CHAP. CCCII. — *An Act to amend an Act entitled "An Act making Appropriations for sundry Civil Expenses of the Government for the Year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-nine.*

July 28, 1866.
1858, ch. 154, § 17.
Vol. xi. p. 327.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the proviso to the seventeenth section of the act to which this act is an amendment be altered so as to read as follows: *And provided further*, That where there is no collector at the place of location of any public work herein specified, the Secretary of the Treasury shall have power to appoint a disbursing agent for the payment of all moneys that are, or may be hereafter, appropriated for the construction of any such public work, with such compensation as he may deem equitable and just, and all laws and parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this section be, and the same are hereby, repealed.

Secretary of Treasury may appoint disbursing agent, where there is no collector at place of location of any public work.

APPROVED, July 28, 1866.

CHAP. CCCIII. — *An act authorizing the Payment of the Rewards offered by the President of the United States and the Officers of the War Department, in April and May, 1865, for the Capture of the Assissins of the late President, Abraham Lincoln, and the Secretary of State, Hon. William H. Seward.*

July 28, 1866.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That there be paid, out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, in satisfaction of all claims for the rewards offered by the President of the United States or by authority of the War Department for the capture of the assassins of the late President, Abraham Lincoln, and the Secretary of State, William H. Seward, the following sums to the following-named persons, viz: —

Payment and division of rewards offered for the capture of the assassins of the President and Secretary of State.

For the capture of Payne: —

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To Major H. W. Smith, who had charge of, and commanded the force, the sum of	$1,000
Richard C. Morgan, detective	500
Eli Devore, detective	500
Charles H. Rosch, detective	500
Thomas Sampson, detective	500
William M. Wermerskirch, detective	500
John H. Kimball, citizen	500
P. M. Clark, citizen	500
Susan Jackson, colored	250
Mary Ann Griffin	250
	$5,000

For the capture of Atzerott: —

of Atzerott;

To Major E. R. Artman, 213th Pennsylvania Volunteers	$1,250 00
Sergeant Zachariah W. Gemmill, 1st Delaware Cavalry	3,598 54
Private Christopher Ross, 1st Delaware Cavalry	2,878 54
Private David H. Barker, 1st Delaware Cavalry	2,878 78
Private Albert Bender, 1st Delaware Cavalry	2,878 78
Private Samuel J. Williams, 1st Delaware Cavalry	2,878 78
Private George W. Young, 1st Delaware Cavalry	2,878 78
Private James Longacre, 1st Delaware Cavalry	2,878 78
James W. Purdum, citizen	2,878 78
	$25,000 00

For the capture of Booth and Herold: —

of Booth and Herold;

To E. J. Conger	$15,000
" Lafayette C. Baker	3,750
" Luther B. Barker	3,000
" Lieutenant E. P. Doherty	5,250
" James R. O'Bierne	2,000
" H. H. Wells	1,000
" George Cottingham	1,000
" Alexander Lovett	1,000
	$32,000

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