

# ACTS OF THE TWENTY-SIXTH CONGRESS

OF THE

## UNITED STATES,

*Passed at the second session, which was begun and held at the City of Washington, in the district of Columbia, on Monday, the 7th day of December, 1840, and ended the 3d day of March, 1841.*

MARTIN VAN BUREN, President. RICHARD M. JOHNSON, Vice President of the United States, and President of the Senate. ROBERT M. T. HUNTER, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

### STATUTE II.

Dec. 18, 1840.

[Obsolete.]

CHAP. I.—*An Act making appropriations, in part, for the support of Government for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, viz :

For pay and mileage of members of Congress and delegates, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

For pay of the officers and clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other incidental and contingent expenses of the Senate, twenty-five thousand dollars.

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other incidental and contingent expenses of the House of Representatives, one hundred thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That a sum not exceeding twelve thousand dollars, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the payment of the sums due by law to the several messengers of the respective States, as compensation for conveying to the seat of Government the vote of the electors of the said States for President and Vice President of the United States.

APPROVED, December 18, 1840.

### STATUTE II.

Jan. 14, 1841.

CHAP. II.—*An Act supplementary to an act to abolish imprisonment for debt in certain cases. (a)*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the act entitled "An act to abolish imprisonment for debt in certain cases," approved February twenty-eighth, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, shall be so construed as to abolish imprisonment for debt, on process issuing out of any court of the United States, in all cases whatever, where, by the laws of the State in which the said court shall be held, imprisonment for debt has been, or shall hereafter be, abolished.

APPROVED, January 14, 1841.

Members of Congress.

Officers of the Senate and H. of Reps.

Expenses of Senate.

Expenses of H. of Reps.

Pay to messengers for bringing the electoral votes.

Construction to be given to the act of 28th Feb. 1839, ch. 35.

(a) Notes of the acts which have been passed relating to imprisonment for debt, vol. 1, 265.

CHAP. III.—*An Act further to amend the act entitled "An act to provide for taking the sixth census or enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States," approved March third, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That it shall and may be lawful for such of the assistants to the marshals, in the respective States and Territories, who have not, before the passage of this act, made their respective returns to such marshals under the act hereby amended, to complete their enumerations and make their returns, under the said act, at any time before the first day of May, eighteen hundred and forty-one, and for the marshals of such States and Territories to make their returns to the Secretary of State at any time before the first of June, eighteen hundred and forty-one; *Provided,* That nothing herein contained shall be deemed to release such marshals and assistants from the penalties contained in the act aforesaid, unless their returns shall be made within the time prescribed in this act: *And provided, further,* That no person be included in the returns made under the present act, unless such persons shall have been inhabitants of the district for which such returns shall be made, on the first day of June, one thousand eight hundred and forty.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That so much of the eleventh section of the act for taking the sixth census as applies to the printing, under the direction of the Secretary of State, of the aggregate returns received from the marshals, be so construed as to apply equally to the census of pensioners, and the statistical aggregates returned by said marshals: *And be it further provided,* That for arranging and preparing the census of pensioners required by the thirteenth section of the act for taking the sixth census and for the compiling and supervision of the printing of the statistical returns taken under said act, there be allowed to the superintending clerk, upon the completion of the work, such compensation as the Secretary of State may deem just and equitable, not exceeding the rate heretofore allowed for compiling the statistics of the third census; and that an allowance be made to the disbursing agent of the Department of State for the extra duties which have been, or may be, imposed upon him on account of the sixth census, in relation to its preparatory measures, the accounts of the marshals, and the disbursements, at a rate not exceeding that allowed him for his services in relation to the fifth census, according to the time he shall have been engaged in such duties.

APPROVED January 14, 1841.

CHAP. V.—*An Act to authorize the issuing of Treasury Notes. (a)*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the President of the United States is hereby authorized to cause Treasury notes to be issued for such sum or sums as the exigencies of the Government may require; but not exceeding the sum of five millions of dollars of this emission, outstanding at any one time, to be reimbursed in the last quarters of the year, if the condition of the Treasury will permit it, and to be issued under the limitations and other provisions, contained in the act, entitled "An act to authorize the issuing of Treasury notes," approved the twelfth day of October, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-seven, and as modified by an act, entitled "An act additional to the act on the subject of Treasury notes," approved the thirty-first day

STATUTE II.  
Jan. 14, 1841.

Act of March 3, 1839, ch. 80.

The time allowed for making enumerations and returns, extended.

Proviso.

Further proviso.

Construction of 11th sec. act 3d March 1839, ch. 80, with regard to printing the returns.

Extra compensation to the clerk superintending the execution of said act.

Extra compensation to the disbursing agent of State dept.

STATUTE II.  
Feb. 15, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

An emission of not exceeding \$5,000,000 at any one time outstanding, authorized.

To be issued under the act of 12th Oct. 1837, chap. 2, as modified by the act of 31st March 1840, ch. 5.

(a) Notes of the acts which have been passed relating to the issuing and reimbursement of Treasury notes, vol. 2, 766.

This law to  
expire in one  
year.  
Proviso.

of March, one thousand eight hundred and forty, except that this law shall expire in one year from and after its passage: *Provided*, That in case the Treasury notes outstanding and unredeemed, issued under former laws of Congress, added to the amount of such notes issued under this act, and actually expended or issued to meet payments due and payable before the fourth day of March next, shall, on the fourth day of March next, exceed the sum of five millions of dollars, then the President of the United States shall be, and he is hereby, authorized to issue, by virtue of the provisions of this act, such further amount of the said notes as will make the whole amount issued under this act, and applicable to payments falling due after the third day of March next, the full sum of five millions of dollars.

APPROVED, February 15, 1841.

STATUTE II.

Feb. 18, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

CHAP. VI.—*An Act making appropriations for the payment of revolutionary and other pensioners of the United States, for the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, and for other purposes.*

Appropriations.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, in addition to former appropriations, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the pensioners of the United States, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one:

Revolutionary pensioners.  
1818, ch. 19.

For the revolutionary pensioners under the act of the eighteenth of March, one thousand eight hundred and eighteen, three hundred and fourteen thousand dollars;

Invalid pensions.

For payment of invalid pensions, one hundred and seven thousand dollars;

Widows and orphans.  
1836, ch. 362.

For pensions to widows and orphans under the act of the fourth of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, four hundred and forty-eight thousand two hundred and forty-one dollars;

Five years' pensions to widows.  
1838, ch. 189.

For five years' pensions to widows under the act of the seventh of July one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, one hundred and sixty-eight thousand three hundred and fourteen dollars;

Half-pay pensions.

For half-pay pensions, payable through the offices of the Second and Third Auditors, five thousand dollars;

Arrearages.

For arrearages, payable through the Second Auditor's office, six hundred dollars;

For arrearages, payable through the Third Auditor's office, one thousand dollars.

Removal, &c. of Seminoles.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That one hundred thousand dollars be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, for the removal, subsistence, and benefit of such of the Seminole Indian chiefs and warriors as may surrender for emigration.

No arms to be delivered to them until, &c.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That no rifles, or arms of any kind, shall be delivered to said Indians until they reach the western boundary of the State of Arkansas.

APPROVED, February 18, 1841.

STATUTE II.

Feb. 18, 1841.

Act of April 18, 1806, ch. 31.

CHAP. VII.—*An Act to amend an act entitled "An act to authorize the State of Tennessee to issue grants and perfect titles to certain lands therein described, and to settle the claims to the vacant and unappropriated lands within the same," passed the eighteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and six.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the State of Tennessee be, and hereby is, constituted the agent of the Government of the

United States, with full power and authority to sell and dispose of the vacant, unappropriated, and refuse lands, within the limits of said State, lying south and west of the line commonly called the Congressional Reservation line, and described in the act to which this is an amendment; subject, nevertheless, to the following conditions and limitations, to wit:

Tennessee to dispose of certain lands within said State.

First. The State of Tennessee shall satisfy all legal and bona fide claims of North Carolina upon said lands, by making provision, by law, that the holders of land warrants under the authority of the State of North Carolina, may locate the same upon the lands not previously located upon, or claimed as occupant pre-emptions, within one year from the time that the State of Tennessee shall make provision for carrying this act into effect; and in default of such location within the said term of one year, the said warrants may be satisfied by the payment of twelve and a half cents per acre for the number of acres contained in each warrant, to be paid out of the proceeds of the sale of said land: *Provided*, The holders shall present such warrant to the proper authorities for payment of the same within two years from the action of the Legislature of the State of Tennessee hereon: *And provided, furthermore*, That if the said warrants shall not be satisfied, either by the location of land within one year, or their presentation for payment within two years as aforesaid, the holders shall be for ever barred of all further claim or right to demand the same.

Tennessee to satisfy all legal and bona fide claims of North Carolina upon said lands.

Second. In entering, purchasing, and disposing of said lands, or obtaining grants of the same, all and every person or persons, the legal representative of such person or persons, and the rightful assignee of such person or persons, as are entitled to the right of occupancy and pre-emption according to the laws of the State of Tennessee, shall have the preference in the entry or purchase of their occupant and pre-emption rights, at the price of twelve and a half cents per acre, not exceeding two hundred acres each.

Persons entitled to occupancy and pre-emption by the laws of Tennessee, to have the preference.

Third. After satisfying the claims and rights aforesaid, the State of Tennessee shall offer for sale the rest and residue of said lands, in such manner, in such quantities, and by such description, as may be most convenient; and, for the full term of three years from and after the time herein allowed for the location of North Carolina land warrants, may sell and dispose of, and perfect titles to the same, at a price not less than twelve and a half cents per acre. And so much of the said land as may remain unsold at the expiration of the said term of three years, shall be disposed of as aforesaid, within the further term of three years, at such price per acre as it may bring in open market: *Provided*, That the proceeds of the sale of said lands, over and above so much thereof as shall be necessary to the satisfaction of said North Carolina claims, shall be accounted for and paid over by the State of Tennessee to the United States in the month of January annually.

Tennessee to dispose of the residue of said lands—how.

APPROVED, February 18, 1841.

