

to that end, the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy are hereby authorized to detail a joint board of not less than six competent officers, three from the army and three from the navy, whose duty it shall be to construct, and test by firing upon them, such targets as they may deem necessary for the purposes above named. And the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy are hereby authorized and directed to supply the board with such facilities for this purpose as they may require: *Provided*, it can be done from the unexpended funds and materials now at their disposal, the expenses to be borne equally by the War and Navy Departments, and from such funds at their disposal as the Secretary of War and the Secretary of the Navy may designate respectively.

against guns of the heaviest calibre.

Facilities, how to be furnished, and expenses how borne.

APPROVED, March 2, 1867.

CHAP. CLXXII. — *An Act making Appropriations for the Naval Service for the Year ending thirtieth June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight.* March 2, 1867.

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 they are hereby, appropriated, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight.

Navy appropriations.

For pay of commission, warrant, and petty officers and seamen, ten millions eight hundred and twenty-six thousand two hundred and eighty dollars.

Pay of officers and seamen.

Bureau of Yards and Docks. — For contingent expenses that may accrue for the following purposes, viz: For freight and transportation; for printing, advertising, and stationery; for books, models, and drawings; for the purchase and repair of fire-engines; for machinery of every description, and patent right to use the same; for purchase and maintenance of oxen and horses, and driving teams; for carts, timber-wheels, and workmen's tools; for telegrams and postage of letters on public service; for furniture for government offices and houses; for coals and other fuel; for candles, oil, and gas; for cleaning and clearing up yards; for flags, awnings, and packing-boxes; for pay of watchmen; for incidental labor at navy yards not applicable to any other appropriation; for rent of landings; for tolls and ferriages; for water tax; and for rent of stores, one million and sixty-seven thousand dollars.

Bureau of yards and docks.

Navy Yard at Portsmouth, New Hampshire. — For completing reservoirs and gutters, two thousand five hundred dollars.

Navy yard at Portsmouth;

For repairs of all kinds, sixty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

Navy Yard at Boston. — For repairs of all kinds, one hundred and twenty-seven thousand dollars.

Boston;

Navy Yard at New York. — For repairs of all kinds, one hundred and sixty-three thousand six hundred dollars.

New York;

Naval Laboratory, New York. — For repairs of apparatus, machinery, fixtures, painting, glazing, wagons, furniture, and so forth, thirty-five hundred dollars.

Navy Yard at Philadelphia. — For repairs of all kinds, fifty-one thousand and sixteen dollars.

at Philadelphia;

Navy Yard at Washington. — For repairs of all kinds, eighty thousand dollars; and the Secretary of the Navy is hereby authorized and directed to receive and accept a deed of gift, when offered by the State of Connecticut, of a tract of land situated in the Thames river, near New London, Connecticut, with a water front of not less than one mile, to be held by the United States for naval purposes.

at Washington; gift of land in the Thames river, near New London, Ct. to be accepted;

Navy Yard at Pensacola. — For repairs of all kinds, eighty thousand four hundred and sixty dollars.

at Pensacola;

Navy Yard at Mare Island. — For gas house, four thousand and seven dollars.

at Mare Island.

For cisterns for building number forty-one and officers' houses, seven thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

For repairs of all kinds, sixty thousand dollars.

Naval station
at Sackett's Har-
bor;
at Mound
City.

Naval Station at Sackett's Harbor. — For repairs and general care of public property, two thousand dollars.

Naval Station at Mound City, Illinois. — For repairs and general care of public property, ten thousand dollars.

Naval asylum.

Naval Asylum at Philadelphia. — For furniture and repairs of same, one thousand dollars.

For the purchase of books, under the direction of the governor of the asylum for the increase of the sailors' library in that institution, one thousand dollars.

For house-cleaning and whitewashing, eight hundred dollars.

For furnaces, grates, and ranges seven hundred dollars.

For gas and water rent, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For improvement of grounds, five hundred dollars.

For wharves and lots, eight hundred dollars.

For painting houses and walls, two thousand dollars.

For repairs of all kinds, three thousand dollars.

For improvement of cemetery, three thousand dollars.

For support of beneficiaries, fifty-two thousand dollars.

Civil establish-
ment at navy
yards.

