

SEC. 3. That the said railroad company shall have the right to construct passage-ways on said bridge for foot-passengers and vehicles of every description, and to charge a reasonable toll therefor; but the rates of toll shall be submitted to the Secretary of War and shall be subject to his approval and to any change he may think proper from time to time.

Passage-ways.  
Tolls.

SEC. 4. That such alterations or changes as may be required by the Secretary of War or Congress in any bridge constructed under the provisions of this act shall be made by the said railroad company at their own expense; and it is hereby expressly provided that Congress reserves the right at any time to alter, amend, or repeal this act.

Approved, April 28, 1884.

CHAP. 36.—An act to carry into effect the decree of the district court of the United States for the southern district of New York in the case of the Spanish ferry-boat *Nuestra Senora de Regla*.

May 1, 1884.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the Secretary of the Treasury be, and he is hereby, authorized and directed, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to make proper payment to carry into effect the decree of the district court of the United States for the southern district of New York, bearing date December tenth, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, in the case of the Spanish ferry-boat *Nuestra Senora de Regla*, her tackle, and so forth, illegally seized by forces of the United States in eighteen hundred and sixty-one, to the claimant and appellee therein named, or its legal representative, with interest from the date of said decree.

Spanish ferry-boat *Nuestra Senora de Regla*.  
Appropriation for payment of decree, &c.

Approved, May 1st, 1884.

CHAP. 37.—An act to provide for certain of the most urgent deficiencies in the appropriations for the service of the Government for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and for other purposes.

May 1, 1884.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same are hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, for the service of the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, and prior years, namely:

Urgent deficiency appropriations.

PUBLIC PRINTING AND BINDING.

That from the appropriations for public printing and binding for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, the Public Printer is hereby authorized to transfer to the allotment of the Treasury Department an amount not exceeding fifty thousand dollars, to the allotment of the Navy Department an amount not exceeding twenty thousand dollars, to the allotment of the War Department fifteen thousand dollars, and to the allotment of the Post Office Department an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars; but the aggregate amount appropriated for the public printing and binding for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, shall not be exceeded because of the transfers hereby authorized.

Printing and binding.

Transfer of appropriation to Treasury, Navy, War, and Post-Office Departments.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

For the transportation of subsidiary silver coin as authorized by law, five thousand dollars.

Treasury Department.  
Transportation of subsidiary silver coin.

Fuel, lights, etc., for public buildings under control of.

For fuel, lights, water, required by the janitors and firemen in the proper care of the buildings, furniture, and heating apparatus, exclusive of personal services, for all public buildings under the control of the Treasury Department, inclusive of new buildings, one hundred and twenty-eight thousand dollars.

Furniture and repairs of, and carpets for building at Boston; Cleveland, O.; Montgomery, Ala.; Philadelphia; St. Louis.

For furniture and repairs of furniture, and carpets, for the following public buildings, namely: For post-office and subtreasury at Boston, thirty thousand dollars; for custom-house at Cleveland, Ohio, five thousand dollars; for court-house and post-office at Montgomery, Alabama, ten thousand dollars; for post-office and court-house at Philadelphia, fifteen thousand dollars; and for custom-house and post-office at Saint Louis, Missouri, ten thousand dollars; in all, seventy thousand dollars; and each of said amounts shall be so expended as to complete the furnishing of said buildings; and all furniture now owned by the United States in other buildings in said cities, respectively, shall be used as far as practicable, whether it corresponds with the present regulation plans for furniture or not.

Pay of janitors, &c

For pay of assistant custodians and janitors, including all personal services in connection with all public buildings under control of the Treasury Department outside of the District of Columbia, fifty-six thousand dollars.

For completion of public building at Philadelphia; St. Louis;

For post-office and court-house at Philadelphia, Pennsylvania: For completion of the building, sixty-one thousand dollars.

Albany;

For custom-house at Saint Louis, Missouri: For completion and furnishing of the building, twenty-five thousand seven hundred dollars.

Cincinnati;

For custom-house and post-office at Albany, New York: For completion of the building, fifty-five thousand dollars.

Marine-hospital at Memphis.

