any judicial district within his circuit to hold a district or circuit court in
the place or aid of any other district judge within the same circuit; and
it shall be the duty of such district judge as shall be for that purpose
designated and appointed to hold the district or circuit court as aforesaid
without any other compensation than his regular salary as established by
law.

SEC. 4. That the salaries provided for in the foregoing section of this
act shall be payable in quarterly instalments on the first days of April,
July, October, and January of each year, and an amount sufficient to pay
the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not
otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, March 3, 1871.

CHAP. CXIV. — An Act making Appropriations for sundry civil Expenses of the Gov-
ernment for the fiscal Year ending June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, 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 be,
and the same are hereby, appropriated, for the objects hereinafter ex-
pressed, for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred
and seventy-two, viz.: —

STATE DEPARTMENT.

For defraying the expenses of defending claims under the convention
with Mexico of July four, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, to be ex-
pended under the direction of the Attorney-General, twenty thousand
dollars.

For the compensation and expenses of the commission for determining
the pending questions between Great Britain and the United States,
twenty-five thousand dollars.

For the compensation and expenses of a commission for determining
the questions pending between the United States and Spain, growing out
of the acts of the Spanish officials in and about Cuba, fifteen thousand
dollars.

For the increase in the expenses of the diplomatic and consular officers
of the United States in Paris, caused by a state of war; and also for com-
ensation for extraordinary services performed by such officers during
the war; and also for the additional expense caused to the legations and
reason of the war, and by reason of the protection assumed by the United
States of persons, legations, and consulates of other powers in Paris, a
sum not to exceed fifty thousand dollars in all, or so much thereof as may
be necessary, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of
State, on the approval of the President, and on vouchers to be filed in
the Treasury Department, and a statement thereof to be reported to Con-
gress by the Secretary of State.

To defray the expenses incurred by the United States legation in Paris,
in protecting the subjects of the North German Confederation in France
during the war between France and Prussia, including extra compensa-
tion to the secretaries, messenger, and use of carriage of said legation,
four thousand dollars; and the foregoing appropriations are hereby made
available immediately upon the passage of this act.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Supervising Inspectors of Steam-Vessels. — For carrying out the pro-
visions of the act of thirtieth August, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, for
the better protection of the lives of passengers on vessels propelled in
whole or in part by steam, and of the acts amending thereof, the follow-
ing sums, viz.: —
Local inspectors. For salaries of fifty-nine local inspectors of steam-vessels, and clerk in local officers at New York and New Orleans, fifty-eight thousand two hundred dollars.

Supervising inspectors. For ten supervising inspectors of steam-vessels, nine at two thousand dollars each, and one at two thousand five hundred dollars, twenty thousand five hundred dollars.

Special agent. For special agent of the department, two thousand one hundred and ninety dollars.

Contingent expenses, travel, &c. For contingent expenses, viz.: Travelling expenses of ten supervising inspectors, at not to exceed eight hundred dollars in any one year each, eight thousand dollars.

For travelling expenses of fifty-nine local inspectors, fifteen thousand dollars.

For travelling expenses of the special agent of the department, one thousand four hundred dollars.

For expenses of the meeting of the board of supervising inspectors, including travel and necessary incidental expenses, and printing of manual and report, four thousand dollars.

For stationery and postage stamps; furniture for offices and repairs thereof; instruments, repairs, transportation, and storing thereof; office rent, janitors, and fuel; printing and binding certificates of license for pilots and engineers, and miscellaneous items, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Life-saving stations. For life-saving stations: Salaries of two superintendents of the life-saving stations on the coast of Long Island and New Jersey, at one thousand five hundred dollars each, three thousand dollars.

For fifty-five keepers of stations, at two hundred dollars each, eleven thousand dollars.

For pay of six experienced surfmen to man each of the boats at alternate life-saving stations on the New Jersey coast, commencing at the first station from Sandy Hook, from December fifteenth to March fifteenth, to be appointed by the keepers thereof, at forty dollars per month, ten thousand and eighty dollars.

For contingent expenses of life-saving stations on the coast of the United States, ten thousand dollars.

Revenue-Cutter Service. — For pay of officers, viz.: Thirty-five captains, one hundred and two lieutenants, and fifty-one engineers, three hundred and fifteen thousand three hundred dollars.

For rations for officers, twenty thousand and thirty-nine dollars.

For pay of crews, viz.: Eight hundred and seventy-eight petty officers, seamen, cooks, stewards, and boys, three hundred thousand five hundred and twenty dollars.

For rations for crews, including liquor equivalent, one hundred and twenty-one thousand seven hundred and seventy-nine dollars and ten cents.

Fuel. For fuel for twenty-four steam-vessels, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

Repairs and outfits. For repairs and outfits of thirty-two vessels, one hundred thousand dollars.

Travel. For ship-chandlery for the same, forty thousand dollars.

Pilots. For the travelling expenses of the officers travelling on duty under orders from the Treasury Department, ten thousand dollars.

For temporary employment of pilots, heretofore permanently employed, and compensation included in estimates for pay of officers, ten thousand dollars.

Commutation of quarters. For commutation of quarters for officers on shore duty, ten thousand dollars.

Contingent expenses. For payment of expenses incurred in the transaction of the business of the two boards of examiners, (engineer board at
Baltimore, Maryland, and that for the line officers at Washington, District of Columbia;) also, for that of the special commission, for rent of offices, including quarters for examining surgeon, and for miscellaneous expenses, exclusive of clerk hire or compensation for service of any kind except consulting engineer employed to supervise construction of engines, five thousand dollars.

Marine Hospital Service. — For supplying deficiency in the fund for the relief of sick and disabled seamen, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Loans and Treasury Notes. — For paper, engraving, printing, express charges, and other expenses of making and issuing the national currency, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For expenses in detecting and bringing to trial and punishment persons engaged in counterfeiting treasury notes, national bank notes, bonds, and other securities of the United States, as well as the coins of the United States, and other frauds upon the government, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

Miscellaneous. — For payment of the necessary expenses incurred in defending suits against the Secretary of the Treasury, or his agents, for the seizure of captured or abandoned property; and for the examination of witnesses in claims against the United States pending in any department; and for the defence of the United States, in respect of such property, in the court of claims, to be expended under the direction of the Attorney-General, sixty thousand dollars, no part of which shall be paid to attorneys-at-law for professional services, for appearing and assisting in the trial of causes in the Supreme, circuit, or district courts of the United States, or court of claims; and that the Attorney-General make report to Congress at the end of the fiscal year of the manner of the appropriation of this fund, and to whom and for what purposes paid.

For this sum, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be expended under the direction of the Attorney-General in the detection and prosecution of crimes against the United States, fifty thousand dollars.

For expenses to be incurred in the prosecution and collection of claims due the United States, to be disbursed under the direction of the Attorney-General, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For continuing the collection of statistics of mines and mining, to be laid before Congress, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, ten thousand dollars.

