any such assignment may be made to one party as agent or trustee for two or more parties participating in such financing;

“4. That in the event of any such assignment, the assignee thereof shall file written notice of the assignment together with a true copy of the instrument of assignment with—

(a) the General Accounting Office,

(b) the contracting officer or the head of his department or agency,

(c) the surety or sureties upon the bond or bonds, if any, in connection with such contract, and

(d) the disbursing officer, if any, designated in such contract to make payment.

Notwithstanding any law to the contrary governing the validity of assignments, any assignment pursuant to the Assignment of Claims Act of 1940 shall constitute a valid assignment for all purposes.”

Any contract entered into by the War Department or the Navy Department may provide that payments to an assignee of any claim arising under such contract shall not be subject to reduction or set-off, and if it is so provided in such contract, such payments shall not be subject to reduction or set-off for any indebtedness of the assignor to the United States arising independently of such contract.

Sec. 2. This Act may be cited as the “Assignment of Claims Act of 1940”.

Approved, October 9, 1940.

[CHAPTER 780]

AN ACT

Making supplemental appropriations for the support of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums are appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1941, and for other purposes, namely:

TITLE I—GENERAL APPROPRIATIONS

LEGISLATIVE

SENATE

For payment to Norma Ward Lundeen, widow of Ernest Lundeen, late a Senator from the State of Minnesota, $10,000.

So much as may be necessary of the appropriation “Clerical Assistance to Senators, 1941” is hereby made available to enable the Secretary of the Senate to pay two additional clerks at $1,500 per annum each, one for each Senator from the State of Wisconsin, from the date the Census Bureau officially announces the population of said State to exceed three million to June 30, 1941.

For an amount required to increase the compensation of the clerk of the Finance Committee of the Senate at the rate of $1,000 per annum so long as the position is held by the present incumbent, $750.

Beginning with the first day of the month next following the enactment of this Act, the compensation of the assistant superintendents of the Senate press gallery shall be at the respective rates of $3,000 and $1,920 per annum, and the Legislative Branch Appropriation Act for the fiscal year 1941 hereby is amended accordingly.

For miscellaneous items, exclusive of labor, fiscal year 1940, $40,000.
For repairs, improvements, equipment, and supplies for the Senate kitchens and restaurants, Capitol Building and Senate Office Building, including personal and other services, to be expended from the contingent fund of the Senate, under the supervision of the Committee on Rules, United States Senate, $15,000.

No part of any appropriation made for the contingent expenses of the Senate shall be used to defray the expenses of any person except the members of any congressional committee, the Sergeant at Arms of the Senate or a representative of his office, and except the widow or minor children or both of the deceased, to attend the funeral rites and burial of any person who at the time of his or her death was a Senator of the United States.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

For payment to the widow of William B. Bankhead, late a Representative from the State of Alabama, $10,000.

For payment to the widow of Willis Benjamin Gibbs, late a Representative from the State of Georgia, $10,000.

For payment, in equal increments to each, to the sons and the daughter of George N. Seger, late a Representative from the State of New Jersey, $10,000.

The three foregoing sums to be disbursed by the Sergeant at Arms of the House of Representatives.

Contested-election expenses: For payment to Estes Kefauver, contestant, for expenses incurred in the contested-election case of Neal versus Kefauver, as audited and recommended by the Committee on Elections Numbered 1, $360.07.

For payment to Albert F. Swanson, contestant, for expenses incurred in the contested-election case of Swanson versus Harrington, as audited and recommended by the Committee on Elections Numbered Three, $2,000.

The foregoing sums for contested-election expenses to be disbursed by the Clerk of the House of Representatives.

ARCHITECT OF THE CAPITOL

Senate Office Building: For painting the Senate Cabinet Shop, located in the Senate Office Building, under the Office of the Sergeant at Arms, $1,400.

LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Books for the adult blind: For an additional sum required to enable the Librarian of Congress to carry out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide books for the adult blind," approved March 3, 1931 (2 U. S. C. 135a), as amended, $25,000.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE

The Superintendent of Documents is hereby authorized to deliver to the Librarian of Congress, from the sales stock in the Government Printing Office, two hundred and fifty sets of The Writings of George Washington, as published by the Bicentennial Commission, for distribution through international exchange and for such other distribution for the use of foreign governments as may be deemed appropriate.

INDEPENDENT ESTABLISHMENTS

BENJAMIN HARRISON MEMORIAL COMMISSION

The appropriation of $2,500 for the Benjamin Harrison Memorial Commission, contained in the First Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1940, approved April 6, 1940 (Public Act Numbered 447, Seventy-sixth
Prevention of pernicious political activities: For all necessary expenditures of the Civil Service Commission in performing the duties imposed upon it by the Act of July 19, 1940 (Public Act Numbered 753, 76th Congress), including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere; contract stenographic reporting services; advertising; streetcar fares (not to exceed $100); purchase and exchange of books of reference and periodicals (not to exceed $500); traveling expenses; witness fees and mileage, including fees to deponents and persons taking deposition, at rates paid in the courts of the United States; and printing and binding, $100,000.

COUNCIL OF NATIONAL DEFENSE

The appropriation for the expenses of the Council of National Defense contained in the “First Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1941”, approved June 26, 1940, and allocations to the Council of National Defense, the Advisory Commission, and other subordinate bodies of the Council from the appropriations entitled “Emergency Fund For The President” contained in the Acts making appropriations for the Military Establishment and the Navy Department for the fiscal year 1941, approved June 13 and June 11, 1940, shall be available for the payment of actual transportation expenses and not to exceed $10 per diem in lieu of subsistence and other expenses of members of the Commission, subordinate bodies of the Council, persons serving at $1 per annum, and persons serving while away from their homes, without other compensation from the United States, in an advisory capacity to the Council, the Advisory Commission or other subordinate bodies of the Council, or in attendance at meetings concerned with the national defense.

FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

Salaries and expenses: For an additional amount for salaries and expenses, Federal Communications Commission, including the objects and subject to the limitations specified under this head in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1941, $125,000: Provided, That the limitation in such Act of $1,246,340 which may be expended under this head for personal services in the District of Columbia is hereby increased to $1,350,000.

Relocation of monitoring stations: For the relocation of radio monitoring stations at sites to be selected by the Federal Communications Commission in the States of Oregon, California, Michigan, Maryland, Georgia, and Massachusetts, including the purchase of land, provided suitable sites now owned by the Government cannot be made available, construction of suitable buildings or modification or reconstruction of existing buildings, the providing for necessary apparatus and equipment, erection of goniometric apparatus, the construction and installation of roadways, power, water and sanitary facilities, associated antenna systems, and other necessary expenses, $175,000.
The Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1941, is amended by striking out "$176,880,000" under the heading "Civilian Conservation Corps" and inserting in lieu thereof "$166,880,000": Provided, That upon the written recommendation of the Federal Security Administrator and with the approval of the President, the limitations upon the amount of expenditures under the several classes of objects of expenditure as fixed by the third proviso under such heading in such Act may be exceeded by more than the 10 per centum permitted therein.

Such Act is further amended by adding after the last sentence under such heading the following: "Notwithstanding the limitation herein on expenditures by the Office of the Director within the District of Columbia, the Director, Civilian Conservation Corps, in administering the funds herein appropriated is authorized, with the approval of the Federal Security Administrator, to fix the amount of and to transfer to the Office of the Director the funds necessary to carry out the functions transferred with the approval of the Federal Security Administrator from cooperating agencies to the Office of the Director."

Miscellaneous and contingent expenses: Not to exceed $10,000 of the amount appropriated for "Pay of Personnel and Maintenance of Hospitals, Public Health Service, 1941" in the Federal Security Agency Appropriation Act, 1941, may be transferred to the appropriation "Miscellaneous and Contingent Expenses, Public Health Service, 1941."

Pay, and so forth, commissioned officers, Public Health Service: For an additional amount for pay, allowance and commutation of quarters for not to exceed twenty additional regular active commissioned officers, $47,340.

Section 702 of the Labor-Federal Security Appropriation Act, 1941, approved June 26, 1940 (Public Act Numbered 665, Seventy-sixth Congress), is hereby amended by inserting after the word "Corps", in the second proviso thereof, the words: "or the Public Health Service".

