

Conveyance of lands to the United States.

General of the United States, of the following lands, water, and water-rights in Salt Lake county, Territory of Utah, to wit: Sections numbered twenty-five and thirty-five, township numbered one, range numbered one east, and section numbered nineteen, township numbered one, range numbered two east, with all the water and water rights thereon, excepting and reserving to the said company, its successors and assigns, all stone, brick-clay, and other building materials, and all minerals in and upon said lands, and the right to enter thereon and prospect for, develop, quarry, and remove such stone, brick-clay, and other building materials and all such minerals, with the right to locate and construct all necessary railroads, wagon-roads and trails to give the said company the benefit and enjoyment of the rights reserved to it, and its successors and assigns, by this act, and also, in addition thereto, the right of use of so much water as may be necessary for engine purposes; and the said reservations are hereby confirmed as against the United States: *Provided, however*, That the rights reserved shall not be construed in any way whatever to impair, either in quality or purity or in quantity, the water or water-supply in and upon or flowing through and from Red Butte Canon, except to the extent of the use for engine purposes as hereinbefore provided.

Reservations.

Provido.

Water supply.

Appropriation.

SEC. 3. That the Secretary of War is hereby authorized and directed, upon the perfection of the title to the lands in the second section described in the United States, as therein specified, to pay to the said Salt Lake Rock Company, its successors or assigns, in consideration therefor, the sum of twenty thousand dollars; and there is hereby appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, such sum of money for the payment of the same.

Charges for Government transportation, etc.

SEC. 4. That the Salt Lake and Fort Douglas Railway, specified in the first section of this act, its successors and assigns, in accepting the grant to them in such first section made, binds itself, its successors and assigns, to make no higher rate or charge for transportation for the Government than it makes for like service to individuals, and to furnish cars for the transportation of Government supplies and stores required at Fort Douglas, when required so to do, upon reasonable notice from the officer or officers desiring such transportation.

Reservation of specified lands as water-supply to Fort Douglas.

SEC. 5. That the following-described lands in said Salt Lake County, in the Territory of Utah, to wit: Section numbered twenty-four and the east half of section numbered twenty-six, township numbered one, range numbered one east, and the south half of section numbered eighteen, the west half of section numbered twenty, and the north half of section numbered thirty, in township numbered one, range numbered two east, are hereby reserved from sale or other disposition, for the use of the United States, to protect and preserve the water-supply of Fort Douglas, in said county; but there is hereby granted to the Salt Lake Rock Company, its successors and assign, the same rights and privileges, with the same limitations, in and upon the lands so reserved, as are reserved to such company in the lands specified in the second section of this act

Use to Salt Lake Rock Company.

Right to amend, etc., reserved.

SEC. 6. This act shall be at all times subject to amendment, alteration or repeal, as in the judgment of Congress the public good may require.

Approved, March 3, 1887.

Mar. 3, 1887.

CHAP. 342.—An act making appropriations for the diplomatic and consular service of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, and for other purposes.

Diplomatic and consular appropriation.

To be full compensation.

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 they are hereby, severally appropriated in full compensation for the diplomatic and consular service of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, namely:

SCHEDULE A.

Schedule A.

SALARIES OF MINISTERS.

Salaries.

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to France, Germany, Great Britain, and Russia, at seventeen thousand five hundred dollars each, seventy thousand dollars.

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary.

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Austria, Brazil, China, Italy, Japan, Spain, and Mexico, at twelve thousand dollars each, eighty-four thousand dollars.

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Chili and Peru, at ten thousand dollars each, twenty thousand dollars.

Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Guatemala, Costa Rica, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Salvador (to reside at such place in either of said states as the President may direct,) ten thousand dollars.

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to the United States of Colombia, the Argentine Republic, and Turkey, at seven thousand five hundred dollars each, twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

Ministers resident in Belgium, Hawaiian Islands, Netherlands, Sweden and Norway, and Venezuela, at seven thousand five hundred dollars each, thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Ministers resident.

Minister resident and consul-general to Roumania, Servia, and Greece, six thousand five hundred dollars.

Ministers-resident and consuls-general.

Ministers resident and consuls-general in Bolivia, Corea, Denmark, Hayti, Persia, Portugal, Siam, and Switzerland, at five thousand dollars each, forty thousand dollars (and the minister resident and consul-general in Hayti shall also be accredited as chargé d'affaires to San Domingo).

