Secretary of the Treasury to discontinue the light at Port Clinton in Portage Bay, Ohio, be, and the same is hereby, repealed. Port Clinton, Ohio.

APPROVED, March 3, 1859.

CHAP. LXXXII.—*An Act making Appropriations for sundry Civil Expenses of the Government for the Year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty.* March 3, 1859.

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, for the objects hereafter expressed, for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and sixty, viz: Appropriation.

Survey of the Coast.—For continuing the survey of the Atlantic and Gulf coast of the United States, (including compensation to superintendent and assistants, and excluding pay and emoluments of officers of the army and navy, and petty officers and men of the navy employed on the work,) two hundred and fifty thousand dollars. Coast Survey

For continuing the survey of the western coast of the United States, one hundred and thirty thousand dollars.

For continuing the survey of the Florida reefs and keys, (excluding pay and emoluments of officers of the army and navy, and petty officers and men of the navy employed on the work,) forty thousand dollars.

For running a line to connect the triangulation on the Atlantic coast with that on the Gulf of Mexico, across the Florida peninsula, five thousand dollars.

For publishing the observations made in the progress of the survey of the coast of the United States, five thousand dollars.

For repairs of steamers and sailing schooners used in the coast survey, ten thousand dollars.

For pay and rations of engineers for seven steamers, used in the hydrography of the coast survey, no longer supplied by the Navy Department, twelve thousand eight hundred dollars.

To supply deficiency in the fund for the relief of sick and disabled seamen, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars. Deficiency for seamen.

For preserving the extension of the Treasury building, fifty thousand dollars. Treasury building.

The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby directed to use the balance of unexpended appropriations heretofore made for the Charleston and New Orleans custom-houses in finishing said buildings for use. Custom-houses at Charleston and New Orleans.

For completion of the Indianapolis court-house and post-office, forty thousand dollars. Court-house of Indianapolis.

For completion of the Detroit custom-house, thirty thousand dollars. Custom-house at Detroit.

For repairing the damage occasioned by the recent fire at the Mobile custom-house, ten thousand dollars. At Mobile.

For annual repairs of custom-houses, fifteen thousand dollars. Custom-houses.

For annual repairs of marine hospitals, fifteen thousand dollars. Marine hospitals.

Light-house Establishment.)—*For the Atlantic, Gulf, and Lake Coasts, viz:* Light-house establishment. Atlantic, Gulf and Lake coasts.

For supplying the light-houses and beacon-lights with oil, glass chimneys, wicks, chamois skins, polishing powder, whiting and other cleaning materials, transportation and other necessary expenses of the same, repairing and keeping in repair the lighting apparatus, one hundred and thirty-two thousand dollars.

For repairs and incidental expenses, refitting and improving all the light-houses, and buildings connected therewith, one hundred and ten thousand dollars.

For repairing the works and piers, in order to preserve and secure the light-house at Chicago, Illinois, eighty-seven thousand dollars.

For repairs and incidental expenses to the light-house at Oswego, and the buildings connected therewith, thirty thousand dollars.

For salaries of six hundred and two keepers of light-houses and light-

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beacons, and their assistants, one hundred and ninety-three thousand three hundred and nine dollars and fifty-nine cents.

For salaries of fifty-two keepers of light-vessels, twenty-seven thousand four hundred and fifty-eight dollars and seventy-three cents.

For seamen's wages, repairs, supplies, and incidental expenses of fifty-two light-vessels, one hundred and sixty-six thousand six hundred and eighteen dollars and thirteen cents.

For expenses of raising, cleaning, painting, repairing, re-mooring, and supplying losses of buoys and day beacons, and for chains and sinkers for the same, and for coloring and numbering all the buoys, one hundred thousand dollars.

For commissions, at two and a half per centum, to such superintendents as are entitled to the same under the proviso to act third March, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, on the amount that may be disbursed by them, in addition to available balance, one thousand eight hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-seven *dollars*.

1851, ch. 32, § 5. Vol. ix. p. 618.

For the Coasts of California, Oregon, and Washington.—For expenses of raising, cleaning, painting, repairing, re-mooring, and supplying losses of buoys and day beacons, and for chains and sinkers for the same, and for coloring and numbering all the buoys, ten thousand dollars.

Minot's Ledge Light-house—

For continuing the construction of the light-house on Minot's Ledge, one of the Cohasset rocks, Boston bay, Massachusetts, being one half of the amount remaining to be appropriated to complete the work according to the original estimate, forty-seven thousand and ninety dollars and thirty-six cents.

Army officers on light-house duty.

