suitable building, including fireproof vaults, heating and ventilating apparatus, and approaches, complete, for the use and accommodation of the United States post office and other governmental offices at Marlin, Texas, be, and the same is hereby, increased from $45,000 to $57,000.

Approved, January 16, 1915.

CHAP. 15.—An Act For the relief of the King Theological Hall, and authorizing the conveyance of real estate to the Howard University and other grantees.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following persons be, and they and their successors as trustees are declared to be, the corporation of the King Theological Hall, established by Act of Congress approved January seventh, eighteen hundred and ninety-one, and the legal trustees thereof, namely: Alfred Harding, Randolph H. McKim, Richard P. Williams, George Williamson Smith, and William C. Rives. In such capacity said trustees, or their successors, are hereby authorized to convey all or any part of the real estate of said corporation, whether now owned or hereafter acquired.

Said trustees at any regular meeting, or any special meeting called for that purpose, may authorize any two of their number to execute a good and sufficient deed of conveyance of such real estate.

The trustees above named, or their successors, may, if they shall deem it necessary, increase their number from time to time, and determine by by-law the number required to constitute a quorum: Provided, That the whole number of trustees shall not exceed fifteen.

Approved, January 20, 1915.

CHAP. 16.—An Act Making appropriations to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen and prior years, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to supply urgent deficiencies in appropriations for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen and prior years, and for other purposes, namely:

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

For necessary traveling expenses, including those of examiners acting under the direction of the commission, and for expenses of examinations and investigations held elsewhere than at Washington, $6,000.

DEPARTMENT OF STATE.

Payment to Panama: To enable the Secretary of State to pay to the Government of Panama the third annual payment, due on February twenty-sixth, nineteen hundred and fifteen, from the Government of the United States to the Government of Panama under article fourteen of the treaty of November eighteenth, nineteen hundred and three, $250,000.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

RALEIGH, NORTH CAROLINA, RENT OF BUILDINGS: For rent of temporary quarters for the accommodation of Government officials, and moving expenses incident thereto, $1,200.
CONTINGENT EXPENSES: The transfer of an additional sum of $12,000 from the appropriation "Collecting the income tax" to the appropriation for "Stationery" for the Treasury Department and its several bureaus and offices for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen is authorized.

For freight, expressage, telegraph and telephone service, $5,000.

COLLECTING INTERNAL REVENUE.

For salaries and expenses of collectors of internal revenue, including the same objects specified under this head in the legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $100,000.

For miscellaneous expenses, including the same objects specified under this head in the legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $5,000.

PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE.

For prevention of epidemics, including the same objects specified under this head in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $220,000.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

SEWAGE DISPOSAL SYSTEM: For completing and maintaining connections between sections five and six of the Rock Creek main interceptor sewer, $9,600, one-half of which shall be paid out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and one-half out of the Treasury of the United States.

MILITARY ESTABLISHMENT.

For transportation of the Army and its supplies, including the same objects specified under this head in the Army appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, $554,371.24.

OFFICES OF SURVEYORS GENERAL.

Alaska: For contingent expenses, including the same objects specified under this head in the legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $887.50.

POST OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES: For miscellaneous items, including the same objects specified under this head in the legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $6,004.

For furniture and filing cabinets, $3,000.

POSTAL SERVICE.

OUT OF THE POSTAL REVENUES.

For freight or expressage on postal cards, stamped envelopes, newspaper wrappers, and empty mail bags, fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, $50,000.

For stationery, including all money-order offices, $10,000.

For supplies for the City Delivery Service, including letter boxes, letter-box fasteners, package boxes, posts, furniture, satchels, straps, baskets, time cards, time-card frames, time-recorder supplies, maps, transfer designs, and stencils, $10,000.

For wrapping twine and tying devices, $25,000.
For facing slips, plain and printed, including the furnishing of paper for same; and for card slide labels, blanks, and books of an urgent nature, $5,000.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

BUREAU OF ANIMAL INDUSTRY.

