

such finding, when approved by said superintendent, shall be final; and the cadet so dismissed from said Naval Academy shall be forever ineligible to appointment and the cadet so dismissed from said Naval Academy shall be forever ineligible to re-appointment to said Naval Academy.

Approved, June 23, 1874.

June 23, 1874.
1863, ch. 91, vol.
xii, p. 762.

Justice of supreme
court District of Co-
lumbia, holding
term of criminal
court, may also hold
sittings of the cir-
cuit court.

CHAP. 454.—An act to amend the act entitled "An act to reorganize the courts in the District of Columbia, and for other purposes," approved March 3, 1863.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the justice of the supreme court of the District of Columbia, holding a criminal term for said District, may, when not engaged in the proper business of the criminal term, hold sittings of the circuit court, and employ the petit juries drawn for the criminal term in the trial of such cases depending in said circuit court as the justice presiding therein may assign to him for that purpose; and the business done at such sittings shall be recorded in the minutes of the circuit court.

Approved, June 23, 1874.

June 23, 1874.

CHAP. 455.—An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and for other purposes.

Appropriation for
sundry civil ex-
penses for year end-
ing June 30, 1875.

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 expressed, for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, namely:

PUBLIC PRINTING AND BINDING.

For the public printing, for the public binding, and for paper for the public printing, including the cost of printing the debates and proceedings of Congress in the Congressional Record, one million six hundred and forty-five thousand five hundred and seven dollars and sixty-six cents; and out of the sum hereby appropriated, printing and binding may be done by the Congressional Printer to the amounts following, namely:

<p>Court of claims. Executive Depart- ments. Supreme Court of United States. Supreme court of District of Columbia. Congress. Printing of annual reports of Executive Departments lim- ited. No expensive maps or illustra- tions without spe- cial order of Con- gress. Lithographing, &c., for Congress, Supreme Court, and Court of Claims. Compiling, &c., Congressional Di- rectory. How expended.</p>	<p>For the Court of Claims, ten thousand dollars; for the Department of State, twenty-five thousand dollars; for the Treasury Department, three hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars; for the War Department, one hundred thousand dollars; for the Navy Department, seventy-five thousand dollars; for the Interior Department, two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars; for the Agricultural Department, twenty thousand dollars; for the Department of Justice and the Attorney-General's Office, ten thousand dollars; for the Supreme Court of the United States, twenty-five thousand dollars; for the supreme court of the District of Columbia, five thousand dollars; for the Post-Office Department, one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars; and for both Houses of Congress, six hundred and fifty thousand five hundred and seven dollars and sixty-six cents: <i>Provided</i>, That hereafter the Congressional Printer shall print, upon the order of the heads of the Executive Departments, respectively, only such limited number of the annual reports of such Departments and necessary accompanying reports of subordinates as may be deemed necessary for the use of Congress: <i>Provided, however</i>, That no expensive maps or illustrations shall be printed without the special order of Congress. For lithographing, mapping, and engraving for both Houses of Congress, the Supreme Court, and the Court of Claims, thirty thousand dollars. For the expenses of compiling and preparing the Congressional Directory, twelve hundred dollars; which shall be expended under the</p>
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direction of the Joint Committee on Public Printing, and the committee shall appoint some suitable person to superintend the same, and shall pay him out of this appropriation such compensation, or additional compensation, as they may deem proper.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

FOR LIFE-SAVING STATIONS.

For salaries of two superintendents of the life-saving stations on the coasts of Long Island and New Jersey, at one thousand five hundred dollars each, three thousand dollars; and for one superintendent on the coast of Massachusetts, one thousand dollars; and for one superintendent on the coasts of Maine and New Hampshire, one thousand dollars; and for one superintendent on the coasts of Virginia and North Carolina, one thousand dollars. Superintendents.

For compensation of the Assistant Secretaries of the Treasury, the Solicitor of the Treasury, and the Commissioner of Customs, each four thousand five hundred dollars per annum, and a sum sufficient to pay the amount of increase in these salaries is hereby appropriated. Increased salary to Assistant Secretaries and Solicitor of the Treasury, and Commissioner of Customs.

For one hundred and two keepers of stations, at two hundred dollars each, twenty thousand four hundred dollars. Keepers of life-saving stations. Surf-men.

For pay of crews of experienced surf-men at such stations and for such periods as the Secretary of the Treasury may deem necessary and proper, one hundred and five thousand two hundred and sixty-four dollars.

For contingencies of life-saving stations on the coasts of the United States, twenty thousand dollars. Contingencies.

For establishing new life saving stations on the sea and lake coasts of the United States, as authorized by law of the present Congress, three hundred and forty-two thousand three hundred and four dollars and forty-four cents. Establishing new stations. Ante, ch. 344, pp. 125, 128.

To carry into effect joint resolution numbered four, granting medals to Captain Jared S. Crandall and others, passed at the third session of the Forty-second Congress, approved February twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, one thousand six hundred dollars. Medals to Capt. J. S. Crandall and others. Res. No. 4, vol. xvii, p. 638.

REVENUE-CUTTER SERVICE.

For the pay of thirty-four captains, one hundred and one lieutenants, and sixty-three engineers and pilots employed, three hundred and sixty-one thousand three hundred dollars. Pay of officers and pilots.

For rations of officers: Thirty-four captains, one hundred and one lieutenants, sixty-three engineers and pilots employed, twenty-five thousand five hundred and eighty-three dollars and forty cents. Rations of officers.

For pay of crews: Eight hundred and sixty petty officers, seamen, cooks, stewards, boys, coal-passers, and firemen, two hundred and eighty-three thousand dollars. Pay of crews.

For rations for crews: Eight hundred and sixty petty officers, seamen, cooks, stewards, boys, coal-passers, and firemen, three hundred and thirteen thousand and nine hundred rations, including the liquor equivalent, ninety-eight thousand dollars. Rations for crews.

For fuel for thirty-eight vessels, repairs and outfits for same, ship-chandlery and engineers' stores for same, traveling-expenses of officers traveling on duty under orders from the Treasury Department, commutation of quarters, and contingent expenses, including wharfage, towage, dockage, freight, advertising, and surveys, and miscellaneous expenses which cannot be included under special heads, two hundred and sixty thousand dollars. Fuel, repairs, &c.

For building a steam revenue-vessel for the Pacific coast, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars. Steam revenue vessel for Pacific coast.

MARINE HOSPITAL SERVICE.

Relief of sick and disabled seamen. For supplying deficiency in the fund for the relief of sick and disabled seamen, one hundred thousand dollars.

NATIONAL CURRENCY.

Clerks in office of Comptroller of the Currency. For the following clerks in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency: Two clerks of class three, two clerks of class one, nine female clerks; total, thirteen thousand seven hundred dollars; *Provided*, That the amount appropriated shall be reimbursed to the Treasury by the national banks, as provided in section three of "An act to fix the amount of United States notes, provide for the redistribution of the national bank currency, and for other purposes."

Amount to be reimbursed by national banks. *Ante*, ch. 343, pp. 123, 124. Making and issuing currency. For paper, engraving, printing, express-charges, and other expenses of making and issuing the national currency, one hundred and ten thousand dollars, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Purchase of engine and machinery for maceration of bank notes, &c. For the purchase of an engine and machinery, and for the erection and expenses incident to its operation, for the maceration of national bank notes, United States notes, and other obligations of the United States authorized to be destroyed, ten thousand dollars; and that all such issues hereafter destroyed may be destroyed by maceration instead of burning.

Destruction by maceration instead of burning. Repeal of part of 1864, ch. 106, vol. xiii, p. 106. Disposal of pulp. For expenses in detecting and bringing to trial and punishment persons engaged in counterfeiting Treasury notes, bonds, national-bank notes, and other securities of the United States, and the coinage thereof, and for detecting other frauds upon the Government, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Repeal of part of 1864, ch. 106, vol. xiii, p. 106. Disposal of pulp. For expenses in detecting and bringing to trial and punishment persons engaged in counterfeiting Treasury notes, bonds, national-bank notes, and other securities of the United States, and the coinage thereof, and for detecting other frauds upon the Government, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Detection of counterfeiting and frauds upon Government. For expenses in detecting and bringing to trial and punishment persons engaged in counterfeiting Treasury notes, bonds, national-bank notes, and other securities of the United States, and the coinage thereof, and for detecting other frauds upon the Government, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

JUDICIARY.

Courts of the United States, including the District of Columbia. For defraying the expenses of the courts of the United States, including the District of Columbia; for jurors and witnesses and expenses of suits in which the United States are concerned, of prosecutions for offenses committed against the United States; for the safe keeping of prisoners; and for the expenses which may be incurred in the enforcement of the act relative to the right of citizens to vote, of February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, or any acts amendatory thereof or supplementary thereto, three million dollars.

Jurors, witnesses, &c. Execution of enforcement acts. 1871, ch. 99, vol. xvi, p. 433. 1872, ch. 139, vol. xvii, p. 61. Convicts from District of Columbia. For the support and maintenance of convicts transferred from the District of Columbia, ten thousand dollars.

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

Defending suits for seizure of captured and abandoned property, &c. 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 defense of the United States in the Court of Claims, to be expended under the direction of the Attorney-General, thirty thousand dollars.

Collection of claims due United States. 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, ten thousand dollars.

Detection and prosecution of crimes against United States. 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, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Defending claims under convention with Mexico. For defraying the expenses of defending claims under the convention with Mexico of the fourth of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight, to

vol. xv, p. 679.

be expended under the direction of the Attorney General, ten thousand dollars.

For detecting and punishing violation of the intercourse-acts of Congress, and frauds committed in the Indian service, the same to be expended by the Attorney-General, in allowing such increased fees and compensation of witnesses, jurors, and marshals, and in defraying such other expenses as may be necessary for this purpose, ten thousand dollars.

Detecting, &c., violation of intercourse-acts, and frauds in Indian service.

For completing fourteen cells, the iron steps and gallery in the United States Penitentiary at Deer Lodge, Montana, six thousand and twenty dollars: *Provided*: That this sum shall be sufficient to complete the work.

Penitentiary at Deer Lodge, Montana. *Proviso*

To enable the Attorney-General to pay for the editing and preparing for publication, and the superintending of the printing, of the thirteenth volume of the Opinions of the Attorneys-General, including also the expense incurred in copying the same, one thousand dollars.

Thirteenth volume Opinions of Attorneys-General.

To place the United States penitentiary building at Steilacoom, Washington Territory, in a suitable condition for the reception and confinement of convicts, seven thousand two hundred and seventy-one dollars, *Provided*, That this sum shall be sufficient to complete the work.

Penitentiary at Steilacoom, Washington Territory. *Proviso.*

MISCELLANEOUS.

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.

Statistics of mines and mining.

For this amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the amount of three several judgments rendered by the circuit and district court for the southern district of Ohio, against Reuben H. Stephenson, the surveyor of the port of Cincinnati, one thousand and sixteen dollars and eighty-six cents.

