To supply a deficiency in the appropriation for stationery and newspapers for the House of Representatives, for the fiscal year 1879..... \$800 00

To supply a deficiency in the appropriation for pay of folders for the Senate, for the fiscal year 1879..... 100 00

To enable the Clerk of the House to pay a sum equal to one month's pay from the date of their discharge from the "disabled soldiers' roll" of the House of Representatives, respectively, to William H. Prescott, Eugene McSweeney, and Robert E. Hedian: *Provided,* Such pay has not already been provided for by law..... Indefinite.

To pay one additional laborer in the engineer's department of the House of Representatives, for the fiscal year 1880..... \$820 00

To pay H. T. Burrows for his services as a special messenger of the Senate, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1879, the sum of \$511.30; the same being the salary of a messenger less the amount already received by him on account of said service..... 511 30

To enable the Secretary of the Senate to pay Wilbur F. McDaniel for services as messenger to Senate document room, under resolution of the Senate of May 20, 1879, for the fiscal year 1879, \$80, and for the fiscal year 1880, \$720; in all..... 800 00

And to pay A. R. Potts and C. F. Rainey for services in the office of the Sergeant-at-Arms, House of Representatives, \$5 per day each for the first session of the Forty-sixth Congress, a sufficient sum is hereby appropriated..... Indefinite.

For suitable and necessary rooms for the use and accommodation of the Court of Claims, which the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized and directed to procure..... \$5,000 00

For arranging and furnishing as committee-rooms for the use of the Senate and House, to be allotted equally as nearly as practicable, the rooms in the Capitol now occupied by the Court of Claims, the sum of..... 2,000 00

That the Secretary of the Senate be, and he is hereby, directed to pay, out of the appropriation for the miscellaneous items of the contingent fund of the Senate, to the following officers and employes of the Senate whose services have ceased since the beginning of the present session, and who are not now in the employ of the Senate, and who were

Carried forward..... 10,031 30



*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

Brought forward.....	\$10,031 30
not embraced in the provisions of the "joint resolution fixing the date on which the pay of committee clerks, pages, and laborers of the House of Representatives who are paid during the session only, shall begin for this session, and for other purposes," viz, the Chief Clerk, the Executive Clerk, the Chaplain, the assistant postmaster, the clerk to the Committee to Audit and Control the Contingent Expenses of the Senate, and the clerks to committees receiving annual salaries, a sum equal to one month's pay at the rate per annum they were paid respectively when their employment ceased; and to pay Ben. Perley Pope, former clerk of Printing Records, one month's pay at the rate per annum received by him at the time he ceased to be such clerk; to pay John Fletcher for extra services as one of the attendants at one of the doors of the Senate Chamber, \$60.	
That there be paid out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, one month's pay to each of the persons discharged from the Treasury Department by reason of the reduction in the force under the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes," but this payment shall not apply in any case where leave of absence for thirty days has been granted as preliminary to said discharge.....	Indefinite.
That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives be, and they are hereby, authorized and directed, immediately after the adjournment of the present session, to issue to the officers and employes of the Senate and House borne on the annual rolls, their respective salaries for the month of July, 1879, which shall be in anticipation of their pay for the month of July.	
That so much of the act "making appropriations for the payment of claims reported allowed by the Commissioner of Claims under the act of Congress of March 3, 1871, and acts amendatory thereof," approved March 3, 1879, as appropriates as follows:	
To Robert Otis, administrator de bonis non of Roger A. Hiern, deceased, for the use and benefit of Emma Eliza Hiern and Charles Hiern, \$6,666, be, and the same is hereby, suspended until the further action of Congress.	
Total .....	10,031 30
<i>By the joint resolution to pay the employes of the House of Representatives borne on the annual roll one month's extra pay.</i>	
That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to the employes of the House borne on the annual roll one month's extra pay, at the same compensation as now paid them by law, and an amount sufficient to pay the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated....	Indefinite.
<i>By the joint resolution to supply Congress with Heyl's United States Import Duties.</i>	
That the Secretary of the Senate and Clerk of the House of Representatives be and they are hereby directed to purchase and procure, as early as practicable, for the use of Congress, 500 copies of "Heyl's United States Duties on Imports," edition of 1879, to wit, one copy for each Senator, Representative, and Delegate, and the residue for the use of the committees of the Senate and House of Representatives; the price to be the same as was paid for a like number of copies purchased for the Forty-fourth Congress, namely, \$2.50 per copy. And the sum of \$1,250 is hereby appropriated for the same....	\$1,250 00
<i>By the act for the relief of the estate of Henry Conara.</i>	
That the Secretary of the Treasury be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Mrs. Adela Conard, widow and sole legatee of the late Henry Conard, of Pennsylvania, the sum of \$7,000, to reimburse his estate for expenditures made and losses sustained by him in consequence of protection, &c., extended by him to Haytian refugees under the authority of the Government of the United States, while in the consular service thereof at Port-au-Prince, in the year 1868.....	7,000 00
<i>By the act providing compensation to E. E. Rice for property transferred by him to the Government of the United States for the use of the diplomatic and consular representatives at Hakodadi in Japan.</i>	
For certain lots, and improvements thereon, in Hakodadi, Japan, conveyed by said Rice to the United States and used for consular purposes.....	2,250 00
<i>By the joint resolution to pay Patrick Doran for services as messenger, House of Representatives.</i>	
That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby authorized and directed to pay to Patrick Doran for his services as messenger to the Committee on Expenditures in the Treasury Department during the last session of Forty-fifth Congress, the sum of \$291.60, in full and final settlement for such services.....	291 60
<i>By the joint resolution for the relief of Dr. O. W. Brink, bearer of dispatches from the United States minister at Mexico in 1869.</i>	
For compensation and expenses as bearer of dispatches from the United States minister at Mexico in 1869.....	552 69
<i>By the joint resolution to pay L. H. Fitzhugh for services during the Forty-fourth Congress.</i>	
For his claim for services as Doorkeeper for the Forty-fourth Congress, and for services after his removal from the said position as Doorkeeper.....	1,250 00