Education and training of defense workers: For payment to States, subdivisions thereof, or other public authorities operating public educational facilities, and where hereinafter authorized to engineering schools and universities, through certification from time to time made by the United States Commissioner of Education (hereinafter referred to as the "Commissioner") to the Secretary of the Treasury of the name of such agency or the name of such engineering school or university and the officer thereof to whom payment is to be made, and the amount to be paid, such payment to be made prior to audit and settlement by the General Accounting Office, for the furtherance of the education and training of defense workers, as follows:

(1) For the cost of vocational courses of less than college grade, provided by such agencies in vocational schools pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall include courses supplementary to employment in occupations essential to the national defense and pre-employment refresher courses for workers preparing for such occupations selected from the public employment office registers, $26,000,000.
(2) For the purchase, rental, or other acquisition of new or used equipment when needed by agencies in providing courses pursuant to a plan approved under (1) of this heading when such acquisitions are in accord with detailed proposals submitted by such agencies and approved by the Commissioner, $8,000,000: Provided, That the proposals approved by the Commissioner shall include provisions governing the holding of title to and the use of the equipment to be acquired.

(3) For the cost of short engineering courses of college grade, provided by engineering schools or by universities of which the engineering school is a part, pursuant to plans submitted by them and approved by the Commissioner, which plans shall be for courses designed to meet the shortage of engineers with specialized training in fields essential to the national defense, $9,000,000: Provided, That only engineering schools which operate under charters which exempt their educational property from taxation shall be eligible to receive these funds: Provided further, That not to exceed 20 per centum of the amount allotted to any school shall be allotted to it for expenditure for purchase or rental of additional equipment and leasing of additional space found by the Commissioner necessary for carrying out its approved plan.

(4) For the cost, including the necessary equipment and supplies, of vocational courses and related or other necessary instruction provided by such agencies for out-of-school rural youth who have attained the age of seventeen and who file a registration card with a public employment office and for nonrural youth who otherwise meet the above requirements whose training is not feasible under subdivisions (1) and (3) hereof, such courses and instruction to be provided pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved by the Commissioner, $10,000,000.

(5) For the cost of vocational courses and related or other necessary instruction provided by such agencies for young people employed on work projects of the National Youth Administration, such courses and instruction to be provided pursuant to plans submitted by such agencies and approved by the Commissioner, $7,500,000: Provided, That the amount allotted to any agency shall be available for expenditure for purchase or rental of additional equipment and rental of additional space found by the Commissioner to be necessary for carrying out the approved plan.

The Commissioner shall carry out the purposes of these appropriations under regulations promulgated by him and approved by the President, and there shall be available out of these appropriations an amount determined by the Federal Security Administrator not exceeding 1 per centum of each such appropriation for expenses of administration to enable the Commissioner most efficiently to carry out the purposes of the several appropriations, the total sum to be available for general administration expenses, including printing and binding, equipment and supplies (including purchase of materials and equipment necessary for visual education), traveling expenses, including not to exceed $5,000 for expenses of persons (other than Federal employees) requested to attend conferences held in the District of Columbia and elsewhere whose travel is approved at the direction of the Commissioner, salaries for personal services, and rents, in the District of Columbia and elsewhere: Provided, That the Federal Security Administrator may transfer out of the sum available for administration expenses not exceeding $37,500 to the office of the Administrator for use in carrying out the purposes of these appropriations: Provided further, That section 3709 of the Revised Statutes (41 U. S. C. 5) shall not be construed to apply to any purchase with these funds when the aggregate amount involved in such purchase does not
exceed the sum of $100: Provided further, That all functions of the Commissioner hereunder shall be performed under the direction and supervision of the Federal Security Administrator.

No trainee under the foregoing appropriations shall be discriminated against because of sex, race, or color; and where separate schools are required by law for separate population groups, to the extent needed for trainees of each such group, equitable provision shall be made for facilities and training of like quality.

Further development of vocational education: For an additional amount for carrying out the provisions of sections 1, 2, and 3 of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the further development of vocational education in the several States and Territories", approved June 8, 1936, $400,000.

Cooperative vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry: For an additional amount for carrying out the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide for the promotion of vocational rehabilitation of persons disabled in industry", approved June 2, 1920, as amended, $319,500.

NATIONAL YOUTH ADMINISTRATION

For additional amounts for the National Youth Administration to be expended in accordance with the provisions of the National Youth Administration Appropriation Act, 1941, except that all training or educational programs for youth employed by the National Youth Administration on work projects shall be under the control and supervision of the State boards for vocational education of the several States and shall be paid for out of appropriations made to the Office of Education and expended by the States pursuant to plans submitted by State boards for vocational education and approved by the Commissioner of Education as provided for in this Act under the heading, "Office of Education", paragraph (5), and except as hereinafter provided, for the following purposes:

For the purposes and objects specified in paragraph 1 (b) of such Act, $30,535,375, of which $50,000 shall be available to the United States Employees' Compensation Commission for the purposes of paragraph 18 of such Act.

For salaries and other administrative expenses specified in paragraph 2 of such Act, $1,941,063, of which sum not to exceed $250,000 may be transferred to appropriations of the Treasury Department in accordance with the provisions of such paragraph.

For printing and binding, $23,562.

FEDERAL WORKS AGENCY

PUBLIC BUILDINGS ADMINISTRATION

Salaries and general expenses, public buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia: For an additional amount for administration, protection, maintenance, and improvement of public buildings and grounds in the District of Columbia, maintained and operated by the Public Buildings Administration, Federal Works Agency, including the same objects specified under this heading in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1941, $200,000.

Construction of public buildings, District of Columbia: The Federal Works Administrator is hereby authorized, pursuant to the provisions of the Act of May 25, 1926 (44 Stat. 630), as amended, to acquire sites or additional land and to enter into contracts for construction of the following public-building projects in amounts not exceeding the following respective limits of cost, which limits of cost shall include salaries,
cost of supervision of construction, and inspection, furniture, equipment, moving expenses, extension of steam and water mains and removal or diversion of such sewers and utilities as may be necessary, and all other expenses required solely for the purpose of carrying out said public-building projects; and such Administrator is authorized to direct the preparation of all sketches, estimates, plans, drawings, and specifications, and to enter into all other contracts necessary for carrying out the purposes hereof; and he is further authorized, when deemed by him desirable and advantageous, to employ by contract or otherwise, temporary professional, technical, or nontechnical employees, firms, or corporations, to such extent as may be necessary to carry out the purposes hereof, without regard to civil service or classification laws, or section 3709 of the Revised Statutes:

Sites and buildings, Federal office buildings (Numbered 2 and 3):

For the acquisition of sites and the construction of two Federal office buildings for general use, on land in or near the District of Columbia, $6,400,000.

Site and building, west central heating plant, Washington, District of Columbia: For acquisition of site and construction of a central heating plant on a suitable site to be selected in the northwest section of the city of Washington, District of Columbia, within or outside the area prescribed by the Act of May 25, 1926, as amended, authorizing the acquisition of certain lands within the District of Columbia, including facilities for fuel deliveries and storage, tunnel and steam lines and additional steam lines in existing tunnels, $1,500,000, within a total limit of cost of $3,900,000: Provided, That the contract or contracts for such project may be entered into without advertising.

Navy Department Building, Washington, District of Columbia: For the construction of an additional wing on the Navy Department Building and an additional story on wing Number 1 thereof, under the provisions of the Public Buildings Act approved May 25, 1926, as amended, including administrative expenses in connection therewith, $590,000: Provided, That the contract or contracts for such project may be entered into without advertising.

Site and building, General Accounting Office, Washington, District of Columbia: For acquisition of site and construction of a building for the General Accounting Office on land in square 518, in the District of Columbia, within a total limit of cost of $9,850,000, in lieu of the extension and remodeling of the old Pension Office Building as authorized in the Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1935, approved August 12, 1935: Provided, That the balance of the appropriation of $2,000,000 appropriated by such Act shall remain available for the purposes of, and be chargeable against, this authorization.

Acquisition of property in the District of Columbia: For the acquisition of property within the areas prescribed by the Act of May 25, 1926, as amended, authorizing the Federal Works Administrator to acquire certain lands within the District of Columbia, $322,000.