Payment of judgments against R. H. Stephenson, surveyor of the port of Cincinnati.

To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the judgement recovered by John P. Tweed against Benjamin F. Flanders, deputy general agent of the Treasury Department, the sum of nine thousand two hundred and eighty dollars and forty-eight cents, and interest at five per centum per annum, from March twenty-first, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, is hereby appropriated.

Payment of judgement against Benjamin F. Flanders, deputy general agent Treasury Department.

For the continuation of the geological and geographical surveys of the Territories of the United States by F. V. Hayden, to continue the work westward toward the Green and Colorado Rivers, seventy-five thousand dollars; and J. W. Powell, in Utah, fifteen thousand dollars, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, during the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, in all ninety thousand dollars.

Hayden's geological, &c., survey.

Powell's survey in Utah.

For the preparation and publication of the maps, charts, geological sections, and other engravings necessary to illustrate the reports of the United States geological surveys of the Territories, thirty-five thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior.

Maps, &c., illustrating geological surveys of the Territories.

For continuing the inquiry into the causes of the decrease of food-fishes of the coast and of the lakes of the United States, five thousand dollars.

Inquiry into causes of decrease of food-fishes.

For the introduction of shad into the waters of the Pacific States, the Gulf States, and of the Mississippi Valley, and of salmon, whitefish, and other useful food-fishes, into the waters of the United States to which they are best adapted, seventeen thousand five hundred dollars, to be expended under the direction of the United States Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries.

Introduction of shad and other fish into waters of United States.

For preparation of illustrations for the report of the United States Commissioner of Fish and Fisheries, one thousand dollars.

Illustrations for report.

Crippled and disabled soldiers employed by Door-keeper of House.

To enable the Clerk of the House of Representatives to pay the fourteen crippled and disabled soldiers now in the employment of the Doorkeeper of the House of Representatives, from July first to December seventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, ten thousand three hundred and fifty-three dollars and seventy-six cents.

Extra clerical services in Committee on War-Claims.

To enable the Clerk of the House of Representatives to pay for extra clerical services in the Committee on War-Claims, rendered necessary by the reports of the Commissioners of Claims, five hundred dollars.

Widow of David B. Mellish.

To enable the Clerk of the House to pay to the widow of David B. Mellish, late a member of the House, a sum equal to the salary of a member of Congress from the date of the death of said Mellish to the end of the Forty-third Congress, three thousand nine hundred and sixty-eight dollars.

Harriet P. Phisk.

To pay Harriet P. Phisk, employed under the Door-keeper of the House for attending the ladies' retiring-room of the House, six hundred dollars per annum.

Special policeman in office of Secretary of Senate.

That the salary of the special policeman in the office of the Secretary of the Senate shall hereafter be twelve hundred and ninety-six dollars, and a sum sufficient to pay the increase hereby made, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated.

Folding Agricultural Report.

For folding the report of the Commissioner of Agriculture for the years eighteen hundred and seventy-two and eighteen hundred and seventy-three, twenty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the Folding Room of the House.

Extra stenographic reporting for Committees of Investigation.

For extra stenographic reporting for Committees of Investigation of the House of Representatives for the first session of the Forty-third Congress, six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be audited and paid under the direction of the House Committee of Accounts.

Postage-stamps for certain officers of Congress.

For postage stamps for the offices of the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Sergeant-at-Arms of the House of Representatives, and the Secretary of the Senate, one hundred dollars each, and for the Postmaster of the House, fifty dollars, three hundred and fifty dollars; and for amount already expended by the Sergeant-at-Arms for postage stamps, two hundred and fifty dollars.

Extra mail-service on Baltimore and Ohio Railroad.

To enable the Postmaster-General to pay the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad Company for extra services in transporting mail-matter over their road during the latter months of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, sixteen thousand two hundred and seventy dollars and thirty-three cents.

Official postal guide.

To enable the Postmaster-General to pay for not exceeding thirty thousand copies quarterly of the Official Postal Guide, to be compiled and published under contract not to extend more than five years, to be made with parties doing said work at the lowest rate, twenty thousand dollars.

Purchase and repair of furniture for post-office and custom-house at Galveston.

To enable the Postmaster-General to pay the balance due on account of the purchase and repair of furniture for the post-office in the United States custom-house at Galveston, Texas, during the fiscal years ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two and eighteen hundred and seventy-three, one thousand five hundred and seventy-three dollars and fifty-eight cents, or so much thereof as may be found due by

Vouchers to be required from parties who furnished the goods.

the Sixth Auditor of the Treasury: *Provided*, That no part of this sum shall be paid until vouchers properly receipted from the parties who actually furnished the goods shall be filed with the said Auditor: *And*

No payment to W. T. Clark until settlement of his accounts.

provided further, That no part thereof shall be paid to W. T. Clark until the final settlement of his accounts with the Post-Office Department.

Statistical atlas. 1873, ch. 228, vol. xvii, p. 536.

For printing the text of the statistical atlas of the United States compiled by Francis A. Walker, under authority of the act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, and for binding the entire edition of the same, three thousand dollars.

That for printing the preparatory circulars, and for printing and binding at the Government Printing-Office the report on life-insurance statistics, made, under the authority of the Eighth International Statistical Congress, by William Barnes, in accordance with plan of publication adopted at said Congress, under the direction of the Secretary of State, any unexpended balance of an appropriation for the above purpose made in the act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, is hereby continued and rendered available.

Circulars and report on life-insurance statistics, by William Barnes. 1873, ch. 227, vol. xvii, p. 510.

Unexpended balance made available.

That the proper accounting officer shall allow and pay to Eunice Barcus whatever sum may be found to have been due to her stepson, Henry Barcus, as bounty or arrears of pay as a private of Company K, Eighth Regiment Iowa Veteran Volunteer Infantry, in the war of the rebellion, at the time of his death, and in accordance with his last will and testament; and the sum required for this purpose is hereby appropriated.

Eunice Barcus for bounty and arrears due Henry Barcus, private Company K, Eighth Iowa Veteran Volunteers.

For the erection of an equestrian statue of Nathanael Greene, in conformity with a resolution of Congress passed August eighth, seventeen hundred and eighty-six, forty thousand dollars; and one member of each House of Congress, to be appointed by the presiding officer of each House of Congress, respectively, and George Washington Greene, of Rhode Island, be, and they are hereby, appointed a commission to contract for the same: *Provided*, That the same shall be erected under a contract, the amount to be paid under which shall not exceed forty thousand dollars.

Equestrian statue of Nathanael Greene.

Commission to make contract. Proviso.

To enable the Joint Committee on the Library to purchase such works of art for ornamenting the Capitol as may be ordered and approved, ten thousand dollars.

Works of art for the Capitol.

To enable the Librarian of Congress to employ two assistants, in connection with the work of the copyright-department, and in preparing a complete index of subjects to the documents and debates of Congress, at one thousand six hundred dollars each, three thousand two hundred dollars. And the Librarian is hereby charged with the work of preparing such an index, under the supervision of the Joint Committee on the Library; and he is hereby authorized and required to complete the two sets of congressional documents required by existing laws to be deposited in the Library of Congress, and which were partially destroyed by fire; and to this end he may make requisition upon the Secretary of the Interior, in charge of the reserve of public documents; and such volumes as cannot be supplied by the Interior Department may be transferred to the Library of Congress from the documents in charge of the Secretary of the Senate, and of the Clerk of the House of Representatives, the Librarian of Congress giving a receipt therefor.

Assistants to Librarian of Congress.

Index to subjects of documents and debates of Congress.

Librarian to prepare index.

To complete two sets of congressional documents.

For necessary repairs of the telegraph-line connecting the Capitol and the Executive Departments, one thousand dollars.

Repair of telegraph between Capitol and Departments.

For salary of stenographer to the Secretary of the Treasury, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Stenographer to Secretary of the Treasury.

That of the unexpended balance of the appropriation made for the office of the Treasurer of the United States for the fiscal year ending with June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be required, for the payment of salaries of such additional temporary clerks, messengers, and laborers as the Secretary of the Treasury may find necessary for the work of that office, may be used for the purpose aforesaid, in the fiscal year ending with June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and for temporary clerks in the Treasury Department, forty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no part of these amounts shall be expended for payment of additional compensation to clerks or employees; and so much as may be necessary to enable the Secretary of the Treasury to carry into effect the joint resolution for the relief of certain clerks and employees of the United States approved June twenty-second, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, is hereby appropriated.

Unexpended balance for temporary clerks in Treasurer's office.

For temporary clerks in Treasury Department.

1873, ch. 226, vol. xvii, p. 493.

No part for additional compensation.

Payment of two months' salary to discharged employees.

Post, Res. No. 16.

Re-appropriation of unexpended balance for Southern Claims Commission. To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to collect, procure, preserve, and arrange for use all vouchers, papers, records, and evidence, and to take testimony as to claims against the United States, to be paid only upon the certificate of the Commissioners of Claims, the sum of twenty thousand dollars of the unexpended balance of the appropriation made by act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, is hereby re-appropriated.

1873, ch. 236, vol. xvii, p. 577.

Advertising in New York Tribune. To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the proprietors of the New York Tribune for advertising in said journal, the sum of eight hundred and thirty-nine dollars and ten cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid upon the audit of the proper accounting officers of the Treasury.

Revised and annual statutes. For payment of the expense of editing the revised statutes, preparing the same for publication, and distributing the same, and for editing the annual statutes, under the direction of the Secretary of State, twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as shall be necessary.

Transit of Venus. To enable the Secretary of the Navy to complete the observations of the transit of Venus, in December, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and to return the parties of observation to the United States, twenty-five thousand dollars, to be expended as provided by the act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three.

1873, ch. 227, vol. xvii, p. 514.

Information respecting fur-trade in Alaska. For collecting information respecting the condition and importance of the fur-trade in the Territory of Alaska, as provided by act of April twenty-second, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, ten thousand dollars, for the fiscal years eighteen hundred and seventy-four and eighteen hundred and seventy-five, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

Ante, ch. 122, p. 33.

District of Columbia. For the District of Columbia the sum of one million three hundred thousand dollars, to be expended by the commissioners of said District, and applied as follows: First, to the payment of interest on the funded debt of said District due July first, eighteen hundred and seventy-four; secondly, to the payment of officers, employees, and laborers of the District, whether of the District proper or of the board of public works; thirdly, for the payment of any indebtedness for which the securities of the District are pledged, and the remainder to the current expenses of said District. The money herein appropriated shall be drawn from the Treasury from time to time as the same may be needed, and only upon detailed statements of amounts to be paid and the persons to whom, or on what account payable, to which statements shall be appended the certificate of such commissioners that they have carefully examined such accounts, and that they believe them to be just and due to the respective claimants thereof, copies of said statements together with a report of all receipts and disbursements of said District government, shall be transmitted by them to the President, to be by him transmitted to Congress at the beginning of its next session: *Provided*, That all sums due any party exceeding one hundred dollars shall be paid only by checks on the Treasury issued directly to the party to whom the same is due; *And provided further*; That the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars of said sum hereby appropriated shall be used for the payment of the workingmen employed on public improvements on the streets and excavations of Washington, under the board of public works of the District of Columbia, or the contractors of the same; and the commissioners are hereby authorized and ordered to retain, from the several contractors who are indebted to the workingmen, and whose accounts have not been settled by the board of public works, the several sums due the workingmen; all the above sums, except so much thereof as may be paid for interest, as aforesaid, to be considered and adjusted hereafter as a part of the proper proportional sum to be paid by the United States towards the expenses of the government of the District of Columbia.

