SEC. 7. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized, whenever he shall deem it expedient, to issue in exchange for coin, or in payment for public dues, treasury notes of any of the denominations hereinbefore specified, bearing interest not exceeding six per centum per annum, and payable at any time not exceeding twelve months from date, provided that the amount of notes so issued, or paid, shall not exceed twenty millions of dollars.

SEC. 8. And be it further enacted, That the Secretary of the Treasury shall report to Congress, immediately after the commencement of the next session, the amount he has borrowed under the provisions of this act, of whom, and on what terms, with an abstract of all the proposals, designating those that have been accepted and those that have been rejected, and the amount of bonds or treasury notes that have been issued for the same.

SEC. 9. And be it further enacted, That the faith of the United States is hereby solemnly pledged for the payment of the interest and redemption of the principal of the loan authorized by this act.

SEC. 10. And be it further enacted, That all the provisions of the act entitled "An act to authorize the issue of treasury notes," approved the twenty-third day of December, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, so far as the same can or may be applied to the provisions of this act, and not inconsistent therewith, are hereby revived or re-enacted.

SEC. 11. And be it further enacted, That, to defray all the expenses that may attend the execution of this act, the sum of two hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

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ninety-three thousand four hundred and ninety-seven dollars and fifty cents.

For subsistence in kind for two and three years' volunteers, twenty-three million eighty-four thousand two hundred and eighty-four dollars.

For the regular supplies of the quartermaster's department, consisting of fuel for the officers, enlisted men, guard, hospital, 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 regiments of dragoons, and for the authorized number of officers' horses when serving in the field and at the outposts, 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 department, and for printing of division and department orders and reports, fourteen million two hundred and sixty-five thousand fifty-nine dollars and thirty-seven cents.

For the incidental expenses of the quartermaster's department, consisting of postage on letters and packets received and sent by officers of the army on public service; expenses of courts-martial and courts of inquiry, including the additional compensation of judges advocate, recorders, members, and witnesses, while on that service, under the act of [March sixteenth] eighteen hundred and two; 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 ten days, under the acts of second of March, eighteen hundred and nineteen, and of fourth of August, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, including those employed as clerks at division and department headquarters; expenses of expresses to and from the frontier posts and armies in the field; of escorts to pay-masters 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 the posts on the frontiers, or at other posts and places, when ordered by the Secretary of War, and of non-commissioned officers and soldiers; authorized office furniture; hire of laborers in the quartermaster's department, including the hire of interpreters 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 fifth July, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight; for the apprehension of deserters and the expenses incident to their pursuit; and for the following expenditures required for the regiments of dragoons and light artillery, viz.: the purchase of travelling forges, blacksmiths' and shoeing tools, horse and mule shoes and nails, iron and steel for shoeing, hire of veterinary surgeons, medicines for horses and mules, picket ropes, and for shoeing the horses of the corps named, seven million six hundred and sixty-six thousand six hundred and sixty-six dollars.

For the transportation of the army, including the baggage of the troops when moving either by land or water; of clothing, camp and garrison equipage, from the depot at Philadelphia to the several posts and army depots, and from those depots to the troops in the field; and subsistence 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, 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 expense of sailing public transports on the various rivers, the Gulf of Mexico, and the Atlantic, and for procuring water at such posts as from their situation require it to be brought from a distance; and for clearing roads and removing obstructions from roads, harbors, and rivers, to the extent which may be required for the actual operation of the troops in the field, sixteen million two hundred and twenty thousand nine hundred and fifty-four dollars.

For gunboats on the western rivers, one million dollars.

Hire of quarters for troops; of storehouses for the safe-keeping of military stores; of grounds for summer cantonments, and for temporary huts, one million five hundred thousand dollars.

For clothing, camp and garrison equipage, thirteen million four hundred and sixteen million four hundred and thirty-seven dollars and two cents.

For contingencies of the army, two hundred thousand dollars.  

For the medical and hospital departments, one million two hundred and seventy-one thousand eight hundred and forty-one dollars.

For armament of fortifications, four hundred and fifty-seven thousand six hundred dollars.

For the current expenses of the ordnance service, two hundred and six thousand two hundred and ninety-two dollars.