GEORGE WASHINGTON BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

For payment to Katherine H. Clagett and to the estate of Doctor John C. Fitzpatrick $2,700 and $6,666.66, respectively, for services rendered the George Washington Bicentennial Commission in connection with the compilation of the definitive writings of George Washington, $9,366.66: Provided, That the payment to the said Katherine H. Clagett shall be in full, complete, and final compensation of any and all claims arising out of services rendered to the George Washington Bicentennial Commission prior to June 30, 1940.
NATIONAL LABOR RELATIONS BOARD

Printing and binding: For an additional amount for all printing and binding for the National Labor Relations Board in Washington and elsewhere, $83,000, and in addition thereto the sum of $27,000 is hereby transferred from the appropriation “Salaries, National Labor Relations Board, 1941” and made available for printing and binding for the fiscal year 1941.

After the date of the enactment of this Act, none of the appropriation “Salaries, National Labor Relations Board, 1941”, shall be obligated for the Division of Economic Research or for the Division of Technical Service: Provided, That not to exceed $3,200 may be expended in performing those functions necessary to keep records and to make a report to Congress and to the President thereon as required by section 3 (c) of the National Labor Relations Act: Provided further, That nothing herein shall be construed to prohibit the National Labor Relations Board from obligating any part of such appropriation for carrying on any of the functions or duties specifically conferred upon it by the National Labor Relations Act or to repeal any provision of such Act.

UNITED STATES COMMISSION FOR THE CELEBRATION OF THE TWO HUNDREDTH ANNIVERSARY OF THE BIRTH OF THOMAS JEFFERSON

For expenses of carrying out the provisions of Public Resolution Numbered 100 (Seventy-sixth Congress) entitled “A Joint Resolution to establish a Commission for the Celebration of the Two Hundredth Anniversary of the Birth of Thomas Jefferson”, approved September 24, 1940, $5,000.

UNITED STATES UNIVERSITY OF PENNSYLVANIA

BICENTENNIAL COMMISSION

For expenses of carrying out the provisions of Public Resolution Numbered 86 of the present Congress entitled “Joint resolution authorizing the recognition of the two hundredth anniversary of the founding of the University of Pennsylvania by Benjamin Franklin and the beginning of university education in the United States, and providing for the representation of the Government and people of the United States in the observance of the anniversary”, approved June 20, 1940, including personal services in the District of Columbia or elsewhere without reference to the Classification Act of 1923, as amended; stenographic reporting and other services by contract if deemed necessary without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes; traveling expenses; rents; printing and binding; official cards; entertainment; and such other expenses as may be authorized by the President, $1,500, to be available for the payment of obligations here-tofore incurred in carrying out the purposes of such public resolution.

DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA

POTOMAC RIVER POLLUTION CONTROL

For the pro rata contribution of the District of Columbia to the expenses of the Interstate Commission on the Potomac River Basin, in accordance with Public Resolution Numbered 93, approved July 11, 1940, granting such Commission authority to regulate, control, prevent, or otherwise render unobjectionable and harmless the pollution of the water of the Potomac drainage area by sewage and industrial and other wastes, $3,600.
Reunion of United Confederate Veterans: The sum of $12,500 provided by the Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1940, approved June 27, 1940 (Public Act Numbered 668, Seventy-sixth Congress), for expenses of the reunion of United Confederate Veterans to be held in Washington, District of Columbia, in 1940, is hereby made available for expenditure by the Commissioners of such District, notwithstanding the provisions of any other Act for the payment of such expenses as they may deem necessary for and in connection with such reunion including the payment of obligations heretofore incurred.

HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Providence Hospital: The unobligated balance of the appropriation “Providence Hospital, Repairs and Improvements, District of Columbia, 1940”, is hereby reappropriated and made available during the fiscal year 1941 for such further repairs, alterations, and improvements to, and for the purchase of necessary furniture and equipment for, the building as may be approved by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia.

MUNICIPAL COURT

Salaries: For an additional amount for personal services, including compensation of five judges without reference to the limitation in the District of Columbia Appropriation Act, 1941, restricting salaries within the grade, $945.

SETTLEMENT OF CLAIMS

For the payment of the claim of William Joseph Heurich, approved by the Commissioners under and in accordance with the provisions of the Act entitled “An Act authorizing the Commissioners of the District of Columbia to settle claims and suits against the District of Columbia”, approved February 11, 1929 (45 Stat., 1160), as amended by the Act approved June 5, 1930 (46 Stat. 500), $500.

JUDGMENTS

For the payment of final judgments, including costs, rendered against the District of Columbia, as set forth in House Document Numbered 884 of the Seventy-sixth Congress, $4,275.99, together with the further sum to pay the interest at not exceeding 4 per centum per annum on such judgments, as provided by law, from the date the same became due until the date of payment.

DIVISION OF EXPENSES

The foregoing sums for the District of Columbia, unless otherwise therein specifically provided, shall be paid out of the revenues of the District of Columbia and the Treasury of the United States in the manner prescribed by the District of Columbia Appropriation Acts for the respective fiscal years for which such sums are provided.

DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

FOREST SERVICE

Reconstruction and repair of roads and other improvements, national forests in Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee: For reconstruction of roads, trails, bridges, and other improvements in the national forests in Georgia, North Carolina, South Carolina, and Tennessee damaged or destroyed by floods in August, 1940, $125,000.
DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE

ADMINISTRATOR OF CIVIL AERONAUTICS

Washington National Airport: For the construction, with or without advertising, of five hangars at the Washington National Airport, Arlington County, Virginia, including a roadway service underpass and other necessary appurtenances, $2,700,000; to remain available until June 30, 1942, of which $150,000 shall be available for administrative expenses, including personal services in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, in connection with the preparation of plans, specifications, and estimates, and supervision of construction: Provided, That in the operation of such airport no agreement shall be entered into for the use of any hangar or space therein for a period exceeding three years nor shall any agreement be entered into for the operation of any concession for a period exceeding five years except the restaurant.

For all necessary expenses incident to the care, operation, maintenance, and protection of the Washington National Airport in accordance with the Act of June 29, 1940, including personal services in the District of Columbia, purchase, operation, and maintenance of one motor-propelled ambulance, one fire-and-crash truck, and one rescue-fire-and-crash motorboat; purchase (including exchange), operation, and maintenance of two passenger-carrying motor vehicles; purchase of equipment, materials, and supplies, including $700 for the purchase, cleaning, and repair of uniforms for the guards, $152,200, and, in addition, the sum of $103,450 is transferred from the appropriation “Maintenance and Operation of Air Navigation Facilities,” contained in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1941: Provided, That $15,000 of this appropriation shall be available for personal services in the District of Columbia, employed in connection with the completion of the construction of said airport, without regard to the Civil Service Act and regulation.

Development of landing areas: For the construction, improvement, and repair of not to exceed two hundred and fifty public airports and other public landing areas in the United States and its territories and possessions, determined by the Administrator, with the approval of a Board composed of the Secretary of War, Secretary of the Navy, and Secretary of Commerce, to be necessary for national defense, including areas essential for safe approaches and including the acquisition of land, $40,000,000, of which $2,000,000 shall be available for general administrative expenses, including the objects specified in section 204 of the Civil Aeronautics Act of 1938 and including engineering services and supervision of construction: Provided, That this appropriation shall not be construed as precluding the use of other appropriations available for any of the purposes for which this appropriation is made.

Establishment of air-navigation facilities: For an additional amount for the establishment of air-navigation facilities, including the objects specified under this head in the Independent Offices Appropriation Act, 1941, $2,091,000, to remain available until June 30, 1942.

NATIONAL BUREAU OF STANDARDS

Operation and administration: For an additional amount for the general operation and administration of the National Bureau of Standards, including the objects specified under this head in the Department of Commerce Appropriation Act, 1941, $21,000.

PATENT OFFICE

Salaries: For an additional amount for the Commissioner of Patents and other personal services in the District of Columbia, $19,320.
Photolithographing: For an additional amount for prints of pending application drawings, including the objects specified under this head in the Department of Commerce Appropriation Act, 1941, $2,000.

Miscellaneous expenses: For an additional amount for contingent and miscellaneous expenses of the Patent Office, including the objects specified under this head in the Department of Commerce Appropriation Act, 1941, $2,000.

WEATHER BUREAU

Observations, warnings, and general weather service: For an additional amount for necessary expenses incident to collecting and disseminating meteorological, aerological, and marine information and for investigations in meteorology and aerology in the District of Columbia and elsewhere, including the objects specified under this head in the Department of Agriculture Appropriation Act, 1941, $500,000, of which not to exceed $40,000 may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Leasing of grazing lands, Grazing Service: For leasing State, county, or privately owned lands in accordance with the provisions of the Act of June 23, 1938 (52 Stat. 1033), fiscal years 1940 and 1941, $50,000: Provided, That expenditures hereunder shall not exceed the aggregate receipts covered into the Treasury in accordance with section 4 of said Act.