For the arrest and eradication of the foot-and-mouth disease, the payment of claims arising out of past and future purchases and destruction of animals affected by or exposed to the foot-and-mouth disease, and for a deficiency in the objects specified under the head "General expenses, Bureau of Animal Industry," in the Agricultural appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $2,500,000, to be expended by the Secretary of Agriculture.

BUREAU OF PLANT INDUSTRY.

For the emergency caused by the infectious nature and continued spread of the destructive disease of citrous trees known as citrus canker, by conducting such investigations of the nature and means of communication of the disease, and by applying such methods of eradication or control of the disease as in the judgment of the Secretary of Agriculture may be necessary, $35,000; and the Secretary of Agriculture is authorized to pay such expense and employ such persons and means, and to cooperate with such authorities of the States concerned, organizations of growers, or individuals as he may deem necessary to accomplish such purpose.

FOREST SERVICE.

For "General expenses, Forest Service," including the same objects specified under this head in the Agricultural appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, $349,243.

DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE.

BUREAU OF LIGHTHOUSES.

Lighthouse tender, general service: For constructing and equipping a lighthouse tender for general service, authorized by the Act approved March fourth, nineteen hundred and thirteen, $250,000.

BUREAU OF FISHERIES.

The sum of $3,500, appropriated in the sundry civil appropriation Act for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen to carry out the provisions of the Act of June twentieth, nineteen hundred and six, to regulate the sponge fisheries, is made available for all of the purposes specified in said appropriation in the execution of the provisions of the Act of August fifteenth, nineteen hundred and fourteen, to regulate the taking or catching of sponges.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

IMMIGRATION SERVICE.

The Secretary of Labor is authorized to charge against the appropriation "Expenses of regulating immigration," for the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fifteen, not exceeding $41,000, for contracts approved during the fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen.
Library Building and Grounds: During the present vacancy in the office of the Superintendent of the Library Building and Grounds, the Librarian of Congress is authorized to exercise the powers and perform the duties of the said office, except those of disbursing officer.

**HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.**

For mileage of Members of the House of Representatives, fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, $1,420.

For stationery for Members of the House of Representatives, fiscal year nineteen hundred and fourteen, $332.35.

For folding speeches and pamphlets, at a rate not exceeding $1 per thousand, $2,000.

**PANAMA CANAL.**

The balances of the appropriations heretofore made under the heading "Fortifications, Panama Canal," are hereby consolidated so as to constitute one fund in the Treasury, to be disbursed and accounted for under the appropriation title of "Panama fortifications" for the object specified in the several appropriation Acts and in accordance with such allotments as may be authorized by the Secretary of War. Approved, January 25, 1915.

**CHAP. 18.—An Act To increase the limit of cost of the United States public building at Grand Junction, Colorado.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the limit of cost of the United States public building at Grand Junction, Colorado, be, and the same hereby is, increased from the sum of $100,000 to the sum of $175,000, said increase being necessary in order to complete the building according to the present plans and specifications.

Approved, January 26, 1915.

**CHAP. 19.—An Act To establish the Rocky Mountain National Park in the State of Colorado, and for other purposes.**

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the tract of land in the State of Colorado particularly described by and included within metes and bounds as follows, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of section thirty-four, township three north, range seventy-three west of the sixth principal meridian, Colorado, thence north along the section lines to the northeast corner of section three, said township; thence west to the northwest corner of said section; thence north along the section lines to the northeast corner of section sixteen, township four north, range seventy-three west; thence west to the northwest corner of said section; thence north to the northeast corner of section eight, said township; thence west along the section lines to the northwest corner of section seven, said township; thence north to the northeast corner of township four north, range seventy-four west; thence west along the first correction line north, to the southeast corner of section thirty-six, township five north, range seventy-four west; thence north along the range line to the north-