STATUTE II.

CHAP. XI.—*An Act to make further provision for the expenses of an exploration and survey of that part of the northeastern boundary line of the United States which separates the States of Maine and New Hampshire from the British provinces.*

Feb. 27, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars, in addition to the sum heretofore provided, be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to enable the President of the United States to cause to be made and completed an exploration and survey of that part of the northeastern boundary line of the United States and

Appropriation for exploration and survey.

the adjacent country, which separates the States of Maine and New Hampshire from the British provinces.

APPROVED, February 27, 1841.

STATUTE II.

Feb. 27, 1841.  
1848, ch. 86.

The land selected by Indiana under act of 2d March 1827, ch. 56, confirmed to her.

Indiana authorized to select other lands in lieu of those subject to pre-emption, &c.

Proviso.

CHAP. XII.—*An Act to confirm to the State of Indiana the land selected by her for that portion of the Wabash and Erie canal which lies between the mouth of the Tippecanoe river and Terre Haute, and for other purposes. (a)*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That there be, and there hereby is, confirmed to the State of Indiana, the land selected by her, under the provisions of the act of second of March, eighteen hundred and twenty-seven, entitled "An act to grant a certain quantity of land to the State of Indiana, for the purpose of aiding the State in opening a canal to connect the waters of the Wabash with those of Lake Erie," for that portion of the canal between the mouth of the Tippecanoe river and Terre Haute, as returned by said State to the Secretary of the Treasury.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That should any of said lands, at the time of their selection and location by the State, have been subject to any right of pre-emption, or other legal incumbrance, the State of Indiana shall be, and she hereby is, authorized to select, of any lands subject to private entry in said State, other lands in lieu of so much thereof as may be so incumbered, and, upon return of a description of the same to the Secretary of the Treasury, the same shall be, and hereby is, confirmed to the State: *Provided,* That no more land shall be selected, or hereby confirmed, than a quantity equal to one half of five sections in width on each side of said canal, from the mouth of the Tippecanoe river to Terre Haute.

APPROVED, February 27, 1841.

STATUTE II.

Feb. 27, 1841.  
[Expired.]

Further continuation of act of Jan. 18, 1837, ch. 5, for two years.

1833, ch. 177.

CHAP. XIII.—*An Act further to continue in force the act for the payment of horses and other property lost in the military service of the United States.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the act entitled "An act to provide for the payment of horses and other property lost or destroyed in the military service of the United States," approved on the eighteenth day of January, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, and which was continued in force for two years from the end of the second session of the twenty-fifth Congress, by an act entitled "An act to continue in force the act for the payment of horses and other property lost in the military service," approved on the seventh of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, be, and the same is hereby, further continued in force for two years from the end of the present session of Congress.

APPROVED, February 27, 1841.

STATUTE II.

March 2, 1841.  
[Obsolete.]

Appropriation.

CHAP. XXI.—*An Act making an appropriation to defray the expense of a delegation of the Seminole Indians west of the Mississippi to Florida, 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 sum of fifteen thousand dollars be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to defray the expense of a delegation of the Seminole Indians west of the Mississippi; and other agents

(a) An act to grant certain lands to the State of Indiana, the better to enable the said State to extend and complete the Wabash and Erie canal from Terre Haute to the Ohio river; March 3, 1845, chap. 42.

engaged in an attempt to effect a pacification with the hostile portion of that tribe in Florida.

APPROVED, March 2, 1841.

CHAP. XXIV.—*An Act making appropriations for certain fortifications of the United States, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, for the preservation, repairs, construction, and incidental and contingent expenses of certain fortifications, in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, viz. :

For repairs of Fort Independence and sea-wall of Castle island, thirty-five thousand dollars ;

For Fort Warren, forty-five thousand dollars ;

For Fort Adams, thirty-five thousand dollars ;

For fortifications at New London harbor, fifteen thousand dollars ;

For Fort Schuyler, thirty thousand dollars ;

For permanent wharves for Fort Columbus, Castle William, and South battery, Governor's island, ten thousand dollars ;

For repairs of sea-wall of Castle William, and other parts of Governor's island, ten thousand dollars ;

For repairs of Fort Gibson, New York harbor, five thousand dollars ;

For repairs of Fort Washington, fifteen thousand dollars ;

For Fort Monroe, thirty-five thousand dollars ;

For Fort Calhoun, ten thousand dollars ;

For repairs of Fort Macon, fifteen thousand dollars ;

For the preservation of the site of Fort Macon, North Carolina, twenty-five thousand dollars ;

For Fort Sumter, sixty thousand dollars ;

For repairs of Castle Pinckney, two thousand dollars ;

For Fort Pulaski, fifteen thousand dollars ;

For Fort Pickens, ten thousand dollars ;

For Fort Barancas, thirty thousand dollars ;

For Fort Livingston, thirty thousand dollars ;

For the repairs of Fort Mifflin, five thousand dollars ;

For contingencies of fortifications, five thousand dollars ;

For incidental expenses attending repairs of fortifications, ten thousand dollars ;

For repairs of sea-wall on Deer island, Boston harbor, one thousand five hundred dollars ;

For repairs of sea-wall on Rainsford island, Boston harbor, one thousand dollars ;

For continuing sea-wall at St. Augustine, fifteen thousand dollars ;

For the preservation of the site of Fort Johnson, sixteen thousand dollars.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

Appropriations.

Fort Independence.

Fort Warren.

Fort Adams.

New London harbor.

Fort Schuyler.

Ft. Columbus.

Castle Wil-

liam and South

battery.

Castle Wil-

liam.

Fort Gibson.

Fort Washing-

ton.

Fort Monroe.

Fort Calhoun.

Fort Macon.

Fort Sumter.

Castle Pinck-

ney.

Fort Pulaski.

Fort Pickens.

Fort Barancas.

Ft. Livingston.

Fort Mifflin.

Contingencies.

Incidental ex-

penditures.

Deer island.

Rainsford isl.

St. Augustine.

Fort Johnson.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

Appropriations.

CHAP. XXV.—*An Act to provide for the support of the Military Academy for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of the Military Academy for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, viz. :

For pay of officers, cadets, and musicians, sixty thousand five hundred and twenty-four dollars ;

Pay.

Subsistence.	For the subsistence of officers and cadets, forty thousand and seventy-seven dollars;
Forage of officers' horses.	For forage of officers' horses, five thousand one hundred and eighty-four dollars;
Clothing.	For clothing of officers' servants, four hundred and twenty dollars;
Board of Visitors.	For defraying the expenses of the Board of Visitors at West Point, two thousand dollars;
Fuel, forage, &c.	For fuel, forage, stationery, printing, transportation and postage, twelve thousand five hundred and eighty-one dollars forty-five cents;
Repairs, &c.	For repairs, improvements, and expenses of buildings, grounds, roads, wharves, boats and fences, seven thousand seven hundred and fifty-seven dollars and fifty cents;
Clerks.	For pay of adjutant's and disbursing officer's clerks, nine hundred and fifty dollars;
Library.	For increase and expenses of the library, one thousand dollars;
Binding books.	For progress with binding books injured at the fire in February, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and imported stitched, three hundred dollars;
Miscellaneous.	For miscellaneous items, and incidental expenses, seven hundred and twenty-six dollars and twenty-five cents;
Department of Engineering.	For the department of engineering, three hundred dollars;
Philosophy.	For the department of philosophy, eight hundred and eighty-seven dollars [and] thirty-three cents;
Chemistry.	For the department of chemistry, five hundred and twenty-five dollars;
Drawing.	For the department of drawing, two hundred and seventy-five dollars;
Mathematics.	For the department of mathematics, seventy-five dollars;
Artillery.	For the department of artillery, three hundred and ten dollars;
Completing buildings.	For completing the re-construction of the buildings for the library, engineer, chemical, and philosophical departments, commenced under the act of July seven, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, seven thousand five hundred and eighty-one dollars [and] thirty-seven cents;
Surveys west of the Mississippi.	For military and geographical surveys west of the Mississippi river, twenty thousand dollars;
Balance due Lyon & Howard.	SEC. 2. <i>And be it further enacted</i> , That there be, and hereby is, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four thousand three hundred and sixty-nine dollars, to pay a balance certified by the Topographical Bureau to be due to Lyon and Howard, as the balance upon a contract for building two steam dredging machines upon Lake Michigan.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

CHAP. XXVI.—*An Act to confirm land patents.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That all patents for public lands, which have been issued from the General Land Office since the passing of the act, entitled "An act for the establishment of a General Land Office in the department of the Treasury," passed on the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twelve, in the name of the President of the United States, instead of being "in the name of the United States," as prescribed in the eighth section of said act: and all patents for public lands, which have been issued from the said General Land Office since the passing of the act entitled "An act to reorganize the General Land Office," passed the fourth day of July, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, and which have been countersigned by the recorder of the General Land Office, or other person, acting in his stead, instead of being countersigned by the Commissioner of the General Land Office, as prescribed in the act of the twenty-fifth

Certain patents confirmed.

Act of April 25, 1812, ch. 68.

Act of July 4, 1836, ch. 352.

day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twelve; and all patents which have been issued from said General Land Office since the passing of the act entitled "An act prescribing the mode by which patents for public lands shall be signed and executed," passed the second day of March, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-three, and which have been subscribed by a secretary duly appointed, pursuant to the provisions of said act, with the printed or written name of the President prefixed to the personal signature of such secretary, in the execution of such patents, notwithstanding the name of the President may not have been written personally by the secretary, shall be deemed, taken, and held, good and valid patents in law, and shall have all the force and effect to pass from the United States to the patentee or patentees named in such patents, respectively, their heirs, executors, administrators, and assigns, the lands described therein, as though, in each and all the respects before enumerated, the patents, in their form and manner of execution, had conformed to the requirements of law.

Act of March 2, 1833, ch. 91.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That from and after the passing of this act, it shall be the duty of the recorder of the General Land Office, in addition to the duties now required of him by law, to countersign all patents issued from said office, instead of the same being countersigned by the Commissioner, as required by the eighth section of the act entitled "An act for the establishment of a General Land Office in the department of the Treasury," passed the twenty-fifth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and twelve.