For ordnance, ordnance stores, and supplies, including horse equipments for all mounted troops, two million three hundred and sixty thousand dollars.

For the manufacture of arms, two million five hundred and seventy-three thousand three hundred and ten dollars.

For increasing the manufacturing capacity of the national armory, four hundred and twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For the purchase of gunpowder and lead, four hundred and fifty-one thousand seven hundred and eighty dollars.

For the purchase of artillery horses, two hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars.

For additions to and extensions of the shop-room, machinery, tools and fixtures at the different arsenals, one hundred and twenty-six thousand nine hundred and ninety dollars.

For the following fortifications:

Fort Montgomery, Lake Champlain, New York, twenty thousand dollars.
Fort Knox, Penobscot River, Maine, twenty thousand dollars.
Fort on Hog Island Ledge, Portland harbor, Maine, fifteen thousand dollars.
Fort Adams, Newport harbor, Rhode Island, five thousand dollars.
Fort Richmond, Staten Island, New York, ten thousand dollars.
Fort on site of Fort Tompkins, Staten Island, New York, fifty thousand dollars.
Fort at Williet's Point, opposite Fort Schuyler, New York, one hundred thousand dollars.
Fort Carroll, Baltimore harbor, Maryland, twenty-five thousand dollars.
Fort Calhoun, Hampton Roads, Virginia, twenty-five thousand dollars.
Fort Taylor, Key West, Florida, one hundred thousand dollars.
Fort Jefferson, Garden Key, Florida, one hundred thousand dollars.
Fort at Fort Point, San Francisco bay, California, fifty thousand dollars.
Fort at Alcatraz Island, San Francisco bay, California, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Fort at Sandy Hook, New York harbor, one hundred thousand dollars.

For repairs and alterations of barracks quarters at forts not permanently occupied by troops, ten thousand dollars.

For contingencies of fortifications, thirty thousand dollars.

For surveys for military defences, fifty thousand dollars.

For amount required to refund to the States expenses incurred on account of volunteers called into the field, ten million dollars.

SEC. 2. And be it further enacted, That the following sums be, and they are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for arrearages for the year ending thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-one.

For subsistence in kind for three months’ volunteers, one million two hundred and eighty-one thousand dollars.

For subsistence in kind for two and three years’ volunteers, four hundred and twenty thousand dollars.

For the regular supplies of the quartermaster’s department, five hundred and sixty-five thousand two hundred and forty-six dollars and sixty-three cents.

For incidental expenses of the quartermaster’s department, three hundred and sixty-five thousand and thirteen dollars and eighty cents.

For transportation of the army and its supplies, two million two hundred and fifty-four thousand one hundred and eighty-six dollars and eighty-one cents.

For transportation of officers’ baggage, fifteen thousand three hundred and sixty-seven dollars.

For purchase of dragoon horses, two hundred and ninety-seven thousand three hundred and thirty-five dollars.

For clothing, camp, and garrison equipage, one million three hundred and fifty thousand one hundred and fifty-one dollars and thirty-eight cents.

For current expenses of ordnance service, twenty thousand dollars.

For ordnance, ordnance stores, and supplies, including horse equipments for all mounted troops, four hundred thousand dollars.

For manufacture of arms, sixty thousand dollars.

For increasing the manufacturing capacity of the national armory, fifty thousand dollars.

For purchase of gunpowder and lead, forty thousand dollars.

For purchase of artillery horses, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For hire of quarters for troops, of store-houses for the safe-keeping of military stores, of grounds for summer cantonments, and for temporary huts, one hundred and fifty-eight thousand, two hundred and eighty-three dollars, and eighty-one cents.

SEC. 3. And be it further enacted, That all appropriations and all provisions of law herein contained applicable to three years’ volunteers shall apply to two years’ volunteers, and all other volunteers who have been or may be received into the service of the United States, for a period exceeding three months.

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July 28, 1861.

CHAP. VII.—An Act to alter and regulate the Navy Ration.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the navy ration shall consist of the following daily allowance of provisions to each person: One pound of salt pork, with half a pint of beans or peas; or one pound of salt beef, with half a pound of flour, and two ounces of dried apples, or other dried fruit; or three quarters of a pound of preserved meat, with half a pound of rice, two ounces of butter, and one ounce of desiccated