For commutation of fuel and quarters for officers of the army serving on light-house duty, the payment of which is no longer provided for by the quartermaster's department, two thousand three hundred and sixty-seven dollars and forty-one cents.

Life stations and boats.

For compensation of two superintendents for the life-saving stations on the coast of Long Island and New Jersey, three thousand dollars.

For compensation of fifty-four keepers of stations, at two hundred dollars each, eight thousand four hundred and sixty-three dollars and forty-three cents.

For the best life-boat, to be placed at each of the twenty-eight life-saving stations on the coast of New Jersey, six thousand four hundred and forty dollars, and so much money as was appropriated at the last session of Congress for this purpose as remains unexpended is hereby directed to be carried to the surplus fund.

For repairing the life-saving stations on the coast of Long Island and New Jersey, two thousand dollars.

Land surveys.

Survey of the Public Lands.—For surveying the public lands, (exclusive of California, Oregon, Washington, New Mexico, Kansas, Nebraska, and Utah,) including incidental expenses and island surveys in the interior, and all other special and difficult surveys demanding augmented rates, to be apportioned and applied to the several surveying districts, according to the exigencies of the public service, including expenses of selecting swamp lands and the compensation and expenses to survey or to locate private land claims in Louisiana, in addition to the unexpended balances of all former appropriations, sixty thousand dollars.

California.

For surveying the public lands and private land claims in California, including office expenses incident to the survey of claims, and to be disbursed at the rates prescribed by law for the different kinds of work, forty-three thousand dollars.

New Mexico.

For continuing the survey of base, meridian, standard parallels, township, and section lines in New Mexico, twenty thousand dollars.

Kansas and Nebraska.

For surveying the necessary base, meridian, standard parallels, township, and section lines in Kansas and Nebraska, also outlines of Indian reservations, including liabilities incurred in the years eighteen hundred

and fifty-five, eighteen hundred and fifty-six, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, and eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, forty thousand dollars.

For preparing the unfinished records of public and private surveys to be transferred to the State authorities, under the provisions of the act of twelfth June, eighteen hundred and forty, in those districts where the surveys are about being completed, ten thousand dollars. 1840, ch. 36. Vol. v. p. 384.

For resurveys and examinations of the surveys of the public lands in those States where the offices of the surveyors general have been, or shall be, closed, under the acts of the twelfth June, eighteen hundred and forty, and twenty-second January, eighteen hundred and fifty-three, including two thousand dollars for the salary of the clerk detailed to this special service in the General Land-Office, two thousand dollars. 1840, ch. 26. 1853, ch. 24. Vol. x. p. 152.

For surveying the public lands in Oregon, to be disbursed at the rates now authorized by law, twenty thousand dollars. Oregon.

For running and marking that part of the western boundary of Minnesota which is not defined by the natural landmarks, estimated distance one hundred and thirty miles, five thousand dollars. Minnesota.

For binding field notes, plats, and records of surveys in the office of the surveyor-general of Kansas and Nebraska, one thousand dollars.

For preservation of the collections of the exploring and surveying expeditions of the government, four thousand dollars. Exploring and surveying expeditions.

For collection of agricultural statistics, investigations for promoting agriculture and rural economy, and the procurement of cuttings and seeds, forty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no part of this appropriation shall be used or expended in defraying the expenses of any body of men or delegates assembled in Washington or elsewhere as an agricultural congress, or advisory board on agriculture, convened under the orders or by authority of the Secretary of the Interior, or any other person under any name or for any pretended object whatever. Agricultural statistics, seeds, &c. Proviso. Expense of agricultural congress not to be paid.

For drawings to illustrate the mechanical report of the commissioner of patents for the year eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, six thousand dollars. Drawings.

For support, care, and medical treatment of forty transient paupers, medical and surgical patients in Washington Infirmary, six thousand dollars. Washington Infirmary.

For purchase of manure for the public grounds, one thousand dollars. Public grounds.

For hire of carts on the public grounds, one thousand and ninety-five dollars.

For purchase of trees, and tree-boxes, to replace where necessary such as have been planted by the United States, and the repair of pavements in front of the public grounds, three thousand dollars.

For annual repairs of the Capitol, water-closets, public stables, water pipes, pavements and other walks within the Capitol Square, broken glass and locks, and for the protection of the building, five thousand dollars. Capitol repairs.

For annual repairs of the President's house and furniture, improvement of grounds, purchase of plants for garden and making hot-beds therein, and contingent expenses incident thereto, three thousand dollars. President's house.

For fuel, in part, of the President's house, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

For lighting the Capitol and President's house, the grounds around them and around the Executive offices, and Pennsylvania Avenue, and Bridge and High streets in Georgetown, forty-three thousand dollars. Lighting, &c. with gas.