Patents, how to be countersigned.

1812, ch. 68.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

CHAP. XXXIII.—*An Act making appropriations for the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.*

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

*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, appropriated for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, for the purpose of paying the current expenses of the Indian Department, fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes, and contingent expenses; to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Appropriations.

For the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, viz:

For the pay of the superintendent of Indian Affairs at St. Louis, and the several Indian agents, as provided by the acts of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, and of March third, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, sixteen thousand five hundred dollars;

Superintendent.

1834, ch. 161.  
1837, ch. 31.

For the pay of sub-agents authorized by the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and thirty-four, thirteen thousand dollars;

Sub-agents.  
1834, ch. 161

For the pay of interpreters, as authorized by the same act, eleven thousand three hundred dollars;

Interpreters.

For the purchase of provisions for Indians, at the distribution of annuities while on visits of business with the superintendents and agents, and when assembled on public business, eleven thousand eight hundred dollars;

Provisions.

For the necessary buildings required at the several agencies, and repairs thereof, two thousand dollars;

Buildings.

For postages, rents, stationery, fuel for offices, and other contingencies of the Indian Department, and for transportation and incidental expenses, thirty-six thousand five hundred dollars;

Contingent expenses.

For the salary of one clerk, in the office of the superintendent of Indian affairs south of the Missouri river, one thousand dollars;

Clerk.



Carrying into effect treaties and laws with Christian Indians.	For carrying into effect the stipulations of certain Indian treaties, and the laws connected therewith, viz :
Chippewas.	For the Christian Indians, four hundred dollars ;
	For the Chippewas of the Mississippi, thirty-five thousand dollars ;
	For the Chippewas of Saganaw, five thousand eight hundred dollars ;
Chippewas, Menomonies, &c.	For the Chippewas, Menomonies, Winnebagoes, and New York Indians, one thousand five hundred dollars ;
Chippewas, Ottawas, &c.	For the Chippewas, Ottawas, and Pottawatamies, thirty-four thousand two hundred and ninety dollars ;
Choctaws.	For the Choctaws, forty-nine thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars ;
Creeks.	For the Creeks, sixty-three thousand nine hundred and forty dollars ;
Chickasaws.	For the Chickasaws, six thousand dollars ;
Cherokees.	For the Cherokees, seven thousand six hundred and forty dollars ;
Delawares.	For the Delawares, ten thousand three hundred and forty-four dollars ;
Florida Ind'ns.	For the Florida Indians, nine thousand six hundred and ten dollars ;
Iowas.	For the Iowas, seven thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars ;
Kickapoos.	For the Kickapoos, five thousand five hundred dollars ;
Kaskaskias and Peorias.	For the Kaskaskias and Peorias, three thousand dollars ;
Kanzas.	For the Kanzas, six thousand and forty dollars ;
Miamies.	For the Miamies, fifty-two thousand eight hundred and seventy-eight dollars ;
Eel Rivers.	For the Eel Rivers, one thousand one hundred dollars ;
Menomonies.	For the Menomonies, thirty-one thousand eight hundred and thirty dollars ;
Omahas.	For the Omahas, one thousand four hundred and forty dollars ;
Ottawas and Chippewas.	For the Ottawas and Chippewas, sixty-two thousand three hundred and sixty-five dollars ;
Ottoes and Missouriias.	For the Ottoes and Missouriias, five thousand six hundred and forty dollars ;
Osages.	For the Osages, thirty-four thousand four hundred and six dollars ;
Ottawas.	For the Ottawas, four thousand three hundred dollars ;
Pottawatamies.	For the Pottawatamies, twenty thousand two hundred dollars ;
	For the Pottawatamies of Huron, four hundred dollars ;
	For the Pottawatamies of the Prairie, sixteen thousand dollars ;
	For the Pottawatamies of the Wabash, twenty thousand dollars ;
	For the Pottawatamies of Indiana, seventeen thousand dollars ;
Piankeshaws.	For the Piankeshaws, eight hundred dollars ;
Pawnees.	For the Pawnees, nine thousand six hundred dollars ;
Quapaws.	For the Quapaws, four thousand six hundred and sixty dollars ;
Six Nations.	For the Six Nations of New York, four thousand five hundred dollars ;
Senecas.	For the Senecas of New York, six thousand dollars ;
Sioux.	For the Sioux of the Mississippi, forty thousand five hundred and ten dollars ;
	For the Yancton and Santie Sioux, one thousand three hundred and forty dollars ;
Sacs and Foxes.	For the Sacs and Foxes of the Missouri, seven thousand eight hundred and seventy dollars ;
	For the Sacs and Foxes of the Mississippi, forty-eight thousand five hundred and forty dollars ;
Shawnees.	For the Shawnees, seven thousand one hundred and eighty dollars ;
Senecas and Shawnees.	For the Senecas and Shawnees, two thousand and sixty dollars ;
Senecas.	For the Senecas, two thousand six hundred and sixty dollars ;
Wyandots.	For the Wyandots, six thousand eight hundred and forty dollars ;
Weas.	For the Weas, three thousand dollars ;
Wyandots, Munsees, &c.	For the Wyandots, Munsees, and Delawares, one thousand dollars ;

For the Winnebagoes, ninety-two thousand eight hundred and sixty dollars.	Winnebagoes.
SEC. 2. <i>And be it further enacted</i> , That the following sums of money be appropriated for the purpose of extinguishing the Indian title, namely;	Extinguishing the title of the
Three thousand dollars to defray the expenses of holding a treaty with the Wyandot Indians in the State of Ohio;	Wyandots.
Five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of holding treaties with the Indian tribes for the extinguishment of their titles to their lands within the limits of the State of Michigan;	Indian tribes in Michigan.
Five thousand dollars to defray the expenses of holding a treaty with the Sacs and Fox, Winnebago and Sioux tribes of Indians, for their title to their lands in the Territory of Iowa;	Sacs and Foxes, Winnebagoes, Sioux.
For expenses of making the treaty of twenty-eighth November, eighteen hundred and forty, with the Miamies, and of obtaining their assent to the amendments of the Senate by its resolution of the twenty-fifth February, eighteen hundred and forty-one, five thousand dollars;	Expenses of the treaty with the Miamies of Nov. 28th, 1840, &c.
APPROVED, March 3, 1841.	

STATUTE II.

CHAP. XXXIV.—*An Act making appropriations for the naval service for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.* March 3, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

<i>Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled</i> , That the following sums be appropriated, in addition to the unexpended balances of former appropriations, out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, for the naval service, for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one, viz:	Appropriations.
For pay of commission, warrant, and petty officers, and seamen, two million three hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars;	Pay of officers and seamen.
For pay of superintendents, naval constructors, and all the civil establishments at the several yards, forty thousand dollars;	Pay of sup'dts &c. at yards.
For provisions, five hundred thousand dollars;	Provisions.
For increase, repair, armament, and equipment of the navy, and wear and tear of vessels in commission, two millions of dollars; four hundred thousand dollars of which sum shall be expended in building and equipping war steamers of medium size;	Increase, repairs, &c. War steamers.
For medicines and surgical instruments, hospital stores, and other expenses on account of the sick, thirty thousand dollars;	Medicines, &c.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard at Portsmouth, New Hampshire, twenty-five thousand dollars;	Navy yards at Portsmouth.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard at Charlestown, Massachusetts, forty-two thousand two hundred dollars;	Charlestown.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard at Brooklyn, New York, seventy-eight thousand eight hundred dollars;	Brooklyn.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, nine thousand dollars;	Philadelphia.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard at Washington, District of Columbia, eleven thousand dollars;	Washington.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard at Gosport, Virginia, forty-nine thousand dollars;	Gosport.
For improvement and necessary repairs of the navy yard near Pensacola, Florida, twenty thousand dollars;	Pensacola.
For defraying the expenses that may accrue for the following purposes, viz: For freight and transportation of materials and stores of every description; for wharfage and dockage; storage and rent; traveling expenses of officers, and transportation of seamen; house rent to pursers, when duly authorized; for funeral expenses; for commissions, clerk hire, office rent, stationery, and fuel to navy agents; for premiums	Miscellaneous expenses.

and incidental expenses of recruiting; for apprehending deserters; for compensation to judges advocate; for per diem allowance to persons attending courts-martial and courts of inquiry, or other services authorized by law; for printing and stationery of every description, and for working the lithographic press; for books, maps, charts, mathematical and nautical instruments, chronometers, models, and drawings; for the purchase and repair of fire engines and machinery; for the repair of steam engines in navy yards; for the purchase and maintenance of oxen and horses, and for carts, timber wheels, and workmen's tools of every description; for postage of letters on public service; for pilotage and towing ships of war; for taxes and assessments on public property; for assistance rendered to vessels in distress; for incidental labor at navy yards, not applicable to any other appropriation; for coal and other fuel, and for candles and oil, for the use of navy yards and shore stations, and for no other object or purpose whatever, four hundred and fifty thousand dollars;