To be expended for:

Payment of interest on funded debt;

Payment of officers, employees, and laborers;

Indebtedness for which securities of District are pledged;

Current expenses.

How money to be drawn.

Certificate of commissioners.

Report to Congress.

Sums exceeding \$100 to be paid by checks to parties direct.

Payment of workingmen.

Commissioners to retain from contractors amounts due by them to workingmen.

Adjustment hereafter.

For the payment of C. H. Evans, for services under the direction of the Committee of Ways and Means of the Forty-second Congress, five hundred dollars. C. H. Evans.

For the payment of M. A. Clancy, for services as stenographer in taking testimony in the matter of the impeachment of Richard Busteed, district judge of the district of Alabama, the sum of five hundred and twenty-five dollars. M. A. Clancy.

For expenses of the Joint Select Committee to inquire into the Affairs of the District of Columbia, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to be available immediately. Joint Select Committee to inquire into Affairs of District of Columbia.

The sum of thirty-two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars is hereby appropriated to defray the expenses of the board of health of the District of Columbia, for sanitary purposes, for the fiscal year ending July first, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and the commissioners of the District of Columbia be, and they are hereby, directed to appropriate the same amount, namely: thirty-two thousand two hundred and twenty dollars, from the funds of the District of Columbia not otherwise appropriated, for the same purpose. Board of health District of Columbia.

That the sum of one thousand dollars is hereby appropriated for the salary of the Government telegraph operators at the Capitol, during the recess of Congress, five hundred of the same to be paid by the Secretary of the Senate for salary of operator of the Senate, and five hundred dollars to be paid by the Clerk of the House of Representatives, for the salary of the operator of the House. Commissioners to appropriate a like sum from funds of the District.

Telegraph operators at Capitol.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

PUBLIC LANDS

For rent of office of surveyor general of Louisiana, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, one thousand eight hundred dollars. Expenses of office of surveyor-general of Louisiana;

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

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

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

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

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Colorado Territory, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, three thousand dollars. Colorado Territory;

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

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

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

For rent of office of surveyor-general of Nevada, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses four thousand dollars. Nevada;

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

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

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

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

Expenses of office of surveyor-general of Utah Territory;	For rent of office of surveyor-general of Utah Territory, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses two thousand dollars
Wyoming Territory;	For rent of office of surveyor-general of Wyoming Territory, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand five hundred dollars.
Arizona Territory.	For rent of office of surveyor-general of Arizona Territory, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses two thousand five hundred dollars.
Recorder of land titles in Missouri.	For recorder of land titles in Missouri, five hundred dollars

SURVEYING THE PUBLIC LANDS

Surveying the public lands in Louisiana;	For surveying the public lands in Louisiana, at rates not exceeding twelve dollars per linear mile for township and ten dollars for section lines and for closing up the expenses of the office so far as relates to the surveying of the public lands, fifteen thousand dollars
Closing up surveying expenses; Florida;	For surveying the public lands in Florida, at rates not exceeding twelve dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines and for closing up the expenses of the office so far as relates to the surveying of the public lands, ten thousand dollars.
Minnesota;	For surveying the public lands in Minnesota at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, thirty thousand dollars.
Dakota Territory;	For surveying the public lands in Dakota Territory, at rates not exceeding twelve dollars per linear mile for standard lines, nine dollars for township, and eight dollars for section lines, fifty thousand dollars.
Montana Territory;	For surveying the public lands in Montana Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars.
Nebraska;	For surveying the public lands in Nebraska, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines sixty thousand dollars; and the unexpended balance of the appropriation in the act of June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, for the survey of the northern boundary of Nebraska is hereby continued and rendered available.
Unexpended balance for survey of northern boundary continued; 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 358; Kansas;	For surveying the public lands in Kansas, at rates not exceeding twelve dollars per linear mile for standard lines, nine dollars for township, and eight dollars for section lines, eighty-nine thousand and seven hundred dollars.
Colorado Territory;	For surveying the public lands in Colorado Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, and for heavily timbered lands at augmented rates not exceeding eighteen dollars per linear mile for standard, sixteen dollars for township, and fourteen dollars for section lines, fifty thousand dollars.
Idaho Territory;	For surveying the public lands in Idaho Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, and for heavily-timbered lands at augmented rates not exceeding eighteen dollars per linear mile for standard, sixteen dollars for township, and fourteen dollars for section lines, thirty thousand dollars
New Mexico Territory;	For surveying the public lands in New Mexico Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, thirty thousand dollars
Arizona Territory;	For surveying the public lands in Arizona Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, twenty thousand dollars
California;	For surveying the public lands in California, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, fourteen dollars for township, and twelve dollars for section lines, and for heavily timbered mountain-lands at augmented rates, not exceeding eighteen dollars per

linear mile for standard, sixteen dollars for township, and fourteen dollars for section lines, ninety thousand dollars; and such part of this amount, not exceeding thirty thousand dollars, as the Secretary of the Interior, in his discretion, may think proper, may be expended in the survey of private land claims in the State of California; Survey of private land-claims in California;

For surveying the public lands in Oregon, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, fourteen dollars for township, and twelve dollars for section lines, and for heavily-timbered lands lying west of the Cascade Mountains, at augmented rates, not exceeding eighteen dollars per linear mile for standard, sixteen dollars for township and fourteen dollars for section lines, sixty thousand dollars Oregon;

For surveying the public lands in Washington Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard lines, fourteen dollars for township, and twelve dollars for section lines, and for heavily timbered lands lying in the mountains, at augmented rates, not exceeding eighteen dollars per linear mile for standard, sixteen dollars for township, and fourteen dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars. Washington Territory;

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

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

For surveying the public lands in Wyoming Territory, at rates not exceeding fifteen dollars per linear mile for standard, twelve dollars for township, and ten dollars for section lines, and for heavily-timbered lands, at augmented rates, not exceeding eighteen dollars per linear mile for standard, sixteen dollars for township, and fourteen dollars for section lines, forty thousand dollars. Wyoming Territory.

To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to reimburse the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad Company for moneys advanced by said company to the surveyor-general of Dakota Territory, in pursuance of orders from the Commissioner of the General Land-Office, the sum of ten thousand six hundred dollars Reimbursement of Chicago and Northwestern Railroad Company for money advanced to surveyor-general of Dakota.

For occasional examinations to test the accuracy of surveys in the field, ten thousand dollars. Examination and test of field surveys.

For the survey of Indian reservations and subdividing portions of the same, of which the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, may be applicable to the payment of such surveys executed prior to the end of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, two hundred and ninety-two thousand six hundred and eighty dollars. Survey of Indian reservations. Part may be applied to surveys prior to June 30, 1874.

For this amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to defray the expenses of surveying the land of the Cherokee Indians of North Carolina, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, fifteen thousand dollars. Survey of lands of Cherokee Indians of North Carolina.

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 ninety land-offices, four hundred and eighty-nine thousand seven hundred dollars. Registers and receivers.

For incidental expenses of the land offices, fifty-four thousand three hundred and forty dollars. Incidental expenses.

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

To meet the expenses of suppressing depredations upon the timber on the public lands, five thousand dollars. Suppressing depredations on public timber.

For three thousand copies (including paper) of the map of the United States prepared in the General Land-Office, five thousand dollars. Map of United States.

Land office at the Dalles, Oregon. For the necessary expenses of the land-office at the Dalles, Oregon: For salaries and commissions of the register and the receiver for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, six thousand dollars; and for incidental expenses of said officers, one thousand dollars.

CAPITOL EXTENSION.

Work on Capitol; care and repairs. For work on the Capitol, and for general care and repairs thereof, fifty thousand dollars.

Roof of Senate Chamber. For lathing and plastering the under surface of the roof above the ceiling of the Senate chamber, four thousand dollars.

Steam-pump for Senate wing. For a new steam-pump to supply the tanks located in the attic of the Senate wing of the Capitol, eight hundred dollars.

Assistant engineer of Senate. For salary of assistant engineer of the Senate, in charge of the elevator and elevator-engine, fourteen hundred and forty dollars.

Repairing roof near dome. For such portion of replacing the defective portion of the roof on the Capitol, near the dome, by a copper roofing of fire-proof construction, and for erecting fire-walls, fifteen thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the old materials as cannot be used profitably in the repairs of the Capitol shall be sold and the proceeds covered into the Treasury.

Old materials to be sold.

Improvement of Capitol grounds. For improvement of Capitol Grounds, according to the plans and under the general direction of Fred. Law Olmsted, to be expended by the Architect of the Capitol, two hundred thousand dollars.

Botanic Garden. For work and grading in and around the Botanic Garden and completing brick wall and iron fence, eleven thousand nine hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Engine-house on Capitol Hill. For the purpose of erecting on Capitol Hill, near the Capitol building, a suitable engine-house to supply the place of engine-house numbered three, recently ordered removed by Congress ten thousand dollars.

Foundation walls and basement rooms in General Post-Office Building. To secure the foundation walls and fit up rooms in the basement of the general post-office building, one hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

United States court-house in Washington. For preservation and repairs of the United States court-house in Washington City, formerly known as the City Hall building, three thousand dollars.

Fire-department of District of Columbia. For amount that will be due by the United States to the District of Columbia for one-third of the entire cost of maintaining the fire-department for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Reform-School. Reform-School of the District of Columbia: For the superintendent, one thousand five hundred dollars; two assistant superintendents, at seven hundred and fifty dollars each; matron, six hundred dollars; two teachers, at six hundred dollars each; physician, five hundred dollars; gardener, seven hundred and twenty dollars; superintendent of workshops, six hundred dollars; laborer, one hundred and forty-four dollars; seamstress, laundress, and servants, five hundred and forty dollars; and for fuel, clothing, and incidentals, two thousand six hundred and ninety-six dollars; making, in all the sum of ten thousand dollars.

Building and grounds belonging to the Reform-School: For altering a portion of the main building for kitchen, and for mantels, cisterns, and drainage, one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars; for laying out the grounds, and for purchasing and setting out ornamental trees, and making roads and walks, two thousand five hundred dollars; for furniture for new building, and additional beds for boys, five thousand dollars; for bake-house and laundry, one thousand five hundred dollars; in all, ten thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

METROPOLITAN POLICE.