For custom-house and post-office at Cincinnati, Ohio: For continuation of the building, one hundred thousand dollars.

For marine-hospital buildings at Memphis, Tennessee: For completion of approaches, fencing, terracing lot, heating and laundry apparatus, thirty thousand dollars.

Interior Department.

## INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

Tenth census.

### EXPENSES OF THE TENTH CENSUS.

For current expenses, twenty thousand dollars.

For outstanding liabilities, five thousand dollars.

Stationery.  
22 Stat., 344.

### STATIONERY.

For stationery for the use of the Department of the Interior in wrapping and mailing the reports of the tenth census ordered by Congress to be distributed by this Department by the act of August seventh, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, five thousand three hundred and ninety-three dollars and eighteen cents.

Expenses of land offices.

### EXPENSES OF LAND-OFFICES.

For incidental expenses of the several land-offices, fifteen thousand dollars.

For expenses of depositing public moneys, five thousand dollars.

Pensions.

### PENSIONS.

Fees of examining surgeons.

For fees and expenses of examining surgeons, five hundred thousand dollars.

For fees and expenses of examining surgeons, two hundred and fifty-three thousand five hundred and thirty-eight dollars and seventeen cents, being a deficiency on account of the fiscal year eighteen hundred and eighty-three.

Per diem pay for special examiners, etc.

For per diem, when absent from home on duty, for special examiners or other persons employed in the Pension Office detailed for the pur-

pose of making special investigation of matters pertaining to the Pension Bureau, in lieu of expenses for subsistence, not exceeding three dollars per day, and for actual and necessary expenses for transportation and assistance, forty thousand dollars.

That the accounting officers of the Treasury are hereby authorized to settle and allow, if found correct, the accounts of the disbursing clerks of the Interior Department for the fiscal years, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, eighteen hundred and eighty-three and eighteen hundred and eighty-four, for disbursements made on account of support of the Freedman's Hospital and Asylum by transfer of any unexpended balance and apply the same to purposes for which the sub-divisions of the appropriations for said institution for the years above mentioned are exhausted. And the payments made to clerks, watchmen, laborers, laundresses and teamsters of said hospital for the fiscal years eighteen hundred and eighty-two, eighteen hundred and eighty-three and eighteen hundred and eighty-four, may be allowed and chargeable to the appropriation for clothing, bedding, forage, transportation and miscellaneous expenses for said fiscal years respectively; but the aggregate amounts appropriated for the expenses of the Hospital and Asylum for the above fiscal years shall not be exceeded because of the transfer herein authorized. The amount of said transfers for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four shall not exceed one thousand dollars.

Settlement of accounts of disbursing clerks of Interior Department for disbursements for Freedman's Hospital and Asylum; transfer of unexpended balances.

**INDIAN OFFICE.**

Indian Office.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to pay the employees temporarily employed and rendering service in the Indian Office from January first up to July first, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, two thousand one hundred dollars, and hereafter no Department or officer of the United States shall accept voluntary service for the Government or employ personal service in excess of that authorized by law except in cases of sudden emergency involving the loss of human life or the destruction of property.

Temporary employees; payment of.

Voluntary service for the Government, or employment of personal service other than that authorized by law, prohibited; exceptions.

**NAVY DEPARTMENT.**

**BUREAU OF EQUIPMENT AND RECRUITING.**

For expenses of recruiting, and for the transportation of enlisted men and boys at home and abroad, fifteen thousand dollars.

For contingent expenses of the Bureau, five thousand dollars.

Navy, Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting.

Recruiting; transportation of enlisted men and boys.

Contingent.

**BUREAU OF CONSTRUCTION AND REPAIR.**

For preservation and completion of vessels on the stocks and in ordinary; purchase of materials and stores of all kinds; labor in navy-yards and on foreign stations; preservation of materials; purchase of tools; wear, tear, and repair of vessels afloat, and for general care, increase, and protection of the Navy in the line of construction and repair, and incidental expenses, namely, advertising and foreign postage, two hundred and thirty-four thousand dollars.

Construction and Repair.

**DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.**

That one thousand two hundred dollars of the sum appropriated by the act of March third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, be, and the same are hereby, transferred from the second to the third school division, without increasing the aggregate expenditure therein provided.

For janitors and care of the several school-buildings, three thousand nine hundred dollars; for current repairs to school-buildings, two thousand five hundred dollars; one-half of said amounts to be paid from the revenues of the District of Columbia for the current fiscal year.

District of Columbia.

22 Stat., 468.

Transfer of appropriation; schools.

Janitors; repairs of school buildings.

## HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

- Mary E. Herndon, payment to. To pay Mary E. Herndon, widow of the late Honorable T. H. Herndon, the amount of salary and allowances for stationery for the unexpired term of his service as a member of the Forty-eighth Congress, eight thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- Hon. W. F. Pool, payment to mother of. To pay the mother of the late Honorable W. F. Pool the amount of salary and allowances for stationery for the unexpired term of his service as a member of the Forty-eighth Congress, seven thousand seven hundred and thirty-seven dollars and sixty-six cents.
- Hon. E. W. M. Mackey, payment to widow of. To pay the widow of the late Honorable E. W. M. Mackey the amount of salary and allowances for stationery for the unexpired term of his service as a member of the Forty-eighth Congress, five thousand five hundred and eighty-six dollars and sixty-seven cents.
- Hon. D. C. Haskell, payment to widow of. To pay the widow of the late Honorable D. C. Haskell the amount of salary and allowances for mileage and stationery for the unexpired term of his service as a member of the Forty-eighth Congress, six thousand seven hundred and fifteen dollars and ninety-seven cents.
- Hon. E. M. Cutts, payment to widow of. To pay the widow of the late Honorable M. E. Cutts the amount of salary and allowances for stationery for the unexpired term of his service as a member of the Forty-eighth Congress, seven thousand six hundred and fifty-two dollars and thirty-eight cents.
- Alexander B. Thomas, Wilson Grice, payment to. To enable the Clerk of the House to pay Alexander B. Thomas and Wilson Grice for services rendered under resolution of the House from March fourth to December third, eighteen hundred and eighty-three, at sixty dollars per month each, one thousand and eighty dollars.

Approved, May 1st, 1884.

May 2, 1884.

**CHAP. 38.**—An act to add certain counties in Alabama to the Northern District therein, and to divide the said Northern District after the addition of said counties into two divisions, and to prescribe the times and places for holding courts therein, and for other purposes.

Alabama, counties added to the northern district.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the counties of Sumter, Greene, Hale, and Pickens, included in the southern district of Alabama, and the counties of Tuscaloosa, Bibb, Shelby, and Talladega, included in the middle district of Alabama, shall be hereafter included in and constitute part of the northern district of said State.

Northern and southern divisions of northern district.

**SEC. 2.** That the said northern district is hereby divided into two divisions, which shall be known as the northern and southern divisions of the northern district of Alabama. The southern division of said northern district shall include the counties of Sumter, Greene, Hale, Pickens, Tuscaloosa, Lamar, Fayette, Walker, Jefferson, Blount, Bibb, Shelby, Saint Clair, Etowah, Calhoun, Cleburne, Clay, Talladega, Cherokee, and De Kalb; and a term of the district court and circuit court of the United States for said northern district shall be held for said southern division at the city of Birmingham, in the said county of Jefferson, twice in each year, on the first Mondays in March and September. The remaining counties in said northern district shall constitute the northern division thereof; and the terms of the district and circuit courts of the United States for said northern division shall be held therein at the times and place now prescribed by law.

Term, held at Birmingham, when.

**SEC. 3.** That all offenses hereafter committed in either of said divisions shall be cognizable and indictable within the division where committed; and all grand and petit jurors summoned for service in each division shall be inhabitants thereof; and all offenses committed within either of said districts prior to the time this act goes into operation shall be prosecuted and tried as if this act had not been passed.

Counties comprising the northern division; terms.

Offenses cognizable and indictable in division where committed.

Jurors.

Civil suits, not local in character.

**SEC. 4.** That all civil suits, not of a local character, which shall be hereafter brought in the circuit or district court of United States for the