

Library: For entomological, botanical, and historical works of reference, works on chemistry, forestry, mineralogy, maps, charts, current agricultural works for library, miscellaneous agricultural periodicals, and the completion of imperfect series, two thousand dollars.

Library, books, etc.

Salaries and expenses Bureau of Animal Industry: For carrying out the provisions of the act of May twenty-ninth, eighteen hundred and eighty-four, establishing the Bureau of Animal Industry, five hundred thousand dollars; and the Commissioner of Agriculture is hereby authorized to use any part of this sum he may deem necessary or expedient, and in such manner as he may think best, to prevent the spread of pleuro-pneumonia, and for this purpose to employ as many persons as he may deem necessary, and to expend any part of this sum in the purchase and destruction of diseased or exposed animals and the quarantine of the same whenever in his judgment it is essential to prevent the spread of pleuro-pneumonia from one State into another, one hundred thousand dollars of this sum or so much thereof as may be necessary to be immediately available.

Bureau of Animal Industry. Vol. 23, p. 31.

Purchase and destruction of diseased animals.

Quarantine stations for neat-cattle: To establish and maintain quarantine stations, and to provide proper shelter for and care of neat-cattle imported, at such ports as may be deemed necessary, twenty thousand dollars.

Quarantine stations for neat cattle.

Division of forestry: For the purpose of enabling the Commissioner of Agriculture to experiment and to continue an investigation and report upon the subject of forestry, and for traveling and other necessary expenses in the investigation and the collection and distribution of valuable economic forest-tree seeds and plants, eight thousand dollars.

Division of forestry.

Postage: For postage on return-letters, circulars, and miscellaneous articles for correspondents and foreign mail, four thousand dollars.

Postage.

Contingent expenses: For stationery, freight, express-charges, fuel, lights, subsistence and care of horses, repairs of harness, for paper, twine, and gum for folding-room, advertising, telegraphing, dry-goods, soap, brushes, brooms, mats, oils, paints, glass, lumber, hardware, ice, purchasing supplies, washing towels, actual traveling expenses while on the business of the Department, and other miscellaneous supplies and expenses not otherwise provided for, and necessary for the practical and efficient work of the Department, fifteen thousand dollars.

Contingent expenses.

SEC. 2. That the bond of the Commissioner of Agriculture shall be in the penal sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

Commissioner's bond.

SEC. 3. That all machinery purchased under the provisions of this act shall be built in the United States, wholly of domestic material.

Domestic machinery to be used.

Approved, March 3, 1887.

CHAP. 352.—An act to quiet title to certain land in the city of Washington, District of Columbia.

Mar. 3, 1887.

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 to quitclaim and release unto the heirs and assigns of James S. Magee, deceased, their heirs and assigns, all the right, title, and interest of the United States of America in and to lot numbered thirteen, in square numbered six hundred and ninety-one, in the city of Washington and District of Columbia, as the same is laid down upon the original plat or plan of said city: *Provided*, That this act shall not render the United States liable for any costs, expenses, or damages in relation to the lot hereby authorized and directed to be quitclaimed, released, and conveyed.

James S. Magee. Title of United States to lot, square 691, Washington, released to heirs, etc., of.

Approved, March 3, 1887.