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ers who are now borne on the rolls, or who may hereafter be placed thereon, under the provisions of any and all Acts of Congress, one hundred and forty-four million dollars: *Provided*, That the appropriation aforesaid for navy pensions shall be paid from the income of the navy pension fund so far as the same shall be sufficient for that purpose: *Provided further*, That the amount expended under each of the above items shall be accounted for separately.

Provisos. Navy pensions.

Accounts.

Examining surgeons.

For fees and expenses of examining surgeons for services rendered within the fiscal year nineteen hundred and one, seven hundred thousand dollars. And each member of each examining board shall, as now authorized by law, receive the sum of two dollars for the examination of each applicant whenever five or a less number shall be examined on any one day and one dollar for the examination of each additional applicant on such day: *Provided*, That if twenty or more applicants appear on one day no fewer than twenty shall, if practicable, be examined on said day, and that if fewer examinations be then made, twenty or more having appeared, then there shall be paid for the first examinations made on the next examination day the fee of one dollar only until twenty examinations shall have been made: *Provided further*, That no fee shall be paid to any member of an examining board who was not personally present and assisting in the examination of applicant: *And provided further*, That the report of such examining surgeons shall specifically state the rating which in their judgment the applicant is entitled to, and the report of such examining surgeons shall specifically and accurately set forth the physical condition of the applicant, each and every existing disability being fully and carefully described. The reports of the special examiners of the Bureau of Pensions shall be open to inspection and copy by the applicant or his attorney, under such rules and regulations as the Secretary of the Interior may prescribe.

—fees, etc.

Provisos. Examinations.

No fee unless service rendered.

Report to state rating.

—physical condition.

—to be open to inspection.

Agents' salaries.

For salaries of eighteen agents for the payment of pensions, at four thousand dollars each, seventy-two thousand dollars.

Clerk hire.

For clerk hire, four hundred and thirty thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the amount of clerk hire for each agency shall be apportioned as nearly as practicable in proportion to the number of pensioners paid at each agency and the salaries paid shall be subject to the approval of the Secretary of the Interior.

Proviso. Apportionment.

Fuel.

For fuel, two hundred and fifty dollars.

Light.

For lights, five hundred dollars.

Rent.

For rents, twelve thousand four hundred and eighty dollars.

Stationery.

For stationery and other necessary expenses, thirty thousand dollars.

Approved, April 4, 1900.

April 4, 1900.

CHAP. 159.—An Act Making appropriations for the diplomatic and consular service for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one.

Diplomatic and consular appropriations.

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, severally appropriated, in full compensation for the diplomatic and consular service for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one, out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, namely:

Schedule A.

SCHEDULE A.

Salaries.

SALARIES OF AMBASSADORS AND MINISTERS.

Ambassadors.

Ambassadors extraordinary and plenipotentiary to France, Germany, Great Britain, Mexico, and Russia, at seventeen thousand five hundred dollars each, eighty-seven thousand five hundred dollars;

Ambassador extraordinary and plenipotentiary to Italy, twelve thousand dollars;

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Austria, Brazil, China, Japan, and Spain, at twelve thousand dollars each, sixty thousand dollars; Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary.

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to the Argentine Republic, Belgium, Chile, Colombia, Netherlands, Peru, Turkey, and Venezuela, at ten thousand dollars each, eighty thousand dollars;

Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Nicaragua, Costa Rica, and Salvador, ten thousand dollars;

Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Guatemala and Honduras, ten thousand dollars;

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Denmark, Paraguay and Uruguay, Portugal, Sweden and Norway, and Switzerland, at seven thousand five hundred dollars each, thirty-seven thousand five hundred dollars;

Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Roumania, Servia, and Greece, six thousand five hundred dollars;

Envoys extraordinary and ministers plenipotentiary to Bolivia and Ecuador, at five thousand dollars each, ten thousand dollars;

Envoy extraordinary and minister plenipotentiary to Haiti, to be accredited also as charge de affaires to Santo Domingo, seven thousand five hundred dollars;

Minister resident and consul-general to Korea, seven thousand five hundred dollars; Ministers resident and consuls-general.

Minister resident and consul-general to Siam, seven thousand five hundred dollars;

Minister resident and consul-general to Persia, five thousand dollars;

Minister resident and consul-general to Liberia, four thousand dollars;

Agent and consul-general at Cairo, five thousand dollars; Agent, etc., Cairo.

Chargés d'affaires ad interim and diplomatic officers abroad, thirty thousand dollars; Chargés d'affaires.

Total, three hundred and eighty thousand dollars.

SALARIES OF DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR OFFICERS WHILE RECEIVING INSTRUCTIONS AND MAKING TRANSITS.

To pay the salaries of ambassadors, ministers, consuls, and other officers of the United States for the periods actually and necessarily occupied in receiving instructions, and in making transits to and from their posts, and while waiting recognition and authority to act, in pursuance of the provisions of section seventeen hundred and forty of the Revised Statutes, so much as may be necessary for the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one, is hereby appropriated. Instruction and transit pay. R. S., sec. 1740, p. 309.