Minister resident and consul-general to Liberia, four thousand dollars. Agent and consul-general at Cairo, five thousand dollars.

Agent, etc., Cairo. Chargés d'affaires.

Chargé d'affaires to Paraguay and Uruguay, five thousand dollars.

Chargé d'affaires ad interim and diplomatic officers abroad, twenty thousand dollars.

SALARIES SECRETARIES OF LEGATIONS.

Secretaries of the legations in Berlin, China, Japan, London, Paris, and Saint Petersburg, at two thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars each, fifteen thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

Secretaries of legations.

Second secretaries of the legations at Berlin, London, and Paris at two thousand dollars each, six thousand dollars.

Second secretaries.

Second secretaries of the legations in Japan and China, who shall be American students of the language of the court and country to which they are appointed respectively, and shall be allowed and required, under the direction of the Secretary of State, to devote their time to the acquisition of such language, at one thousand eight hundred dollars each, three thousand six hundred dollars.

In China and Japan to be students of the language.

Secretary of legation and consul-general at Bogota, two thousand dollars.

Secretaries of legations and consuls-general.

Secretary of legation in Central American states and consul-general to Guatemala, two thousand dollars.

Secretaries of the legations in Austria, Brazil, Italy, Mexico, Spain, and Turkey, at one thousand eight hundred dollars each, ten thousand eight hundred dollars.

Secretaries.

Secretaries of the legations in Chili and Peru, at one thousand five hundred dollars each, three thousand dollars.

Secretary of legation and consul-general at Corea, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Secretary and consul-general, Corea.

SALARIES INTERPRETERS TO LEGATIONS.

Interpreter to the legation in Turkey, three thousand dollars; interpreter to the legation in China, three thousand dollars; interpreter to the legation in Japan, two thousand five hundred dollars; interpreter to the legation and consulate-general in Persia, one thousand dollars; interpreter to the legation and consulate-general in Corea, one thousand dollars; interpreter to the legation and consulate-general in Bangkok, Siam, five hundred dollars; eleven thousand dollars. But no person drawing the salary of interpreter as above provided shall be allowed any part of the salary appropriated for any secretary of legation or other officer.

Interpreters.

No additional salary to interpreter.

CLERK-HIRE AT LEGATIONS.

Clerk at the legation in Spain, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Clerk to legation, Spain.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES FOREIGN MISSIONS.

For the purpose of enabling the President to provide, at the public expense, all such stationery, blanks, record and other books, seals, presses, flags, and signs as he shall think necessary for the several legations in the transaction of their business, and also for rent, postage, telegrams, furniture, messenger servite, clerk-hire, compensation of cavasses, guards, dragomans, and porters, including compensation of interpreter, guards, and Arabic clerk at the consulate at Tangier, and the compensation of dispatch agents at London, New York, and San Francisco, and for traveling and miscellaneous expenses of legations, and for printing in the Department of State, one hundred and five thousand dollars.

Contingent expenses foreign missions.

Dispatch agents.

Printing.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES OF LEGATIONS.

Loss by exchange in remittances of money to and from legations, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Loss by exchange.

Hiring of steam-launch for use of the legation at Constantinople, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Steam launch, Constantinople.

Rent of buildings for legation and other purposes at Peking, or such other place in China, as shall be designated, three thousand one hundred dollars.

Rent.
China.

For rent of legation buildings in Tokio, Japan, for the year ending March fifteenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, three thousand four hundred dollars.

Tokio, Japan.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES FOREIGN INTERCOURSE.

Annual proportion of the expenses of Cape Spartel and Tangier light, on the coast of Morocco, including loss by exchange, three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Cape Spartel and Tangier light.

Actual expenses incurred in bringing home from foreign countries persons charged with crime, five thousand dollars.

Bringing home persons charged with crime.

To enable the Secretary of State to comply with the requirement of the fourth section of "An act regulating fees and the practice in extradition cases," approved August third, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, to be disbursed by the Secretary of State, five thousand dollars.

Extradition expenses.
Vol. 22, p. 216.

For expenses which may be incurred in the acknowledgment of the services of masters and crews of foreign vessels in rescuing American seamen or citizens from shipwreck, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Life-saving testimonials.

To meet the necessary expenses attendant upon the execution of the neutrality act, to be expended under the direction of the President, pursuant to the requirement of section two hundred and ninety-one of the Revised Statutes, fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expenses, neutrality act.