*Appropriations, &c.—Continued.*

RECAPITULATION.

By the act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses for the year ending June 30, 1880, including deficiency items, aggregating \$151,227.42 .....	\$16,286,743 73
By the act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880 .....	26,788,300 00
By the act making appropriations for certain judicial expenses for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880 .....	2,090,000 00
By the act making additional appropriations for the Post-Office Department for years ending June 30, 1879 and 1880 .....	662 435 08
Miscellaneous .....	1,077,797 12
Total .....	46,905,275 93

## II.—NEW OFFICES CREATED AND THE SALARIES THEREOF.

[Prepared in the office of the Secretary of the Senate.]

*By the act (No. 7) to authorize the employment of three additional assistants in the Library of Congress.*

The Librarian of Congress is authorized to employ three additional assistants, at a yearly compensation of \$1,200 each.

*By the act (No. 10) to prevent the introduction of contagious or infectious diseases into the United States.*

The President is authorized to detail a medical officer to serve in the office of the consul at any foreign port: *Provided*, That the number of officers so detailed shall not exceed at any one time six.

No compensation is provided in the act.

*By the act (No 27) making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

House of Representatives:

Fourteen committee clerks, at \$6 per day each, during the session (heretofore authorized by special resolution, now authorized by law).

One page, while actually employed, at \$2.50 per day.

Two messengers in House Library, at \$3.60 per day each.

One additional engineer, at \$1,200.

One messenger to the Speaker, at \$1,200.

One laborer in office of Sergeant-at-Arms, at \$660.

One person preparing general index to Journals of Congress, at \$2,500.

Five folders in folding-room, at \$720 each.

Two watchmen on the Capitol police force, at \$900 each.

Senate:

One clerk to Committee on Military Affairs, at \$2,220.

One clerk to Committee on Post-Offices and Post-Roads, at \$2,220.

[Heretofore the two last were *per diem* clerks; now made annual.]

One assistant clerk to Committee on Appropriations, at \$1,200.

One messenger to the Vice-President's room, at \$1,440.

Treasury Department:

Secretary's office: Five female clerks, at \$900 each.

Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Department: One skilled laborer, at \$1,000.

Office of Life-Saving Service: One principal clerk and accountant, at \$1,800; two clerks of class three; one clerk of class two; one clerk of class one; one clerk, at \$1,000; four clerks, at \$900 each; one assistant messenger, at \$720.

Mint at Denver: One assistant assayer, at \$1,400; one clerk, at \$1,400.

War Department:

Secretary of War: Eight charwomen, at \$180 per annum each.

In the office of the Adjutant-General: Four watchmen, at \$720 each; two firemen, at \$720 each; one laborer, at \$660.