For compensation of clerks and for additional compensation to same in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For facilitating communication between the Atlantic and Pacific States by electric telegraph, forty thousand dollars: Provided, That no part of this amount shall be paid to any company which shall refuse or neglect to perform telegraphic service for the government of the United States in accordance with the provisions of an act entitled “An act to aid in the construction of telegraph lines, and to secure [to] the government the use of the same for postal, military, and other purposes,” approved July twenty-four, eighteen hundred and sixty-six.

For construction of revenue vessels in accordance with recommendation of the special commission, approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, two hundred thousand dollars.

For furniture and repairs of furniture for public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For fuel, lights, and water for public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

For heating apparatus for public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, fifty thousand dollars.
Vaults, safes, &c.

Public buildings, plans of; care and repairs;

in San Francisco.

Montana Territory.

Idaho Territory.

Washington Territory.

Wyoming Territory.

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United States Courts. — For defraying the expenses of the Supreme Court and circuit and district courts of the United States, including the District of Columbia; and also for jurors and witnesses, and likewise for defraying the expenses of suits in which the United States are concerned, and of prosecuting offenses committed against the United States, and for the safe-keeping of prisoners, two million dollars.

For the support and maintenance of convicts transferred from the District of Columbia, ten thousand dollars.

To pay expenses incurred in arresting William Kelly, under the direction of the territorial authorities of Wyoming, six hundred and one dollars and twenty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR.

Public Lands. — For rent of office of surveyor-general of Louisiana, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Florida, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Minnesota, fuel, books, sta-
tionery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand two hundred dol-

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Dakota, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Kansas, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Colorado, fuel, books, stationery, and incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of New Mexico, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of California, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, seven thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Idaho, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Nevada, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, three thousand seven hundred dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Oregon, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Washington Territory, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Nebraska and Iowa, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Montana Territory, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of the Territory of Utah, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of the Territory of Wyoming, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For rent of office of surveyor-general of the Territory of Arizona, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, including the necessary furniture to establish his office, three thousand dollars.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to pay the account for services of the superintendent of construction of the penitentiary in the Territory of Montana, the sum of sixteen hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expenses of the Collection of Revenue from Sales of Public Lands. — For salaries and commissions of registers of land offices and receivers of public moneys at eighty-one land offices, three hundred and ninety-one thousand two hundred dollars.

For incidental expenses of the land offices, thirty-nine thousand two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

For expenses of depositing moneys received from sales of public lands, ten thousand dollars.

Metropolitan Police. — For salaries and other necessary expenses of the metropolitan police for the District of Columbia, two hundred and seven thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars: Provided, That a further sum, amounting to one hundred and three thousand nine hundred and thirty-five dollars, shall be paid to defray the expenses of the said metropolitan police force by the cities of Washington and Georgetown, and the county of Washington, (beyond the limits of said cities,) in the District of Columbia, in the proportion corresponding to the number of privates allotted severally to said precincts; and the corporate authorities of said cities, and proper authorities of the District of Columbia, are hereby authorized and required to levy a special tax, not exceeding one third of one per centum, which shall be specially deposited once in each week, as such collections are made, to be appropriated and expended for said purpose.
only, for the service of the fiscal year ending June thirty, eighteen hun-
dred and seventy-two.

Government Hospital for the Insane. — For the support, clothing, med-
ical, and moral treatment of the insane of the army and navy, revenue-
cutter, and volunteer service, who may have become insane since their
entry into the service of the United States, and of the indigent insane of
the District of Columbia, in the Government Hospital for the Insane, in-
cluding five hundred dollars for books, stationery, and incidental ex-
penses, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

For repairs and improvements of the west wing of the hospital edifice,
fifteen thousand dollars.

For completing the inclosure and building the wall along the river
front, ten thousand dollars.

For inclosing the tract of land known as the “Shepperd Farm,” three
thousand dollars.

Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. — For the supply of the
institution, including salaries and incidental expenses, the maintenance of
the beneficiaries of the United States, and five hundred dollars for books
and illustrative apparatus, forty thousand five hundred dollars.

For continuing the work on the inclosure and improving and grading
the grounds of the institution, six thousand dollars.

For necessary expenses in the erection, furnishing, and fitting up of
the buildings of the institution, in accordance with plans heretofore
submitted to Congress, eighteen thousand dollars.

Columbia Hospital for Women and Lying-in Asylum, and other Char-
ities. — For the support of the Columbia Hospital for Women and Lying-
in Asylum, over and above the probable amount which will be received
from pay patients, fifteen thousand dollars.

For rent of building, three thousand dollars.

For purchase of surgical instruments, five hundred dollars.

For the National Soldiers and Sailors' Orphans' Home of the city of
Washington, District of Columbia, fifteen thousand dollars, to be dis-
bursed under direction of the Secretary of the Interior.

For care, support, and medical treatment of sixty transient paupers,
medical and surgical patients, in some proper medical institution in the
city of Washington, under a contract to be formed with such institution,
twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, under
the direction of the Secretary of War.

Smithsonian Institution. — For preservation of the collections of the
surveying and exploring expeditions of the government, ten thousand
dollars.

For the completion of the hall required for the government collections,
ten thousand dollars.

Botanic Garden. — For concreting and paving walks around the build-
ings of the Botanic Garden; for general repairs to the buildings; and
for improving the large basin with brick or stone wall, and with white
marble coping, six thousand dollars.

For the completion of the paving of the main walk through the
Botanic Garden with Seneca brown-stone flagging, and taking up and
removing the blue-stone flagging now in the main walk, and relaying
the same in Maryland Avenue, along the south side of the Botanic Garden,
nine thousand eight hundred and forty dollars.

For two additional laborers at Botanical Garden, eight hundred and
fifty dollars.

Public Buildings. — For compensation of librarian of the Senate
library, in the office of the Secretary of the Senate, two thousand two
hundred and twenty dollars.

Under the direction of the architect of the Capitol extension: —

For improving the heating and ventilating of the Senate, under the
direction of the architect of the Capitol extension, three thousand dollars.

For furnishing and repairing the work on the Capitol extension, and for curbing and flagging upper terraces, sixty-five thousand dollars.

For enlarging air-shaft, plastering ceiling of corridors, readjustment of flues under the floor, new registers, and for new floor in the hall of the House of Representatives; for additional fans for the exhaustion of vitiated air from the hall, and for engines to operate them, and for additional ventilators in the roof of the hall, and for necessary alterations in the lighting, heating, and ventilating apparatus, twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For widening the passage-ways between the Senate and House wings of the Capitol, ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, if the architect shall deem the same safe and practicable; and any expenditure on a plan that shall cost a greater sum to complete it, shall be unlawful.

For annual repairs of the old portion of the Capitol building, painting, glazing, keeping roofs in order, water-pipes, pavements, and approaches to the building, ten thousand dollars.

For finishing and repairing the work on the new dome of the Capitol, five thousand dollars.

For continuing the work of grading and filling the grounds around the Capitol, twenty thousand dollars.