Appropriations available to the Department of the Interior for the fiscal year 1941 for soil and moisture conservation operations shall be available for packing, crating, and transportation, including drayage, of personal effects of employees upon permanent change of station, under regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Interior.

Salaries and expenses, Bituminous Coal Division: For an additional amount for salaries and expenses, Bituminous Coal Division, including the objects specified under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $137,000.

BONNEVILLE POWER ADMINISTRATION

Construction, operation, and maintenance, Bonneville power transmission system: For an additional amount for construction, operation, and maintenance, including the objects and subject to the limitations specified under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $3,850,000, to remain available until expended.

UNITED STATES HIGH COMMISSIONER TO THE PHILIPPINE ISLANDS

United States High Commissioner to the Philippine Islands: For an additional amount for the maintenance of the office of the United States High Commissioner to the Philippine Islands, $18,250, which amount shall be available for the improvement of office and living quarters and grounds for the High Commissioner.

BUREAU OF INDIAN AFFAIRS

Suppressing forest fires on Indian reservations: For an additional amount for the suppression or emergency prevention of forest fires on or threatening Indian reservations, $30,000, together with $25,000 from funds held by the United States in trust for the respective tribes of Indians interested.
Compensation and expenses of an attorney or attorneys for the Chippewa Tribe of Indians, Minnesota (tribal funds): For compensation and expenses of an attorney or attorneys employed by the Chippewa Tribe of Indians, Minnesota, under a contract or contracts approved by the Secretary of the Interior, $23,400, or so much thereof as may be necessary, payable from the principal sum on deposit to the credit of the Chippewa Indians of Minnesota, arising under section 7 of the Act entitled "An Act for the relief and civilization of the Chippewa Indians in the State of Minnesota", approved January 14, 1889 (25 Stat. 645), and the amount herein appropriated shall be available for compensation earned and expenses incurred during the period covered by said contract or contracts.

Construction and repair: For an additional amount for the construction, repair, or rehabilitation of school, agency, hospital, or other buildings and utilities, including the purchase of furniture, furnishings, and equipment as follows:

Red Lake, Minnesota: School facilities, $107,000, to remain available until completion of the project when the unobligated balance shall revert to the Treasury: Provided, That no obligation shall be incurred hereunder unless and until the school district of Beltrami County, Minnesota, shall have deposited into the Treasury to the credit of this appropriation the unobligated balance of the insurance collected on the destroyed Red Lake school plant.

Eastern Cherokees: For the relief of the Eastern Cherokees, as authorized by the bill (S. 4232) entitled "An Act for the relief of the Eastern Cherokees", Seventy-sixth Congress, fiscal year 1941, $1,997.84, without interest and to be in full settlement of all claims of such tribe of Indians against the Government as found to be due by the Supreme Court of the United States in 1906 (202 U. S. 101).

BUREAU OF RECLAMATION

General fund, construction: For completion of construction of the following projects, in not to exceed the following amounts, respectively, to be expended from the general fund of the Treasury in the same manner, under the same conditions, and for the same objects of expenditure as specified for these projects in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, under the caption "General Fund, Construction" under the Bureau of Reclamation:

- Pine River project, Colorado, $400,000;
- Colorado River project, Texas, $2,500,000;
- In all, $2,900,000, to remain available until expended.

GEOPHYSICAL SURVEY

Strategic and critical minerals: For an additional amount for scientific and economic investigations of strategic and critical minerals in the United States or its Territories or insular possessions, $100,000; and the limitation of $25,000 on the amount which may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, is hereby increased to $50,000.

BUREAU OF MINES

Economics of mineral industries: For an additional amount for economics of mineral industries, including the same objects specified under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $85,000; and the limitation therein of $234,000 which may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia is hereby increased to $265,000.
Expenses, mining experiment stations: For an additional amount for expenses of mining experiment stations, including the objects and purposes specified under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $20,000.

Investigation of domestic sources of mineral supply: For an additional amount for investigation of domestic sources of mineral supply, including the same objects specified under this head in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $275,000; and the limitations therein of $1,000 which may be expended for printing and binding, of $15,000 which may be expended for the purchase of motor-propelled passenger-carrying vehicles, and of $15,000 which may be expended for personal services in the District of Columbia, are hereby increased to $1,500, $22,000, and $25,000, respectively.

NATIONAL PARK SERVICE

National historical parks and monuments: For an additional amount for national historical parks and monuments, including the purchase and installation of Virginia Indian artifacts known as the Wirt Robinson Indian collection, and the construction of an additional wing to the Jamestown Museum, $10,000.

Photographic mat service: Not to exceed an aggregate of $3,000 from any funds available to the National Park Service during the fiscal year 1941 may be used for the preparation of mats for reproduction in magazines and newspapers of photographs of scenery in the national parks, in accordance with the Act of August 27, 1940 (Public Act Numbered 771, Seventy-sixth Congress).

Mount Rushmore National Memorial Commission: For completion of the work, except the inscription, authorized by the provisions of the Mount Rushmore Memorial Act of 1938, $86,000: Provided, That no part of this appropriation shall be expended for work on any figure, in addition to the four figures authorized by law, upon which work had not commenced as of June 22, 1936: Provided further, That no part of this appropriation shall be available for any work on or toward the inscription provided for in section 3 of such Act.

FISH AND WILDLIFE SERVICE

Enforcement of Alaska game law: For an additional amount for the enforcement of the Alaska game law, approved January 13, 1925, as amended, to be used exclusively for the construction and equipment of hangars in Alaska for airplanes of the Alaska Game Commission, $8,500.

GOVERNMENT IN THE TERRITORIES

Legislative expenses, Territory of Alaska, 1939: The limitations in appropriations for Legislative Expenses, Territory of Alaska, as contained in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1939, and the Third Deficiency Appropriation Act, fiscal year 1939, are hereby amended to read as follows:

“For salaries of members, $21,585; mileage of members, $9,448.40; salaries of employees, $5,160; printing, indexing, comparing proofs, and binding laws, printing, indexing and binding journals, stationery, supplies, printing of bills, reports, and so forth, $14,458.81; in all, $50,652.21”.

Care and custody of insane, Alaska: For an additional amount for the care and custody of persons legally adjudged insane in Alaska, fiscal year 1940, including the same objects and for the same services specified in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1940, $3,000.
Salaries and expenses, Government of the Virgin Islands: For an additional amount for salaries and expenses, Government of the Virgin Islands, including the objects and services specified in the Interior Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $8,255.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL

Salaries: For an additional amount for salaries, for the Criminal Division, $10,000.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR

SECRETARY'S OFFICE

Salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards: For an additional amount for salaries and expenses, Division of Labor Standards, including the same objects specified under this head in the Department of Labor Appropriation Act, 1941, to be used exclusively for the promotion of the apprenticeship program, $225,000, from which amount transfers may be made to other appropriations for the Department of Labor, fiscal year 1941, as follows: $2,250 to contingent expenses and $22,500 to traveling expenses: Provided, That the limitation on the amount which may be expended under this head for personal services in the District of Columbia is hereby increased to $197,000.

BUREAU OF LABOR STATISTICS

Salaries and expenses: For an additional amount for salaries and expenses, Bureau of Labor Statistics, including the objects specified under this head in the Department of Labor Appropriation Act, 1941, $70,000, of which $50,000 shall be available only for making studies of productivity and labor costs in accordance with the provisions of the joint resolution approved June 7, 1940 (Public Resolution Numbered 77), and $20,000 shall be available only for the collection of information regarding the amount of goods produced in State and Federal prisons in accordance with the provisions of the joint resolution approved June 17, 1940 (Public Resolution Numbered 85): Provided, That transfers may be made from this additional appropriation to other appropriations of the Department of Labor in not to exceed the following amounts: Contingent expenses, $4,500; traveling expenses, $10,800; printing and binding, $5,000: Provided further, That the limitation on the amount which may be expended under this head for personal services in the District of Columbia is increased by the amount of $50,000.

