CHAP. 1222.—An act making an appropriation for the enforcement of the Chinese exclusion act.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That for the purpose of carrying into effect the provisions of the act approved October first, eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, entitled "An act a supplement to an act entitled 'An act to execute certain Treaty Stipulations Relating to Chinese,'” approved the sixth day of May, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and to defray the expenses which may be incurred in the enforcement of said act by the Secretary of the Treasury during the fiscal year eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, the sum of fifty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Approved, October 19, 1888.

CHAP. 1223.—An act to authorize the Postmaster-General to rent a suitable building in the city of Washington to be used as a Mail Bag Repair Shop, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Postmaster-General be and he is hereby authorized to rent for a term until July first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, a suitable building in the City of Washington for the purpose of being used as a Mail Bag Repair Shop and for the storage of the supplies used by the Post-Office Department in supplying post-offices, at a rental not exceeding the rate of three thousand dollars per annum.

And for the purpose of providing for the expenses incidental to the occupancy of such building and for the proper performance of the work therein, until July first, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, the following sums are hereby appropriated, payable out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated;

For rent three thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary; for two watchmen at the rate of seven hundred and twenty dollars per annum each; one laborer at the rate of six hundred and sixty dollars per annum; one charwoman at the rate of two hundred and forty dollars per annum; for gas two hundred and fifty dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary and for fuel five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, in all, six thousand and ninety dollars.

Approved, October 19, 1888.