- Contingent expenses. For contingent expenses for objects not hereinbefore enumerated, three thousand dollars;
- Hospital at Charlestown. For necessary repairs of the hospital building at Charlestown, Massachusetts, one thousand five hundred dollars;
- Brooklyn. For necessary repairs of the hospital building at Brooklyn, New York, three thousand dollars;
- Norfolk. For necessary repairs of the hospital building at Norfolk, Virginia, two thousand dollars;
- Pensacola. For necessary repairs of the hospital building at Pensacola, Florida, one thousand five hundred dollars;
- Pay of marine corps, &c. For pay of officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, privates, and servants serving on shore, and subsistence of officers of the marine corps, one hundred and seventy-six thousand nine hundred and twenty-seven dollars;
- Provisions. For provisions for the non-commissioned officers, musicians, privates, and servants and washerwomen serving on shore, forty-five thousand and fifty-four dollars;
- Clothing. For clothing, forty-three thousand six hundred and sixty-two dollars;
- Fuel. For fuel, sixteen thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars;
- Barracks. For keeping barracks in repair, and for rent of temporary barracks, at New York, six thousand dollars;
- Transportation. For transportation of officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates, and expenses of recruiting, eight thousand dollars;
- Medicines, &c. For medicines, hospital supplies, surgical instruments, pay of matron and hospital stewards, four thousand one hundred and forty dollars;
- Military stores, &c. For military stores, pay of armorers, keeping arms in repair, accoutrements, ordnance stores, flags, drums, fifes, and other instruments, two thousand three hundred dollars;
- Contingent expenses. For contingent expenses of said corps, viz: for freight, ferriage, toll, wharfage, and cartage; for per diem allowance for attending courts-martial and courts of inquiry, compensation to judges-advocate, house rent where there are no public quarters assigned, per diem allowance to enlisted men on constant labor, expenses of burying deceased marines, printing, stationery, forage, postage on public letters, expenses in pursuit of deserters, candles and oil, straw, barrack-furniture, bed-sacks, spades, axes, shovels, picks, carpenters' tools, and for keeping a horse for the messenger, seventeen thousand nine hundred and eighty dollars;
- Lt. Hunter's invention. For the purpose of making a satisfactory experiment of Lieutenant Hunter's invention to propel war steamers by horizontal wheels that will be safe from the balls of an enemy, one thousand dollars;
- Collections of exploring expedition. For defraying the expense of transporting to the city of Washington and arranging and preserving the collections made by the exploring expedition, five thousand dollars.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

CHAP. XXXV. — *An Act making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of the Government for the year eighteen hundred and forty-one.*

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any unappropriated money in the Treasury, viz :

For pay and mileage of the members of Congress and delegates, one hundred and eleven thousand four hundred and eight dollars ;

For pay of the officers and clerks of the Senate and House of Representatives, nineteen thousand nine hundred dollars ;

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other contingent expenses of the Senate, thirty-five thousand dollars ;

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other contingent expenses of the House of Representatives, fifteen thousand dollars ; The two sums last mentioned, to be applied to the payment of the ordinary expenditures of the Senate and House of Representatives severally, and to no other purpose. And the accounting officers of the Treasury Department are hereby directed in the settlement of the accounts of the contingent expenses of the Senate and House of Representatives, to credit the payments made in pursuance of the resolutions of the Senate of the eighteenth of July, eighteen hundred and forty, and the resolution of the House of Representatives of the twenty-first of July, eighteen hundred and forty : and nothing herein contained shall be construed to authorize or sanction any contract for stationery or other articles for the use of the next Congress by any officer of the present Congress to an amount exceeding in the whole two thousand dollars ;

For compensation to the President and Vice President of the United States, the Secretary of State, the Secretary of the Treasury, Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, and the Postmaster General, sixty thousand dollars ;

For salary of the secretary to sign patents for public lands, per act of July fourth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, fifteen hundred dollars ;

For clerks and messengers in the office of the Secretary of State, twenty thousand three hundred dollars ;

For the contingent expenses of the Department of State, including publishing and distributing the laws, twenty-five thousand dollars ;

For compiling, printing, &c., the Biennial Register, one thousand dollars ;

For the superintendent and watchmen of the northeast executive building, one thousand five hundred dollars ;

For the contingent expenses of said building, including fuel, labor, oil, and repairs, three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars ;

For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, sixteen thousand four hundred and fifty dollars ;

For compensation to the clerks in said office, per act of the twenty-third June, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, entitled " An act to regulate the deposits of the public money," three thousand six hundred dollars ;

For compensation to the First Comptroller of the Treasury, three thousand five hundred dollars ;

For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the First Comptroller, nineteen thousand three hundred dollars ;

For compensation to the Second Comptroller, three thousand dollars ;

For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Second Comptroller, including the compensation of two clerks transferred from the office of the Fourth Auditor, twelve thousand two hundred and fifty dollars ;

Appropriations.

Members of Congress.

Officers of the Senate and House of Reps. Expenses of Senate.

Expenses of House of Reps.

Contracts for articles for the next Congress, to an amount exceeding 2000 dollars, not authorized.

President, Vice President, and heads of departments.

Secretary to sign patents for lands. Off. Sec.State.

Biennial Register.

Superint't and watchmen N.E. Ex. building.

Office Sec. Treasury. Clerks and messengers.

1836, ch. 115.

First Comptroller.

Clerks and messengers.

Second Comptroller. Clerks and messengers.

- 1st Auditor. For compensation to the First Auditor of the Treasury, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the First Auditor, fifteen thousand nine hundred dollars;
- 2d Auditor. For compensation to the Second Auditor of the Treasury, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Second Auditor, seventeen thousand nine hundred dollars;
- 3d Auditor. For compensation to the Third Auditor, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Third Auditor, twenty-nine thousand six hundred and fifty dollars;
- 1837, ch. 5. For compensation to two clerks employed on claims, under the act of the eighteenth January, eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, two thousand four hundred dollars;
- 4th Auditor. For compensation to the Fourth Auditor, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Fourth Auditor, sixteen thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars;
- 5th Auditor. For compensation to the Fifth Auditor, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Fifth Auditor, nine thousand eight hundred dollars;
- 1838, ch. 169. For compensation to two clerks in the office of the Fifth Auditor according to the act of the seventh of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, two thousand dollars;
- Treasurer of United States. For compensation to the Treasurer of the United States, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Treasurer of the United States, ten thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars;
- Register of the Treasury. For compensation to the Register of the Treasury, three thousand dollars;
- Clerks and messengers. For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Register of the Treasury, twenty-four thousand two hundred dollars;
- Commissioner of General Land Office. For compensation of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, per act of fourth July, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, three thousand dollars;
- 1836, ch. 352. Other officers in the General Land Office. For compensation of the recorder, solicitor, draughtsman, and assistant draughtsman, clerks, messengers, and packers, in the office of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, ninety-five thousand five hundred dollars;
- Solicitor of the Treasury. For compensation to the Solicitor of the Treasury, three thousand five hundred dollars;
- Clerks and messenger. For compensation to the clerks and messenger in the office of the Solicitor of the Treasury, three thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars;
- Translating, &c. For translating foreign languages, and transmitting passports and sea letters, in the office of the Secretary of the Treasury, three hundred dollars;
- Stating and printing acc'ts. For stating and printing the public accounts, including a deficiency in former appropriations, eighteen hundred dollars;
- Contingent expenses for Office 1st Comptroller. For stationery, printing, and all other contingent expenses of the Treasury Department, viz :
- Off. 2d Comptroller. For the office of the First Comptroller, two thousand dollars;
- Off. 1st Auditor. For the office of the Second Comptroller, fifteen hundred dollars;
- Off. 2d Auditor. For the office of the First Auditor, one thousand dollars;
- Off. 3d Auditor. For the office of the Second Auditor, one thousand dollars;
- Off. 4th Auditor. For the office of the Third Auditor, one thousand dollars;
- Off. 5th Auditor. For the office of the Fourth Auditor, one thousand three hundred and forty-six dollars and forty-three cents;
- For the office of the Fifth Auditor, one thousand dollars;

For the office of the Treasurer of the United States, two thousand dollars;	Off. Treasurer.
For the office of the Register of the Treasury, three thousand dollars;	Off. Register.
For the office of the Solicitor of the Treasury, one thousand five hundred dollars;	Off. Solicitor.
For eighty-three thousand pieces of parchment and printing, books and stationery, advertising, and contingent expenses of the General Land Office; and for books and blanks for the district land offices, twenty-four thousand six hundred and seventy dollars;	General Land Office.
For compensation of the superintendent and watchmen of the south-east executive building, two thousand one hundred dollars;	Superint't and watchmen S. E. exec. building.
For contingent expenses of the building occupied by the Treasury, including fuel, labor, oil, carrying the department mails, and sealing ships' registers, twelve thousand dollars;	
For compensation to the clerks and messengers in the office of the Secretary of War, including the messenger in the bounty land bureau, and the clerkship under the act of April twentieth, eighteen hundred and eighteen, transferred back from Pension Office on the first of March, eighteen hundred and forty, thirteen thousand one hundred and eighty-six dollars and ten cents;	Office Secretary of War. 1818, ch. 87.
For contingent expenses of the office of the Secretary of War, three thousand dollars;	
For books, maps, and plans for the War Department, one thousand dollars;	
For compensation of extra clerks when employed in said office, three thousand dollars;	
For compensation of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, three thousand dollars;	Commissioner of Ind. affairs. Office.
For compensation of the clerks and messenger in the office of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, sixteen thousand four hundred dollars;	
For contingent expenses of said office, two thousand dollars;	
For compensation of the Commissioner of Pensions, two thousand five hundred dollars;	Commissioner of Pensions. Office. 1836, ch. 60.
For compensation to clerks and messengers for the office of the Commissioner of Pensions, authorized by the act of ninth May, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, twelve thousand four hundred dollars;	
For compensation of clerks transferred from the office of the Secretary of War to the office of the Commissioner of Pensions, two thousand seven hundred and ninety-three dollars and forty cents;	1840, ch. 4.
For compensation of one clerk transferred from the Navy Department, per act March fourth, eighteen hundred and forty, sixteen hundred dollars;	1840, ch. 4.
For contingent expenses of said office, one thousand five hundred dollars;	
For compensation of clerk and messenger in the office of the Commanding General, one thousand five hundred dollars;	Off. Comm'dg General.
For contingent expenses of said office, three hundred dollars;	
For compensation to clerks and messenger in the office of the Adjutant General, seven thousand six hundred and fifty dollars;	Off. Adj. Gen.
For contingent expenses of said office, one thousand six hundred dollars;	
For compensation of clerks and messenger in the office of the Quartermaster General, seven thousand three hundred dollars;	Off. Quartermaster General.
For contingent expenses of said office, one thousand dollars;	
For compensation to clerks and messenger in the office of the Paymaster General, seven thousand one hundred dollars;	Off. Paymaster General.
For contingent expenses of said office, eight hundred dollars;	
For compensation of clerks and messenger in the office of the Commissary General of Purchases, four thousand two hundred dollars;	Off. Com. Gen. of Purchases.