SALARIES OF SECRETARIES OF EMBASSIES AND LEGATIONS.

Secretaries of embassies to Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Mexico, and Russia, at two thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars each, fifteen thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars; Secretaries of embassies and legations.

Secretaries of legations to China and Japan, at two thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars each, five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars;

Secretary of legation and consul-general to Colombia, two thousand dollars;

Secretary of legation to Guatemala and Honduras, one thousand eight hundred dollars;

Secretaries of legations to Nicaragua, Costa Rica, and Salvador, and to Chile, one thousand eight hundred dollars each, three thousand six hundred dollars;

Secretaries of legations to Turkey, Austria, Spain, and Brazil, at one thousand eight hundred dollars each, seven thousand two hundred dollars;

Secretaries of legations to Argentine Republic, Venezuela, and Peru, at one thousand eight hundred dollars each, Liberia, and Korea, at one thousand five hundred dollars each, eight thousand four hundred dollars;

Second secretaries of embassies to Great Britain, France, Germany, Italy, Mexico, and Russia, at two thousand dollars each, twelve thousand dollars;

Second secretaries.

Second secretaries of legations to Japan and China, who shall be American students of the language of the court and country to which they are appointed, respectively, and shall be allowed and required, under the direction of the Secretary of State, to devote their time to the acquisition of such language, at one thousand eight hundred dollars each, three thousand six hundred dollars;

Third secretaries.

Third secretaries of embassies to Great Britain, France, Mexico, and Germany, at one thousand two hundred dollars each, four thousand eight hundred dollars;

Total, sixty-four thousand four hundred dollars.

SALARIES OF INTERPRETERS TO LEGATIONS.

Interpreters.

Chinese secretary, legation to China, and interpreter to legation to Turkey, at three thousand dollars each, six thousand dollars;

Interpreter to legation to Japan, two thousand five hundred dollars;

Interpreter to legation and consulate-general to Persia, one thousand dollars;

Interpreter to legation and consulate-general to Korea, five hundred dollars;

Interpreter to legation and consulate-general to Bangkok, Siam, five hundred dollars;

Total, ten thousand five hundred dollars.

—not to draw salaries appropriated for other officers.

But no person drawing the salary of interpreter as above provided shall be allowed any part of the salary appropriated for any secretary of legation or other officer.

Spain.

LEGATION TO SPAIN.

Clerk hire.

For clerk hire at legation to Spain, one thousand two hundred dollars.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES, FOREIGN MISSIONS.

Contingent expenses, foreign missions.

To enable the President to provide, at the public expense, all such stationery, blanks, records, and other books, seals, presses, flags, and signs as he shall think necessary for the several embassies and legations in the transaction of their business, and also for rent, postage, telegrams, furniture, messenger service, clerk hire, compensation of kavasses, guards, dragomen, and porters, including compensation of interpreter, guards, and Arabic clerk at the consulate at Tangiers, and the compensation of dispatch agents at London, New York, and San Francisco, and for traveling and miscellaneous expenses of embassies and legations, and for printing in the Department of State, and for loss on bills of exchange to and from embassies and legations, one hundred and fifty thousand dollars.

Dispatch agents.

Printing.
Loss by exchange.

STEAM LAUNCH FOR LEGATION AT CONSTANTINOPLE.

Steam launch, Turkey.

Hiring of steam launch for use of the legation at Constantinople, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

RENT OF LEGATION BUILDINGS AND GROUNDS IN CHINA.

Rent.

Rent of buildings for legation and other purposes at Peking, or such other place in China as shall be designated, three thousand six hundred dollars.

China.

GROUND RENT OF LEGATION AT TOKYO, JAPAN.

Annual ground rent of the legation at Tokyo, Japan, for the year ending March fifteenth, nineteen hundred and one, two hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Japan.

REPAIRS OF LEGATION PREMISES AT BAN KOK, SIAM.

For repairing and improvement of legation premises at Bangkok, Siam, the same, with the ground, being the gift of the Government of Siam, two thousand dollars.

Bangkok, Siam; repairs.

ANNUAL EXPENSES OF CAPE SPARTEL LIGHT, COAST OF MOROCCO.

Annual proportion of the expenses of Cape Spartel and Tangiers Light, on the coast of Morocco, including loss by exchange, three hundred and twenty-five dollars.

Cape Spartel light.

BRINGING HOME CRIMINALS.

Actual expenses incurred in bringing home from foreign countries persons charged with crime, five thousand dollars.

Bringing home criminals.

FEES AND COSTS IN EXTRADITION CASES.

To enable the Secretary of State to comply with the requirements of the fourth section of "An Act regulating fees and the practice in extradition cases," approved August third, eighteen hundred and eighty-two, to be disbursed by the Secretary of State, five thousand dollars.

