

# ACTS OF THE NINTH 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 first day of December, 1806, and ended on the third day of March, 1807.*

THOMAS JEFFERSON, President; GEORGE CLINTON, Vice President of the United States and President of the Senate; SAMUEL SMITH, President of the Senate pro tempore, on the 3d of March, 1807; NATHANIEL MACON, Speaker of the House of Representatives.

### STATUTE II.

CHAPTER I.—*An Act to suspend the operation of an act, intituled "An act to prohibit the importation of certain goods, wares and merchandise," and to remit the penalties incurred under the same.*

Dec. 19, 1806.

[Obsolete.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That the operation of the act, passed on the eighteenth day of April last, intituled "An act to prohibit the importation of certain goods, wares and merchandise," be, and the same hereby is suspended until the first day of July next.

Operation of a former act suspended.  
Act of April 18, 1806, ch. 29.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted,* That all penalties, fines and forfeitures, which may have been incurred by virtue of the provisions of the aforesaid act, be, and the same hereby are, respectively, remitted, on payment, by the parties, by whom such penalty, fine or forfeiture may have been incurred, of all costs which have accrued, or may accrue before notice of this act shall have been received by the attornies of the several districts of the United States.

Remission of certain penalties, &c.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted,* That the President of the United States be, and he is hereby authorized further to suspend the operation of the aforesaid act, if in his judgment the public interest should require it: *Provided,* that such suspension shall not extend beyond the second Monday in December next.

Further suspension.

Proviso.

APPROVED, December 19, 1806.

STATUTE II.

CHAP. II.—*An Act making appropriations for the support of the Navy of the United States, during the year one thousand eight hundred and seven.*

Jan. 7, 1807.

[Obsolete.]

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,* That for defraying the expenses of the navy of the United States, during the year one thousand eight hundred and seven, the following sums be, and the same hereby are, respectively, appropriated; that is to say:

For the pay and subsistence of the officers and pay of the seamen, two hundred and ninety-six thousand and forty-eight dollars.

Specific appropriations.

For provisions, one hundred and twenty thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars and three cents.

For medicines, instruments, and hospital stores, five thousand dollars.

Specific ap-  
propriations.

For repairs of vessels, one hundred and ninety thousand two hundred and eight dollars and sixty-seven cents.

For freight, store rent, commissions to agents, and other contingent expenses, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For pay and subsistence of the marine corps, including provisions for those on shore, and forage for the staff, seventy-eight thousand six hundred and seventy-eight dollars and thirty cents.

For clothing for the same, fourteen thousand three hundred and sixty dollars.

For military stores for the same, five hundred and sixty dollars.

For medicine, medical services, hospital stores, and all other expenses on account of the sick belonging to the marine corps, one thousand one hundred and fifty dollars.

For quartermaster's and barrack master's stores, officers' travelling expenses, armorer's and carpenter's bills, fuel, premium for enlisting, musical instruments, bounty to music, and other contingent expenses, eight thousand one hundred and forty-five dollars.

For the expense of navy yards, comprising docks and other improvements, pay of superintendents, store-keepers, clerks and labourers, sixty thousand dollars.

For ordnance, fifty thousand dollars.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the several sums herein specifically appropriated, shall be paid out of any monies in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

APPROVED, January 7, 1807.

STATUTE II.

Jan. 10, 1807.

[Obsolete.]

CHAP. III.—*An Act making appropriations for the support of the Military establishment of the United States, for the year one thousand eight hundred and seven.*

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled*, That for defraying the expense of the military establishment of the United States, for the year one thousand eight hundred and seven; for the Indian department, and for the expense of fortifications, arsenals, magazines and armories, the following sums be, and the same hereby are respectively appropriated, that is to say:

Specific ap-  
propriations.

For the pay of the army of the United States, three hundred and two thousand nine hundred and fifty-two dollars.

For forage, four thousand six hundred and eight dollars.

For the subsistence of the army and corps of engineers, two hundred and thirty-five thousand five hundred and fifty-two dollars and fifty cents.

For clothing, eighty-five thousand dollars.

For bounties and premiums, fifteen thousand dollars.

For the medical and hospital departments, fifteen thousand dollars.

For camp equipage, fuel, tools and transportation, ninety thousand dollars.

For fortifications, arsenals, magazines and armories, two hundred and eighteen thousand five hundred and forty-two dollars and five cents.

For purchasing maps, plans, books, and instruments, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For contingencies, eighteen thousand dollars.

For the payment of such balances as have been ascertained, and which may be ascertained during the years one thousand eight hundred and six and one thousand eight hundred and seven, from actual settlements by the accountant of the war department, and which cannot be discharged out of any existing appropriation, eight thousand dollars.