For salaries and other necessary expenses of the metropolitan police for the District of Columbia, two hundred and seven thousand five hundred and thirty dollars: *Provided*, That a further sum, amounting to

one hundred and three thousand seven hundred and sixty-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 thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

Additional sum to be paid by the District of Columbia.

How apportioned.

Special tax to be levied and how to be expended.

GOVERNMENT HOSPITAL FOR THE INSANE.

For the support, clothing, medical, and moral treatment of the insane of the Army and Navy and revenue-cutter service, and of all persons who may have become insane since their entry into the military or naval service of the United States and who are indigent, and of the indigent insane of the District of Columbia, in the Government Hospital for the Insane, one hundred and forty thousand seven hundred and eighty-five dollars.

Patients.

For repairs and improvements of the hospital buildings, fifteen thousand dollars.

Hospital buildings.

For the erection, furnishing, and fitting-up of an extension to the central building of the hospital-edifice, thirty-five thousand nine hundred and fifty-six dollars.

For the erection, furnishing, and fitting-up of an extension of the west detached buildings for patients, twelve thousand dollars.

COLUMBIA INSTITUTION FOR THE DEAF AND DUMB.

For the support 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-eight thousand dollars.

For continuing the work on the erection, and fitting up the buildings of the institution, in accordance with plans heretofore submitted to Congress, twenty-nine thousand dollars.

Construction of buildings.

COLUMBIA HOSPITAL FOR WOMEN AND LYING-IN ASYLUM AND OTHER CHARITIES.

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, twenty-four thousand dollars.

For care, support, and medical treatment of seventy-five 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, fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, under the direction of the Secretary of War.

Transient paupers.

For the Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home, Washington City, District of Columbia, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, twelve thousand dollars: *Provided*, That hereafter no child or children shall be admitted into said home except "the destitute orphans of soldiers and sailors who have died in the late war on behalf of the Union of these States," as provided for in section three of the act entitled "An act to incorporate the National Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphan Home," approved July twenty-fifth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six: *And provided further*, That no child shall remain in said home after having attained the age of sixteen years.

Soldiers' and Sailors' Orphans' Home.

Destitute orphans of soldiers and sailors only admitted.

Not to remain after sixteen years old.

- Women's Christian Association. For the Women's Christian Association of the District of Columbia, twenty-five thousand dollars; to be expended for the sole purpose of erecting a building on the ground owned by said association in said District, upon and in strict conformity with a plan for said building, which shall be prepared by the Architect of the Capitol Extension; and it shall not, for building and furnishing, exceed the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars; and no money shall be paid under this appropriation until the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that a contract, with good security for its execution, has been entered into for the erection and furnishing of said building, at a sum not exceeding the amount hereby appropriated; and all payments for the erection and furnishing of said building shall be made by the Secretary of the Treasury directly upon vouchers to be approved by him: *Express condition.* *Provided,* (and this appropriation is upon the the express condition,) That none of the money hereby appropriated shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury until said association shall file, with the recorder of deeds in the District of Columbia, a declaration executed and acknowledged in the manner in which deeds are required by law to be executed for record in the District of Columbia, that said building, and the lands on which it is erected, forever shall be held in trust by said association, without mortgage or security in the nature of mortgage, for the sole purposes of said association, as defined in its charter, of date December thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy; and the filing of said declaration shall be regarded as notice to all persons who shall purchase said property or take any security thereon.
- How to be expended. Plan for building: District, upon and in strict conformity with a plan for said building, which shall be prepared by the Architect of the Capitol Extension; and it shall not, for building and furnishing, exceed the said sum of twenty-five thousand dollars; and no money shall be paid under this appropriation until the Secretary of the Treasury shall be satisfied that a contract, with good security for its execution, has been entered into for the erection and furnishing of said building, at a sum not exceeding the amount hereby appropriated; and all payments for the erection and furnishing of said building shall be made by the Secretary of the Treasury directly upon vouchers to be approved by him: *Express condition.* *Provided,* (and this appropriation is upon the the express condition,) That none of the money hereby appropriated shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury until said association shall file, with the recorder of deeds in the District of Columbia, a declaration executed and acknowledged in the manner in which deeds are required by law to be executed for record in the District of Columbia, that said building, and the lands on which it is erected, forever shall be held in trust by said association, without mortgage or security in the nature of mortgage, for the sole purposes of said association, as defined in its charter, of date December thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy; and the filing of said declaration shall be regarded as notice to all persons who shall purchase said property or take any security thereon.
- Cost limited. Money not to be paid until contract entered into. Payments, how to be made. *Express condition.* *Provided,* (and this appropriation is upon the the express condition,) That none of the money hereby appropriated shall be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury until said association shall file, with the recorder of deeds in the District of Columbia, a declaration executed and acknowledged in the manner in which deeds are required by law to be executed for record in the District of Columbia, that said building, and the lands on which it is erected, forever shall be held in trust by said association, without mortgage or security in the nature of mortgage, for the sole purposes of said association, as defined in its charter, of date December thirteenth, eighteen hundred and seventy; and the filing of said declaration shall be regarded as notice to all persons who shall purchase said property or take any security thereon.
- Children's Hospital. To aid in the support of the Children's Hospital, Washington, District of Columbia, five thousand dollars.
- Little Sisters of the Poor. For the Little Sisters of the Poor, of Washington City, to liquidate a debt on the building and to complete said building, twenty-five thousand dollars.
- Moneys appropriated for charitable purposes to be paid only on checks drawn on Treasury to order of persons to whom due. That all moneys hereafter appropriated for the aid, use, support, or benefit of any charitable, industrial, or other association, institution, or corporation, shall be placed to the credit of the proper fiscal officer of such association, institution, or corporation, by warrant of the Secretary of the Treasury, on the books of the Treasurer of the United States, or of an assistant treasurer or designated depository of the United States other than a national bank, and shall be paid out only on the checks of such fiscal officer, drawn payable to the order of the person to whom payment is to be made, for services, materials or any other purpose, and stating in writing thereon the specific object or purpose to which the avails thereof are to be applied: *Provided,* That when payments are to be made under twenty dollars, such fiscal officer may check in his own name, but shall state in writing on the check that the avails thereof are to be applied to the payment of small claims, and shall furnish, to the Treasurer, assistant treasurer, or designated depository on whom the check is drawn, a certified list of such claims, which list shall set forth the amount and nature of each claim and the name of each claimant.
- Payments under twenty dollars. That when payments are to be made under twenty dollars, such fiscal officer may check in his own name, but shall state in writing on the check that the avails thereof are to be applied to the payment of small claims, and shall furnish, to the Treasurer, assistant treasurer, or designated depository on whom the check is drawn, a certified list of such claims, which list shall set forth the amount and nature of each claim and the name of each claimant.

SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTION.

- Collections of surveying and exploring expeditions. For preservation of the collections of the surveying and exploring expeditions of the Government, twenty thousand dollars; and for fitting up and completing the cases in the new halls required for the Government collections, ten thousand dollars; in all, thirty thousand dollars.

SURVEY OF THE COAST.

- Atlantic and Gulf coasts, &c. For continuing the survey of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts of the United States and Lake Champlain, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work and pay and rations of engineers for the steamers used in the Coast Survey, three hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars.

- For continuing the survey of the western coast of the United States, including compensation of civilians, and pay and rations of engineers of steamers engaged in the work, two hundred and thirty-one thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no part of this sum shall be expended in the prosecution of surveys beyond the northern line of Washington Territory after December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and seventy-four. Western coast.
Proviso.
- 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, and assisting in the State surveys, including compensation of civilians engaged in the work, fifty thousand dollars. Geodetic survey between Atlantic and Pacific coasts, &c.
- For repairs and maintenance of the complement of vessels used in the Coast Survey, forty-one thousand dollars. Repairs, &c., of Coast-Survey vessels.
- For building a steamer for the Coast Survey, for use on the Gulf coast, seventy-six thousand dollars. Steamer for Gulf coast.
- 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, nine thousand dollars. Publication of observations.

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT.

- For salaries of nine hundred and thirty-nine light-house keepers and light-beacon keepers, and their assistants, five hundred and sixty-five thousand eight hundred dollars. Keepers and assistants.
- For repairs and incidental expenses in refitting and improving light-houses and buildings connected therewith, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the Secretary of the Treasury shall have power to order the sale at auction, after due public notice, of any real estate or other property pertaining to the Light-House Establishment, no longer required for light-house purposes; the proceeds of such sales, after the payment therefrom of the expenses of making the same, to be deposited and covered into the Treasury as miscellaneous receipts, as now provided by law in like cases. Repairs and incidental expenses.
Real estate &c., not required, may be sold.
Proceeds to be covered into Treasury.
- For supplying the light-houses 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, transportation, delivery of oil, fuel, and other supplies for light-houses and fog-signals, and other incidental necessary expenses, three hundred and eighty thousand dollars. Supply of light-houses, &c.
- For expenses of visiting and inspecting lights and other aids to navigation, two thousand dollars. Visiting lights, &c.
- For seamen's wages, rations, repairs, salaries, supplies, and incidental expenses of twenty-two light-ships and seven relief light-vessels, two hundred and seventeen thousand seven hundred and thirty-two dollars and fifty cents. Light ships and vessels.
- For repairs and incidental expenses in renewing, refitting, and improving fog-signals and buildings connected therewith, fifty thousand dollars. Fog-signals.
- For expenses of raising, cleaning, painting, repairing, renewing, and supplying losses of buoys, spindles, and day-beacons, and for chains, sinkers, and similar necessaries, three hundred thousand dollars. Buoys, beacons, &c.

LIGHT-HOUSES, FOG-SIGNALS, AND BEACONS.

- For building a light-house and fog-signal at Avery's Rock, Machias Bay, Maine, (or vicinity,) fifteen thousand dollars. Avery's Rock.
- For a light-house and fog-signal at Egg Rock, Frenchman's Bay, Maine, (or vicinity,) fifteen thousand dollars. Egg Rock.
- For a keeper's dwelling at Monhegan light-station, Maine, five thousand dollars. Monhegan light-station.