NAVY DEPARTMENT

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY

Claims for damages by collision with naval vessels: To pay claims for damages adjusted and determined by the Secretary of the Navy under the provisions of the Act entitled “An Act to amend the Act authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to settle claims for damages to private property arising from collisions with naval vessels,” approved December 28, 1922, as fully set forth in Senate Document Numbered 281, and House Document Numbered 907, Seventy-sixth Congress, $1,456.86.
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Post Office Department

(Out of the Postal Revenues)

Salaries in Bureaus and Offices

Office of the Solicitor

For personal services in the District of Columbia, Office of the Solicitor for the Post Office Department, $4,200.

Office of Second Assistant Postmaster General

Domestic Air Mail Service: For an additional amount for the inland transportation of mail by aircraft, and so forth, including the same objects and subject to the same conditions specified under this head in the Post Office Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $485,199.

Department of State

Office of the Secretary of State

Salaries: For an additional amount for "Salaries, Department of State, 1941", including the objects and subject to the limitations specified under this head in the Department of State Appropriation Act, 1941, $290,000.

Contingent Expenses (Departmental)

Contingent expenses: For an additional amount for "Contingent Expenses, Department of State, 1941", including the objects and subject to the limitations specified under this head in the Department of State Appropriation Act, 1941, $15,500.

Alaska International Highway Commission

For expenses of the Alaskan International Highway Commission, created by the Act of May 31, 1938 (52 Stat. 590), and extended by Public Act Numbered 585, approved June 11, 1940, including personal services in the District of Columbia or elsewhere without regard to the civil-service laws and the Classification Act of 1923, as amended; stenographic, translating, and other services by contract if deemed necessary, without regard to section 3709 of the Revised Statutes (41 U. S. C. 5); communication service; rent; travel expenses; local transportation; transportation of things; purchase of necessary books, documents, newspapers, periodicals, and maps; stationery; equipment; official cards; entertainment; printing and binding; reconnaissance survey; and such other expenses as the President shall deem proper in the fulfillment of the duty of the Commission, including the United States share of necessary joint expenses of the two Governments, $12,000.

Contributions, Quotas, and So Forth

Cooperation with the American republics: The appropriation for "Cooperation with the American republics" contained in the Second Deficiency Appropriation Act, 1940, approved June 27, 1940, is hereby made available for compensation to be fixed by the Secretary of State and for traveling expenses in the United States and abroad in accordance with the Standardized Government Travel Regulations and the Act of June 3, 1926, as amended, of educational, professional, and artistic leaders who are citizens of the United States and the other American republics.
Payments to Federal land banks on account of reductions in interest rate on mortgages: To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay each Federal land bank such amount as the Land Bank Commissioner certifies to the Secretary of the Treasury is equal to the amount by which interest payments on mortgages held by such land bank have been reduced during the fiscal year 1941, and prior thereto, in accordance with the provisions of paragraph "Twelfth" of section 12 of the Federal Farm Loan Act (12 U. S. C. 771), as amended, $28,167,000.

Payments to the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation on account of reductions in interest rate on mortgages: To enable the Secretary of the Treasury to pay to the Federal Farm Mortgage Corporation such amount as the Governor of the Farm Credit Administration certifies to the Secretary of the Treasury is equal to the amount by which interest payments on mortgages held by such Corporation have been reduced during the fiscal year 1941, and prior thereto, in accordance with the provisions of section 32 of the Emergency Farm Mortgage Act of 1933, approved May 12, 1933 (12 U. S. C. 1016), as amended, such payments to be made quarterly, beginning as soon as practicable after October 1, 1940, $10,000,000.

Contingent expenses: For an additional amount for miscellaneous and contingent expenses, Treasury Department, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $7,500.

Printing and binding: For an additional amount for printing and binding, Treasury Department, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $6,000.

Stationery: For an additional amount for stationery, Treasury Department, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $1,500.

Salaries and expenses: For an additional amount for expenses of assessing and collecting the internal-revenue taxes, including the objects and subject to the limitations specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $850,000.

Salaries, Office of Commandant: For an additional amount for salaries, Office of Commandant, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $66,000.

Pay and allowances: For an additional amount for pay and allowances, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $1,640,000; and the limitation of $39,375 under this head in such Act, as modified by the First Supplemental National Defense Appropriation Act, 1941, on the amount which may be expended for recreation, education, and so forth, of enlisted men is hereby increased to $43,780.
Emergency construction, Coast Guard vessels and shore facilities: For additional vessels and their equipment, and the construction, rebuilding or extension of shore facilities, including the acquisition of sites therefor, and including the construction of a floating drydock and shipways at the Coast Guard Depot, Curtis Bay, Maryland, to remain available until expended, $9,460,000, of which amount not to exceed 4 per centum shall be available for administrative expenses in connection therewith, including personal services in the District of Columbia.

General Expenses: For an additional amount for General Expenses, Coast Guard, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $880,000.

BUREAU OF THE MINT

Salaries, Office of Director of the Mint: For an additional amount for personal services in the District of Columbia, $7,380.

Contingent expenses and examination of mints: For an additional amount for contingent expenses and examination of mints, including the objects specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriations Act, 1941, $3,000.

Salaries and expenses, mints and assay offices: For an additional amount for salaries and expenses, mints and assay offices, including the objects and limitations specified under this head in the Treasury Department Appropriation Act, 1941, $1,325,000.

WAR DEPARTMENT

MILITARY ACTIVITIES

QUARTERMASTER CORPS

Barracks and quarters and other buildings and utilities: For an additional amount for barracks and quarters, including the objects and subject to the conditions specified under this head in the Military Appropriation Act, 1941, $200,000.

Removal and reestablishment of Arlington Farm, Virginia: For the removal and reestablishment of the functions and activities at Arlington Farm, including the acquisition of lands by purchase or by condemnation, the construction and installation of buildings, equipment, and utilities and appurtenances thereto, including the employment of persons and means in the city of Washington and elsewhere, $3,200,000, to remain available until expended: Provided, That this appropriation shall be transferred to the credit of the Secretary of Agriculture for expenditure by him: Provided further, That upon the transfer of the activities of the Department of Agriculture from Arlington Farm, so much of the land thereof as may be required by the War Department shall be transferred to the control and jurisdiction of the latter Department.

CIVIL FUNCTIONS

CORPS OF ENGINEERS

Rivers and harbors: For an additional amount for the preservation and maintenance of existing river and harbor works, and for the prosecution of such projects heretofore authorized as may be most desirable in the interest of commerce and navigation, including the objects and under the conditions specified under this head in the War Department Civil Appropriation Act, 1941, $8,127,000 to remain available until expended.

Flood control, general: For an additional amount for Flood Control, General, to be used for removing accumulated snags and other
debris, and clearing channels in navigable streams and tributaries thereof, in the State of Louisiana, including the objects and conditions specified under this head in the War Department Civil Appropriation Act, 1941, to be additional to the amount authorized for this type of work by section 1 of the Act of August 11, 1939 (53 Stat. 1414), $55,000.

Alteration of bridges over navigable waters of the United States: For payment of the share of the United States of the cost of alteration of bridges over navigable waters of the United States in accordance with the provisions of the Act of June 21, 1940 (Public, Numbered 647, Seventy-sixth Congress), $1,100,000, to remain available until expended.

Claims for damages, river and harbor work: To pay claims for damages under river and harbor work adjusted and determined by the War Department under the provision of section 9 of the River and Harbor Act, approved June 5, 1920 (33 U. S. C. 564), as set forth in House Document Numbered 908, Seventy-sixth Congress, $1,148.67.

Power plant, Bonneville Dam, Columbia River, Oregon: For an additional amount for continuing the construction of the hydroelectric power plant at Bonneville Dam, Columbia River, Oregon, as authorized by the Acts approved August 30, 1935 (49 Stat. 1038), August 20, 1937 (50 Stat. 731), and June 24, 1940 (54 Stat. 508), $4,000,000.

**TITLE II—JUDGMENTS AND AUTHORIZED CLAIMS**

**PROPERTY DAMAGE CLAIMS**

Sec. 201. (a) For the payment of claims for damages to or losses of privately owned property adjusted and determined by the following respective departments and independent offices, under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide a method for the settlement of claims arising against the Government of the United States in the sums not exceeding $1,000 in any one case", approved December 28, 1922 (31 U. S. C. 215), as fully set forth in the House Document Numbered 898 of the Seventy-sixth Congress, as follows:

- Department of Agriculture, $299.49;
- Department of Commerce, $556.15;
- Department of the Interior, $176.08;
- Navy Department, $484.08;
- Post Office Department (payable from postal revenues), $348.07;
- Treasury Department, $34;
- War Department, $2,189.82;

In all, $4,087.69.