For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment at the several navy yards and stations under the control of the bureau of yards and docks and at the naval asylum, one hundred and fifty-eight thousand nine hundred and sixty-seven dollars: *Provided*, That the civil engineer and naval storekeeper, when required at any of the navy yards, shall be appointed by the President by and with the advice and consent of the Senate, and the persons employed at the several navy yards, as master machinists, master carpenters, master joiners, master blacksmiths, master boiler-makers, master sailmakers, master plumbers, and master painters and master caulkers shall be men skilled in their several duties and appointed from civil life.

Civil engineers
and naval store-
keepers, how ap-
pointed.

Master me-
chanics, &c. to
be skilled, and
appointed from
civil life.

Collection of
facts, &c. to il-
lustrate the his-
tory of the navy.

For pay of some suitable person appointed by the Secretary of the Navy to examine the archives of the department and other sources of information, and collect and collate the facts which may illustrate the history of the United States navy, fifteen hundred dollars.

Bureau of
navigation.

Bureau of Navigation. — For navigation apparatus and supplies, and for purposes incidental to navigation, two hundred and eighty-five thousand six hundred and twenty-six dollars.

Naval academe-
my.

For expenses of naval academy, viz: for pay of civil officers, professors, watchmen, and others, contingent expenses, improvements and repairs, two hundred and eighty-three thousand nine hundred and thirteen dollars.

Naval obser-
vatory.

For expenses of naval observatory, viz: [for] pay of assistant astronomer, three aids, and clerk; for wages of instrument maker, two watchmen, porter and messenger; for keeping grounds in order, and repairs to buildings and enclosures; for fuel, light, office furniture, and stationery, and for freight, transportation, postage, and incidental expenses, twenty-one thousand five hundred dollars.

Nautical Al-
manac.

For preparing for publication the American Nautical Almanac, twenty-one thousand dollars.

Visitors to
naval academy.

For payment of expenses of visitors to the naval academy, two thousand dollars.

Bureau of
equipment and
recruiting.

Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting. — For the payment of bounties to discharged seamen, five hundred thousand dollars.

For expenses that may accrue for the following purposes, namely: expenses of recruiting, transportation of men, printing and stationery, advertising in public newspapers, postage on public letters, wharfage and demurrage, apprehension of deserters, assistance to vessels in distress, &c. five hundred thousand dollars.

Bureau of Construction and Repair.—For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment at the several navy yards under this bureau, sixty-three thousand dollars. Bureau of construction and repair.

Bureau of Steam Engineering.—For pay of superintendents and the civil establishment at the several navy yards under this bureau, twenty-four thousand dollars. of steam engineering;

Bureau of Provisions and Clothing.—For pay of the civil establishment at the several navy yards and at the naval asylum, eighteen thousand one hundred and fifty dollars. of provisions and clothing;

Bureau of Medicine and Surgery.—For surgeons' necessities and appliances for the sick and wounded of the navy, marine corps, and coast survey, fifty thousand dollars. of medicine and surgery;

For contingent expenses of the bureau of medicine and surgery, twenty-five thousand dollars. contingent expenses;

For pay of the civil establishment, under the bureau of medicine and surgery, at the several naval hospitals and navy yards, sixty thousand seven hundred and sixty-three dollars. civil establishment.

Naval Hospital, Boston.—For repairs and improvements of all kinds, including roads, buildings, fences, walls, farm, garden, painting, glazing, blacksmiths', plumbers', and masons' work, furniture, and so forth, seven thousand two hundred dollars. Naval hospitals; Boston;

Naval Hospital, New York.—For repairs and improvements of all kinds, including the buildings, out-houses, walls, fences, cemetery, furniture, and so forth, twelve thousand five hundred dollars. New York;

Naval Hospital, Philadelphia.—For furniture and general outfit of the establishment, ten thousand dollars. Philadelphia;

Naval Hospital, Washington, D. C.—For repairs of building and appendages, fences, sidewalk, furniture, painting, glazing, and so forth, five thousand dollars. Washington;

Naval Hospital, Norfolk.—For repairs of buildings, appendages, wharves, roads, fences, painting, glazing, furniture, and so forth, seven thousand five hundred dollars. Norfolk;

Naval Hospital, Mare Island, California.—For building naval hospital and appendages, twenty thousand dollars. Mare Island.

Marine Corps.—For pay of officers, non-commissioned officers, musicians, privates, clerks, messengers, steward and nurse, and servants; for rations and clothing for officers' servants; additional rations to officers for five years' service; for undrawn clothing, nine hundred and sixty-seven thousand dollars and sixty-seven cents. Marine corps. Pay, rations, and clothing.