- For contingent expenses of said office, eight hundred dollars;
- Off. Com. Gen. of Subsistence. For compensation of clerks and messenger in the office of the Commissary General of Subsistence, four thousand three hundred dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said office, three thousand two hundred dollars;
- Off. Chief Engineer. For compensation of clerks and messenger in the office of the Chief Engineer, five thousand six hundred and fifty dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said office, one thousand five hundred dollars;
- Off. Surgeon General. For compensation to clerk and messenger in the office of the Surgeon General, one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said office, five hundred and fifty dollars;
- 1816, ch. 87. For compensation of a clerk, at one thousand dollars, under the act of April twenty, eighteen hundred and eighteen, transferred from the office of the Secretary of War, to the said office of Surgeon General, one thousand dollars;
- Ordnance Office. For compensation to clerks and messenger in the Ordnance office, eight thousand six hundred and fifty dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said office, one thousand five hundred and fifty dollars;
- Topographical Bureau. For compensation to clerks and messenger in the office of Topographical Bureau, two thousand five hundred dollars;
- For compensation of a clerk, at one thousand four hundred dollars, transferred from the office of the Secretary of War to the Pension office, to be transferred from that office on the first of March, eighteen hundred and forty-one, one thousand one hundred and seventy dollars and fifty cents;
- For contingent expenses of said office, one thousand seven hundred and thirty-five dollars;
- N.W. executive building. For compensation of the superintendent and watchmen of the northwest executive building, two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said building, including rent of Bounty Land office, for labor, fuel, oil, and repairs, and for the contingencies of the fire-engines and apparatus, four thousand seven hundred dollars;
- Off. Secretary of the Navy. For compensation of the clerks and messengers in the office of the Secretary of the Navy, after deducting one clerk transferred to Pension office, per act March four, eighteen hundred and forty, at sixteen hundred dollars, eleven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars;
- 1840, ch. 4. For contingent expenses of said office, three thousand dollars;
- Commiss'rs of Navy Board. For compensation of the Commissioners of the Navy Board, ten thousand five hundred dollars;
- Office. For compensation of the Secretary of the Navy Board, two thousand dollars;
- For compensation to the clerks and messenger of the Navy Board, eight thousand four hundred and fifty dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said office, two thousand five hundred dollars;
- S.W. executive building. For salary of superintendent and watchmen of the southwest executive building, one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars;
- For contingent expenses of said building, including fuel, labor, oil, repairs of building, engine, and improvement of the grounds, three thousand three hundred and fifty dollars;
- Assistant Postmasters Gen'l. For compensation to three Assistant Postmasters General, per act July three, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, seven thousand five hundred dollars;
- 1836, ch. 270.
- General Post Office. For compensation to clerks and messengers in the General Post Office, forty-eight thousand six hundred dollars;
- For salaries of two watchmen, six hundred dollars;

- For topographer and additional clerks in said office, per acts March three, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine, and May eight, one thousand eight hundred and forty; and a clerk to keep the appropriation account, eleven thousand six hundred dollars; 1839, ch. 81. 1840, ch. 22.
- For contingent expenses of said office, including fuel for the Auditor's office, and four thousand dollars for rent of building occupied by the department, ten thousand five hundred dollars;
- For compensation to the Auditor of the Post Office, three thousand dollars; Auditor of the Post Office. Office.
- For compensation to clerks and messengers in said office, fifty-five thousand five hundred dollars;
- For eleven additional clerks in said office, per act of July seven, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, thirteen thousand two hundred dollars; 1838, ch. 169.
- For contingent expenses of said office, including the expense of quarterly books, stationery, printing, and pay of laborers, four thousand seven hundred dollars;
- For compensation of the Surveyor General, northwest of the Ohio, two thousand dollars; Surveyor Gen. north-west of the Ohio. Clerks. 1836, ch. 60.
- For compensation to clerks in his office, per act of ninth of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, six thousand three hundred dollars; Surveyor Gen. for Illinois and Missouri. Clerks. 1836, ch. 60.
- For compensation of the Surveyor General of Illinois and Missouri, two thousand dollars;
- For compensation to clerks in his office, per act of ninth of May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, three thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars;
- For compensation to the Surveyor General of Arkansas, two thousand dollars; Surveyor Gen. of Arkansas. Clerks. 1836 ch. 60.
- For compensation to his clerks, per act ninth May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, two thousand eight hundred dollars;
- For compensation of the Surveyor General of Louisiana, two thousand dollars; Surveyor Gen. of Louisiana. Clerks. 1836, ch. 60.
- For compensation to his clerks, per act ninth May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, two thousand five hundred dollars;
- For compensation to the Surveyor General of Mississippi, two thousand dollars; Surveyor Gen. of Mississippi. Clerks. 1836, ch. 60.
- For compensation to his clerks, per act ninth May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, one thousand dollars;
- For compensation to the Surveyor General of Alabama, two thousand dollars; Surveyor Gen. of Alabama. Clerks. 1836, ch. 60.
- For compensation to his clerks, per act ninth May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, two thousand two hundred dollars;
- For compensation to the Surveyor General of Florida, two thousand dollars; Surveyor Gen. of Florida. Clerks. 1836, ch. 60.
- For compensation to his clerks, per act ninth May, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-six, five hundred dollars;
- For compensation of the Surveyor General of Wisconsin and Iowa, per act of June twelve, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, one thousand five hundred dollars; Surveyor Gen. of Wisconsin and Iowa. Clerks. 1838, ch. 99.
- For compensation to his clerks, per act June twelve, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, one thousand six hundred dollars; Extra clerks and draughtsmen in offices of surveyors general. 1838, ch. 99.
- For extra clerks and draughtsmen in the offices of the Surveyors General, in addition to the unexpended balances of former appropriations, to be apportioned to them according to the exigencies of the public service, seven thousand two hundred dollars;
- For extra clerks in the offices of the Surveyors General to transcribe field notes of survey, for the purpose of preserving them at the seat of Government, in addition to the unexpended balances of former appropriations, viz.,



Office of the Surveyor General northwest of the Ohio, four thousand five hundred dollars;

Office of the Surveyor General of Illinois and Missouri, three thousand dollars;

Office of the Surveyor General of Arkansas, one thousand five hundred dollars;

Office of the Surveyor General of Louisiana, one thousand dollars;

Commissioner  
of public build-  
ings.  
1840, ch. 99, §  
11.

For compensation to the Commissioner of Public Buildings in Washington, per act of the twenty-first of July, one thousand eight hundred and forty, three thousand dollars;

For compensation to Commissioner, from the twenty-first July to the thirty-first December, one thousand eight hundred and forty, three hundred and twelve dollars;

Assistants, &c.  
Potomac  
bridge.

For compensation to two assistants to the Commissioner, as superintendent of the Potomac bridge, at one dollar and fifty cents per day, including oil for lamps, fuel, and repairs, thirty-one thousand three hundred and sixty dollars. So much of this sum as may be applied for repairs, shall be applied under the direction of the Secretary of War;

The Mint.

For compensation to the officers and clerks of the Mint, eighteen thousand nine hundred dollars;

For pay of laborers in the various departments of the Mint, twenty-four thousand dollars;

For incidental and contingent expenses, including the wastage of gold and silver, fuel, materials, stationery, water-rent, and taxes, in addition to the unexpended balance of appropriation of eighteen hundred and forty, eight hundred dollars;

For specimens of ores and coins to be reserved at the Mint, one thousand dollars;

Branch mint  
at Charlotte.

For compensation to the officers and clerk of the branch Mint at Charlotte, North Carolina, six thousand dollars;

For pay of laborers in the various departments of the same, three thousand five hundred dollars;

For wastage of gold, and for contingent expenses of the same, two thousand five hundred dollars;

Branch mint  
at Dahlongega.

For compensation to the officers and clerk of the branch Mint at Dahlongega, Georgia, six thousand dollars;

For pay of laborers in the various departments of the same, two thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars;

For wastage of gold, and for contingent expenses of the same, one thousand dollars;

Branch mint  
at N. Orleans.

For compensation to the officers and clerks of the branch Mint at New Orleans, twelve thousand nine hundred dollars;

For pay of laborers in the various departments of the same, twenty-two thousand dollars;

For wastage of gold and silver, and for contingent expenses of the same, seventeen thousand one hundred dollars;

Wisconsin  
Territory.

For compensation of the Governor, Judges, and Secretary of Wisconsin Territory, nine thousand one hundred dollars;

For contingent expenses of the said Territory, three hundred and fifty dollars;

For pay and mileage of the members of the Legislative Assembly, pay of officers, printing, furniture, stationery, fuel, and all other incidental expenses, twenty thousand dollars;

Iowa Terri-  
tory.

For compensation to the Governor, Judges, and Secretary of the Territory of Iowa, nine thousand one hundred dollars;

For contingent expenses of said Territory, three hundred and fifty dollars;

For pay and mileage to the Legislative Assembly, pay of officers,

printing, stationery, fuel, and all other incidental expenses, twenty thousand one hundred and seventy-five dollars;

For compensation of the Governor, Judges, and Secretary of the Territory of Florida, thirteen thousand five hundred dollars;

Florida Territory.

For contingent expenses of said Territory, three hundred and fifty dollars;

For pay and mileage of the members of the Legislative Council of said Territory, pay to the officers of the Council, printing, furniture, rent, stationery, fuel and all other incidental expenses, twenty-seven thousand one hundred and twenty-five dollars;

For compensation of the chief justice, the associate judges, and district judges of the United States, ninety-three thousand nine hundred dollars;

Chief justice, &c. U. S.

For compensation of the chief justice and associate Judges of the District of Columbia, and of the judges of the criminal and orphan's courts of said District, twelve thousand seven hundred dollars;

Judges of District Columbia.

For carrying into effect the provisions of the act approved on the second of February instant, "Making temporary provision for lunatics in the District of Columbia," three thousand dollars;

Lunatics in the District of Columbia. 1841, ch. 4.