(b) For the payment of claims for damages to or losses of privately owned property adjusted and determined by the following respective departments, under the provisions of the Act entitled "An Act to provide a method for the settlement of claims arising against the Government of the United States in the sums not exceeding $1,000 in any one case", approved December 28, 1922 (31 U. S. C. 215), as fully set forth in Senate Document Numbered 280 of the Seventy-sixth Congress as follows:

- Federal Works Agency:
  - Work Projects Administration, $496.36;
  - Department of Agriculture, $557.27;
  - Department of the Interior, $1,551.58;
  - Navy Department, $540.10;
  - War Department, $2,859.29;
  - Post Office Department (payable from postal revenues), $1,637.68;

In all, $7,642.28.
JUDGMENTS, UNITED STATES COURTS

SEC. 202. (a) For the payment of the final judgments, including costs of suits which have been rendered under the provisions of the Act of March 3, 1887, entitled "An Act to provide for the bringing of suits against the Government of the United States", as amended by section 297 of the Act of March 3, 1911 (28 U. S. C. 761), certified to the Seventy-sixth Congress in House Document Numbered 905, under the following departments:

Treasury Department, $4,300;
War Department, $5,891.51;
Post Office Department, $3,117.30;
In all, $13,308.81, together with such additional sum as may be necessary to pay costs and interest as specified in such judgments or as provided by law.

(b) For the payment of final judgments in special cases rendered against the Government of the United States pursuant to authority contained in the Act, approved June 15, 1938 (Private Act Numbered 588, Seventy-fifth Congress), and (Private Act Numbered 100, Seventieth Congress) certified to the Seventy-sixth Congress in Senate Document Numbered 278, and House Document Numbered 906, under the following Departments:

War Department, $26,904.21;
Federal Works Agency, $412.50, together with such additional sum as may be necessary to pay costs and interest as specified in such judgment;
In all, $27,316.71.

(c) None of the judgments contained under this caption shall be paid until the right of appeal shall have expired except such as have become final and conclusive against the United States by failure of the parties to appeal or otherwise.

(d) Payment of interest wherever provided for judgments contained in this Act shall not in any case continue for more than thirty days after the date of approval of this Act.

JUDGMENTS, COURT OF CLAIMS

SEC. 203. (a) For payment of the judgments rendered by the Court of Claims and reported to the Seventy-sixth Congress in House Document Numbered 904, under the following establishments and departments, namely:

Federal Home Loan Bank Board, $4,560.72;
Veterans' Administration, $11,258.32;
Department of the Interior, $92,202.06;
Navy Department, $6,935.59;
Treasury Department, $15,390.05;
War Department, $6,742.54;
In all, $137,089.28, together with such additional sum as may be necessary to pay interest as and where specified in such judgments.

(b) None of the judgments contained under this caption shall be paid until the right of appeal shall have expired, except such as have become final and conclusive against the United States by failure of the parties to appeal or otherwise.

AUDITED CLAIMS

SEC. 204. (a) For the payment of the following claims, certified to be due by the General Accounting Office under appropriations the balances of which have been carried to the surplus fund under the provisions of section 5 of the Act of June 20, 1874 (31 U. S. C. 713),
and under appropriations heretofore treated as permanent, being for the service of the fiscal year 1938 and prior years, unless otherwise stated, and which have been certified to Congress under section 2 of the Act of July 7, 1884 (5 U. S. C. 266), as fully set forth in House Document Numbered 897, Seventy-sixth Congress, there is appropriated as follows:

**Independent Offices:** For Federal Civil Works Administration, $300.69.

For National Industrial Recovery, Civil Works Administration, $45.70.

- For Interstate Commerce Commission, $2.
- For Federal Trade Commission, $49.87.

For operations under Mineral Act of October 5, 1918, $3,150.25.

**Federal Works Agency:**

- For general expenses of public buildings, Procurement Division, $1.40.

**Federal Security Agency:**

- For salaries and expenses, Food and Drug Administration, 28 cents.
- For expenses, Division of Mental Hygiene, Public Health Service, $12.

**Veterans' Administration:**

- For Army and Navy pensions, $36.
- For medical and hospital services, Veterans' Bureau, $8.71.
- For salaries and expenses, Veterans' Administration, $1,576.75.

**Department of Agriculture:**

- For salaries and expenses, library, Department of Agriculture, $16.75.
- For salaries and expenses, Farm Credit Administration, $202.76.
- For agricultural credits and rehabilitation, emergency relief, $14.69.
- For emergency conservation fund (transfer from War to Agriculture, Act March 31, 1933), $7.49.

For National Industrial Recovery, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, $184.20.

- For National Industrial Recovery, Resettlement Administration, submarginal lands (transfer to Agriculture), $1,172.45.

- For loans and relief in stricken agricultural areas (Agriculture transfer for seed corn), $638.91.
- For acquisition of lands for protection of watersheds of navigable streams, $120.
- For salaries and expenses, Forest Service, $96.92.
- For conservation and use of agricultural land resources, Department of Agriculture, $199.09.
- For salaries and expenses, Bureau of Animal Industry, $40.65.
- For salaries and expenses, Soil Conservation Service, $271.45.

For exportation and domestic consumption of agricultural commodities, Department of Agriculture, $1,172.45.

For exportation and domestic consumption of agricultural commodities, Department of Agriculture (transfer to Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation, Act June 28, 1937), $212.84.

- For salaries and expenses, Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine, $3.79.

**Department of Commerce:**

For salaries and expenses, Weather Bureau, $6.02.

- For air-navigation facilities, $1.
- For maintenance of air-navigation facilities, Civil Aeronautics Authority, $1.
For establishment of air-navigation facilities, Civil Aeronautics Authority, $80.60.

Emergency Relief: For emergency relief, Emergency Conservation Work, War, Civilian Conservation Corps, $1,095.29.

For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, rural rehabilitation (transfer to Agriculture), $198.46.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, women’s projects, $69.50.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, grants to States, and so forth, $7,077.43.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration (non-Federal projects approved prior to June 22, 1936), $17,256.73.

For emergency relief, Treasury, administrative expenses, 69 cents.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, parks and recreational facilities, $4,221.49.

For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, sanitation, prevention of soil erosion, and so forth (transfer to Agriculture), $668.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, administrative expenses, $3.

For emergency relief, Agriculture, public roads, highways, roads and streets, $22,654.81.

For emergency relief, Agriculture, Forest Service, flood control and other conservation, $172.80.

For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, rural rehabilitation, loans and relief to farmers, and so forth (transfer to Agriculture), $202.19.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, public utilities, and so forth, $156.45.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, highways, roads and streets, $1,005.95.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, National Youth Administration, non-Federal projects, 70 cents.

For emergency relief, Agriculture, Forest Service, parks and recreational facilities, $38.40.

For emergency relief, Interior, National Park Service, sanitation, prevention of soil erosion, and so forth, $4.66.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, work relief projects, $351.50.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, non-Federal projects approved prior to June 30, 1937, $88.69.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, public buildings, parks, utilities, flood control, and so forth, $29.01.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, National Youth Administration (Federal projects), $6.25.

For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, assistance for educational, professional, and clerical persons, $53.92.

For emergency relief, Treasury, office of Secretary, assistance for educational, professional, and clerical persons, $31.83.

For emergency relief, Agriculture, Farm Security Administration, rural rehabilitation, $278.43.

For emergency relief, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, expenses of liquidation, $166.

For emergency relief, Interior, Puerto Rico Reconstruction Administration, highways, roads, and streets (Federal projects), 9 cents.


For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, public buildings (Federal projects), $302.39.

For emergency relief, Farm Security Administration, administrative expenses, $92.10.

For migratory bird conservation fund (receipt limitation), $4.06.
For National Park Service, $6.32.
For conservation of health among Indians, $5.18.
For Indian school support, $6.80.
For maintenance, irrigation systems, Flathead Reservation, Montana (receipt limitation), $213.36.

For support of Indians and administration of Indian property, $22.

Department of Justice: For salaries, fees, and expenses of marshals, United States courts, $8.67.