Navy Department:

Four watchmen, at \$720 each; two laborers, at \$660 each; one engineer, at \$1,200; one assistant engineer, at \$1,000; one conductor for the elevator, at \$720; three firemen, at \$720 each; eight charwomen, at \$180 each, to be employed when the new building is taken possession of.

Interior Department:

Office of the Secretary of the Interior: One stenographer, at \$1,800; two clerks of class four, two clerks of class one; one assistant messenger, at \$720.

Office of Assistant Attorney-General: Three clerks at \$2,000 each; one clerk at \$1,200.

General Land Office: One clerk of class four; ten clerks of class one; twenty-four clerks, at \$1,000 each; nine copyists, at \$900 each; two assistant messengers, at \$720 each; four laborers, at \$660 each; four packers, at \$720 each.

Indian Office: Four clerks, at \$1,000 each; two copyists, at \$900 each; one laborer, at \$660.

Patent Office: Seven copyist clerks, at \$900 each; five assistant messengers, at \$720 each; one folder and paster, at \$480.

Pension Office: Deputy commissioner, at \$2,400, to continue one year only.

Office of Auditor of Railroad Accounts: One railroad engineer, at \$2,000.

**Southern Claims Commission:**

Three clerks, at \$1,200 each; three investigating agents, at \$5 per day each when actually employed.

**Post-Office Department:**

Third Assistant Postmaster-General: One clerk of class four; two clerks of class three; three clerks of class one; three female clerks, at \$900 per annum each.

*By the act (No. 34) to provide for the appointment of a Mississippi River Commission for the improvement of said river from the Head of the Passes near its mouth to its headwaters.*

The President of the United States shall, by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, appoint seven commissioners, three of whom shall be selected from the Engineer Corps of the Army, one from the Coast and Geodetic Survey, and three from civil life, two of whom shall be civil engineers. And any vacancy which may occur in the commission shall in like manner be filled by the President of the United States; and he shall designate one of the commissioners appointed from the Engineer Corps of the Army to be president of the commission. The commissioners appointed from the Engineer Corps of the Army and the Coast and Geodetic Survey shall receive no other pay or compensation than is now allowed them by law, and the other three commissioners shall receive as pay and compensation for their services each the sum of three thousand dollars per annum.

*By the joint resolution (No. 4) in relation to the international exhibitions to be held at Sydney and Melbourne, Australia, in 1879 and 1880.*

There is appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury of the United States not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$20,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary to effect the purpose of having a representation by exhibitors of the United States at both or either of the said exhibitions.

It is the duty of the Secretary of State to transmit to Congress a detailed statement of the expenditures which may have been incurred under the provisions of this resolution, together with all reports which may be submitted by the person or persons delegated to carry out the purposes hereof, as commissioners or otherwise.

*By the joint resolution (No. 18) in relation to committee clerks, pages, and other employes of the Senate and House of Representatives, and for other purposes.*

The Clerk of the House of Representatives shall pay one additional laborer in the engineer's department of the House of Representatives, for the fiscal year 1880, \$320.

The Secretary of the Senate shall pay Wilbur F. McDaniel for services as messenger to Senate document-room, under resolution of the Senate of May 20, 1879, for the fiscal year 1879, \$80, and for the fiscal year 1880, \$720.

The above-named amounts are appropriated by the joint resolution.

**III.—THE OFFICES, THE SALARIES OF WHICH HAVE BEEN INCREASED WITH THE AMOUNT OF SUCH INCREASE DURING THE SAME PERIOD.**

*By the act (No. 27) making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

**House of Representatives:**

Additional compensation to the journal clerk for preparing Digest of the Rules, \$1,000.

## Interior Department :

Under the Architect of the Capitol : Three laborers for cleaning rotunda, corridors, and dome, at \$660 each ; increase \$60 each.

Six watchmen employed on Capitol grounds, at \$720 each ; increase \$60 each.

*By the act (No. 28) making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, and for other purposes.*

The examiner of State claims in the office of the Secretary of War shall have, while on duty, the pay, emoluments, and allowances of mounted officers one grade higher than that held by him in his regiment or corps.

*By the act (No. 50) to provide office rooms for the National Board of Health, and for the publication of its reports and papers, and for other purposes.*

The chief clerk of the National Board of Health shall act as disbursing agent of the board, and for such service he shall receive \$300 per annum, in addition to his salary as chief clerk, and the Board of Health may, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, pay to its secretary such sum, in addition to his pay as a member of the board, as it may deem proper, not exceeding \$100 per month.