For compensation of the Attorney General of the United States, four thousand dollars;

Attorney Gen.

For compensation of clerk and messenger in the office of the Attorney General, one thousand five hundred dollars;

Office.

For contingent expenses of said office, five hundred dollars;

For compensation to the reporter of the decisions of the Supreme Court, one thousand dollars;

Reporter Supreme Court.

For compensation to the district attorneys and marshals, including those in the several Territories, fourteen thousand four hundred and fifty dollars;

Dist. attorneys and marshals.

For defraying the expenses of the Supreme, Circuit, and District courts of the United States, including the District of Columbia; also for jurors and witnesses, in aid of the funds arising from fines, penalties, and forfeitures, incurred in the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, and preceding years; and likewise for defraying the expenses of suits in which the United States are concerned, and of prosecutions for offences committed against the United States, and for the safe-keeping of prisoners, three hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars: *Provided, however,* That hereafter, in lieu of all fees, emoluments, and receipts now allowed in districts where the present entire compensation of any of the officers hereinafter named shall exceed the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars per annum, it shall and may be lawful for the United States' clerks, attorneys, counsel, and marshals, in the district and circuit courts of the United States in the several States, to demand and receive the same fees that now are, or hereafter may be, allowed by the laws of the said States respectively where said courts are held, to the clerks, attorneys and counsel, and sheriffs, in the highest courts of the said States in which like services are rendered; and no other fees or emoluments, except that the marshals shall receive in full, for summoning all the jurors for any one court, thirty dollars; and shall receive, for every day's actual attendance at any court, five dollars per day; and for any services, including the compensation for mileage, performed by said officers in the discharge of their official duty, for which no compensation is provided by the laws of said States respectively, the said officers may receive such fees as are now allowed by law according to the existing usage and practice of said courts of the United States; and every district attorney, except the district attorney of the southern district of New York, shall receive, in addition to the above fees, a salary of two hundred dollars per annum: *Provided,* That the fees and emoluments retained by the district attorneys, marshals, and clerks, ex-

Expenses of Supreme Court, &c.

Proviso.

Attorneys. Proviso, limiting the amount of fees retainable by attorneys, &c.

- clusive of any reasonable compensation to their deputies, to be allowed in their accounts by the courts of the respective districts to which they belong, and after the payment of such necessary office and other expenses as shall be allowed by the Secretary of the Treasury, not to exceed, as to any one of the said offices in the southern district of New York, the sum of three thousand dollars per annum, and in any other district the sum of one thousand dollars per annum, shall in no case exceed, for the district attorneys and the marshals, or either of them, the sum of six thousand dollars for each; and those for each of the clerks shall not exceed, in any case, four thousand five hundred dollars; the overplus of fees and emoluments to be paid into the public Treasury, under such rules and regulations as may be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, subject to the disposition of Congress.
- The overplus to be paid into the Treasury.
- Annuities and grants.  
U. S. coast survey.
- For the payment of annuities and grants by special acts of Congress, nine hundred dollars;
- U. S. coast survey.
- For survey of the coast of the United States, including the compensation of the superintendent and assistants, one hundred thousand dollars;
- Keepers of Florida archives.
- For compensation of the two keepers of the public archives in Florida, one thousand dollars;
- Registers and receivers.
- For salaries of registers and receivers of land offices, where there are no sales, three thousand five hundred dollars;
- Insolvent debtors.
- For expenses in relation to the relief of certain insolvent debtors of the United States, three thousand dollars;
- Private land claims in Florida.
- For allowance to the law agent, assistant counsel, and district attorney, under the acts providing for the settlement of private land claims in Florida, five thousand dollars;
- Support of lighthouses, &c.
- For the support and maintenance of light-houses, floating lights, beacons, buoys, and stakeages, including the purchase of lamps, oil, wicks, buffskins, whiting and cotton cloth, transporting oil, &c., keepers' salaries, repairs, improvements, and contingent expenses, four hundred and eighty-four thousand and seventy-two dollars;
- Statues for the Capitol.  
Proviso.
- For payment to Luigi Persico and Horatio Greenough, for statues to adorn the two blockings, east front of the capitol, eight thousand dollars: *Provided*, The work is in such state of progress, as, in reference to the whole sum to be paid to the artists, respectively, for their execution, shall, in the opinion of the President of the United States, render it proper to make such payments.
- Paintings for the Capitol.  
Proviso.
- For payments to the artists engaged in executing four historical paintings for the vacant panels of the rotundo of the capitol, eight thousand dollars: *Provided*, The paintings are in such state of progress as, in reference to the whole sum to be paid to the artists, respectively, for their execution, shall, in the opinion of the President of the United States, render it proper to make such payments.
- Penitentiary of D. C.
- For the support and maintenance of the penitentiary of the District of Columbia, eight thousand three hundred and eighty-one dollars;
- Sick and disabled seamen.  
1802, ch. 51.
- To make good a deficiency in the years eighteen hundred and thirty-nine and eighteen hundred and forty, in the fund for the relief of sick and disabled seamen, as established by the act of third May, eighteen hundred and two, ninety-seven thousand dollars;
- Commissioner for southern boundary of Iowa.
- For balance due the commissioner for ascertaining and marking the southern boundary of Iowa Territory, under the act of eighteenth June, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, four hundred and fourteen dollars and eighty-six cents;
- Custom-house at Boston.  
Warehouse at Baltimore.  
Custom-house at New York.
- For carrying on the work of the new custom-house building at Boston, one hundred thousand dollars;
- For defraying the cost of extra work on the public warehouse at Baltimore, three thousand dollars;
- For payment of arrearages for completing the custom-house, New

York, thirty-four thousand three hundred and twenty-one dollars and twenty-one cents;

For the payment of expenses incurred by the collector of New York, under the act of seventh of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, to remit the duties upon certain goods destroyed by fire at the late conflagration in the city of New York, seven hundred dollars;

For the payment of certain certificates, being the balance of a former appropriation carried to the surplus fund on the thirty-first December, one thousand eight hundred and thirty-eight, five hundred dollars;

For furniture for the President's house, of American manufacture, so far as may be practicable and expedient, to be expended under the direction of the President, in addition to the avails of the sales of decayed furniture, the sum of six thousand dollars;

For annual repairs of the capitol, attending furnaces, water-closets, lamp-lighting, oil, laborers on capitol grounds, tools, keeping iron pipes and wooden fences in order, attending at gates, gardener's salary, and for top dressing delicate and valuable plants, seven thousand five hundred and eighty-two dollars and fifty cents;

For annual repairs of President's house, gardener's salary, horse and cart, laborers and tools, and for amount due F. Masi and Company for repairs on furniture, two thousand six hundred and twenty-eight dollars;

For completing back buildings, grading grounds, and cutting balance of stone for west portico of the new Treasury building, and paying for materials delivered, eleven thousand one hundred and eighty-eight dollars and forty-four cents;

For fluting columns of portico of new Patent Office, finishing roof, and the cut stone-work of said building, and paying for materials delivered, seven thousand five hundred and fifty dollars;

For enclosing the new jail yard, in the city of Washington, five thousand dollars;

For new General Post Office building, one hundred thousand dollars;

For completing court-house, in the city of Alexandria, three thousand dollars;

For payment to the stone-cutters, and the other workmen on the new Treasury building and the new Patent Office building, of the sums allowed them by the commissioners appointed by the President of the United States to superintend the prosecution of the work in the construction of the said buildings, in fulfilment of the resolution of Congress of the twentieth of July, eighteen hundred and forty, twelve thousand nine hundred and twenty-three dollars and thirty-one cents;

For surveying the public lands, in addition to the unexpended balances of former appropriations, to be apportioned to the several surveying districts according to the exigencies of the public service, including office-rent, and fuel, for the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, fifty-five thousand dollars;

For retracing certain old surveys in the State of Alabama, at a rate not exceeding four dollars a mile, fifteen thousand dollars;

For surveys in Missouri, in the towns named in the act of twenty-sixth May, eighteen hundred and twenty-four, in addition to the sum of six thousand dollars appropriated for the same object by the act of sixth of April, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, two thousand dollars;

For surveying five hundred miles of detached and unfinished lines in Illinois and Missouri, principally in the military district, Illinois, at a rate not exceeding six dollars a mile, three thousand dollars;

For salaries of ministers of the United States to Great Britain, France, Russia, Prussia, Austria and Mexico, fifty-four thousand dollars;

For salaries of the secretaries of legation to the same places, twelve thousand dollars;

1838, ch. 174. Expenses under act to remit duties on goods destroyed by fire in New York.

Payment of a balance carried to the surplus fund.

Furniture for Presid'ts house.

Capitol and grounds.

President's house, &c.

New Treasury building.

New Patent Office building.

New jail.

New General Post Office building.

Court-house in Alexandria.

Payments to workmen on new Treasury and Patent Office buildings.

Surveying public lands.

Retracing certain old surveys in Alabama.

Surveys in Missouri. 1824, ch. 184. 1838, ch. 54.

Surveying in Illinois and Missouri.

Ministers.

Secretaries of legation.