R. S., sec. 291, p. 49.

To enable the President to meet unforeseen emergencies arising in the diplomatic and consular service, and to extend the commercial and other interests of the United States, to be expended pursuant to the requirements of section two hundred and ninety-one of the Revised Statutes, fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Unforeseen emergencies.

R. S., sec. 291, p. 49.

For the payment, under the provisions of section seventeen hundred and forty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States, of the widows or heirs-at-law of diplomatic or consular officers of the United States dying in foreign countries in the discharge of their duties, five thousand dollars.

Allowance to heirs of diplomatic and consular officers dying abroad.

R. S., 1749, p. 311.

For defraying the expenses of transporting the remains of ministers and consuls of the United States to their former homes in this country for interment, where such ministers or consuls have died, or who may die, abroad, while in discharge of their official duties, ten thousand dollars.

Transporting remains of ministers and consuls.

Contribution to the maintenance of the International Bureau of Weights and Measures for the year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, in conformity with the terms of the convention of May twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid, under the direction of the Secretary of State, to said Bureau on its certificate of apportionment, two thousand two hundred and seventy dollars.

International Bureau of Weights and Measures.

Vol. 20, p. 714.

Haytian Arbitration Commission: For expenses of printing for joint commission which sat at Washington to arbitrate the claims of Antonio Pelletier and A. H. Lazare against the Government at Hayti, one thousand five hundred and seventy-seven dollars and forty-four cents; for compensation of the arbitrator, two thousand five hundred dollars; in all, four thousand and seventy-seven dollars and forty-four cents.

Expenses of arbitration of claims of Pelletier and Lazare against Hayti.

Venezuela and American Claims Commission: For compensation of one commissioner, at the rate of five thousand dollars per annum; one-half compensation of third commissioner, the said one-half at the rate of two thousand five hundred dollars per annum; one-half compensation of secretary of commission, said one-half at the rate of one thousand dollars per annum; one-half of incidental expenses, or so much thereof as may be necessary, three thousand five hundred dollars; in all, twelve thousand dollars.

Expenses Venezuela and American Claims Commission.

SCHEDULE B.

Schedule B.

SALARIES CONSULAR SERVICE.

Salaries.

Consuls-general at Havana, London, Paris and Rio de Janeiro, at six thousand dollars each, twenty-four thousand dollars.

Consuls-general.

Consuls-general at Calcutta and Shanghai, at five thousand dollars each, ten thousand dollars.

Consul-general at Melbourne, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Consuls-general at Berlin, Honolulu, Kanagawa, Montreal, and Panama, at four thousand dollars each, twenty thousand dollars.

Consul-general at Halifax, three thousand five hundred dollars.

Consuls-general at Constantinople, Ecuador, Frankfort, Rome, Saint Petersburg, and Vienna, at three thousand dollars each, eighteen thousand dollars.

Consul-general at Mexico, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For salaries of consuls, vice-consuls, and commercial agents, three hundred and seventy-seven thousand five hundred dollars, as follows, namely:

Consuls, vice-consuls, and commercial agents.

Consul at Liverpool, six thousand dollars.

Consul at Hong-Kong, five thousand dollars.

Class II, \$3,500
a year.

CLASS II.

At three thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

China :
Consuls at Amoy, Canton, Chin-Kiang, Foo-Chow, Hankow, and
Tein-Tsin.

Peru :
Consul at Callao.

Class III, \$3,000.

CLASS III.

At three thousand dollars per annum.

Belgium :
Consul at Antwerp.

Chili :
Consul at Valparaiso.

China :
Consul at Ningpo.

France :
Consul at Havre.

Great Britain and British dominions :
Consuls at Belfast, Bradford, Demerara, Glasgow, Manchester,
Ottawa, and Singapore.

Japan :
Consuls at Nagasaki, and Osaka and Hiogo.

Mexico :
Consul at Vera Cruz.

Spanish dominions :
Consul at Matanzas (Cuba).

United States of Colombia :
Consul at Colon (Aspinwall).

Class IV, \$2,500.

CLASS IV.

At two thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

Argentine Republic :
Consul at Buenos Ayres.

Belgium :
Consul at Brussels.

Danish dominions :
Consul at Saint Thomas.

France :
Consuls at Bordeaux, Lyons, and Marseilles.

Germany :
Consuls at Annaberg, Bremen, Brunswick, Dresden, Hamburg, and
Mayence.

Greece :
Consul at Athens.