For lighting with gas Four-and-a-half, Seventh, and Twelfth streets across the public mall, four thousand dollars.

For purchase of books for library at the executive mansion, to be expended under the direction of the President of the United States, two hundred and fifty dollars. Books for Executive mansion.

For repairs of the Potomac, Navy Yard, and upper bridges, three thousand dollars. Repairs of bridges.

Pennsylvania Avenue.

For repairs of Pennsylvania Avenue, three thousand dollars.

Public grounds.

For taking care of the grounds south of the President's house, continuing the improvement of the same, and keeping them in order, one thousand dollars.

Laborers.

For the payment of laborers employed in shovelling snow from *from* the walks to and around the Capitol, the President's house, and the pavements along the government reservations on Pennsylvania Avenue, five hundred dollars.

Water pipes.

For repairs of water pipes, five hundred dollars.

Patent office building.

For casual repairs of the Patent-Office building, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For cleaning out the sewer traps on Pennsylvania Avenue, three hundred dollars.

For completing the erection of the north front of the Patent-Office building, grading and paving streets around the same, enclosing front yards, and improving court yard, fifty thousand dollars.

Vol. xi. U. S. Statutes at Large.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to purchase [of] Messrs. Little, Brown and Company, two thousand copies of the eleventh volume of the United States Statutes at Large for distribution, agreeably to act of Congress directing the distribution of the other volumes, seven thousand dollars.

Public reservation.

For public reservation number two and Lafayette Square, two thousand dollars.

Patent-Office building.

For making cases and fitting up rooms in the Patent-Office building to receive copyright books, charts, and other copyright matter, and for transferring, arranging, and taking care of the same, thirty-six hundred dollars.

Hospital for the insane.

Government Hospital for the Insane.—For continuation of wall enclosing the grounds, three thousand five hundred dollars.

For furnishing the present hospital continuation, comprising the centre and three sections of the wing, fourteen thousand three hundred dollars.

For fire apparatus, nine hundred dollars.

For painting and sanding battlement and window heads and frames, and tracing window sash of the five west sections of the hospital edifice erected, eight hundred dollars.

For grading and planting trees about the hospital edifice and upon the approaches thereto within the grounds, one thousand dollars.

Towards the completion of the four eastern sections of the east wing, which will complete the hospital edifice, forty thousand dollars.

Insane of District of Columbia.

For the support, clothing, and medical treatment of the insane of the District of Columbia, and of the army and navy, at the asylum in said district, twenty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

Deaf, dumb, and blind.

For salaries and incidental expenses of the institution of the deaf, dumb, and blind in the District of Columbia, three thousand dollars.

Eighth census.

For expenses to be incurred preliminary to taking the eighth census, fifteen thousand dollars.

Capitol extension.

For United States Capitol extension, four hundred thousand dollars:

Proviso. Limit as to decorations.

Provided, That none of the money hereby appropriated shall be expended in the decoration and embellishment of the Capitol extension by sculpture or paintings, unless the same shall have been approved by the Art Commission authorized by the act of twelfth June, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, in the manner stated in said act; but this provision shall not be so

1858, ch. 154. *Ante*, p. 323.

Exception as to works begun by Crawford and Rogers.

construed as to interfere with the completion and payment for works already begun by Crawford and Rogers, or the completion of the painting of rooms in the north wing already partly painted.

Post-office extension.

For extension of the General Post-Office, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Mortgage in Pine street, New York.

For payment of the mortgage and interest on property in Pine street, in the city of New York, belonging to the United States, and purchased

under authority of the act of fourth August, eighteen hundred and fifty-four, eleven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for that purpose. 1854, ch. 242. Vol. x. pp. 561, 562.

Botanic Garden.—For procuring manure, tools, fuel, and repairs, purchasing trees and sh[r]ubs for botanic garden, to be expended under the direction of the Library Committee of Congress, twenty-three hundred dollars. Botanic Garden.

For pay of horticulturist and assistants in the botanic garden and greenhouses, to be expended under the direction of the Library Committee of Congress, five thousand one hundred and twenty-one dollars and fifty cents.

For deficiency in the executive extraordinary expenses in Kansas Territory during the administration of Governor John W. Geary, six hundred and ninety dollars and forty cents. Deficiency, executive expenses in Kansas.

For introducing the Potomac water into the botanic garden, and building a cistern thereon, one thousand dollars.

For completing certain volumes of the Exploring Expedition now nearly finished, and pay of superintendent, the sum of eight thousand two hundred and twenty dollars and five cents. Exploring expedition.