- Indian Island. For re-establishing the light-house at Indian Island, at Rockport Harbor, Maine, nine thousand dollars.
- Portland break-water. For a light-house at Portland breakwater, Maine, six thousand dollars.
- Longpoint. For rebuilding dwelling and tower and erecting fog-signal at Longpoint, Provincetown, Massachusetts, thirteen thousand dollars.
- Vineyard Sound. For fog signals on light-ships at entrance to Vineyard Sound, Massachusetts, ten thousand dollars.
- Bullock's Point Shoal. For enlarging foundation of light-house and adding a dwelling for keepers at Bullock's Point Shoal, Providence River, Rhode Island, fifteen thousand dollars.
- Fuller's Rock and Sassafras Point. For protection of site and erection of keeper's dwelling at Fuller's Rock and Sassafras Point, Providence River, Rhode Island, five thousand dollars.
- Stonington Harbor. For general repairs at Stonington Harbor, Connecticut, one thousand five hundred dollars.
- Little Gull Island. For completing the landing-dock at Little Gull Island, New York, five thousand dollars.
- Saybrook. For general repairs at Saybrook, Connecticut, one thousand five hundred dollars.
- Southwest Ledge. For completing construction of light-house at Southwest Ledge, New Haven Harbor light-station, Connecticut, fifty thousand dollars.
- Stratford Point Shoals. For completing the light-house at Stratford Point Shoals, Long Island Sound, New York, fifty thousand dollars.
- Bridgeport Harbor. For additional protection of screw-pile light-house in Bridgeport Harbor, Connecticut, five thousand five hundred dollars.
- Lloyds' Harbor. For protection of the light-house site at Lloyds' Harbor, New York, two thousand dollars.
- Day-beacon on Stepping Stones. For building a day-beacon on the Stepping Stones, Long Island Sound, New York, six thousand dollars; and the light-house on or near the end of Hart Island, Long Island Sound, New York, authorized by the act of June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, may be placed anywhere in the near vicinity of Hart Island that the Light-House Board may decide on.
- Location of light-house on Hart Island. 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 354.
- Highlands of Neversink. For general repairs at the light-station, Highlands of Neversink, New Jersey, one thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That whenever it may become necessary, in the adjustment of boundary-lines or in the opening or changing of necessary roadways affecting lands belonging to the United States and used for the purposes of the light-house establishments at Staten Island, New York, and at the Highlands of Neversink, New Jersey, or any part thereof, the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to execute for such purposes touching the property above referred to, or any part thereof, the necessary conveyances and assurances, and to receive, in consideration thereof, such other conveyances or assurances of adjoining lands, or of lands in the immediate vicinity, or of other consideration, as may be agreed upon.
- Adjustment of boundary-lines. For general repairs at the light-station, Highlands of Neversink, New Jersey, one thousand five hundred dollars: *Provided*, That whenever it may become necessary, in the adjustment of boundary-lines or in the opening or changing of necessary roadways affecting lands belonging to the United States and used for the purposes of the light-house establishments at Staten Island, New York, and at the Highlands of Neversink, New Jersey, or any part thereof, the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized to execute for such purposes touching the property above referred to, or any part thereof, the necessary conveyances and assurances, and to receive, in consideration thereof, such other conveyances or assurances of adjoining lands, or of lands in the immediate vicinity, or of other consideration, as may be agreed upon.
- Light-ship near entrance of New York Harbor. For a light-ship to replace one recently stationed near the entrance of New York Harbor, to mark the site of the wreck of the steamship Scotland, forty thousand dollars.
- Juniper Island, Lake Champlain. For rebuilding fog-bell frame at Juniper Island, Lake Champlain, New York, one thousand dollars.
- Colchester Reef. For additional protection to site of light-house at Colchester Reef, Lake Champlain, New York, five thousand dollars.
- Fog-signal for light-ship in Long Island Sound. For providing a fog-signal for a light-ship in Long Island Sound, five thousand dollars.
- Block Island; re-appropriation of unexpended balance. Block Island light-station, Long Island Sound, Rhode Island: For constructing a sea-coast light-house on the southerly end of Block Island, entrance to Long Island, Rhode Island, the balance of appropriation made June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, remaining unexpended on the first day of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, not to exceed the sum of fifty-six thousand one hundred and forty-one dollars and ninety-three cents.
- 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 354.

- Race Rock light-station, Long Island Sound, Connecticut: For construction of a light-house on Race Rock, Long Island Sound, Connecticut, the balance of the appropriation approved June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, remaining unexpended on the first day of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, not to exceed the sum of forty thousand dollars. Race Rock.
Re-appropriation of unexpended balance. 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 354.
- For general repairs at the Delaware Breakwater light-station, Delaware Bay, six hundred dollars. Delaware Breakwater.
- For general repairs at the Brandywine Shoal light-station, Delaware Bay, one thousand dollars. Brandywine Shoals.
- For rebuilding the light-house at Mahon's River light-station, Delaware, fifteen thousand dollars. Mahon's River.
- For range-lights to guide past Bulkhead Shoal, Delaware River, in addition to the appropriation of fifty thousand dollars for a light-house at Bulkhead Shoal, (which is hereby rendered available for this purpose,) twenty-five thousand dollars. Range-lights, Bulkhead Shoal.
- For light-house at Ship John Shoal, Delaware Bay, twenty-five thousand dollars. Ship John Shoal.
- For light-house at Cross Ledge Shoal, Delaware Bay, twenty-five thousand dollars. Cross Ledge Shoal.
- For erection of keeper's dwelling at Missipillion Creek light-station, Delaware Bay, five thousand dollars. Keeper's dwelling at Missipillion Creek.
- For general repairs at the Assateague light-station, Virginia, three hundred dollars. Assateague.
- For rebuilding keeper's dwelling at Reedy Island light-station, Delaware Bay, twenty thousand dollars. Reedy Island.
- For boat-house and repairs at Cohansey light-station, New Jersey, four hundred dollars. Cohansey.
- For building a light-ship, to be stationed at Winterquarter Shoals, on the coast of Virginia, fifty thousand dollars. Winter quarter Shoal.
- For additional protection of the light-house at Love Point Shoal light-station, Chesapeake Bay, five thousand dollars. Love Point Shoal.
- For building a light-house at or near Solomon's Lump, in Kedges Strait, between Tangier Sound and Chesapeake Bay, fifteen thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the light-house at Fog Point be discontinued after the completion of the above. Solomon's Lump.
- For completing the range-lights for Craighill Channel, Chesapeake Bay, in addition to the balance of the appropriation approved June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, which may not be expended on the first of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, not to exceed the sum of five thousand three hundred and twenty-eight dollars and forty-nine cents, forty-five thousand dollars. Light-house at Fog Point to be discontinued.
Range-lights for Craighill Channel. 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 354.
- For completing the sea-coast light-house at Currituck Beach, Poyner's Hill, North Carolina, seventy thousand dollars. Re-appropriation.
- For re-establishing the Oak Island range-beacons at the Oak Island light-station, North Carolina, four thousand dollars. Currituck Beach.
Oak Island range-beacons.
- For completion of the rebuilding of the first-order sea-coast light on Morris Island, South Carolina, sixty thousand dollars. Morris Island.
- For completing the sea-coast light at Hunting Island, South Carolina, in addition to the balance of the appropriation approved June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, which may not be expended on the first of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, not to exceed the sum of two thousand nine hundred and forty-eight dollars and ninety cents, twenty thousand dollars. Hunting Island.
1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 354.
- For building jetties to protect site of light-house and erection of keeper's dwelling at Saint Augustine light-station, Florida, twenty thousand dollars. Re-appropriation.
Saint Augustine.
- For constructing an iron stair-tower and keeper's dwelling at Sand Key light-station, Florida, twenty thousand dollars. Sand Key.
- For building a light-house on the Fowey Rocks, Florida Reefs, Florida, one hundred thousand dollars. Fowey Rocks.

- Mathias Point, For light-house and day-beacon at, or in the vicinity of Mathias Point, or Port Tobacco Flats, in the discretion of the Light House Board, forty thousand dollars; and the appropriation made by the act of June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, for a light to mark the entrance of Shipping Point, Potomac River, Virginia, shall revert to the Treasury.
- Appropriation for Shipping Point to revert to Treasury. 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 354.
- Calcasieu. For purchase of land for site and erection of a light-house at Calcasieu, Louisiana, in lieu of an appropriation which has reverted to the Treasury, fourteen thousand dollars.
- Dog Island. For rebuilding the light-house destroyed in a hurricane on Dog Island, Saint George's Sound, Florida, twenty thousand dollars.
- Timbalier Island. For completion of the Gulf coast iron light-house, at Timbalier Island, coast of Louisiana, fifteen thousand dollars.
- Southwest Reef. For completion of improvements at Southwest Reef, Atochafalaya Bay light-station, Louisiana, five thousand dollars.
- Southwest Pass. For rebuilding a light-house and buoy-depot at Southwest Pass, Louisiana, fifteen thousand dollars.
- Fog-bells at stations in Gulf of Mexico. For erecting fog-bells at light-stations on the Gulf of Mexico, on the coasts of Florida, Alabama, Mississippi, Louisiana, and Texas, five thousand dollars.
- Survey, &c., of Mississippi, Ohio, and Missouri Rivers. For a survey of the Mississippi, Ohio, and Missouri Rivers, and to establish temporary lights and buoys thereon, fifty thousand dollars; to be available whenever new light-house districts shall be established on said rivers by law.
- Jurisdiction of Light-house Board extended. That the jurisdiction of the Light-House Board, created by the act entitled "An act making appropriations for light-houses, light-boats, buoys, and so forth, and providing for the erection and establishment of the same, and for other purposes" approved August thirty-first, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, is hereby extended over the Mississippi, Ohio, and Missouri Rivers, for the establishment of such beacon-lights, day-beacons, and buoys as may be necessary for the use of vessels navigating those streams; and for this purpose the said board is hereby required to divide the designated rivers into one or two additional light-house districts, to be in all respects similar to the already existing light-house districts; and is hereby authorized to lease the necessary ground for all such lights and beacons as are used to point out changeable channels, and which in consequence cannot be made permanent.
- 1852, ch. 112, § 8, voi. x, p. 118.
- Additional light-house districts.
- Presque Isle. For establishing at Presque Isle, beacon-ranges light-station, Pennsylvania, a depot for seasoned lumber, eight thousand dollars.
- Conneaut. For erection of a new beacon at Conneaut light-station, Lake Erie, Ohio, four thousand dollars.
- Grand River, Fairport. For rebuilding beacon at the Grand River light-station, Fairport, Ohio, four thousand dollars.
- Cleveland. For rebuilding beacon at the Cleveland light-station, Ohio, five thousand dollars.
- Sandusky Bay. For building two day-beacons in Sandusky Bay, Ohio, twelve thousand dollars.
- Maumee Bay. For building two day-beacons at Maumee Bay, Ohio, fourteen thousand dollars.
- Fort Gratiot. For building a keeper's dwelling at the Fort Gratiot light-station, Michigan ten thousand dollars.
- Pier-head, lights, &c., on northern and northwestern lakes. For erection of pier-head lights on the northern and northwestern lakes, thirty thousand dollars.
- For erection of fog-signals on the northern and northwestern lakes, twenty thousand dollars.
- Saint Clair Flats. For rebuilding the crib and tower at the Saint Clair Flats light-station, Michigan, ten thousand dollars.
- White River. For building a new tower and keeper's dwelling at White River light-station, Michigan, fifteen thousand dollars.
- Tue's Marshes. For building a light-house at Tue's Marshes, near the mouth of York River, Virginia, fifteen thousand dollars.