Great Britain and British dominions :
Consuls at Birmingham, Dundee, Leith, Nottingham, Sheffield, Tun-
stall, and Victoria (British Columbia).

Spanish dominions :
Consuls at Cienfuegos and Santiago de Cuba.

Switzerland :
Consul at Saint Galle.

Turkish dominions :
Consul at Smyrna.

Class V, \$2,000.

CLASS V.

At two thousand dollars per annum.

Austria-Hungary :
Consuls at Trieste and Prague.

Class V—Continued.

- Barbary States :
- Consul at Tangier :
- Brazil :
- Consul at Pernambuco.
- Columbia :
- Consul at Barranquilla.
- Costa Rica :
- Consul at San Jose.
- France :
- Consuls at Rheims and Saint Etienne.
- Friendly and Navigator's Islands :
- Consul at Apia.
- Germany :
- Consuls at Barmen, Chemnitz, Cologne, Crefeld, Dusseldorf, Elberfeld, Leipsic, Nuremburg, and Sonneberg.
- Great Britain and British dominions :
- Consuls at Cardiff, Chatham, Cork, Dublin, Dunfermline, Hamilton (Canada), Kingston (Jamaica), Leeds, Nassau (New Providence), Port Louis (Mauritius), Port Stanley and Saint Thomas (Canada), Saint John (New Brunswick), Sherbrook (Canada), Sydney (New South Wales), and Toronto (Canada).
- Honduras :
- Consul at Tegucigalpa.
- Italy :
- Consul at Palermo.
- Madagascar :
- Consul at Tamatava.
- Mexico :
- Consuls at Acapulco and Matamoras.
- Netherlands :
- Consul at Rotterdam.
- Nicaragua :
- Consuls at Managua and San Juan del Norte.
- Russia :
- Consul at Odessa.
- Salvador :
- Consul at San Salvador.
- Spain and Spanish dominions :
- Consuls at Manila (Philippine Islands), San Juan (Porto Rico), and Sagua la Grande (Cuba).
- Switzerland :
- Consuls at Basle, Horgen, and Zurich.
- Turkish dominions :
- Consuls at Beirut, and Jerusalem.
- Uruguay :
- Consul at Montevideo.
- Venezuela :
- Consul at Maricaibo.

CLASS VI.

Class VI, \$1,500.

At one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

- Brazil :
- Consuls at Bahia, Para, and Santos.
- Belgium :
- Consul at Liege and Verviers.
- Denmark :
- Consul at Copenhagen.
- France and French dominions :
- Consuls at Cognac, Guadeloupe, Martinique, and Nice.
- Germany :
- Consuls at Aix-la-Chapelle, Breslau, Kehl, Mannheim, Munich, and Stuttgart.

Class VI—Continued.

Great Britain and British dominions:

Consuls at Amherstburg (Canada), Antigua (West Indies), Auckland (New Zealand), Barbadoes, Bermuda, Bristol, Brockville, Cape Town, Ceylon (India), Charlottetown (Prince Edward Island), Clifton (Canada), Fort Erie (Canada), Goderich (Canada), Gibraltar, Guelph (Canada), Kingston (Canada), London (Canada), Malta, Newcastle-on-Tyne, Quebec, Picton (Canada), Port Hope (Canada) Port Sarnia (Canada), Port Stanley (Falkland Islands), Prescott (Canada), Southampton, Saint Helena, Saint John's (Canada), Saint Stephen (Canada), Stratford (Canada), Three Rivers (Canada), Windsor (Canada), and Winnepeg (Manitoba).

Italy:

Consuls at Florence, Genoa, Leghorn, Messina, Milan, and Naples.

Mexico:

Consuls at Paso del Norte and Tampico.

Netherlands:

Consul at Amsterdam.

Paraguay:

Consul at Asuncion.

Portuguese dominions:

Consuls at Fayal (Azores) and Funchal (Madeira).

San Domingo:

Consul at San Domingo.

Spain:

Consuls at Barcelona, Cadiz, and Malaga.

Switzerland:

Consul at Geneva.

Turkey:

Consul at Sivas.

Venezuela:

Consuls at Lagnayra and Puerto Cabello.

Schedule C.

SCHEDULE C.

Class VII, \$1,000 a year.

CLASS VII.

At one thousand dollars per annum.

Africa:

Consul at Mozambique (Eastern Coast).

Belgium:

Consul at Ghent.

Brazil:

Consul at Rio Grande do Sul.

Chili:

Consul at Telcahuano.