Minister to Turkey.	For salary of the minister resident of the United States to Turkey, five thousand dollars;
Chargés des affaires.	For salaries of the charges des affaires to Portugal, Spain, Denmark, Sweden, Holland, Belgium, Brazil, Chili, Peru, New Grenada, Venezuela, Texas, Naples, and Sardinia, sixty-three thousand dollars;
Drogoman.	For salary of a drogoman to the legation to Turkey, two thousand five hundred dollars;
Expenses of missions.	For contingent expenses of all the missions abroad, thirty thousand dollars;
Outfits.	For outfits of ministers to Austria and Great Britain, and of charges des affaires to Venezuela, twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars;
Consuls at London and Paris.	For salaries of the consuls of the United States at London and Paris, four thousand dollars;
Relief, &c. of Am. seamen.	For the relief and protection of American seamen in foreign countries, fifty thousand dollars;
Expenses of consulate at London.	For clerk hire, office-rent, stationery, and other expenses in the office of the American consul at London, per act of January nineteenth, eighteen hundred and thirty-six, two thousand eight hundred dollars;
1836, ch. 2. Barbary powers.	For expenses of intercourse with the Barbary Powers, seventeen thousand four hundred dollars;
Foreign intercourse.	For the contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, thirty thousand dollars;
Library of Congress.	For salary of the principal and two assistant librarians, pay of the messenger, and for contingent expenses of the library, three thousand nine hundred and fifty dollars;
Purchase of books.	For the purchase of books for the library in Congress, five thousand dollars;
Enforcement of the neutrality laws.	For the payment of arrearages incurred in enforcing the neutrality laws on the northern and northwestern frontier, five thousand dollars;
Service of the General Post Office.	For the service of the General Post Office for the year eighteen hundred and forty-one, in conformity to the act of second July, eighteen hundred and thirty-six;
1836, ch. 270. Transportation.	For transportation of the mail, three million two hundred and eighty thousand dollars;
Compensation of postmasters.	For compensation of postmasters, one million and fifty thousand dollars: <i>Provided however</i> , That in addition to returns now required to be rendered by postmasters, it shall be the duty of the postmasters at New York, Boston, Philadelphia, Baltimore, and New Orleans, and the other several cities of the Union, each and every year hereafter, to render a quarter-yearly account to the Postmaster General, under oath, in such form as the latter shall prescribe, for the purpose of giving full effect to this proviso, of all emoluments or sums by them respectively received for boxes or pigeon-holes, or other receptacles for letters or papers, and by them charged for to individuals; or for the delivery of letters or papers at or from any place in either of said cities, other than the actual post office of such city, and of all emoluments, receipts, and profits that have come to their hands by reason of keeping branch post offices in either of said cities; and if, from such accounting, it shall appear that the net amount received by either of the postmasters at either of such cities for such boxes and pigeon-holes, and other receptacles for letters and papers, and for delivering letters or papers at or from any place in either of said cities other than said post office, and by reason of keeping a branch post office in either of said cities, shall, in the aggregate, exceed the sum of three thousand dollars in any one year, such excess shall be paid to the Postmaster General for the use and purposes of the Post Office Department; and no postmaster shall hereafter, under any pretence whatsoever, have, or receive, or retain for himself, in the aggregate, more than five thousand dollars per year, including salary, com-
No postmaster to receive more than \$5000 a year, salary included.	

missions, boxes, and all other fees, perquisites and emoluments, of any name or character whatsoever, and for any service whatsoever;

For ship, steamboat, and way-letters, forty thousand dollars;

For wrapping-paper, twenty-five thousand dollars;

For office-furniture, five thousand dollars;

For advertising, thirty-six thousand dollars;

For mail-bags, thirty-five thousand dollars;

For blanks, thirty-three thousand dollars;

For mail-locks, keys and stamps, fifteen thousand dollars;

For mail depredations and special agents, twenty-two thousand dollars;

For clerks for offices, two hundred and ten thousand dollars;

For miscellaneous, sixty thousand six hundred and twenty dollars;

And for the continuance of the survey of the coast of the Gulf of Mexico, twenty thousand dollars;

For the balance, certified as due to the agent and commissioners at Havana, to procure the archives of Florida, and transmit them to this country, and in full execution of the laws upon that subject, the sum of six thousand and forty-three dollars and ten cents;

For compensation to William W. Chew, late acting chargé d'affaires at Russia, from the twenty-third of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, till the twenty-first of September, eighteen hundred and forty, the sum of two thousand nine hundred dollars, it being the difference between his salary as Secretary of Legation and the pay of a chargé d'affaires during that period;

For the pay and mileage of the members of the Senate for the extra session of that body, to be convened in its Executive capacity on the fourth day of March of the present year, the sum of thirteen thousand four hundred and twenty-four dollars;

For the contingent expenses of the Senate for the extra session including the pay of messengers, service of horses, fuel, stationery, and all other contingent items of the extra session, three thousand dollars;

And for a hydrographic survey of the coasts of the northern and northwestern lakes of the United States, to be expended under the direction of the President, fifteen thousand dollars;

And the Librarian of Congress is authorized to employ an additional assistant, who shall receive a yearly compensation of eleven hundred and fifty dollars, commencing December first, one thousand eight hundred and forty, to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated;

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is, hereby authorized to pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to the collectors, deputy collectors, naval officers, surveyors, and their respective clerks, together with the weighers, gaugers, measurers and markers of the several ports of the United States, the same compensation for the year eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, which they would have been entitled to receive if the third section of the act of July, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, entitled "An act to provide for the support of the Military Academy of the United States, for the year eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and for other purposes," had continued in force during said year, and subject to the provisions and restrictions therein contained: *Provided*, That nothing in this section contained shall be so construed as to give to any collector of the customs a salary for the year eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, beyond the maximum now fixed by law, of four thousand dollars;

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized to pay to the clerks in the custom-house at Boston, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise ap-

Ship letters, &c.  
Wrapping paper.  
Office furniture.  
Advertising.  
Mail bags.  
Blanks.  
Mail locks, &c.  
Mail depredations, &c.  
Clerks.  
Miscellaneous Survey of the coast of the Gulf of Mexico.  
For procuring the archives of Florida.

Compensation to W.W. Chew.

Extra session of the Senate.  
Pay and mileage.

Contingent expenses.

Hydrographic survey of the lakes.

Assistant to Librarian of Congress.

Compensation of custom-house officers for the year 1839.

1838, ch. 169.

Proviso.

Payment of arrears to the clerks in the custom-house at Boston.

propriated, the arrears of their salaries from eighteen hundred and thirty-two, to eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, so as to make the same equal in proportion to what they received in the last mentioned year, on the same principle as has been applied to the custom-houses at New York and Philadelphia; and the payments under this section shall be governed by what has been the practical construction of the former laws on this subject, at the Treasury Department, applicable to the last named ports;

Payment of arrears to clerks in the custom-house at Philadelphia.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he hereby is, authorized and required to pay to the clerks in the custom-house at Philadelphia such sum of money as, with the amount appropriated by the general appropriation act of the third of March, eighteen hundred and thirty-nine, will make up the arrears of their respective salaries from eighteen hundred and thirty-two to eighteen hundred and thirty-seven, the sum to be so paid being first ascertained by the proper accounting officers of the Treasury;

Additional accounts to be rendered by collectors, &c.

SEC. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That in addition to the account now required to be rendered by every collector of customs, naval officer and surveyor of ports, every such collector, naval officer and surveyor shall, each and every year hereafter, render a quarter-yearly account, under oath, to the Secretary of the Treasury, in such form as said Secretary shall prescribe, of all sums of money by each of them respectively received or collected for fines, penalties, or forfeitures, or for seizure of goods, wares, or merchandise, or upon compromises made upon said seizure; or on account of suits instituted for frauds against the revenue laws; or for rent and storage of goods, wares, or merchandise, which may be stored in the public store-houses, and for which a rent is paid, beyond the rents paid by the collector or other such officer; and if from such accounting it shall appear that the money received in any one year by any collector, naval officer, or surveyor, on account and for rents and storage, as aforesaid, and for fees and emoluments, shall in the aggregate, exceed the sum of two thousand dollars, such excess shall be paid by the said collector, naval officer, or surveyor, as the case may be, into the Treasury of the United States, as part and parcel of the public money; and no such collector shall, on any pretence whatsoever, hereafter receive, hold, or retain for himself, in the aggregate, more than six thousand dollars per year, including all commissions for duties, and all fees for storage, or fees or emoluments, or any other commissions or salaries which are now allowed and limited by law. Nor shall such naval officer on any pretence whatever, in the aggregate, receive, hold, or retain for himself, hereafter, more than five thousand dollars per year, including all commissions on duties, and all fees for storage, or fees or emoluments, or any other commissions or salaries which are now allowed and limited by law. Nor shall such surveyor, in the aggregate, receive, hold, or retain for himself, hereafter, more than four thousand five hundred dollars per year, including all commissions or fees or emoluments, or any other commissions or salaries which are now allowed and limited by law: *Provided*, The aggregate sums allowed per year to the several officers aforesaid shall be exclusive of the necessary expenses incident to their respective offices, in the same year, subject to the regulation of the Secretary of the Treasury;

The excess of money over \$2000 a year, received for rents, storage, &c. to be paid into the Treasury.

Compensation of collectors limited.

Naval officers limited.

Surveyors limited.

Proviso.

All stores hereafter rented to be on public account, &c.

False swearing to the accounts required

SEC. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That all stores hereafter rented by the collector, naval officer, or surveyor, shall be on public account, and paid for by the collector as such, and shall be appropriated exclusively to the use of receiving foreign merchandise, subject as to the rates of storage, to regulation by the Secretary of the Treasury;

SEC. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That every collector, naval officer, and surveyor of the several ports of the United States, who shall be guilty

of false swearing in taking the oath, at the rendition of his accounts as required by the fifth section of this act to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury, with the intention to deceive and defraud the Government of the United States, shall be deemed to be guilty of perjury, and liable to the same prosecution and penalty inflicted for like offences, to be tried and adjudged in any court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, and it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury, whenever in his opinion the said offence has been perpetrated as aforesaid, to direct the District Attorney of the United States for the district within which the same has occurred to prosecute the offender ;

SEC. 8. *And be it further enacted,* That all laws, or parts of laws, inconsistent with the provisions of the fifth, sixth, and seventh sections of this act, are hereby repealed.

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by the 5th section of this act, to be deemed perjury.

Sec. Treasury may direct the Dist. Attorney to prosecute the offender.

Laws inconsistent with the 5th, 6th and 7th sections of this act, repealed.

CHAP. XXXVI.—*An Act making appropriations for the support of the army for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one.*

STATUTE II.  
March 3, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums be, and the same hereby are, appropriated to be paid out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the support of the army for the year one thousand eight hundred and forty-one ;

Appropriations.

For the pay of the army, one million one hundred and seventy-two thousand and twenty-eight dollars ;

Pay.