- For the construction of a light-house at the mouth of Thunder Bay River; in the State of Michigan, twenty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That all tolls on vessels entering or leaving the river shall be abolished after the light-house is completed. Thunder Bay River. Tolls to be abolished.
- For repairing and rebuilding light-house at Rock Harbor, Michigan, five thousand dollars. Rock Harbor.
- For the erection of day-beacons on Columbia River, Oregon, three thousand dollars. Columbia River.
- For building a keeper's dwelling and other necessary buildings at Cape Flattery light-station, Washington Territory, eighteen thousand dollars. Cape Flattery.
- For the construction of a cistern and for repairs at Smith's Island light-station, Washington Territory, one thousand five hundred dollars. Smith's Island.
- For general repairs at Admiralty Head light-station, Washington Territory, three thousand five hundred dollars. Admiralty Head.
- For a light-house and fog-signal on Yerba Buena Island, in the bay of San Francisco, California, ten thousand dollars. Yerba Buena Island and.
- For a first-class light-house and fog-signal at Piedras Blancas, California, the unexpended balance of the appropriation in the act approved June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, is hereby continued and made available; and the balance of the appropriation made by the act of June tenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, for the construction of a light-house and fog-signal at Point Fermin light-station, remaining unexpended, is hereby re-appropriated. Re-appropriation for Piedras Blancas. 1872, ch. 415, vol. xvii, p. 355. Re-appropriation for Point Fermin.
- To enable the Light-House Board to continue its experiments in relation to fog-bells, or other signals, for the protection of the commercial marine, five thousand dollars. Experiments in fog signals.
- For building a relief light-ship for general service, in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated, fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Relief light-ship.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

ARMORIES AND ARSENALS.

- For Rock Island Arsenal, Rock Island, Illinois: To continue work on the wood-working and gun-carriage shop for the arsenal, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Rock Island.
- For a new rolling-mill and forging-shop for the armory, ninety-five thousand dollars. Rolling-mill, &c.
- For roofs, floors, doors, and windows, and other work for completing the finishing-shop, eighty thousand and five hundred dollars. Completing finishing-shop.
- For repairs and completion of a stone reservoir, as follows: For a water-tight interior wall, floor, and roof, five thousand and one hundred dollars; for water-pipe, and laying the same, five thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars; for Rock Island water-power, five thousand and four hundred dollars. Stone reservoir.
- For Rock Island bridge: For alterations and repairs and additional machinery (for draw of the bridge) and for care and preservation, twenty-three thousand and four hundred dollars; one-half of which sum shall be re-imbursed to the Government by the Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad Company. Water-power.
- For sewers, building new roads, care and preservation of water-power, painting and care and preservation of permanent buildings and bridges, building fences, and grading grounds, and repairs and extension of the railroad, twenty thousand dollars. Rock Island bridge.
- For new machinery and shop-fixtures for shops, fifteen thousand dollars. One-half to be re-imbursed by C. R. I. & P. R. R. Co.
- For Springfield armory, Springfield, Massachusetts: For repairs and preservation of grounds, buildings, and machinery, twenty thousand dollars. Sewers, roads, &c.
- For Benecia arsenal, California: For blacksmith-shop, thirty-five thousand dollars; for transferring machinery from the present shop-building to the new shop-buildings, two thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars. Machinery and shop-fixtures. Springfield armory.
- Benecia arsenal.

- Repairing roads, &c. For repairing roads, buildings, sewers, drains, and grading grounds, ten thousand dollars.
- Artesian well. For continuing the boring of an artesian well, or, if artesian water is procured, for putting down permanent iron pipes and turbine-wheel, to be run by flow of water, to pump up water to the reservoir, five thousand and forty-seven dollars.
- Machinery. For machinery for shops, for fences, and other similar necessaries, four thousand eight hundred and eighty-five dollars.
- Repairs of arsenals. For repairs of arsenals; For repairs of smaller arsenals, and to meet such unforeseen expenditures at arsenals as accidents or other contingencies during the year may render necessary, fifty thousand dollars.
- Military bridge across North Platte River. To enable the Secretary of War to provide for constructing a military bridge across the North Platte River, at or near Fort Laramie, Wyoming Territory, fifteen thousand dollars.
- Purchase of building in Washington. To enable the Secretary of War to purchase for the United States, of the owners thereof, the lot, and buildings thereon, immediately west of Winder's building, on F street, Washington City, and the house and lot in the rear of and immediately adjoining the Army Medical Museum, on Tenth street, Washington City, thirty-eight thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the purpose: *Provided*, That the cost of said lot adjoining Winder's building shall not exceed thirty-five thousand dollars, and the cost of said property adjoining the Army Medical Museum shall not exceed three thousand five hundred dollars, and that payment shall not be made for either lot until the title thereto is perfect and the property free of incumbrance.
- Proviso. *It is hereby declared that the northern part of Woodlawn Cemetery, in the city of Elmira, in the State of New York, occupied by soldiers' graves, shall be deemed a national cemetery so far only that the headstones of said soldiers' graves shall be renewed and maintained, and the graves cared for, under the provisions of law applicable to national cemeteries.*
- Part of Woodlawn Cemetery to be deemed a national cemetery only, &c. *That section second of an act entitled "An act making appropriations for the support of the Army for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and for other purposes," passed at the present session, shall be construed to direct the Third Auditor of the Treasury to certify to the Secretary of the Treasury the sum necessary in the settlement of accounts for steamboats and other vessels, pending in his office, under the joint resolution approved December twenty-third, eighteen hundred and sixty-nine, and March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-one, and said sum so certified shall be excepted from the operation of the said second section: But nothing herein contained shall be construed to effect the present jurisdiction of the Second Comptroller of the Treasury in this class of cases: *Provided*, That the Secretary of War is authorized to employ not exceeding thirteen enlisted men for one year in the Ordnance Bureau.*
- Ante*, ch. 285, p. 75. *To enable the Secretary of War to begin the publication of the official records of the war of the rebellion, both of the Union and of the Confederate armies, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars. And the Secretary of War is hereby directed to have copied for the Public Printer all reports, letters, telegrams, and general orders not heretofore copied or printed, and properly arranged in chronological order.*
- Third Auditor to certify sums necessary to settle accounts for steamboats, &c. *For continuing experiments with breech-loading cannon, under the direction of the Secretary of War, the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.*
- Res. No. 5, 1869, vol. xvii, p. 368. *For the purpose of testing Mr. Lee's breech-loading gun, under the direction of the Secretary of War, the sum of ten thousand dollars is hereby appropriated.*
- 1871, vol. xvii, p. 705. *To enable the Secretary of War to alter certain stone buildings and make the proper walls and constructions around the same, to fit them for a military prison, at Fort Leavenworth, Kansas, the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.*
- Jurisdiction of Second Comptroller not effected.
- Enlisted men in Ordnance Bureau.
- Official record of the war of the rebellion.
- Reports, &c., to be copied for Public Printer.
- Experiments with breech-loading cannon.
- Lee's breech-loading gun.
- Military prison at Fort Leavenworth.

SIGNAL-OFFICE.

Signal-office.

Observation and report of storms: For expenses of the observation and report of storms by telegraph and signals, for the benefit of commerce and agriculture throughout the United States; for manufacture, purchase, or repair of meteorological and other necessary instruments; for telegraphing reports; for expenses of storm-signals, announcing probable approach and force of storms; for continuing the establishment and connection of stations at life-saving stations and light-houses; for instrument-shelters; for hire, furniture, and expenses of offices maintained for public use in cities or ports receiving reports; for river-reports; for maps and bulletins to be displayed in chambers of commerce and boards-of-trade rooms and for distribution; for books and stationery; and for incidental expenses not otherwise provided for, three hundred and fifty-five thousand three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

To enable the Secretary of War to extend the line of military telegraph from Prescott to Camp Verde and Camp Apache in Arizona, four thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay the expenses of operating and keeping in repair the telegraph-lines constructed and operated by the War Department in said Territory out of any moneys received for despatches sent over said lines; any balance remaining after the payment of such expenses to be covered into the Treasury as a miscellaneous receipt; the moneys received in any one fiscal year to be used only in payment for the expenses of that year. And a full report of the receipts and expenditures in connection with the said telegraph-lines shall be made quarterly to the Secretary of War through the Chief Signal-Officer. And the Chief Signal Officer shall have the charge and control of said lines of telegraph in the construction, repair, and operation of the same.

For this amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the erection of winter quarters for troops stationed near the Red Cloud and Whetstone Indian agencies thirty thousand dollars.

NORTHERN AND NORTHWESTERN LAKES.

For continuation of the survey of northern and northwestern lakes, one hundred and seventy-five thousand dollars; and the unexpended balances of appropriations for "surveys for military defenses" existing June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, be, and the same are hereby, continued and rendered available for the service of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

MISCELLANEOUS OBJECTS.

Support of Freedmen's Hospital and Asylum at Washington, District of Columbia: Pay of medical officers and attendants; medicines, medical supplies, and rations; clothing; rent of hospital-buildings; fuel and lights; repairs and transportation, fifty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That after June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, the Freedmen's Hospital in the District of Columbia shall, until otherwise ordered by Congress, be continued under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, who shall make all estimates and pass all accounts, and shall be accountable to the Treasury of the United States for all expenditures; and all property, including hospital and quartermaster's stores, belonging to said hospital, and now in charge of the War Department, be also transferred to the Interior Department.

For one clerk of the first-class, to keep the accounts of the Congressional Record, as required by joint resolution of Congress.

For the National Association for the Relief of the Colored Women and Children of the District of Columbia, ten thousand dollars.

Observation and report of storms.

Extension of military telegraph in Arizona.

Expenses to be paid from receipts.

Quarterly reports of receipts and expenses to Secretary of War.

Control of lines.

Quarters for troops near Red Cloud and Whetstone agencies.

Survey of northern and northwestern lakes.

Unexpended balances available.

1872, ch. 417, vol. xvii, p. 377.

Miscellaneous.

Freedmen's Hospital and Asylum at Washington.

To be under direction of Secretary of Interior.

Estimates and accounts.

Transfer of property.

Accounts of Congressional Record.

Nat. al Association for the Relief of Colored Women, &c.