For completing the north front of the patent office building, and grading and paving G Street from Seventh to Ninth streets, and to replace amount returned to the treasury under the fifth section of the act approved July twelve, eighteen hundred and seventy, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For the extension of the government printing office building, upon the plans prepared by the architect of the Capitol extension, including the cost of hoisting works, said appropriation to be available during the present fiscal year, forty-five thousand dollars; and any expenditure on a plan that shall cost a greater sum to complete it shall be deemed unlawful.

Surveying the Public Lands.—For surveying the public lands in Louisiana, at rates not exceeding ten dollars per lineal mile for township and eight dollars for section lines, twelve thousand two hundred and forty dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Florida, at rates not exceeding ten dollars per lineal mile for standard, seven dollars for township, and six for section lines, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Minnesota, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Dakota Territory, at rates not exceeding ten dollars per mile for standard lines, seven dollars for township, and six dollars for section lines, twenty thousand dollars: Provided, That not less than ten thousand dollars of this amount shall be expended within the limits of the Pembina land district in said Territory.

For surveying the public lands in Montana Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Nebraska, at rates not exceeding ten dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, six dollars for township, and five dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Kansas, at rates not exceeding ten dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, six dollars for township, and five dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.
For surveying the public lands in Colorado, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.

For the survey of the public lands within the limits of the land grant to Kansas Pacific Railroad Company in the Territory of Colorado, thirty thousand dollars: Provided, That the foregoing appropriations for surveys of public lands within the limits of the above railroad land grants shall be conditional upon the compliance of said companies or parties in interest with the requirements of the twenty-first section of the act of July second, eighteen hundred and sixty-four, entitled “An act to amend an act to aid in the construction of a railroad and telegraph line from the Missouri river to the Pacific ocean, and to secure to the government the use of the same for postal, military, and other purposes,” approved July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-two, Statutes volume thirteen, page three hundred and sixty-five.

For surveying the public lands in Idaho, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, thirty thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in New Mexico, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, ten thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Arizona, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, twenty thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in California, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, seventy thousand dollars: Provided, That the commissioner of the general land office, in his discretion, may hereafter authorize public lands in said State, and also in Oregon and Washington Territory, densely covered with forests or thick undergrowth, to be surveyed at augmented rates, not exceeding eighteen dollars per mile for standard parallels, fifteen dollars for township, and twelve dollars for section lines.

For surveying the public lands in Oregon, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, thirty-five thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Washington Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Oregon situated west of the Cascade mountains, densely covered with forests or thick undergrowth, at the rates of not exceeding sixteen dollars for township and section lines, fifteen thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Utah Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, fifteen thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in Nevada, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty-five thousand dollars.

For surveying the public lands in the Territory of Wyoming, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per lineal mile for standard, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.

Miscellaneous. — To mark and define the boundary lines between the Territory of Utah on the north and of Idaho on the south, six thousand four hundred and eighty dollars.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to pay the expense of the survey of the diminished reservation of the Great and Little Osage Indians, in the State of Kansas, seventy-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof.
as may be necessary: Provided, That the amount so paid for said survey shall be refunded to the treasury from the proceeds of sale of said reservation: And provided further, That the compensation for making survey shall not exceed the respective prices per mile allowed by this act for surveying public lands in Nebraska and Kansas.

For continuing the geological survey of the Territories of the United States, by Professor Hayden, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, forty thousand dollars.

For continuing the completion of the survey of the Colorado of the West and its tributaries, by Professor Powell, under the direction of the Smithsonian Institution, twelve thousand dollars.

For expenses of prosecuting the inquiry authorized by law into the causes of the decrease of the food fishes of the coast and the lakes, five thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

For additional compensation to Henry Douglass, in the employ of the doorkeeper of the House of Representatives, for the present fiscal year, one hundred dollars; and his regular annual compensation is hereby increased that amount, a sum sufficient to pay which for the next fiscal year is hereby appropriated, and hereafter his compensation shall be eight hundred and twenty dollars per annum.

And Godfrey Weitzel, of the corps of engineers, United States army, and in charge of the improvement of the Louisville canal, is hereby empowered and directed, subject to the approval of the chief of said corps of engineers, to adjust and pay, out of any money appropriated for the improvement of said canal, to John B. Brown, any legal or equitable claim he may have against the United States arising out of his contract by him to perform work on said improvement of said canal, in eighteen hundred and seventy: Provided, That there shall not be paid to him in any event over eight thousand two hundred dollars, nor more under that sum than, together with any sums already paid him on account of said contract and work, shall be equal to the fair and reasonable value to the government of the work done by him for the government under such contract.

To pay Vinnie Ream, for making the marble statue of Abraham Lincoln, ten thousand dollars, which, in addition to the sum of five thousand dollars already paid, shall be in full of all claims for said work.

To reimburse S. Wolf, recorder of deeds for the District of Columbia, for certain books of record and indexes purchased by him for the use of his office, one thousand two hundred and forty-eight dollars.

To Mary B. Walker, widow of Robert J. Walker, for money expended by him when territorial governor of Kansas, thirteen thousand and three dollars and seventy-five cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid on vouchers to be submitted to the proper accounting officers of the treasury.

For defraying the expenses of taking the ninth census of the United States, one million two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For the payment of pensions, under the "Act granting pensions to certain soldiers and sailors of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and the widows of deceased soldiers," approved February fourteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, four million five hundred thousand dollars

WAR DEPARTMENT.

Buildings and Grounds in and around Washington. — For repairs, care, and improvement of public buildings, grounds, and works in the District of Columbia, under the direction of the chief engineer of the army, namely: —

For casual repairs of the Navy Yard and Upper bridges, five thousand dollars.
For repair of government water-pipes and fire-plugs on Pennsylvania Avenue, five thousand dollars.

For care and improvement of reservations on New York, Massachusetts, Vermont, and Maryland avenues, fifteen thousand dollars.

For cleaning out sewer-traps along Pennsylvania Avenue, one thousand dollars.

For improving Massachusetts, Connecticut, New York, Maine, Delaware, and New Jersey avenues, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For annual repairs of fences around reservations, two thousand dollars.

For care and improvement of public reservation number two, and Lafayette Square, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For removing snow and ice from pavements and public walks, one thousand dollars.

For manure, and hauling the same to public grounds and reservations, three thousand dollars.

For painting iron fences around Lafayette Square, in front of the War and Navy Departments, two thousand dollars.

For improvement, care, and protection of seats and fountains in Capitol grounds, two thousand dollars.

For hire of carts in the public grounds, three thousand dollars.

For purchase and repair of tools used in public grounds, two thousand dollars.

For purchase of trees and tree-boxes, and to whitewash tree-boxes and fences, five thousand dollars.

For purchase of flower-pots, mats, glasses, and twine, one thousand dollars.

For lighting the Capitol, Executive Mansion, and public grounds, forty thousand dollars.

For pay of lamp-lighters, plumbing, gas-fitting, lamps, lamp-posts, matches, and repairs of all sorts, ten thousand dollars.