To enable the Secretary of War to pay for the purchase of stores furnished for the use of volunteers engaged in suppressing Indian hostilities in the Territory of Washington during the late Indian hostilities in that territory, seven thousand dollars, with interest from the time the money was advanced by Governor Douglas for said purchase. Payment of stores for volunteers in Washington Territory.

For the payment of volunteers employed in Florida during the years eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, and eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, and who were called into service by requisition of the President on the governor of that State, the sum of four hundred and thirteen thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary to pay the amount found due for the time said troops were actually in the service of the United States: *Provided*, That no greater pay or commutations be allowed than are authorized by law to similar troops of the United States army. Payment of volunteers in Florida war. Proviso.

For repairs of the Long Bridge over the Potomac at Washington, five thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings. Repairs of Long Bridge.

To enable the Commissioner of Public Buildings to pay to John F. Callan for stone taken from square number five hundred and sixty-two, in Washington city, and used in paving New Jersey avenue, one hundred and sixty-two dollars. Payment to John F. Callan.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the First Comptroller of the Treasury do allow, in the adjustment of the accounts of Peter Lammond, disbursing clerk of the Interior Department, the sum of five hundred and thirty-four dollars and seventy-seven cents, paid to A. G. Cochran. Peter Lammond allowed $534.77 in settlement of accounts.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That the lot of ground in the city of Philadelphia heretofore agreed to be purchased by the United States from the American Philosophical Society, as a site for a court-house shall be sold at public auction to the highest and best bidder, and that the lot in said city heretofore purchased from the Bank of Pennsylvania for a post-office shall also be sold at public auction for the best price it will bring. *Provided*, That said lots shall not be sold for an aggregate sum of less than two hundred and five thousand dollars. Lots of land in Philadelphia to be sold at auction. Proviso. Minimum price.

SEC. 4. *And be it further enacted*, That the sum or sums of money raised by the sale of the lots and grounds authorized to be sold by the preceding section of this act, together with the unexpended balance of the appropriation for the construction of a post-office at Philadelphia be applied and expended as follows, to wit: for the purchase of the first lot west of the custom-house, commonly known as the Levy Corner, a sum not exceeding seventy-five thousand dollars. For the purchase of the Appropriation of money from said sale, for purchase of land in Philadelphia for post-office and court-house.

next adjoining lot west, known as the Bailey lot, a sum not exceeding eighty-six thousand dollars, and for the construction of a building on the said Levy and Bailey lots, suitable for a post-office and court-house, a sum not exceeding the remainder of the money not disposed of as above provided. And it shall be the duty of the Secretary of the Treasury, the Postmaster-General, and the Attorney-General to execute the two foregoing sections of this act: *Provided*, That the whole amount to be expended in the construction of said building, shall not exceed the balance of the amount received from the sale of the said lots and the balance of the appropriation.

Proviso.

Authority to issue and reissue treasury notes under act 1858, ch. 1, extended to July 1, 1860.

Ante, p. 257.

Expenses thereof.

Proviso.

Sec. 5. *And be it further enacted*, That the power to issue and reissue treasury notes, conferred on the President of the United States, by the act entitled "An act to authorize the issue of treasury notes," approved the twenty-third December, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, be, and the same hereby is, revived and continued in force from the passage of this act until the first day of July eighteen hundred and sixty; and to defray the expenses thereof the sum of five thousand dollars is hereby appropriated: *Provided*, That the said notes may be issued bearing an interest not exceeding six per centum per annum; and that it shall not be necessary, as directed by the original act, aforesaid, after advertisement to exchange them for specie to the bidder or bidders who shall agree to make such exchange at the lowest rate of interest upon said notes; and that in all other respects the reissue of said treasury notes shall be subject to the terms and conditions of the act aforesaid.

Coupon or registered stock may be issued.
1858, ch. 165.
Ante, p. 365.

Sec. 6. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized, under the act of June fourteenth, eighteen hundred and fifty-eight, to issue coupon or registered stock, as the purchaser may elect.

Post-office in Boston not to be removed until, &c.

Proviso.

Sec. 7. *And be it further enacted*, That the post-office in Boston, Massachusetts, shall not be removed from its present location, until after the next session of Congress, *provided* the remonstrants against its removal will indemnify the government from any additional expense growing out of any contracts for another site.

Pay of navy officers on "furlough" list transferred to "leave" list.

Sec. 8. *And be it further enacted*, That such officers as were placed upon the "furlough list," by the action of the said Naval Retiring Board, and who have been subsequently transferred to the "leave list," shall be allowed "leave pay" for and during the time they were on the furlough list as aforesaid, deducting the furlough pay which they received during said time.