- Presents to Red Cloud, &c., Indian agencies. For this amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for presents to the Sioux of the Red Cloud and Whetstone or Spotted Tail agencies, on condition that said Indians shall relinquish their right, under treaty-stipulations, to hunt in Nebraska, twenty five thousand dollars.
- Bounty, prize-money, &c., of colored soldiers and sailors. Collection and payment of bounty, prize-money, and other claims of colored soldiers and sailors: Salaries of agents and clerks; rent of office; fuel and lights, stationery, and so forth; office-furniture and repairs; mileage and transportation of officers and agents; telegraphing and postage, eighty-five thousand dollars.
- Medical and surgical history of the war, unexpended balance available. 1872, ch. 352, vol. xvii, p. 338. For completing the medical and surgical history of the war, the unexpended balance of the appropriation made in the act of June eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy-two, is hereby continued and rendered available. And the Surgeon-General is hereby authorized to continue on duty in his office the acting assistant surgeons now employed on said history during the next fiscal year.
- Illustrations for new edition. For continuing the publication of the medical and surgical history of the war, to be distributed as Congress may direct, sixty thousand dollars; to be used in the preparation of illustrations for a new edition of five thousand copies of entire work: *Provided*, That the necessary engraving and lithographing for those publications may be executed under the directions of the Secretary of War, without advertisement.
- Proviso. For completing the medical statistics of the Provost-Marshal-General's Bureau, the unexpended balance of the appropriation made by the act of July twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, is hereby continued and made available.
- Medical statistics Provost-Marshal-General's Bureau. Unexpended balance available. 1866, ch. 296, vol. xiv, p. 310. For engraving and printing the plates illustrating the report of the geographical and geological explorations and surveys west of the one hundredth meridian, to be published in quarto-form, the printing and binding to be done at the Government Printing-Office, twenty-five thousand thousand.
- Illustrating surveys west of 100th meridian. *Post*, 315.
- Dempsey and O'Toole for annulment of contract. That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and is hereby, authorized and directed to pay the late firm of Dempsey and O'Toole, as indemnity for loss sustained by them by annulment of a contract with the Post-Office Department for furnishing stamped envelopes and newspaper-wrappers, the sum of twenty-nine thousand four hundred and thirty-three dollars and eighty-nine cents: *Provided*, That previous to the payment of the sum before mentioned, the said Dempsey and O'Toole shall deliver up, to the satisfaction of the Postmaster-General, all dies and dandy-rolls by them used and provided for the manufacture of the envelopes aforesaid: *And provided further*, That the sum aforesaid shall be received in full satisfaction for all claims and demands of the said Dempsey and O'Toole for or by reason of the annulment of said contract.
- Proviso. 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, sixty-five thousand dollars.
- Amount to be in full. To indemnify the States for expenses incurred by them in enrolling, equipping, and transporting troops for the defense of the United States during the late insurrection, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- Military convicts in State penitentiaries. War indemnity to States. To provide for the payment under existing laws for horses and other property lost or destroyed in the military service of the United States, fifty thousand dollars.
- Horses and property lost and destroyed. Re survey of Au Sable River. For a resurvey of the Au Sable River, Michigan, and establishing dock-lines, not exceeding one thousand dollars, to be paid for from unexpended balance of appropriation heretofore made for the improvement of said river.

BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS IN AND AROUND WASHINGTON.

Improvement and care of public grounds: Repair, care, and improvement of public buildings, grounds, and works in the District of Columbia, under direction of the Chief of Engineers:

For grounds south of Executive Mansion, ten thousand dollars.	Grounds south of Executive Mansion.
For the Smithsonian Grounds, ten thousand dollars.	Smithsonian Grounds.
For Armory Square, inclosing on two sides with posts and chain, and for asphalt walks, five thousand dollars.	Armory Square.
For four reservations between Third and Sixth streets grading, excavating walks, graveling and asphalt for same, and inclosing, five thousand dollars.	Reservations between Third and Sixth streets.
For inclosing Lincoln Square and for purchase of trees and seats, five thousand dollars.	Lincoln Square.
For improving the portion of Franklin Square on K street lately added to those grounds, and for grading and completing edges of walks, and for granite coping for fountain-bowl, and planting trees, three thousand dollars.	Franklin Square.
For a pedestal for Ball's bronze statue of Lincoln, to be placed in Lincoln Square, three thousand dollars.	Statue of Lincoln.
For continuing improvement of Judiciary Square; purchase of seats, trees, and evergreens; and for fountain, ten thousand dollars; and the jail-building situated on said square shall be sold as soon as practicable, and the money obtained therefor shall be placed in the Treasury to the credit of the fund for the improvement of said square.	Judiciary Square.
For improving various reservations, twenty thousand dollars.	Jail building to be sold.
For repair of the various fountains in the public grounds, one thousand dollars.	Various reservations.
For ordinary repairs of propagating-house and extension of the same, three thousand dollars.	Fountains.
For ordinary care and protection of Lafayette Square, two thousand dollars.	Propagating-house.
For annual repair of fences, two thousand dollars.	Lafayette Square.
For manure and hire of horses and carts for hauling the same, eight thousand dollars.	Fences.
For painting iron fences, four thousand dollars.	Manure.
For purchase and repair of seats, one thousand dollars.	Painting iron fences.
For purchase and repair of tools, two thousand dollars.	Seats.
For trees, tree-boxes, lime, and whitewashing, five thousand dollars.	Tools.
For flowers, flower-pots, twine, wire, and glasses, one thousand dollars.	Trees and tree-boxes.
For removing snow and ice, one thousand dollars.	Flowers and flower-pots, &c.
For purchase of young trees and plants for nursery, two thousand dollars.	Snow and ice.
For tree-markers and marking trees, one hundred dollars; for making cages and boxes for sparrows, two hundred and fifty dollars; for abating nuisances, one thousand dollars; for constructing a fountain and for asphalt in the circle at the intersection of Vermont and Rhode Island avenues, five thousand dollars; for inclosing and improving the triangular reservation on Pennsylvania avenue and Twenty-first street, two thousand dollars.	Trees and plants.
For continuing the improvement of reservation numbered three, ten thousand,	Tree-markers.
For improving the grounds of the old canal, ten thousand dollars.	Sparrow cages.
Repairs and fuel for the Executive Mansion: For annual repairs of the Executive Mansion, ten thousand dollars; for care of; and refurnishing, the Executive Mansion, ten thousand dollars; for fuel for the Executive Mansion and green-houses, five thousand dollars; and for care of, and necessary repairs to, the green-house, the unexpended balance of appropriation heretofore made is hereby rendered available.	Nuisances.
For lighting the Capitol and Executive Mansion as follows: For gas, thirty-five thousand dollars; for pay of lamp-lighters, gas fitting, plumbing, lamps, lamp-posts, and for repairs of all sorts, fifteen thousand dollars; for fuel for watchmen's lodges and for the green-houses at the propagating gardens, one thousand dollars.	Fountain at Rhode Island and Vermont avenues.
For annual repairs at the navy yard and upper bridges, seven thousand dollars; for repairing and extending water-pipes, purchase of apparatus to clean them, and for cleaning the springs for supplying the	Triangular reservation.
	Reservation No. 3.
	Canal grounds.
	Executive Mansion.
	Lighting Capitol, &c.
	Bridges.
	Water-pipes.

Capitol, the Executive Mansion and War and Navy Departments, ten thousand dollars.

- Chain Bridge. For additional work and materials for completing superstructure of Chain Bridge, including railing, lighting, and painting, four thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars.
- Washington aqueduct. Washington aqueduct: For engineering, maintenance, and general repairs, fifteen thousand dollars; for building a wooden fence around Government land at the Great Falls, one thousand five hundred dollars; for building dwelling and office at Great Falls, three thousand dollars; for paving the roadway over Griffith Park bridge and over Cabin John bridge with asphalt pavement, five thousand eight hundred dollars; for furnishing and setting four magneto-dial instruments in connection with the telegraph-line from Great Falls to Georgetown, one thousand one hundred dollars.
- New jail. For continuing macadamizing of conduit-road, five thousand dollars. For widening embankments along the line of the Washington Aqueduct, five thousand dollars.
- Plans for Congressional Library. To enable the Joint Committee on the Library of Congress to procure plans for the accommodation of the Library, two thousand dollars.

NAVY DEPARTMENT.

- Bounty to seamen. For bounty to seamen, to pay certificate issued to State of New Hampshire, seven hundred and thirty-nine dollars and fifty cents.

NAVY-YARDS AND STATIONS.

- League Island. For the navy-yard at League Island: For the continuation of work and removal of property from the Philadelphia navy-yard, three hundred thousand dollars.
- New London. For the naval station at New London: For labor, materials, and erections, fifty thousand dollars.
- Pensacola. For the navy-yard at Pensacola, Florida: For commencing the rebuilding of the repairing-dock, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- Norfolk. For the navy-yard at Norfolk, Virginia: For iron-plating shops, fifty thousand dollars.
- Removal of powder-magazine. For the removal of powder-magazine from Norfolk, Virginia, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Navy, and to provide for the construction of a magazine at a more suitable place near Norfolk, forty thousand dollars.
- Mare Island. For the navy-yard at Mare Island, California: For continuation of begun work, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- Repairs, &c., of navy-yards. For repairs at the different navy-yards and preservation of the same, five hundred thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to make, out of any money at his disposal available for that purpose, sufficient and appropriate compensation and acknowledgment to the owners, officers, and sailors of the British whaling and sealing steamers which contributed to the rescue of the survivors of the *Polaris*, for such rescue, and any loss sustained by reason thereof, and for their humane and hospitable reception, entertainment, and transportation until they were all finally and safely landed in Newfoundland and Scotland: *Provided further*, That the Secretary of the Navy be authorized to use, during the ensuing fiscal year, the balance of appropriation heretofore made to the Navy Department for the construction of a floating iron dock, remaining unexpended, for the purpose of completing the repairs on such double-turreted monitors as the Secretary of the Navy may deem necessary for the public service.
- Compensation, &c., to British seamen for rescuing survivors of the *Polaris*.
- Unexpended appropriation available for the repair of monitors.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE.

Improvement of grounds, Department of Agriculture : For labor eight thousand dollars ; for repairing concrete roads and walks, five hundred dollars ; for tools, wagons, lawn-mowers, carts, and general repairs of the same, six hundred dollars ; for improving new grounds gained by filling canal, draining, surfacing, sodding, and for two cart-horses, seven thousand dollars ; in all, sixteen thousand one hundred dollars.	Department of Agriculture. Improvement of grounds.
For the museum, to be expended under the direction of Professor Glover, fifteen hundred dollars.	Museum.
For the purchase of DUBY's cryptogamic herbarium, as much as may be necessary, not exceeding one thousand dollars.	Herbarium
For publishing the report of the Commissioner of Agriculture for the years eighteen hundred and seventy-two and eighteen hundred and seventy-three, fifty thousand dollars.	Publication of reports of 1872 and 1873.