For fuel for centre building of the Capitol, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For annual repairs of the Executive Mansion, five thousand dollars.

For furnishing the Executive Mansion, five thousand dollars.

For care and improvement of grounds south of the Executive Mansion, five thousand dollars.

For fuel for the Executive Mansion, three thousand dollars.

For repair of greenhouse at the Executive Mansion, and purchase of plants, three thousand dollars.

For an iron bridge across the canal at Thirteenth Street west, and improvement of Monumental reservation, five thousand dollars.

For repairs of greenhouse at Propagating Garden, three thousand dollars.

For contingents of office of public buildings and grounds, two thousand dollars.

For improving Franklin Square, opening and graveling walks, and planting trees and shrubbery, five thousand dollars.

For improvement of circle at the intersection of Massachusetts and Vermont avenues, six thousand dollars.

For paving on Pennsylvania Avenue and Fifteenth Street in front of the property of the United States, in accordance with the law making change of grade, fourteen thousand seven hundred and ninety-two dollars.

For paving Pennsylvania Avenue in front of the Botanic Garden, from the northwest gate of the Capitol grounds to Third Street west, including grading, laying side-walks, flag footways, resetting curb, paving, and building sewer, under act of July eight, eighteen hundred and seventy, twenty-five thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight dollars.

For cutting street through the President's grounds as per plan, one thousand one hundred and ninety-two dollars.
For construction of circular fence around and through the President's grounds to Seventeenth Street west, including foundation walls, curbing, flagging, and iron fencing, forty-five thousand five hundred dollars.

Washington Aqueduct. — For finishing coping and iron railing on bridges numbers one, two, three, and four, ten thousand dollars.

For widening embankments over conduit and macadamizing roads, ten thousand dollars.

For completing gate-houses at distributing reservoir, twenty thousand four hundred and ninety-six dollars.

For completing high-service reservoir, four thousand dollars.

For ventilators over conduit, two thousand eight hundred dollars.

For fencing reservoirs, three thousand six hundred dollars.

For building office at Rock Creek bridge, three thousand three hundred dollars.

For engineering, superintendence, and repairs for the fiscal year ending June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, twenty thousand dollars.

For completing earthwork and making the slope-wall of division dam, twenty thousand dollars.

For completing slope-wall of distributing reservoir, twenty thousand dollars.

Armories and Arsenals. — For Springfield armory, Springfield, Massachussetts: Repairs and preservation of grounds, buildings, and machinery, twenty thousand dollars; macadamizing public roads in and around the armory grounds, two thousand dollars.

For completing the bridge at Rock Island, being an unexpended balance covered into the treasury under the act of July twelve, eighteen hundred and seventy, five hundred thousand dollars.

For Rock Island armory and arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois: Containing the development of water-power, two hundred thousand dollars; permanent forging-shop, two hundred thousand dollars; constructing permanent workshop, two hundred thousand dollars; purchasing and laying pipe, eight thousand dollars; two blocks of subaltern officers' quarters, fifty-five thousand dollars; macadamizing main avenues and streets, five thousand dollars, tools and machinery required for new shops nearly completed, twenty thousand dollars.

For Alleghany arsenal, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania: For repairs to public buildings, grounds, and machinery, one thousand five hundred dollars; one half the cost of grading, paving, and curbing on Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, from Butler Street to Penn Avenue, and on Penn Avenue, between Thirty-ninth and Fortieth streets, eleven thousand five hundred dollars; underpinning, and boundary wall, five thousand seven hundred dollars.

For Augusta arsenal, Augusta, Georgia: Quarters for married soldiers, one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For Benicia arsenal, Benicia, California: Permanent barracks for enlisted men, and cistern for same, fifty-two thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars; cistern for new office, two thousand eight hundred and fifty-seven dollars; brick reservoir, fourteen thousand two hundred and eighty-six dollars; guard-house and fire-engine house, eleven thousand four hundred and twenty-nine dollars; grading and improving arsenal grounds, five thousand dollars; repairs of public buildings and machinery, one thousand dollars.

For Columbus arsenal, Columbus, Ohio: Cisterns and wells, one thousand dollars; grading grounds, making roads and drains, five thousand dollars; repairs to buildings, one thousand dollars.

For Charleston arsenal, Charleston, South Carolina: Repairs of officers' quarters, enlisted men's barracks, and other public buildings, grounds, fences, and drains, five thousand dollars.

For Detroit arsenal, Dearbornville, Michigan: Repairs to public buildings and grounds, five hundred dollars.
Fort Monroe. For Fort Monroe arsenal, including gun-yard with new fence, three thousand dollars; repairing two store-houses, one thousand five hundred dollars; painting and repairing public buildings, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Fort Union. For Fort Union arsenal, New Mexico: One set of quarters, one thousand five hundred and seventy-five dollars; repairing buildings and grounds, three thousand dollars.

Frankford. For Frankford arsenal, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: Introducing water into quarters and offices, one thousand dollars; repairing boundary walls and embankments, three thousand eight hundred dollars; repairs to public buildings, one thousand dollars; repairs to machinery, five thousand dollars.

Indianapolis. For Indianapolis arsenal, Indianapolis, Indiana: Guard-house and gateway at main entrance, ten thousand dollars; improving grounds and roadways, five thousand dollars; repairs to public buildings, drains, and sewers, six thousand dollars.

Leavenworth. For Leavenworth arsenal, Leavenworth, Kansas: Repairing buildings, fences, cisterns, and walks, five thousand dollars; painting public buildings, one thousand five hundred dollars; macadamizing roadways, on account of wagon-road leading from Missouri River bridge to the main road to Leavenworth, three thousand dollars; erecting a new magazine for storing ammunition, twelve thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars.


Pikesville. For Pikesville arsenal, Pikesville, Maryland: Repairs and preservation of arsenal, barracks, quarters, workshops, stables, magazine, and inclosures, two hundred dollars.

Saint Louis. For Saint Louis arsenal, Saint Louis, Missouri: Officers' quarters on Jefferson Barracks ordnance reservation, eighteen thousand dollars.

San Antonio. For San Antonio arsenal, San Antonio, Texas: Erecting a store building for stables, wagon-house, and store-room for forage, harness, and tools, three thousand dollars; repairs of officers' quarters, office, and painting fences, roofs, and gutters of public buildings, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Vancouver. For Vancouver arsenal, Washington Territory: Repairs to public buildings and grounds, one thousand dollars.


Watervliet. For Watervliet arsenal, West Troy, New York: Repairs to buildings, roofs, and permanent sheds, three thousand dollars; repairs to bridges, roads, fences, and inclosing walls, one thousand dollars.

Watertown. For Watertown arsenal, Watertown, Massachusetts: Repairs of buildings, grounds, and machinery, five thousand dollars.

Contingencies. For contingencies of arsenals: Repairs of smaller arsenals, and to meet such unforeseen expenditures at arsenals as accidents or other contingencies during the year may render necessary, ten thousand dollars.

Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen, and abandoned Lands. — For collection and payment of bounty, prize money, and other legitimate claims of colored soldiers and sailors, viz.: For salaries of agents and clerks; rents of offices, fuel, and lights; stationery and printing; office furniture and repairs; mileage and transportation of officers and agents; telegraphing and postage, eighty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Provided, That no part of said appropriation shall be used in the support of, or to pay any of the aforesaid expenses on account of any persons
hereafter to be admitted to said hospital and asylum, unless persons
removed thither from some other government hospital.

**Signal Office.** — For manufacture, purchase, or repair [of] meteorologi-
ical and other necessary instruments; for telegraphing reports; for expenses
of storm-signals announcing probable approach and force of storms; for
instrument shelters; for hire, furniture, and expense of offices maintained
for public use in cities or posts receiving reports; for maps and bulletins,
to be displayed in chambers of commerce and boards-of-trade rooms;
for books and stationery; and for incidental expenses not otherwise pro-
vided for, one hundred and two thousand four hundred and fifty-one
dollars: Provided, That no part of this appropriation, nor of any appropri-
ation for the several departments of the government, shall be expended
for telegraphing between said departments and their officers or agents,
except at rates first to be established by the Postmaster-General, under
section two of chapter two hundred and thirty of the statutes of eighteen
hundred and sixty-six.

**Miscellaneous.** — For contingencies of the army, namely: —
To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to settle the accounts of dis-
bursing officers for expenditures already made in pursuance of law,
which will not involve any actual expenditure, but merely a transfer on
the books of the treasury, two hundred thousand dollars.
To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to settle the accounts of dis-
bursing officers for expenditures already made in pursuance of law, which
will not involve any actual expenditure, but merely a transfer on the
books of the treasury, seventy-five thousand dollars.
For payment of costs and charges of State penitentiaries for the care,
clothing, maintenance, and medical attendance of United States military
convicts confined in them, fifty thousand dollars.
For continuing the surveys of the northern and northwestern lakes, one
hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars.

**Lighthouse Establishment.** — For repairs and incidental expenses in re-
fitting and improving lighthouses and buildings connected therewith, two
hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.
For salaries of seven hundred and thirty-two lighthouse keepers, and
light-beacon keepers, and their assistants, four hundred and thirty-nine
thousand two hundred dollars.
For seamen’s wages, rations, salaries, supplies, and incidental
expenses of twenty-five light-vessels, and seven relief light-vessels, two
hundred and sixty-one thousand six hundred and forty-seven dollars and
fifty cents.
For repairs and incidental expenses in renewing, refitting, and im-
proving fog-signals and buildings connected therewith, thirty thousand
dollars.
For expenses of visiting and inspecting lights and other aids to naviga-
tion, two thousand dollars.
For supplying the lighthouses and beacon-lights on the Atlantic, Gulf,
Lake, and Pacific coasts with oil, wicks, glass-chimneys, chamois skins,
spirits of wine, whiting, polishing powder, towels, brushes, soap, paints,
and other cleaning materials, and for expenses of repairing and keeping in
repair illuminating apparatus and machinery, and of gauging, testing, trans-
portation, delivery of oil and other supplies for lighthouses, and other in-
cidental necessary expenses, three hundred and thirty-one thousand seven
hundred and seventeen dollars.

**Survey of the Coast.** — For continuing the survey of the Atlantic and
Gulf coast of the United States, and Lake Champlain, including compen-
sation of civilians engaged in the work, and excluding pay and emoluments of officers of the army and navy and petty officers and men of the navy employed in the work, three hundred and ninety-one thousand dollars.

**Western coast.**

For continuing the survey of the western coast of the United States, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work, two hundred and forty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the operations shall include a hydrographic development of the dangers of ocean navigation between San Diego and Panama.

**San Diego and Panama.**

For pay and rations of engineers for the steamers used in the coast survey, no longer supplied by the Navy Department, five thousand dollars.

**Pay, &c. of engineers.**

For continuing the publication of the observations made in the progress of coast survey, including compensation for civilians engaged in the work, the publication to be made at the government printing office, ten thousand dollars.

**Publication of observations.**

For repairs and maintenance of the complement of vessels used in the coast survey, forty-five thousand dollars.

**Vessels.**

For extending the triangulation of the coast survey so as to form a geodetic connection between the Atlantic and Pacific coasts of the United States, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work, fifteen thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the triangulation shall determine points in each State of the Union which shall make requisite provisions for its own typographical and geological surveys.

**Extending triangulation of coast survey.**

**Proviso.**

For the purchase of twenty-five Gatling guns and ammunition therefor, fifty thousand dollars.

**Gatling guns.**

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**UNDER THE NAVY DEPARTMENT.**

**For Navy Yards.** — For navy yard at Portsmouth, New Hampshire: Repairs of all kinds, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Boston, Massachusetts: Repairs of all kinds, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Brooklyn, New York: Repairs of all kinds, one hundred thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: Repairs of all kinds, forty thousand dollars; for building landing-wharves, dredging and filling in, commencing quay-walls, store-houses, carpenters' shop, joiners' shop, smiths' shop, machine shop, offices, steam-engines, scows, boats, derricks, and machinery and tools of all kinds at League Island, two hundred thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Washington, District of Columbia: Repairs of all kinds, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Norfolk, Virginia: Repairs of all kinds, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Pensacola, Florida: Repairs of all kinds, twenty-five thousand dollars; permanent improvements, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For navy yard at Mare Island, California: Repairs of all kinds, one hundred thousand dollars; permanent improvements, three hundred thousand dollars.

For naval station at Sackett's Harbor, New York: Repairs of all kinds, one thousand dollars.

For naval station at Mound City, Illinois: Repairs of all kinds, four thousand dollars.

For naval station at New London, Connecticut: Care and protection of public property, five thousand dollars.

For naval station at Key West, Florida: Repairs of all kinds, thirty thousand dollars.

For emergencies that may arise at naval stations, fifty thousand dollars.

Emergency.
Under the Department of Agriculture. — For improvement of grounds, as follows: For labor, twelve thousand dollars; materials for completing roads and walks, six thousand dollars; for finishing terraces, four thousand five hundred dollars; for vases, three hundred dollars; for tools, repairing, blacksmithing, and similar contingencies, one thousand dollars; and for completing the heating apparatus for the new greenhouse, three thousand dollars; in all, twenty-six thousand eight hundred dollars.

Sec. 2. That the following sums be, and they hereby are, appropriated for the various government buildings as hereinafter expressed; and any expenditure for any building provided for under this section, otherwise than in accordance with the limitations and conditions affixed, shall be deemed unlawful, viz.: —

Government Buildings under the Supervising Architect of the Treasury. — For custom-house, Astoria, Oregon: Completion of the building, ten thousand dollars.

For custom-house, Cairo, Illinois: Completion of the building, grading, paving, and fencing the grounds, thirty-three thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight dollars.