For United States Industrial Reformatory, Chillicothe, Ohio, maintenance, 60 cents.
For support of United States prisoners, $89.60.
For fees of commissioners, United States courts, $6.75.
For fees of jurors and witnesses, United States courts, $48.95.
For miscellaneous expenses, United States courts, $52.55.

Department of Labor: For salaries and expenses, commissioners of conciliation, $15.15.

Navy Department: For ordnance and ordnance stores, Bureau of Ordnance, $2,200.
For payment to officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies, Navy, $103.64.
For pay of the Navy, $59.83.
For pay, subsistence, and transportation, Navy, $489.41.
For pay, Marine Corps, $14.20.
For maintenance, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, $8.19.
For engineering, Bureau of Engineering, $7,250.
For aviation, Navy, $133,590.85.

Department of State: For transportation of Foreign Service officers, $55.42.
For contingent expenses, Foreign Service, $2.33.

Treasury Department: For pay and allowances, Coast Guard, $320.40.
For collecting the internal revenue, $1.35.

War Department: For general appropriations, Quartermaster Corps, $2,955.20.
For pay, and so forth, of the Army, $2,152.34.
For pay of the Army, $10,879.85.
For Organized Reserves, $8.03.
For barracks and quarters, Army, $179.14.
For clothing and equipage, Army, $17.54.
For clothing and equipage, $81.19.
For supplies, services, and transportation, Quartermaster Corps, $50.89.
For Army transportation, $53.30.
For ordnance service and supplies, Army, $1.96.
For ammunition storage facilities, Army, $13.83.
For increase of compensation, Military Establishment, $40.46.
For National Guard, $7.32.
For national defense, $14.
For Civilian Conservation Corps (transfer to War), $1.86.
For emergency conservation work (transfer to War, Act June 22, 1936), $502.76.
For emergency conservation fund (transfer to War, Act June 19, 1934), $91.55.
For emergency conservation work (transfer to War, Act February 9, 1937), $301.98.
Post Office Department—Postal Service (out of the postal revenues): For clerks, first- and second-class post offices, $424.77. For clerks, third-class post offices, $211.13. For compensation to postmasters, $42. For contract air-mail service, $10,457.86. For furniture, carpets, and safes for public buildings, Post Office Department, $4.25. For indemnities, domestic mail, $118.61. For miscellaneous items, first- and second-class post offices, $12. For operating supplies for public buildings, Post Office Department, $87. For special-delivery fees, $41.31. Total, audited claims, section 204 (a), $239,166.63, together with such additional sum due to increases in rates of exchange as may be necessary to pay claims in the foreign currency and interest as specified in certain of the settlements of the General Accounting Office.

Payment of claims. (b) For the payment of the following claims, certified to be due by the General Accounting Office under appropriations the balances of which have been carried to the surplus fund under the provisions of section 5 of the Act of June 20, 1874 (31 U. S. C. 713), and under appropriations heretofore treated as permanent, being for the service of the fiscal year 1938 and prior years, unless otherwise stated, and which have been certified to Congress under section 2 of the Act of July 7, 1884 (5 U. S. C. 266), as fully set forth in Senate Document Numbered 282, Seventy-sixth Congress, there is appropriated as follows:

**Executive Office:** For National Resources Planning Board, $3.

**Independent Offices:** For Federal Trade Commission, $5.44. For salaries and expenses, National Labor Relations Board, $1.30. For operations under Mineral Act of October 5, 1918, $39,109.69. For Interstate Commerce Commission, $1.

**Federal Works Agency:** For general administrative expenses, Public Buildings Branch, Procurement Division, $2.65. For repair, preservation, and equipment, public buildings, Procurement Division, $16.95. For salaries and expenses, public buildings outside the District of Columbia, National Park Service, $4.67.

**Veterans' Administration:** For Army and Navy pensions, $187.16. For salaries and expenses, Veterans' Administration, $830.74.

**Department of Agriculture:** For exportation and domestic consumption of agricultural commodities, Department of Agriculture (transfer to Federal Surplus Commodities Corporation, Act June 28, 1937), $621.80. For exportation and domestic consumption of agricultural commodities, Department of Agriculture, $92.39. For National Industrial Recovery, Agricultural Adjustment Administration, $51.72. For National Industrial Recovery, Resettlement Administration, submarginal lands (transfer to Agriculture), $720.62. For conservation and use of agricultural land resources, Department of Agriculture, $281.25. For acquisition of lands for protection of watersheds of navigable streams, $8,516.44. For acquisition of lands, Uinta and Wasatch National Forests, Utah (receipt limitation), $1,920. For salaries and expenses, Soil Conservation Service, $83. For payment to officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies (Agriculture), $13.60.
For submarginal land program, Farm Tenant Act, Department of Agriculture, $3,745.09.
For salaries and expenses, Forest Service, $128.16.
For salaries and expenses, Bureau of Animal Industry, $83.41.
For miscellaneous expenses, Department of Agriculture, $20.95.
For special research fund, Department of Agriculture, $100.12.
For control of emergency outbreaks of insect pests and plant diseases, $1.02.
For chinch bug control, Department of Agriculture, $21.50.
For farmers’ seed-grain loans, $7.
Department of Commerce: For Civil Aeronautics Authority fund, $1,383.58.
For establishment of air-navigation facilities, Civil Aeronautics Authority, $326.39.
For maintenance of air-navigation facilities, Civil Aeronautics Authority, $52.85.
For air-navigation facilities, $5.30.
For salaries and expenses, Weather Bureau, $38.27.
For traveling expenses, Department of Commerce, $5.80.
Emergency Relief: For emergency relief, Interior, National Park Service, parks and recreational facilities, non-Federal projects, $82.92.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, forestation, prevention of soil erosion, and so forth, $24.16.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, Farm Security Administration, rural rehabilitation, $162.24.
For emergency relief, Farm Security Administration, administrative expenses, $1.91.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, public buildings, parks, utilities, flood control, and so forth, $2,448.30.
For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, administrative expenses (transfer to Agriculture), $175.83.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, public utilities, and so forth, $2.60.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, work relief projects, $6.
For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, rural rehabilitation (transfer to Agriculture), $352.30.
For emergency relief, Federal Emergency Relief Administration, expenses of liquidation, $87.01.
For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, sanitation, prevention of soil erosion, and so forth (transfer to Agriculture), $10,281.11.
For emergency relief, Resettlement Administration, flood control and other conservation (transfer to Agriculture), $17.57.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, grants to States, and so forth, $1,583.49.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, public roads, highways, roads and streets, $47,457.07.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, parks and recreational facilities, $3.89.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, Forest Service, flood control and other conservation, $105.60.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, Forest Service, public buildings, parks, utilities, flood control, and so forth, $115.20.
For emergency relief, Interior, Puerto Rico Reconstruction Administration, public buildings, parks, utilities, flood control, and so forth, $440.46.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, National Youth Administration (Federal projects), $11.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, administrative expenses, project supervision, $20.96.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, miscellaneous work projects, $12.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, National Youth Administration, non-Federal projects, $4.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, Soil Conservation Service, flood control and other conservation, $2.52.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, assistance for educational, professional, and clerical persons, $304.08.
For emergency relief, Justice, administrative expenses, $68.54.
For emergency relief, Interior, National Park Service, public buildings, parks, utilities, flood control, and so forth, $186.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, administrative expenses, general, $16.45.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, Forest Service, forestation, and so forth, $12,309.63.
For emergency relief, Interior, Indians, loans and grants to Indians for rehabilitation, 83 cents.
For emergency relief, Labor, United States Employment Service, administrative expenses, $217.40.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration (non-Federal projects approved prior to June 22, 1936), $5,072.02.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, non-Federal projects approved prior to June 30, 1937, $1,042.70.
For emergency relief, Works Progress Administration, highways, roads, and streets, $315.89.
For emergency relief, Agriculture, agricultural economics, public buildings, parks, utilities, flood control, and so forth, $116.30.
For emergency relief, Emergency Conservation Work, War, Civilian Conservation Corps, $1,745.72.
For emergency relief, Emergency Conservation Work, Agriculture, miscellaneous projects, $7.70.