For provisions, one hundred and sixty-nine thousand nine hundred and seven dollars and fifty cents.

For clothing, two hundred and ninety-two thousand one hundred and eighty-six dollars and eighty-four cents.

For fuel, thirty thousand one hundred and seventeen dollars.

Fuel.

For military stores, viz: Pay of mechanics, repair of arms, purchase of accoutrements, ordnance stores, flags, drums, fifes, and other instruments, sixteen thousand dollars.

Military stores.

For transportation of officers, their servants, troops, and expenses of recruiting, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Transportation, &c.

For repairs of barracks, and rent of offices where there are no public buildings, fifteen thousand dollars.

Barracks and offices.

For contingencies, viz: Freight; ferriage; toll; cartage; wharfage; purchase and repair of boats; compensation to judge advocates; per diem for attending courts-martial, courts of inquiry, and for constant labor; house rent in lieu of quarters; burial of deceased marines; printing, stationery, postage, telegraphing; apprehension of deserters; oil, candles, gas; repairs of gas and water fixtures; water rent, forage, straw, barrack furniture; furniture for officers' quarters; bed sacks, wrapping paper, oil-cloth, crash, rope, twine, spades, shovels, axes, picks, carpenters' tools;

Contingencies.

Marine corps.
Contingencies.

keep of a horse for the messenger; pay of matron, washerwoman, and porter at the hospital headquarters; repairs to fire engines; purchase and repair of engine hose; purchase of lumber for benches, mess tables, and bunks; repairs to public carryall; purchase and repair of harness; purchase and repair of handcarts and wheelbarrows; scavengering; purchase and repair of galleys, cooking stoves, ranges; stoves where there are no grates; gravel for parade grounds; repair of pumps; furniture for staff and commanding officers' offices; brushes, brooms, buckets, paving, and for other purposes, eighty thousand dollars.

Secretary of
Navy to effect a
further ex-
change of lands
with the city of
Brooklyn, N. Y.
&c.

Title to be ap-
proved.

SEC. 2. *And be it further enacted*, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized and empowered to negotiate with the city of Brooklyn, in the State of New York, and to effect a further exchange of lands in Wallabout Bay, between the United States and the said city, and thereupon to make, execute, and deliver good and sufficient deeds and releases therefor: *Provided*, That the title acquired shall be approved by the Attorney-General and the exchange shall be effected without expenditure from the treasury of the United States.

Workmen in
navy yards not
to be required to
pay money for
political pur-
poses;
not to be dis-
charged for po-
litical opinions.
Penalty.

SEC. 3. *And be it further enacted*, That no officer or employee of the government shall require or request any workingman in any navy yard to contribute or pay any money for political purposes, nor shall any workingman be removed or discharged for political opinion; and any officer or employee of the government who shall offend against the provisions of this section shall be dismissed the service of the United States.

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March 2, 1867.

CHAP. CLXXIII. — *An Act making Appropriations for the current and contingent Expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling Treaty Stipulations with various Indian Tribes for the Year ending June thirty, eighteen hundred and sixty-eight.*

Appropriations
for expenses of
the Indian De-
partment and
treaty stipula-
tions.

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 they are hereby, appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of paying the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, and fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes: —

Superintend-
ents, agents, sub-
agents, clerks,
&c.

For the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, namely, —

For the pay of superintendents of Indian affairs and of Indian agents, one hundred and ten thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

For pay of sub-agents, six thousand dollars.

For pay of clerk to superintendent at St. Louis, Missouri, one thousand two hundred dollars.

For pay of temporary clerks by superintendents of Indian affairs, five thousand dollars.

For pay of clerk to superintendent of Indian affairs in California, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Interpreters,
presents, pro-
visions.

For pay of interpreters, twenty-eight thousand four hundred dollars.

For presents to Indians, five thousand dollars.

For provisions for Indians, eleven thousand eight hundred dollars.

Buildings and
repairs.
Contingencies.
Treaty stipu-
lations.

For buildings at agencies and repairs thereof, ten thousand dollars.

For contingencies of the Indian Department, thirty-six thousand five hundred dollars.

For fulfilling treaty stipulations with the various Indian tribes: —

Apaches.
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Apaches. — For second of forty instalments, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior, according to the terms of the second article treaty, October seventeenth, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, sixteen thousand dollars.

For this amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the transportation of goods, provisions, and so forth, purchased for the Apache Indians, according to the terms of the same article of same treaty, three thousand five hundred dollars.