For custom-house, Charleston, South Carolina: Completion of the construction, fifty thousand dollars.

For custom-house, Knoxville, Tennessee: Completion of the construction, twenty thousand dollars.

For custom-house, Portland, Oregon: Completion of the building, ninety-four thousand four hundred and eleven dollars.

For custom-house, Saint Paul, Minnesota: Completion of the building, one hundred thousand dollars.

For post-office and court-house, New York: Continuation of the construction of the building upon plans that shall limit the ultimate cost of completion of the building above the sill course to a sum not exceeding three million dollars, and subject to no other limitation or restriction, one million three hundred and ninety-four thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven dollars: Provided, That the plans, estimates, and expenditures for the object shall be so made that in no event shall the total cost of said building exceed the sum herein named.

For post-office and court-house, Omaha, Nebraska: Continuation of the construction, fifty thousand dollars, subject in all respects to the conditions and limitations in other existing appropriations for said purpose.

For post-office and sub-treasury, Boston, Massachusetts: Continuation of the construction upon plans that shall limit the total ultimate cost of said building to a sum not exceeding one million five hundred thousand dollars, and subject to no other limitation or restriction, nine hundred and forty-two thousand five hundred and seventy-four dollars.

For branch mint, San Francisco, California: Completion of the building, five hundred thousand dollars.

For treasury building, Washington, District of Columbia: For annual repairs and improvements, fifteen thousand dollars.

For protection of treasury building on Fifteenth Street, and repairs of side-walk, nineteen thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars.

For custom-house, New Orleans, Louisiana: Continuing the completion of the building under the last modified plans submitted by the supervising architect of the treasury in his letter of February sixteen, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, or that portion thereof which substitutes a cast-iron cornice, and reduces the total estimate for the completion of the building to six hundred and twenty thousand dollars, of which estimate the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.

For purchase of a site and the erection of a building for a custom-house and post-office at Machias, Maine, twenty thousand dollars heretofore appropriated.
To complete the construction of the custom-house building in Portland, Maine, forty-two thousand eight hundred and thirty-three dollars and ninety-nine cents.

For the preparation and furniture of an additional court-room in the court-house at Williamsport, for the accommodation of the United States courts, three thousand dollars.

For improvement and repairs upon the rooms in the State-house of Mississippi, which have been heretofore occupied by the register and receiver of public lands at Jackson, Mississippi, the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior: Provided, however, That the register and receiver aforesaid be allowed the continued use and occupation of said rooms on the same terms as heretofore.

SEC. 3. That the following sums be appropriated for the purposes herein specified, viz.:

For Light-Houses, Beacons, and Fog-Signals. — For Burnt Coal Harbor light-station: Two beacon-lights, to serve as a range, on the coast of Maine, ten thousand dollars.

For Halfway Rock light-station: Completing lighthouse on Halfway rock, off the coast of Maine, ten thousand dollars.

For Portsmouth light-station: Building a dwelling for the keeper of the lighthouse at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, two thousand dollars.

For Whale's Back light-station: Completing the construction of the works at Whale's Back light-station, Portsmouth, New Hampshire, any balances that may remain unexpended of the existing appropriation on June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-one.

For Baker's Island light-station: Rebuilding on a proper site the front light of the range on Baker's island, off the coast of Massachusetts, five thousand dollars.

For Salem Harbor light-station: Completing the three small lights at Salem harbor, Massachusetts, any balance of the existing appropriation which may be unexpended June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-one.

For Plymouth, Duxbury, and Kingston light-station: Completing the lighthouse to mark the pier at the harbor of Plymouth, Duxbury, and Kingston, any balance of the existing appropriation that may be remaining June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-one.

For Wood's Hole depot: Continuing the improvement at the light-vessel and buoy depot at Wood's Hole, Massachusetts, five thousand dollars.

For fog-signals in the third district: Duplicate first-class steam fog-signals for Beaver Tail, Rhode Island, Little Gull island, Long Island sound, and at Sandy Hook, New York, light-stations, fifteen thousand dollars.

For Sabine's Point light-station: Erection of a lighthouse on or near Sabine's Point, in the Providence river, Rhode Island, forty-two thousand dollars.

For Race Rock light-station: Continuing the construction of the lighthouse authorized on Race rock, Fisher's Island sound, New York, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For Penfield Reef light-station: Completing the lighthouse on Penfield reef, Long Island sound, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For Black Rock light-station: Building a buoy wharf and shed for storage of buoys at Block Rock light-station, eight thousand dollars.

For Elm Tree beacon: Protecting the site and repairing the Elm Tree beacon on Staten island, New York, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For West Point light-station: Rebuilding the lighthouse at West Point, Hudson river, New York, one thousand five hundred dollars.
For Hudson River beacons: Restoring ten beacon-lights on stone crib piers in the Hudson river, which have been destroyed by ice and freshets, nine thousand two hundred dollars.

For Cumberland Head light-station: Purchase of additional land at the Cumberland Head light-station, Lake Champlain, New York, three thousand dollars.

For Juniper Island light-station: Construction of a suitable landing and boat-house at Juniper Island light-station, Lake Champlain, three thousand five hundred dollars.

For Split Rock light-station: Construction of boat-ways and providing a suitable capstan for hauling up the boat at the Split Rock light-station, Lake Champlain, six hundred dollars.

For Burlington Breakwater light-station: Erection of a beacon and a dwelling for the keeper on the breakwater at Burlington, Vermont, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For Romer Shoal beacon: Repairing the stone day-beacon on Romer shoal, New York bay, five thousand dollars.

For Staten Island depot: Continuing the work on improvements of the basin, wharves, and station at the lighthouse depot, Staten Island, New York, thirty-five thousand dollars.

For Absecom light-station: Protecting the site of the lighthouse of Absecom, New Jersey, against encroachments of the sea, four thousand dollars.

For Christiana depot: Completing the wharves and works of the Christiana light-station depot for light-vessels and buoys, fourteen thousand dollars.

For Lambert's Point light-station: Erection of an iron screw-pile lighthouse on Lambert's Point shoal, entrance to Elizabeth river, Virginia, fifteen thousand dollars.

For Bodie's Island light-station: Completing the first lighthouse on Bodie's Island, sea-coast of North Carolina, sixty-five thousand dollars.

For Sullivan's Island light-station: Erection of two small lights on Sullivan's Island, Charleston harbor, South Carolina, to serve as a range for the inner channel, ten thousand dollars.

For Danfuskie Island light-station: Erection of two small lights on or near Danfuskie Island, Savannah river, Georgia, instead of Braddock's point, to serve as a range for the channel from the Savannah river to Calibogue sound, fifteen thousand dollars.

For Oyster Rocks beacon: Erection of day-beacons on the Oyster rocks, mouth of Savannah river, Georgia, two thousand dollars.

For north beacons, Amelia Island: Rebuilding the two beacons on the north side of Amelia Island, to guide vessels into Saint Mary's Gut, Fernandina, Florida, twelve thousand dollars.