Department of the Interior: For Civilian Conservation Corps (transfer to Interior, Indians), $10.35.
For loans and relief in stricken agricultural areas (transfer from Agriculture to Interior, Indians), $122.82.
For general expenses, Indian Service, $54.45.
For Indian school support, $102.15.
For conservation of health among Indians, $12.57.
For construction, and so forth, irrigation systems, Indian reservations (reimbursable), $5.45.
For improvement and maintenance, irrigation systems, Crow reservations, Montana, $14.08.

Department of Justice: For salaries and expenses of marshals, etc., Department of Justice, $103.37.
For United States Northeastern Penitentiary, maintenance, $9.36.
For United States Penitentiary, Atlanta, Georgia, maintenance, $18.88.
For support of United States prisoners, $21.15.
For fees of commissioners, United States courts, 50 cents.
For miscellaneous expenses, United States courts, $175.
For fees of jurors and witnesses, United States courts, $13.
For salaries, fees, and expenses of marshals, United States courts, $8.77.

Department of Labor: For salaries and expenses, Bureau of Labor Statistics, $1.50.
For traveling expenses, Department of Labor, $1.25.
Navy Department: For payment to officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies (Navy), $251.66.
For pay, Marine Corps, $42.05.
For general expenses, Marine Corps, $16,739.65.
For aviation, Navy, $1,934.23.
For maintenance, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts, $95.39.
For organizing the Naval Reserve, $176.92.
For engineering, Bureau of Engineering, $1,492.50.
For pay, subsistence, and transportation, Navy, $1,014.60.
For pay of the Navy, $18.13.

Department of State: For salaries, Foreign Service officers while receiving instructions and in transit, $950.35.
For payment to officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies (State), $49.83.
For transportation of Foreign Service officers, $28.01.
For office and living quarters, Foreign Service, $244.84.
For contingent expenses, Foreign Service, $336.34.

Treasury Department: For pay and allowances, Coast Guard, $60.
For suppressing counterfeiting and other crimes, $3.35.
For collecting the internal revenue, $6.30.
For collecting the revenue from customs, $142.55.
For public debt service, $13.51.
War Department: For general appropriations, Quartermaster Corps, $3,518.77.
For pay of the Army, $13,605.33.
For pay, etc., of the Army, $2,101.57.
For Army transportation, $146.22.
For National Guard, $113.96.
For regular supplies of the Army, $259.22.
For travel of the Army, $39.
For clothing and equipage, $58.60.
For Reserve Officers’ Training Corps, $11.92.
For replacing medical supplies, $108.46.
For replacing ordnance and ordnance stores, $4.20.
For ordnance service and supplies, Army, $59.56.
For Organized Reserves, $1.
For expenses, camps of instruction, etc., National Guard, $49.28.
For barracks and quarters, Army, $14.
For replacing Army transportation, $2.
For payment to officers and employees of the United States in foreign countries due to appreciation of foreign currencies (War), $1,130.31.
For loans and relief in stricken agricultural areas (transfer from emergency conservation work to War, Act June 19, 1934), $6.39.
For emergency conservation fund (transfer to War, Act March 31, 1933), $207.72.
For emergency conservation work (transfer to War, Act March 31, 1933), $1,136.63.
For emergency conservation work (transfer to War, Act February 9, 1937), $329.69.
For emergency conservation fund (transfer to War, Act June 19, 1934), $117.47.
For Civilian Conservation Corps (transfer to War), $1,163.21.
Post Office Department—Postal Service (Out of the Postal Revenues): For clerks, contract stations, $14.52.
For clerks, first and second class post offices, $46.81.
For compensation to postmasters, $119.
For contract air mail service, $857.12.
For furniture, carpets, and safes for public buildings, $2.44.
For furniture, carpets, and safes for public buildings, Post Office Department, 44 cents.
For indemnities, domestic mail, $75.50.
For miscellaneous items, first and second class post offices, $80.97.
For operating force for public buildings, Post Office Department, $45.
For rural delivery service, $79.35.
For special delivery fees, $2.25.
For transportation of equipment and supplies, $18.85.
For vehicle service, $2,239.20.

Total, audited claims, section 204 (b), $195,242.34, together with such additional sum due to increases in rates of exchange as may be necessary to pay claims in the foreign currency and interest as specified in certain of the settlements of the General Accounting Office.

SEC. 205. For the payment of claims allowed by the General Accounting Office pursuant to Public Act Numbered 505 of the Seventy-sixth Congress, approved May 2, 1940, which have been certified to Congress under section 2 of the Act of July 7, 1884 (U. S. C., title 5, sec. 266), in Senate Document Numbered 279, and House Document Numbered 903, Seventy-sixth Congress, $582,494.01.

Judgments against collectors of customs.

SEC. 206. Judgments against collectors of customs: For the payment of claims allowed by the General Accounting Office covering judgments rendered by the United States District Court, Western District of Washington, Northern Division, and the United States District Court for the Southern District of New York, against collectors of customs, where a certificate of probable cause has been issued as provided for under section 989, Revised Statutes (28 U. S. C. 842), and certified to the Seventy-sixth Congress in Senate Document Numbered 276, and House Document Numbered 909, under the following departments:

- Department of Labor, $529.51;
- Department of Justice, $1,165;
- In all, $1,694.51.

Payment of claim.

SEC. 207. For the payment of claim allowed by the General Accounting Office pursuant to the Acts of January 12, 1899, and May 26, 1900, which has been certified to Congress under the Permanent Appropriations Repeal Act, approved June 26, 1934 (31 U. S. C. 725b), in Senate Document Numbered 277, Seventy-sixth Congress, $26.

Architect of the Capitol.

SEC. 208. (a) The Architect of the Capitol is hereby authorized and directed to carry into effect for the House of Representatives, and to exercise the authorities contained in, the Resolution of the House of Representatives numbered 590, adopted September 5, 1940, and any other resolution of such House amendatory thereof or supplemental thereto hereafter adopted. Such authority and direction shall continue until the House of Representatives shall by resolution otherwise order.

(b) There is hereby established with the Treasurer of the United States a special deposit account in the name of the Architect of the Capitol for the House of Representatives Restaurant, into which shall be deposited all sums received pursuant to such resolution or resolutions and from the operations thereunder and from which shall be disbursed the sums necessary in connection with the exercise of the duties required under such resolution or resolutions and the operations thereunder. Any appropriation hereafter made from the Treasury of the United States for such restaurant shall be a part of the appropriation "Contingent Expenses, House of Representa-
atives, Miscellaneous Items", for the particular fiscal year involved and each such part shall be paid to the Architect of the Capitol by the Clerk of the House of Representatives in such sum as such appropriation or appropriations shall hereafter specify and shall be deposited by such Architect in full in such special deposit account.

(c) Deposits and disbursements under such special deposit account (1) shall be made by the Architect, or, when directed by him, by such employees of the Architect as he may designate, and (2) shall be subject to audit by the General Accounting Office at such times and in such manner as the Comptroller General may direct: Provided, That payments made by or under the direction of the Architect of the Capitol from such special deposit account shall be conclusive upon all officers of the government.

(d) The Architect, Assistant Architect, and any employees of the Architect designated by the Architect under subsection (c) hereof shall each give bond in the sum of $5,000 with such surety as the Secretary of the Treasury may approve for the handling of the financial transactions under such special deposit account.

Sec. 209. This Act may be cited as the "First Supplemental Civil Functions Appropriation Act, 1941".

Approved, October 9, 1940.

[CHAPTER 781]

AN ACT

To authorize the leasing of certain Indian lands subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That notwithstanding any other provision of law, any Indian lands on the Port Madison and Snohomish or Tulalip Indian Reservations in the State of Washington, may be leased by the Indians with the approval of the Secretary of the Interior, and upon such terms and conditions as he may prescribe, for a term not exceeding twenty-five years: Provided, however, That such leases may provide for renewal for an additional term not exceeding twenty-five years, and the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to prescribe such rules and regulations as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act.

Approved, October 9, 1940.

[CHAPTER 782]

AN ACT

For the relief of certain former disbursing officers for the Civil Works Administration and the Federal Emergency Relief Administration.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Comptroller General of the United States be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed to allow credit in the accounts of disbursing officers for payments made in good faith on public account from appropriations made available to the Civil Works Administration and the Federal Emergency Relief Administration for expenditure, notwithstanding the failure to comply with requirements of existing law or regulations: Provided, That the Commissioner of Work Projects or his duly authorized representative shall certify that the payments appear to be free from fraud or collusion on the part of the disbursing officer making the payment.