France and French dominions:

Consuls at Algiers and Nantes.

Germany:

Consul at Stettin.

Great Britain and British dominions:

Consuls at Bombay (India), Gaspe Basin (Canada), Sierra Leone (West Africa), Turk's Island, and Windsor (Nova Scotia).

Hayti:

Consul at Cape Haytien.

Honduras:

Consul at Ruatan and Truxillo (to reside at Utiña).

Italy:

Consul at Venice.

Mexico:

Consuls at Guaymas, Nuevo Laredo, and Piedras Negras.

Muscat.
 Consul at Zanzibar.
 Netherlands:
 Consul at Batavia.
 Portuguese dominions:
 Consul at Santiago (Cape Verde Islands).
 Society Islands:
 Consul at Tahati.
 Sweden and Norway:
 Consul at Christiania.

Class VII—Continued.

COMMERCIAL AGENCIES

SCHEDULE C.

Gaboon, Levuka, and Saint Paul de Loando.

And in the estimates for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, there shall be estimated for specifically, under classified consulates, all consulates and commercial agencies where the fees collected or compensation allowed for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-seven, exceed one thousand dollars.

Commercial agencies.

All consulates and commercial agencies to be estimated for specifically.

CONSULAR CLERKS.

Six consular clerks, at one thousand two hundred dollars per annum each, seven thousand two hundred dollars.

Consular clerks.

Seven consular clerks, at one thousand dollars per annum each, seven thousand dollars.

CONSULAR OFFICERS NOT CITIZENS.

For salaries of consular officers not citizens of the United States, six thousand dollars.

Consular officers not citizens.

ALLOWANCE FOR CLERKS AT CONSULATES.

For allowance for clerks at consulates, fifty thousand three hundred and twenty dollars, the sum to be allowed at each consulate not to exceed the rate herein specified, as follows.

Clerks at consulates.

Consul at Liverpool, two thousand dollars.

Consul-general at Havana, one thousand six hundred dollars.

Consul-general at Shanghai, one thousand two hundred dollars.

Consuls-general at London, Paris, and Rio de Janeiro, at one thousand six hundred dollars each, four thousand eight hundred dollars.

Consul-general at Berlin, Frankfort, Vienna, Montreal, and Kanagawa, and consuls at Hamburg, Bremen, Manchester, Lyons, Hong-Kong, Havre, Crefeld, and Chemnitz, at one thousand two hundred dollars each, fifteen thousand six hundred dollars.

Consuls at Bradford, Birmingham, and Marseilles, at nine hundred and sixty dollars each, two thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars.

Consuls-general at Calcutta, Port au Prince, and Melbourne, and consuls at Leipsic, Sheffield, Sonneberg, Dresden, Antwerp, Nuremburg, Tunstall, Bordeaux, Colon, Singapore, Glasgow, and Panama, at eight hundred dollars each, twelve thousand dollars.

Consuls at Belfast, Barmen, Leith, Dundee, and Victoria, and the consuls-general at Matamoros and Halifax, at six hundred and forty dollars each, four thousand four hundred and eighty dollars.

Consul-general at Mexico and Berne, and consuls at Malaga, Naples, Genoa, Stuttgart, Florence, Mannheim, Prague, Zurich, Beirut, and Demerara, at four hundred and eighty dollars each, five thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars.

Consulates not specified. For an additional allowance for clerks at consulates, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State at consulates not herein provided for in respect to clerk-hire, no greater portion of this sum than four hundred dollars to be allowed to any one consulate in any one fiscal year, twenty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the total sum expended in one year shall not exceed the amount appropriated: *And provided further*, That out of the amount hereby appropriated the Secretary of State may make such allowance as may to him seem proper to any interpreter for clerical services, in addition to his pay as interpreter.

Provisos.
Limit.

Allowance to interpreters for clerical services.

Interpreters, guards, and Marshals.

INTERPRETERS, GUARDS, AND MARSHALS TO CONSULATES.

Interpreters to be employed at consulates in China and Japan, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State, fifteen thousand dollars.

Interpreters and guards at the consulates at Beirut, Cairo, Constantinople, Jerusalem, and Smyrna, in the Turkish dominions, and at Zanzibar, five thousand dollars.

Marshals for the consular courts in Japan, China, and Turkey, nine thousand dollars.

Boat-hire.

BOAT-HIRE.

Boat for official use of United States consul at Osaka and Hiogo, and for pay of boat's crew, five hundred dollars.