Representatives of deceased officer to have the pay.

Sec. 9. *And be it further enacted*, That in case of the death of any officer after his restoration or transfer as aforesaid, his legal representatives shall be entitled to receive the amount which said officer would have received, under this act up to the time of his death.

Superintendent of public printing, on default of contractor to supply paper, may advertise for proposals, &c.
1852, ch. 91.
Vol. x. p. 30.

Sec. 10. *And be it further enacted*, That in default of any contractor under the act approved August twenty-sixth, eighteen hundred and fifty-two, entitled "An act to provide for executing the public printing and establishing the prices therefor, and for other purposes," to comply with his contract in furnishing the paper for the public printing in proper time and of suitable quality, the superintendent of the public printing is hereby authorized and directed to advertise for proposals, for such time, and in such places, as he may deem expedient, and award the contract to the lowest bidder, and to purchase in the open market upon the best practicable terms, all the paper that may be required for the public printing until a new contract is made; and any increase of cost to the government in procuring a supply of paper, the contractor in default and his securities shall be charged with and held responsible for the same, and shall be prosecuted upon their bond, in the name of the United States in the circuit court of the United States. And all acts or parts of acts inconsistent with this section be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Increase of cost to be charged to first contractor.

Repeal.

Sec. 11. *And be it further enacted*, That in all cases where, by the

terms of any Indian treaty in Kansas Territory, said Indians are entitled to separate selections of land, and to a patent therefor, under guards, restrictions, or conditions for their benefit, the Secretary of the Interior is hereby authorized to cause patents therefor to issue to such Indian or Indians, and their heirs, upon such conditions and limitation, and under such guards or restrictions as may be prescribed by said Secretary: *Provided*, That nothing herein contained shall be construed to apply to the New York Indians, or to affect their rights under the treaty made by them in eighteen hundred and thirty-eight at Buffalo Creek.

Patents for land may issue to Indians in Kansas under treaty, &c.

Proviso. Not to affect New York Indians. Vol. vii. p. 550.

APPROVED, March 3, 1859.

CHAP. LXXXIII.—*An Act making Appropriations for the Support of the Army for the Year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty.*

March 3, 1859.

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 support of the army for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty.

Appropriation.

For expenses of recruiting, transportation of recruits, three months' extra pay to non-commissioned officers, musicians, and privates on reënlistment, eighty-nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-nine dollars.

Recruiting and reënlistment.

For pay of the army, three million and ninety-one thousand seven hundred and eighty-four dollars.

Pay.

For commutation of officers' subsistence, nine hundred and ninety-eight thousand four hundred and thirty-four dollars and fifty cents.

Commutation of subsistence and forage.

For commutation of forage for officers' horses, one hundred and four thousand one hundred and twenty-eight dollars.

For payments to discharged soldiers for clothing not drawn, fifty thousand dollars.

Clothing.

For payments in lieu of clothing for officers' servants, thirty-nine thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars.

For subsistence in kind, one million nine hundred and sixty-nine thousand five hundred and forty dollars.

Subsistence in kind.

For clothing for the army, camp, and garrison equipage, and iron bedsteads for barracks, one million one hundred and twenty-nine thousand eight hundred and nine dollars and seventy-eight cents.

Clothing, &c.

For the regular supplies of the quartermaster's department, consisting of fuel for the officers, enlisted men, guard, hospitals, storehouses, and offices; of forage in kind for the horses, mules, and oxen, of the quartermaster's department at the several posts and stations and with the armies in the field; for the horses of the two regiments of dragoons, the two regiments of cavalry, the regiment of mounted riflemen, the companies of light artillery, and such companies of infantry as may be mounted, and for the authorized number of officers' horses when serving in the field and at the outposts, including bedding for the animals; of straw for soldiers' bedding, and of stationery, including blank books for the quartermaster's department, certificates for discharged soldiers, blank forms for the pay and quartermaster's departments, and for the printing of division and department orders and reports, one million four hundred and forty thousand dollars.

Quartermaster's department.

For the incidental expenses of the quartermaster's department, consisting of postage on letters and packets received and sent by officers of the army on public service; expenses of courts martial and courts of enquiry, including the additional compensation of judge advocates, recorders, members, and witnesses, while on that service, under the act of March sixteenth, eighteen hundred and two; extra pay to soldiers employed under the direction of the quartermaster's department, in the erection of barracks, quarters, storehouses, and hospitals; in the construction of roads,

Incidental expenses.

1802, ch. 9, §§ 21, 22. Vol. ii. p. 136.