PUBLIC BUILDINGS UNDER THE SUPERVISING ARCHITECT OF THE TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Post-office and subtreasury, Boston, Massachusetts : For completion of building, three hundred and fifty-two thousand and twenty-seven dollars.	Boston.
Custom-house, Boston, Massachusetts : For completing alterations and improvements, twenty-five thousand dollars.	
Custom-house, Charleston, South Carolina : For completion of building, approaches, grading, fencing, and paving, one hundred thousand dollars.	Charleston.
Custom-house and subtreasury, Chicago, Illinois : For continuation of building, seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars.	Chicago.
Custom-house and post-office, Cincinnati, Ohio : For continuation of building, six hundred thousand dollars. And the entire cost of said building, exclusive of cost of site, shall not exceed three million five hundred thousand dollars.	Cincinnati. Limit of cost.
Court-house and post-office, Columbia, South Carolina : For completion of building, one hundred and fifty-six thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine dollars and seventy-five cents.	Columbia.
Custom-house, court-house, and post-office building at Evansville, Indiana : For work on building fifty thousand dollars : <i>Provided</i> , That the said building may be built of stone, and its cost exclusive of the cost of site, shall not exceed two hundred thousand dollars.	Evansville. Proviso.
Custom-house and post-office, Hartford, Connecticut : For continuation of building, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars. And the entire cost of said building shall not exceed four hundred thousand dollars.	Hartford. Limit of cost.
Custom-house, court-house, and post-office, Memphis, Tennessee : For work on building, fifty thousand dollars.	Memphis.
Custom-house at New Orleans, Louisiana ; For completion of building, one hundred and ninety-one thousand dollars ; for payment for adjusted accounts for granite work, forty-three thousand three hundred and twenty-seven dollars and eighty-five cents.	New Orleans.
Post-office and court-house at New York, New York : For completing building, seven hundred and ninety-four thousand two hundred and seven dollars and eighty-two cents ; for paving, grading, fencing, and sewerage, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars ; for heating and ventilation, hoisting-apparatus, and machinery, two hundred thousand dollars ; for furniture including fittings, fixtures, counters, and carpets, two hundred thousand dollars ; making, in all, the sum of one million three hundred and forty-four thousand two hundred and seven dollars and eighty-two cents : <i>Provided</i> , That alterations in the interior of the building shall be made in order to provide an additional court-room at an expense of not more than the sum of forty thousand dollars, which amount is hereby appropriated.	New York. Proviso.

- Omaha. Court-house and post-office at Omaha, Nebraska: For completion of building, forty-five thousand five hundred dollars; and for furniture, twenty thousand dollars.
- Portland, Oregon. Custom-house at Portland, Oregon: For grading, fences, and approaches, twenty thousand dollars; for furniture, twenty thousand dollars.
- Philadelphia. Court-house and post-office at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: For continuation of the construction of the building, seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars. And the entire cost of said building, exclusive of cost of site, shall not exceed four million dollars.
- Limit of cost.
- Saint Louis. Custom-house and post-office at Saint Louis, Missouri: For continuation of building, seven hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- Treasury. Treasury building at Washington, District of Columbia: For annual repairs, twenty thousand dollars; for remodeling of heating-apparatus in south and east wings, thirty-eight thousand three hundred and thirty-one dollars and eighty cents.
- San Francisco. Branch-mint building at San Francisco, California: For approaches, paving, grading, fencing, and grounds, one hundred and eight thousand and sixty-two dollars; for heating and ventilating, twenty-five thousand six hundred and forty-seven dollars and eighty-two cents; for furniture, counters, cases, glass-fixtures, carpets, and mats, forty-nine thousand six hundred and thirty-three dollars; in all, one hundred and eighty-three thousand three hundred and forty-two dollars and eighty-two cents.
- For machinery and fitting up of the new mint building at San Francisco, eighteen thousand dollars, to be available immediately; and for fitting up a refinery in said mint, thirty-four thousand five hundred dollars.
- For this amount, or so much thereof, as may be necessary, for repairing and fitting up the old branch-mint building at San Francisco for subtreasury and other Government offices, thirty thousand dollars.
- Atlanta. That the act entitled "An act for the erection of a public building for the use of the United States in Atlanta, Georgia" approved February twelfth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, be, and the same is hereby, amended so that the sum of money authorized to be expended in the construction of said building is hereby fixed at the sum of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- 1873, ch. 132, vol. xvii, p. 436.
- Port Huron. Custom-house and post-office, Port Huron, Michigan: For continuing the building, seventy-five thousand dollars.
- Milwaukee. Custom-house, Milwaukee, Wisconsin: For repairs and alterations of building, coal-vaults, and paving approaches, thirty-eight thousand four hundred and fifty-three dollars and seventeen cents.
- New Haven. Custom-house, New Haven, Connecticut: For repairs and alterations of building, twenty thousand dollars.
- Burlington. Custom-house, Burlington, Vermont; For grading, curbing, paving, and approaches, five thousand nine hundred and thirty-three dollars and sixty cents.
- Knoxville. Custom-house, Knoxville, Tennessee; For furniture, counters, cases, gas-fixtures, carpets, and mats, twenty thousand dollars.
- Grand Rapids. To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay the amount awarded by the jury in the case of the condemnation of the lot selected by the Treasury Department for a building for a custom-house, bonded-warehouse, court-house, and post-office at Grand Rapids, Michigan, and the attendant legal expenses, seventy thousand dollars.
- Albany. Custom-house and post-office, Albany, New York: For payment of the balance due on the purchase (in part) of a site for a building for purposes of the General Government at Albany, New York, five thousand dollars.
- Raleigh. That the limitation on the cost of the court-house and post-office building at Raleigh, North Carolina, contained in the act of March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, is hereby increased to three hundred and fifty thousand dollars, which shall be the entire cost of said building.
- 1873, ch. 227, vol. xvii, p. 524.

That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars for the erection of a public building for the use of the United States at Covington, Kentucky, appropriated by an act approved February seventeenth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, be, and the same is hereby continued; and the sum of money authorized to be expended in the construction of said building is hereby fixed at two hundred and fifty thousand dollars; and all restrictions as to the materials in said act are hereby repealed; no sum of money in excess of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars shall be expended in the construction of said building; and all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof are hereby repealed.

Covington.
1873, ch. 150, vol.
xvii, p. 465.

That the act entitled "An act for the erection of a public building for the use of the United States at Nashville, Tennessee," approved January twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, be, and the same is hereby, amended so that the sum of money authorized to be expended in the erection of said building is hereby fixed at three hundred and seventy-seven thousand dollars; and all restrictions as to materials in said act are hereby repealed; and no sum of money in excess of the amount fixed by this act shall be expended in the construction of said building; and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions hereof are hereby repealed.

Nashville.
1873, ch. 65, vol.
xvii, p. 419.

For the repair and preservation of all the public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, two hundred thousand dollars

General repairs,
&c.

For continuation of construction of the building for the State, War, and Navy Departments, seven hundred thousand dollars.

State, War, and
Navy Department
building.

For furniture for the new building to be occupied by the State Department, seventy-five thousand dollars; to be available immediately.

Furniture, carpets,
and repairs.

For furniture, and repairs of the same, and for carpets, for public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, of this amount, twenty thousand dollars shall be available immediately.

For fuel, light, and water, and miscellaneous items required by janitors and firemen in the proper care of the public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, two hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

Miscellaneous
items.

For heating-apparatus for public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, two hundred thousand dollars

Heating-apparatus,
&c.

For heating and lighting the south wing of the new building for the State, War, and Navy Departments, nine thousand five hundred dollars

For vaults, safes, and locks for public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, seventy-five thousand dollars.

Vaults, safes, and
locks.

For photographing, engraving, and printing plans of public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, five thousand dollars

Photographing,
&c.

For pay of custodians and janitors of public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

Janitors.

Mint of the United States at Carson: For wages of workmen and adjusters, twenty thousand dollars; for incidental and contingent expenses, twenty thousand dollars. And so much of the amounts hereby appropriated for the mint at Carson as may be necessary is made available for the expenditure during the current fiscal year.

Mint at Carson.

New York assay office: For incidental expenses of the New York assay-office, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Assay-office at
New York.

Loss in the redemption of old copper cents, being the difference between the nominal value of the old copper cents and the value of the same as metal, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Redemption of
copper coin.

That all balances in the Treasury remaining unexpended on the first day of July, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, of appropriations heretofore made for buildings and sites of buildings named in this act, and all balances of appropriations heretofore made, and sufficient for the completion of buildings under the Supervising Architect of the Treasury not named in this act, during the next fiscal year, be, and they are hereby, made available for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five.

Unexpended bal-
ances available.

Secretary of Treasury to inquire into liabilities of Choctaw Indians.

Vol. xi, p. 614.

Report to Congress.

Payment of census-takers of 1860. 1873, ch. 227, vol. xvii, p. 528.

To include marshals and assistants.

A amendment of section 6 consular and diplomatic appropriation act of June 11, 1874.

Ante, ch. 275, p. 70.

Relief of sufferers by overflow of Lower Mississippi, &c.

Ante, ch. 125, p. 34.

Post, Res. No. 9.

Report to Congress.

Expiration of authority September 1, 1874.

Unexpended balance available.

Tennessee River included.

SEC. 3. That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to inquire into the amounts of liabilities due from the Choctaw tribe of Indians to individuals, as referred to in articles twelve and thirteen of the treaty of June twenty-second, eighteen hundred and fifty-five, between the United States and the Choctaw and Chickasaw tribes of Indians, and to report the same to the next session of Congress, with a view of ascertaining what amounts, if any, should be deducted from the sum due from the United States to said Choctaw tribe, for the purpose of enabling the said tribe to pay its liabilities, and thereby to enable Congress to provide a fund to be held for educational and other purposes for said tribe, as provided for in article thirteen of the treaty aforesaid.

SEC. 4. That the clause in the act entitled "An act making appropriations for sundry civil expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, and for other purposes," approved March third, eighteen hundred and seventy-three, which provides that "the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, directed to pay to the census-takers of eighteen hundred and sixty, or their assigns, the sums set to their credit now in the Treasury of the United States, any provision of existing laws to the contrary notwithstanding," is hereby re-enacted and declared to include as entitled to payment and to be paid, both marshals and assistant marshals employed in taking said census

SEC. 5. That section six of the act entitled "An act making appropriations for the consular and diplomatic service of the Government for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, and for other purposes," approved June eleventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, be amended by striking out the following words, viz: "Contingent expenses of foreign intercourse proper, and of all missions abroad, such as"

SEC. 6. To enable the Secretary of War to carry out the provisions of the act approved April twenty-third, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, entitled "An act to provide for the relief of the persons suffering from the overflow of the Lower Mississippi River" and also of the joint resolution authorizing the President to issue Army rations and clothing to destitute people on the Tombigbee, Warrior, and Alabama Rivers, approved May twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, the sum of four hundred thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of purchasing supplies of food to be issued under his direction to any and all classes of destitute or helpless persons living on or near the Lower Mississippi, Tombigbee, Warrior, and Alabama Rivers, who have been rendered so by reason of the recent overflow; and that the Secretary of War make detailed reports to the Congress of the expenditure under this act, and of the act and joint resolution aforesaid: *Provided*, That the authority hereby conferred upon the Secretary of War shall expire on the first day of September, eighteen hundred and seventy-four; and none of the moneys hereby or formerly appropriated shall be expended except in cases where the Secretary of War shall be satisfied that there is an actual and pressing case of destitution, and that such destitution is directly caused by said overflow: *Provided further*, That any balances remaining unexpended from the appropriation provided for in the act of the twenty-third of April, eighteen hundred and seventy-four, aforesaid, may be used for the purposes expressed in either said act or said joint resolution: *And provided further*, That the Secretary of War may use any of the money hereby or formerly appropriated for the relief of the destitute people upon the Tennessee River when satisfied that their necessities arise from the recent overflow of said river.

Approved, June 23, 1874.