same is hereby appropriated, in like manner, for the year ending the thirty-
tieth of June, eighteen hundred sixty-one:

For the support and maintenance of the penitentiary in the District of
Columbia, seven thousand nine hundred and eighty-one dollars and eighty
cents.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That the sum of ten thousand one
hundred and fifty dollars appropriated for the contingent expenses of the
office of the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Department, in
"An Act making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial
expenses of the government for the year ending the thirtieth day of June,
eighteen hundred and sixty-two," approved February twentieth, eighteen
hundred and sixty-one, shall be applied, so far as may be necessary, to pay
for stationery, horse for use of the office, lights, washing, towels, ice, and
miscellaneous items, in addition to the items mentioned in said approipa-

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United States for the City of Baltimore, and to enable the Mint to furnish small Gold
Coins, and to provide for the Manufacture or Purchase of Field Signals.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
States of America in Congress assembled, That for the maintenance of said
police there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not
otherwise appropriated, the sum of one hundred thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That of said sum not more than
twenty thousand dollars shall be expended in any one month for said pur-
pose, and that the same shall cease when the said police are dismissed
from service by the United States: And provided, That the disburse-
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following sums, viz:

To enable the mint to furnish such small gold coins as may be required
for the public service, forty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may
be necessary.

For the manufacture or purchase of apparatus and equipments for field
signals, five thousand dollars.

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CHAP. XXIV. — An Act to increase the present Military Establishment of the United
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Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United
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the regular army, as now authorized by law, nine regiments of infantry,
one regiment of cavalry, and one regiment of artillery; each regiment
of infantry to consist of not less than two nor more than three battalions,
as the exigencies of the public service may, in the opinion of the Presi-
dent of the United States, demand; each battalion to consist of eight com-
panies; each company to consist of one captain, one first and one second
lieutenant, one first sergeant, four corporals, eight privates, as many pri-
vates, not exceeding eighty-two, as the President of the
United States may, according to the requirements of military service,
direct. The regiment of cavalry hereby authorized shall consist of not
more than three battalions of not more than two squadrons each; and
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