For Oyster Rocks beacon: Erection of day-beacons on the Oyster rocks, mouth of Savannah river, Georgia, two thousand dollars.

For Dame's Point light-station: Erection of an iron screw-pile lighthouse on the shoals off Dame's point, Saint John's river, Florida, twenty thousand dollars.

For Saint Augustine light-station: Commencing the rebuilding of a first-class sea-coast light at Saint Augustine, Florida, sixty thousand dollars.

For Alligator Reef light-station: Completing the first-class iron screw-pile lighthouse at Alligator reef, Florida, sixty thousand dollars.

For Florida Reef beacons: Building new and restoring old iron-pile day-beacons, from Cape Florida to Dry Tortugas, on the outer Florida reefs, forty thousand dollars.

For Sand Island light-station: Continuing the reconstruction of a first-class sea-coast lighthouse at Sand Island, entrance to Mobile bay, Alabama, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For Cat Island light-station: Re-erection of the lighthouse on Cat Island, Mississippi sound, former appropriation reverted to the treasury, twenty thousand dollars.
Mobile Point. For Mobile Point light-station: Re-erection of the lighthouse on Fort Morgan point, east side of entrance to Mobile bay, Alabama, fifteen thousand dollars.

Battery Gladden. For Battery Gladden light-station: Completion of the iron-pile lighthouse on Battery Gladden, Mobile bay, Alabama, five thousand dollars.

Proctorsville. For Proctorsville light-station: Raising and repairing the lighthouse at Proctorsville, Louisiana, five thousand dollars.

Pass Manchac. For Pass Manchac light-station: Construction of a breakwater to protect the lighthouse at Pass Manchac, Louisiana, one thousand seven hundred dollars.

Fog-signals, delta of the Mississippi. For fog-signals, delta of the Mississippi: First-class steam fog-signals at Pass a Loutre and Southwest Pass lighthouses, Louisiana, ten thousand dollars.

Point Aux Herbes. For Point Aux Herbes light-station: Erection of a lighthouse at Point Aux Herbes, to take the place of the one at Bonfouca, Louisiana, fifteen thousand dollars.

Timbalier. For Timbalier light-station: Rebuilding the sea-coast light at Timbalier bay, Louisiana, destroyed by a tornado, fifty thousand dollars.

Trinity Shoals. For Trinity Shoals light-station: Commencing the construction of an iron screw-pile lighthouse on or near Trinity shoals, off the coast of Louisiana, sixty thousand dollars.

Calcasieu. For Calcasieu light-station: Erection of an iron screw-pile lighthouse at Calcasieu, coast of Louisiana, twenty thousand dollars.

Swash. For Swash light-station: Re-establishing the lighthouse at the Swash, Texas, fifteen thousand dollars.

Matagorda. For Matagorda light-station: Rebuilding on a proper site the cast-iron lighthouse at Matagorda, Texas, twenty thousand dollars.

Fort Niagara. For Fort Niagara light-station: Rebuilding lighthouse at Fort Niagara, New York, sixteen thousand dollars.

Buffalo. For Buffalo depot: Reconstruction and improvement of the lighthouse depot wharf at Buffalo, New York, ten thousand dollars.

Fair Haven. For Fair Haven: Erection of a pier lighthouse and dwelling for keeper at Fair Haven, New York, nine thousand nine hundred dollars.

Presque Isle. For Presque Isle light-station: Renovating and improving the Presque Isle light-station, Erie, Pennsylvania, two thousand dollars.

Conneaut. For Conneaut light-station: Erection of a dwelling for the keeper of the Conneaut lighthouse, Ohio, four thousand dollars.

Ashtabula. For Ashtabula light-station: Erection of a dwelling for the keeper of the Ashtabula lighthouse, Ohio, four thousand dollars.

Cleveland. For rebuilding lighthouse at Cleveland, Ohio, fifty thousand dollars.

Grand River. For Grand River (Ohio) light-station: Completing the tower and constructing a dwelling for the keeper at Grand river, (Fair Port,) Ohio, ten thousand dollars.

Vermillion. For Vermillion light-station: Erection of a dwelling for the keeper of Vermillion lighthouse, Ohio, four thousand dollars.

Huron. For Huron light-station: Erection of a dwelling for the keeper of Huron lighthouse, Ohio, four thousand dollars.

Maumee. For Maumee light-station: Erection of a dwelling for the keeper of the outer Maumee range-lights, Ohio, three thousand dollars.

Saint Clair Flats. For Saint Clair Flats light-station: Completing the construction of the two lights to serve as a range for the new channel at Saint Clair flats, Michigan, thirty-three thousand dollars.

Spectacle Reef. For Spectacle Reef light-station: Completing the lighthouse works on Spectacle Reef, in Lake Huron, one hundred and sixteen thousand dollars.
For fog-signals on the lakes: Establishing fog-signals at the following points on the lakes, viz.: Thornton's Bay island, Whitefish point, Detour, Waugoshance, Skilligaltee, McGulpin's point, and Granville Island; establishing fog-signals at Fort Gratiot, Presque Isle, Lake Huron, Huron Island, and Manitou Island lighthouses on the lakes, fifteen thousand dollars.

For South Manitou light-station: Completing the reconstruction of the South Manitou lake-coast light, in addition to the balance of the former appropriation, twenty thousand dollars.

For South Haven beacon: Erection of a beacon-light at South Haven, Michigan, six thousand dollars.

For Calumet light-station: Re-establishing the light at Calumet, Illinois, and erecting a dwelling for the keeper, ten thousand dollars.

For Chicago light-station: Removing the main light from Chicago pier to Grosse point, as a lake-coast light, and for putting a beacon-range on the pier, thirty-five thousand dollars.

For Fox River range-lights: Erection of two small lights at the mouth of Fox river, Green bay, to serve as a range for the channel, eleven thousand dollars.

For Huron Island light-station: Cutting a road from the landing to lighthouse on Huron island, Lake Superior, two thousand dollars.

For Portage range-lights: Protecting the site and filling in the marsh at Portage range-light station, Lake Superior, nine hundred dollars.

For Eagle River light-station: Rebuilding upon a proper site the lighthouse at Eagle river, Lake Superior, fourteen thousand dollars.

For erection of a beacon-light and dwelling for the keeper on Lake Superior, at the terminus of the Northern Pacific railroad, Minnesota, ten thousand dollars.

For Cape Foulweather light-station: Erection of a first-class sea-coast light at or near Cape Foulweather, Oregon, ninety thousand dollars.

For Fauntleroy Rock beacon: Erection of a day-beacon, Fauntleroy rock, Crescent City harbor, California, five thousand dollars.

For Point Bonita light-station: Establishment of a first-class steam fog-signal at Point Bonita light-station, entrance to San Francisco harbor, California, ten thousand dollars.

For San Pablo Straits light-station: Erection of a lighthouse and fog-signal to guide through the straits of San Pablo, California, twenty thousand dollars.