For subsistence of officers, five hundred and fourteen thousand four hundred and eighty-nine dollars ;

Subsistence of officers.

For forage of officers' horses, one hundred and fourteen thousand five hundred and seventy-one dollars ;

Forage of officers' horses.

For payments in lieu of clothing not drawn in kind, eighty thousand and thirty dollars ;

Payments in lieu of clothing.

For subsistence, exclusive of that of officers, six hundred and forty-eight thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine dollars ;

Subsistence.

For clothing of the army, camp and garrison equipage, cooking utensils, and hospital furniture, five hundred and five thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven dollars ;

Clothing, &c.

For the medical and hospital department, twenty-eight thousand dollars ;

Medical and hospital department.

For the regular supplies furnished by the Quartermaster's Department, consisting of fuel, forage, straw, stationery, and printing, two hundred and sixty-one thousand dollars ;

Quartermaster's department.

For barracks, quarters, and store-houses, embracing the repairs and enlargement of barracks, quarters, store-houses and hospitals ; the erection of temporary cantonments, and of gun-houses for the protection of cannon ; the purchase of tools and materials, and of furniture for the barrack-rooms ; rent of quarters for officers, of barracks for troops where there are no public buildings for their accommodation, of store-houses for the safe-keeping of subsistence, clothing and other military supplies, and of grounds for summer cantonments, and encampments for military practice, one hundred and sixty thousand dollars ;

Barracks, &c.

For transportation of officers' baggage, when travelling on duty without troops, sixty-five thousand dollars ;

Transportation of officers' baggage.

For transportation of troops and supplies, viz : transportation of the army and baggage ; freight and ferriages ; purchase or hire of horses, mules, oxen, carts, wagons, and boats, for purposes of transportation, or garrison use ; drayage and cartage ; hire of teamsters ; transportation of funds for the pay department ; expense of transport vessels, and of procuring water at such posts as from their situation require it ; transportation of clothing from the depot at Philadelphia to the stations of the

Transportation of troops and supplies.



troops; of subsistence from the places of purchase and delivery under contracts to such points as the circumstances of the service may require; of ordnance, ordnance stores, and arms from the foundries and arsenals to the fortifications and frontier posts, and of lead from the mines to the several arsenals, two hundred and forty-two thousand dollars;

Quartermas-  
ter's depart-  
ment.

1819, ch. 45.

For the incidental expenses of the Quartermaster's Department: consisting of postage on public letters and packets; expenses of courts martial and courts of inquiry, including compensation to judge advocates, members and witnesses; extra pay to soldiers under the act of March second, eighteen hundred and nineteen; expenses of expresses, and of the interment of non-commissioned officers and soldiers; hire of laborers; compensation of clerks in the offices of the quartermasters and assistant quartermasters, at posts where their duties cannot be performed without such aid, and of temporary agents in charge of dismantled works and in the performance of other duties; expenditures necessary to keep the two regiments of dragoons complete, including the purchase of horses to supply the place of those which may be lost and become unfit for the service, and the erection of stables, one hundred and twenty-seven thousand dollars;

Contingencies.

For the contingencies of the army, nine thousand dollars;

Extra pay, and  
recruiting.

For extra pay to re-enlisted soldiers, and for the contingent expenses of the recruiting service, forty-eight thousand seven hundred and forty-nine dollars;

Ordnance ser-  
vice.

For the current expenses of the ordnance service, eighty-five thousand dollars;

Armament of  
fortifications.

For the armament of fortifications, one hundred thousand dollars;

Ordnance, &c.  
National ar-  
mories.

For ordnance, ordnance stores, and supplies, eighty thousand dol-  
lars;

Arsenals.

For the national armories, three hundred and sixty thousand dollars;

For arsenals, one hundred and twenty thousand dollars;

For the purchase of a site and rebuilding the arsenal at Charleston, South Carolina, twenty-five thousand dollars;

Springfield  
armory.

For repairs and improvements and new machinery at the Springfield armory, twenty thousand dollars;

Harper's ferry  
armory.

For repairs and improvements and new machinery at the Harper's Ferry armory, thirty-eight thousand dollars;

Drawings, &c.

For the expense of preparing drawings of a uniform system of artiller-  
y, three thousand six hundred dollars;

Saltpetre and  
brimstone.

For the purchase of saltpetre and brimstone, twenty thousand dol-  
lars;

Barracks, &c.  
at Fort Smith.

For continuing the barracks, quarters, &c., at Fort Smith, fifty  
thousand dollars;

Turkey river.

For barracks, quarters, &c., at Turkey river, fifteen thousand dol-  
lars;

Military road.

For continuing the military road on the western frontier, five thou-  
sand dollars;

Barracks, &c.  
at Sackett's  
Harbor.

For continuing the barracks, quarters, &c., at Sackett's Harbor, one  
thousand dollars;

Preventing and  
suppressing hos-  
tilities in Flori-  
da.

For preventing and suppressing hostilities in Florida, to be expended  
under the direction of the Secretary of War, conformably to the acts of  
Congress of the nineteenth of March and the second of July eighteen  
hundred and thirty-six, and the acts therein referred to, viz: For forage;  
for freight or transportation of military supplies of every description  
from the places of purchase to Florida; for the purchase of wagons and  
harness, of boats and lighters, and other vessels, of horses, mules, and  
oxen to keep up the trains, of tools, leather, and other materials for  
repairs; for transportation within Florida, including the hire of steam-  
boats and other vessels for service in the rivers, and on the coasts; and  
the expenses of maintaining the several steamboats and transport schoons-

1836, ch. 44.

1836, ch. 254.

ers, connected with the operations of the army; for hire of mechanics, laborers, mule-drivers, teamsters and other assistants, including their subsistence; for miscellaneous and contingent charges, and for arrearages in eighteen hundred and forty, one million sixty-one thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars; for removing the raft of Red river under the direction of the Secretary of War seventy-five thousand dollars;

For removing Red river raft.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of War be, and he is hereby, directed to cause to be audited the account of the corporate authorities of the city of Mobile, for advances of money and expenses incurred in equipping, mounting, and sending to the place of rendezvous, two full companies of mounted men, under a call from the Governor of Alabama, at the beginning of the hostilities of the Creek Indians, in the summer of eighteen hundred and thirty-six; and the amount or balance found due, is hereby directed to be paid out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, as soon as the Secretary of War shall approve the same.

Settlement of the account of the corporate authorities of Mobile.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That for the purpose of designating and marking the boundary line between the State of Michigan and Territory of Wisconsin, agreeably to the true intent and meaning of the second section of the act entitled "An act to establish the northern boundary line of the State of Ohio, and to provide for the admission of the State of Michigan into the Union, upon the conditions therein expressed," there be, and is hereby appropriated, the sum of six thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of War, in the survey and examination of the country situated between the mouths of the Menomonie and Montreal rivers, who is hereby directed to cause to be made a plat or plan of such survey and examination, which shall be returned to Congress with all convenient despatch.

Survey of the country betw'n the Menomonie and Montreal rivers.

Act of June 15, 1836, ch. 99.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

STATUTE II.

CHAP. XXXVII.—*An Act making an appropriation for the temporary support of certain destitute Kickapoo Indians, and to defray the expense of removing and subsisting the Swan Creek and Black River Indians of Michigan.*

March 3, 1841.

[Obsolete.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That the sum of twenty-two thousand dollars be appropriated, out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the temporary support of certain destitute Kickapoo Indians, and that those clerks specially charged with the business of the Chickasaws be paid as heretofore out of the Chickasaw fund such sums as the President of the United States shall authorize.

Temporary support of destitute Kickapoo Indians.

Payment of the Chickasaw clerks.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the proper accounting officers of the Treasury Department be, and they are hereby, directed to adjust and settle the accounts of Clements, Bryan and Company, with the United States, arising under a contract, alleged to have been made on the twelfth June, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, for subsisting the emigrating Cherokee Indians, upon principles of equity and justice; *Provided*, That in settling said accounts said accounting officers shall also take into consideration the contract of said Clements, Bryan and Company, with the United States of the twenty-seventh June, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight, and deduct any profits which they may have made under said last-mentioned contract, from whatever amount may be found due to them under said contract of June twelfth, eighteen hundred and thirty-eight; and such balance so found to be due, shall be paid out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Settlement of the accounts of Clements, Bryan & Co.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

## STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

[Expired.]

Act of July 20, 1840, ch. 47, not applicable to U. S. courts for the districts of Pennsylvania.

Act of March 19, 1842, ch. 7.

Act limited to one year.

CHAP. XXXVIII. — *An Act to amend the act entitled "An act to amend the act approved May thirteenth eighteen hundred, entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish the judicial courts of the United States.'"*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* "That nothing contained in the act entitled "An act to amend the act approved May thirteenth eighteen hundred entitled 'An act to amend an act entitled 'An act to establish the judicial courts of the United States,'" passed the twentieth July, eighteen hundred and forty shall be deemed or taken to apply to the courts of the United States holden, or to be holden in and for the districts of Pennsylvania, but jurors in said districts shall be selected, returned and empanelled, as if the said act had not been passed.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That this act shall continue in force one year and no longer.

APPROVED March 3, 1841.

## STATUTE II.

March 3, 1841.

The port and office abolished, and laws in conflict with this act repealed.

CHAP. XL. — *An Act to abolish the port of delivery and the office of Surveyor of the Customs at Currituck Inlet in North Carolina.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the port of delivery and the office of Surveyor of the Customs at Currituck Inlet in North Carolina be, and the same are hereby abolished, and that all laws in conflict with this act be, and the same are hereby repealed.

APPROVED, March 3, 1841.

## RESOLUTION.

Jan. 14, 1841.

*Joint Resolution to present incorporated universities, colleges, &c., with copies of the catalogue of the Library of Congress.*

One copy to each, not exceeding 300.

*Resolved, by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That one copy of the catalogue of the Library of Congress be presented to each of the incorporated universities, colleges, athenæums, and historical societies in the United States, not exceeding three hundred in number, and to the American Antiquarian Society.

APPROVED, January 14, 1841.