

said, and the necessary appropriation therefor is hereby made for the present fiscal year, one half of said expenses to be paid by the United States and one half by the District of Columbia as provided by the act of Congress approved June eleventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-eight providing a permanent form of government for said District.

Approved, February 25, 1880.

Appropriation.

1878, ch. 180,
20 Stat., 102.

[No. 15.] Joint resolution for the relief of M. M. Herr, and to pay three messengers of the Senate.

Feb. 25, 1880.

Resolved 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 pay, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, to M. M. Herr, the sum of six hundred and five dollars for services as assistant sergeant-at-arms to the House of Representatives during the first session of the Forty-sixth Congress.

M. M. Herr.
Appropriation.

That the following sum be, and the same is hereby, appropriated, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for salaries of officers of the Senate, namely:

For salaries of three messengers, under Senate resolution of December eleventh, eighteen hundred and seventy-nine, for the fiscal year eighteen hundred and eighty, two thousand three hundred and fifty-five dollars and sixty-five cents.

Three messen-
gers of Senate.
Appropriation.

Approved, February 25, 1880.

[No. 16.] Joint resolution authorizing the Secretary of the Navy to transport contributions for the relief of the suffering poor of Ireland.

Feb. 25, 1880.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be, and he is hereby, authorized to employ any ship or vessel belonging to the Navy of the United States best adapted for such service for the purpose of transporting to the famishing poor of Ireland such contributions as may be made for their relief, or to charter and employ under the authority of the United States a suitable American ship or vessel for the same purpose. Any sum of money which may be necessary to carry out the object of this resolution is hereby appropriated out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Famishing poor
of Ireland.

Transportation
of supplies.

Appropriation.

Approved, February 25, 1880.

[No. 17.] Joint resolution to authorize the printing of thirteen thousand copies of the Report on Sheep Husbandry.

April 1, 1880.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That thirteen thousand copies of the report of the Department of Agriculture on "Sheep Husbandry" be, and the same is hereby, ordered to be printed; three thousand for the Senate; ten thousand copies thereof for distribution by the members of the House of Representatives among their constituents.

Sheep husband-
ry, report on.

Copies to be
printed.

Approved, April 1, 1880.

[No. 18.] Joint resolution directing the Secretary of the Navy to organize a Board to inquire into the present condition of the double turreted monitors, and the propriety and cost of completing said vessels.

April 2, 1880.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the Secretary of the Navy be and he is hereby directed to organize a Board, to consist of not less than five

Board to exam-
ine certain moni-
tors.