For Pigeon Point light-station: Continuing and completing the lighthouse and fog-signal works at Pigeon point, sea-coast of California, ninety thousand dollars.

For Point Conception light-station: Establishment of a first-class steam fog-signal at Point Conception light-station, on the sea-coast of California, six thousand dollars.

For Point Arena light-station: Establishment of a first-class steam fog-signal at Point Arena light-station, California, eight thousand five hundred dollars.

For Cape Flattery light-station: Establishment of a first-class steam fog-signal at Cape Flattery light-station, entrance to Puget Sound, Washington Territory, ten thousand dollars.

For a life-saving station on Narragansett beach, Rhode Island, under acts approved July twenty, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, and March third, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, seven thousand dollars.

First, second, and third Districts. — For lighthouse and buoy-tenders: Steam-tender for the first and second lighthouse districts, (Maine and Massachusetts,) fifty thousand dollars.

For steam-tender for the third lighthouse district, fifty thousand dollars.

Sec. 4. That whenever it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the
Persons entitled to refund of duties under certain acts to be paid.
Post, p. 669.
Appropriation for minister, secretary, etc. to German Empire;
for building for court-house and post-office at Columbia, S. C.
State first to relinquish right to tax the site, &c.
Fines, penalties, &c. incurred under acts 1868, ch. 273.
1870, ch. 189.
to be disposed of according to law.
1867, ch. 188.
Pay of assistant marshals for taking the ninth census may be increased by the Secretary of the Interior.
Vol. xvii. pp. 9, 12.
Limit. Ante, 880.
President to prescribe rules, &c. for the admission of persons into the civil service.

Secretary of the Treasury that parties are entitled to refund of duties under the twenty-sixth section of the act of July fourteen, eighteen hundred and seventy, and joint resolution approved January thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury to draw his warrant upon the treasurer, directing said treasurer to refund the same out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Sec. 5. That there be appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of seventeen thousand five hundred dollars for the salary of an envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary, and twenty-five hundred dollars for the salary of a secretary, and eighteen hundred dollars for that of an assistant secretary of legation to the German Empire.

Sec. 6. That the appropriation made March three, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, having been covered into the treasury, the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to cause to be constructed, upon the site already given to and owned by the United States, a suitable building, fire-proof, at Columbia, South Carolina, for the accommodation of the post-office and United States circuit and district courts; and for this purpose there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, seventy-five thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, who shall cause proper plans and estimates to be made, so that no expenditure shall be made or authorized for the full completion of said building beyond the amount herein appropriated: Provided, That no money hereby appropriated shall be used or applied for the purposes mentioned until it shall appear that the State has duly released and relinquished to the United States the right to tax or in any way assess the site, or the property of the United States that may be thereon, during the time that the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof.

Sec. 7. That all fines, penalties, and forfeitures, heretofore or that may be hereafter incurred, the acts entitled respectively, "An act to extend the laws of the United States relating to customs, commerce, and navigation over the territory ceded to the United States by Russia, to establish a collection district therein, and for other purposes," approved July twenty-seven, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, and "An act to prevent the extermination of fur-bearing animals in Alaska," approved July one, eighteen hundred and seventy, shall be disposed of according to the provisions of the act entitled "An act to regulate the disposition of the proceeds of fines, penalties, and forfeitures incurred under the laws relating to the customs, and for other purposes," approved March two, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven.

Sec. 8. That the Secretary of the Interior be, and he hereby is, authorized to increase the compensation of assistant marshals in taking the census of eighteen hundred and seventy, whenever, in his judgment, the same shall be necessary: Provided, That in no case shall such increase exceed fifty per centum of the amount of compensation now allowed by law, nor shall the entire compensation be more than eight dollars per day for the time actually employed; and the joint resolution entitled "A resolution in relation to the compensation of assistant marshals for taking the census of eighteen hundred and seventy," approved June nine, eighteen hundred and seventy, be, and the same is hereby, repealed.

Sec. 9. That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized to prescribe such rules and regulations for the admission of persons into the civil service of the United States as will best promote the efficiency thereof; and ascertain the fitness of each candidate in respect to age, health, character, knowledge, and ability for the branch of service into which he seeks to enter; and for this purpose the President is au-
authorized to employ suitable persons to conduct said inquiries, to prescribe their duties, and to establish regulations for the conduct of persons who may receive appointments in the civil service.

Approved, March 3, 1871.

CHAP. CXV. — An Act making Appropriations to supply Deficiencies in the Appropriations for the Service of the Government for the fiscal Years ending June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy, and June thirty, eighteen hundred and seventy-one and for former 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 or may be necessary, be, and the same are hereby, appropriated for the objects hereinafter expressed, namely: —

Senate. — To pay an additional assistant engineer authorized by the Senate, at the rate of one thousand four hundred and forty dollars per annum, commencing on the first day of December, eighteen hundred and seventy, for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth day of June, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, eight hundred and forty dollars.

For steam-pump for the heating and ventilating apparatus of the Senate, under the direction of the sergeant-at-arms, one thousand dollars.

For expenses of heating and ventilating apparatus of the Senate, one thousand dollars.

House of Representatives. — For cartage, three thousand dollars.

For laborers, one thousand six hundred dollars.

For furniture and repairs thereof, two thousand dollars.

For fuel, two thousand dollars.

For paying teller in the office of the sergeant-at-arms, one thousand two hundred and twenty dollars.

For the miscellaneous item of the contingent fund of the House, ten thousand dollars.

For the following sums due under resolutions of the House passed during the first session of the Thirty-ninth Congress, namely: To the late first assistant door-keeper, eight hundred and forty dollars; to the superintendent of the document-room, eight hundred and forty dollars; and to E. Spicer, late superintendent of the folding-room, seven hundred and twenty dollars; to John J. McElhone, Wm. Hincks, W. Blair Lord, D. Wolfe Brown, Theodore F. Andrews, and William Henry Burr, reporters for the Congressional Globe during the first session of the Thirty-ninth Congress, seven hundred dollars each; in all, six thousand four hundred dollars, additional compensation for the Thirty-ninth Congress.

For compensation of the tally-clerk of the House of Representatives, from the first day of February, eighteen hundred and seventy, to the first day of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, six hundred and twelve dollars, the same making his compensation equal to that of his predecessor, (R. U. Sherman,) and as fixed in the legislative bill for himself.

To pay Rives and Bailey for the reporting and publication of the debates and proceedings of the Forty-first Congress, under the joint resolution approved March three, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and contract of April fourteen, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, so far as may have been provided for by law, one hundred and twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Public Buildings under the Treasury Department. — For continuing the work on the building for post-office and court-house in New York City, to be applied only to finishing the foundations up to and including the sill course, and receiving and setting the granite of the first story above that course, and subject to no other limitations or restriction, five hundred thousand dollars.

For the building for post-office and sub-treasury in Boston, the unexpended balance of appropriation remaining on the thirtieth June, eighteen