Boat for official use of the United States consul at Hong-Kong, and for pay of boat's crew, five hundred dollars.

EXCHANGE.

Loss by exchange. Actual cost and expense of making exchange of money to and from the several consulates and consulates-general, four thousand dollars.

Consular prisons.

EXPENSES OF PRISONS FOR AMERICAN CONVICTS.

Bangkok, Siam. For the expense of a prison and prison-keeper at the consulate-general in Bangkok, Siam, one thousand dollars.

Shanghai, China. Actual expense of renting a prison at Shanghai for American convicts in China, seven hundred and fifty dollars, and for the wages of a keeper of such prison, eight hundred dollars, one thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

Kanagawa, Japan. Actual expense of renting a prison in Kanagawa for American convicts in Japan, seven hundred and fifty dollars, and for the wages of a keeper of such prison, eight hundred dollars, one thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

Keeping and feeding prisoners. *Provisos.* For the purpose of paying for the keeping and feeding of prisoners in China, Japan, Siam, and Turkey, nine thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no more than seventy-five cents per day for the keeping and feeding of each prisoner while actually confined shall be allowed or paid for any such keeping and feeding; this is not to be understood as covering cost of medical attendance and medicines when required by such prisoners: *And provided further*, That no allowance shall be made for the keeping and feeding of any prisoner who is able to pay, or does pay, the above sum of seventy-five cents per day; and the consular officer shall certify to the fact of inability in every case.

Maximum allowance. No allowance for self-supporting prisoners.

Rent, etc., prisons in Turkey.

Rent of prisons for American convicts in Turkey, and for wages of keepers of the same, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Relief of American seamen.

RELIEF AND PROTECTION OF AMERICAN SEAMEN.

Relief and protection of American seamen in foreign countries, or so much thereof as may be necessary, fifty thousand dollars.

FOREIGN HOSPITALS AT PANAMA.

Foreign hospitals, Panama.

Annual contributions towards the support of foreign hospitals at Panama, to be paid by the Secretary of State upon the assurance that suffering seamen and citizens of the United States will be admitted to the privileges of said hospitals, five hundred dollars.

PUBLICATION OF CONSULAR AND COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

Publication, etc., consular reports.

Preparation, printing, publication, and distribution, by the Department of State, of the consular and other commercial reports, including circular letters to chambers of commerce, twenty thousand dollars.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES UNITED STATES CONSULATES.

Contingent expenses, consulates.

Expenses of providing all such stationery, blanks, record and other books, seals, presses, flags, signs, rent, postage, furniture, statistics, newspapers, freight (foreign and domestic), telegrams, advertising, messenger service, traveling expenses of consular clerks, Chinese writers, and such other miscellaneous expenses as the President may think necessary for the several consulates and commercial agencies in the transaction of their business, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Approved, March 3, 1887.

CHAP. 343.—An act for the erection of a public building in the city of Binghamton, New York.

Mar. 3, 1887.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and hereby is, authorized and directed to purchase or otherwise provide a suitable site, and cause to be erected thereon, in the city of Binghamton, in the State of New York, a substantial and commodious public building, with fire-proof vaults, for the use and accommodation of the post-office, internal-revenue offices, and United States courts, and for other Government uses. The site, and the building thereon, when completed according to plans and specifications to be previously made and approved by the Secretary of the Treasury, shall not exceed the cost of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars; and the site purchased shall leave the building unexposed to danger from fire in adjacent buildings by an open space of at least fifty feet, including streets and alleys; and for the purposes herein mentioned the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars is hereby appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury: *Provided,* That no part of said sum shall be expended until a valid title to said site shall be vested in the United States, and the State of New York shall cede to the United States exclusive jurisdiction over the same, during the time the United States shall be or remain the owner thereof, for all purposes except the administration of the criminal laws of said State and the service of any civil process thereon.

Binghamton, N. Y. Public building. Site.

Plans, etc.

Cost.

Open space.

Appropriation.

Proviso. Title.

Approved, March 3, 1887.

CHAP. 344.—An act to authorize the printing of the eulogies delivered in Congress upon the late John A. Logan.

Mar. 3, 1887.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the eulogies delivered in Congress upon the late John A. Logan, a Senator from Illinois, and also the funeral services held in the Senate chamber upon the occasion of his burial, be printed, under the direction of the Joint Committee on

Eulogies on John A. Logan to be printed.