

Disbursement of appropriations accounted for by items as expressed. **SEC. 2.** All officers, agents, or other persons receiving public moneys appropriated by this act shall account for the disbursement thereof according to the several and distinct items of appropriation herein expressed.

Approved, February 24, 1881.

Feb. 26, 1881.

CHAP. 80.—An act making appropriations for the payment of invalid and other pensions of the United States for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and for deficiencies and for other purposes.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the payment of pensions for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, and for other purposes:

- Pensions. Army pensions. *Proviso.* Pension agents. Navy pensions. *Proviso.* *Proviso.* Fees of examining surgeons. *Proviso.* Rate of fees. Deficiency appropriation. Army pensions. *Proviso.* Navy pensions. *Proviso.* *Proviso.* Fees. Pensioners, inmates of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers, how paid.
- For pensions for Army invalids, widows, minors, and dependent relatives, including arrears to survivors of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and widows of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, forty-eight million four hundred thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the amount expended for each of the above items shall be accounted for separately.
- For pay and allowances for salary, fees for preparing vouchers, rent, fuel, light, and postage on official matter directed to the departments and bureaus at Washington, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars.
- For Navy pensions to invalids, widows, minors, and dependent relatives, one million one hundred thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the appropriations aforesaid for Navy pensions shall be paid from the income of the Navy pension fund, so far as the same may be sufficient for that purpose: *And provided further*, That the amount expended for each of the above items shall be accounted for separately.
- For fees of examining surgeons, as provided by the several acts of Congress, two hundred and fifty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That a fee of one dollar, and no more, shall be paid to the examining surgeon for each examination of a pensioner as provided by law, except when the examination is made by a board of surgeons, in which case the fees now allowed by law shall be paid.
- That the following sums be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to supply deficiencies in the appropriations for the payment of invalid and other pensions for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-one, namely:
- For pensions for Army invalids, widows, minors, and dependent relatives, including arrears, survivors of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, and widows of the war of eighteen hundred and twelve, seventeen million six hundred and ninety-two thousand and thirty-one dollars and sixty-nine cents: *Provided*, That the amount expended for each of the above items shall be accounted for separately.
- For Navy pensions to invalids, widows, minors, and dependent relatives, five hundred and sixty thousand two hundred and seventy-four dollars and ninety-nine cents: *Provided*, That the appropriations aforesaid for Navy pensions shall be paid from the income of the Navy pension fund, so far as the same may be sufficient for that purpose: *And provided further*, That the amount expended for each of the above items shall be accounted for separately.
- For fees of examining surgeons, as provided by the several acts of Congress, thirty thousand dollars.
- SEC. 2.** All pensions payable, or to be paid under this act, to pensioners who are inmates of the National Home for Disabled Volunteer Soldiers shall be paid to the treasurer or treasurers of said home, upon security given to the satisfaction of the managers to be disbursed for

the benefit of the pensioners without deduction for fines or penalties under regulations to be established by the managers of the home; said payment to be made by the pension agent upon a certificate of the proper officer of the home that the pensioner is an inmate thereof and is still living. Any balance of the pension which may remain at the date of the pensioner's discharge shall be paid over to him; and in case of his death at the home, the same shall be paid to the widow, or children or in default of either to his legal representatives.

Approved, February 26, 1881.

CHAP. 81.—An act concerning settlement of boundary lines between New York and Connecticut.

Feb. 26, 1881.

Whereas, commissioners duly appointed on the part of the State of New York, and commissioners duly appointed on the part of the State of Connecticut, for the purpose of settling the boundary line between said States, did execute an agreement in the words following, to wit:

“Memorandum of agreement by and between the subscribers, commissioners of the States of New York and Connecticut, respectively, to settle the question of the boundaries between said States, being thereunto authorized by the resolutions of said States, respectively, passed by them as hereunto annexed. That is to say, we, Allen C. Beach, secretary of State, Augustus Schoonmaker, attorney-general, and Horatio Seymour, junior, State engineer and surveyor, commissioners of the State of New York; and we, Origen S. Seymour, Lafayette S. Foster, and William T. Minor, commissioners of the State of Connecticut, have agreed, and do hereby agree, to fix, determine, and establish the boundaries between our respective States, subject to the approval and ratification of the legislatures of our respective States, in the following manner: We agree that the boundary on the land constituting the western boundary of Connecticut and the eastern boundary of the State of New York shall be, and is, as the same was defined by monuments erected by commissioners appointed by the legislature of the State of New York, and completed in the year eighteen hundred and sixty; the said boundary line extending from Byram Point, (formerly called Lyons Point) on the south to the line of the State of Massachusetts on the north. And we further agree that the boundary on the sound shall be, and is, as follows: Beginning at a point in the center of the channel about six hundred feet south of the extreme rocks of Byram Point, marked number 0 on appended United States Coast Survey chart; thence running in a true southeast course three and one quarter statute miles; thence in a straight line (the arc of a great circle) northeasterly to a point four statute miles true south of New London Light House; thence northeasterly to a point marked number one on the annexed United States Coast Survey chart of Fisher's Island Sound, which point is on the long east three-quarters north sailing course drawn on said map, and is about one thousand feet northerly from the Hammock or N. Dumpling Light House; thence following the said east three-quarters north sailing course as laid down on said map, easterly to a point marked number two on said map; thence southeasterly toward a point marked number three on said map, so far as said States are coterminus: *Provided, however,* That nothing in the foregoing agreement contained shall be construed to affect existing titles to property, corporeal or incorporeal, held under grants heretofore made by either of said States, nor to affect existing rights which said States, or either of them, or which the citizens of either of said States, may have by grant, letters patent, or prescription of fishing in the waters of said sound, whether for shell or floating fish, irrespective of the boundary line hereby established, it not being the purpose of this agreement to define, limit, or interfere with any such right, rights, or privileges, whatever the same may be.

Boundary line between States of New York and Connecticut, settlement of.

Preamble. Memorandum of agreement.

Proviso.