Extradition expenses.
Vol. 22, p. 216.

RESCUING SHIPWRECKED AMERICAN SEAMEN.

Expenses which may be incurred in the acknowledgment of the services of masters and crews of foreign vessels in rescuing American seamen or citizens from shipwreck, four thousand five hundred dollars.

Life-saving testimonials.

EXPENSES UNDER THE NEUTRALITY ACT.

To meet the necessary expenses attendant upon the execution of the neutrality Act, to be expended under the direction of the President, pursuant to the requirement of section two hundred and ninety-one of the Revised Statutes, eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expenses, neutrality act.
R. S., sec. 291, p. 49.

EMERGENCIES ARISING IN THE DIPLOMATIC AND CONSULAR SERVICE.

To enable the President to meet unforeseen emergencies arising in the diplomatic and consular service, and to extend the commercial and other interests of the United States, to be expended pursuant to the requirement of section two hundred and ninety-one of the Revised Statutes, sixty-three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Unforseen emergencies.
R. S., sec. 291, p. 49.

ALLOWANCE TO WIDOWS OR HEIRS OF DIPLOMATIC OFFICERS WHO DIE ABROAD.

Payment to heirs diplomatic or consular officers dying abroad. R. S., sec. 1749, p. 311.

Payment, under the provisions of section seventeen hundred and forty-nine of the Revised Statutes of the United States, to the widows or heirs at law of diplomatic or consular officers of the United States dying in foreign countries in the discharge of their duties, five thousand dollars.

TRANSPORTING REMAINS OF DIPLOMATIC OFFICERS, CONSULS, AND CONSULAR CLERKS TO THEIR HOMES FOR INTERMENT.

Bringing home remains of ministers, consuls, etc.

Defraying the expenses of transporting the remains of diplomatic and consular officers of the United States, including consular clerks, who have died or may die abroad or in transit, while in the discharge of their official duties, to their former homes in this country for interment, and for the ordinary and necessary expenses of such interment, five thousand dollars.

INTERNATIONAL BUREAU OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES.

International Bureau of Weights and Measures. Vol. 20, p. 714.

Contribution to the maintenance of the International Bureau of Weights and Measures for the year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one, in conformity with the terms of the convention of May twenty-fourth, eighteen hundred and seventy-five, the same, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid, under the direction of the Secretary of State, to said Bureau, on its certificate of apportionment, two thousand two hundred and seventy dollars.

INTERNATIONAL BUREAU FOR PUBLICATION OF CUSTOMS TARIFFS.

International Customs Tariffs Bureau.

To meet the share of the United States in the annual expense for the year ending March thirty-first, nineteen hundred and one, of sustaining the International Bureau at Brussels for the translation and publication of customs tariffs, one thousand three hundred and eighteen dollars and seventy-six cents; this appropriation to be available on April first, nineteen hundred, pursuant to convention proclaimed December seventeenth, eighteen hundred and ninety.

Vol. 26, p. 1518.

INTERNATIONAL (WATER) BOUNDARY COMMISSION, UNITED STATES AND MEXICO.

Mexican Water Boundary Commission. Vol. 24, p. 1011. Vol. 26, p. 1512.

To enable the commission to continue its work under the treaties of eighteen hundred and eighty-four and eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, twenty thousand dollars.

INTERNATIONAL BUREAU AT BRUSSELS FOR REPRESSION OF THE AFRICAN SLAVE TRADE.

Bureau for repression African slave trade. Vol. 27, p. 917.

To meet the share of the United States in the expenses of the special bureau created by article eighty-two of the general act concluded at Brussels July second, eighteen hundred and ninety, for the repression of the African slave trade and the restriction of the importation into and sale, in a certain defined zone of the African continent, of firearms, ammunition, and spirituous liquors, for the year nineteen hundred and one, one hundred dollars.

INTERNATIONAL PRISON COMMISSION.

International Prison Commission.

For subscription of the United States as an adhering member of the International Prison Commission, and the expenses of a commissioner, including preparation of reports, two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

INTERNATIONAL GEODETIC ASSOCIATION FOR THE MEASUREMENT OF THE EARTH.

To enable the Government of the United States to pay, through the American embassy at Berlin, its quota as an adhering member of the International Geodetic Association for the Measurement of the Earth, one thousand five hundred dollars. International Geodetic Association.

REPAIRS TO LEGATION AND CONSULAR PREMISES.

To enable the Secretary of State to keep in repair the legation and consular premises owned by the Government of the United States and occupied by its agents, three thousand dollars. Repairs to legations and consulates.

SCHEDULE B. Schedule B.

SALARIES, CONSULAR SERVICE. Salaries.

Consuls-general at London, Paris, and Rio de Janeiro, at five thousand dollars each, fifteen thousand dollars; Consuls-general

Consuls-general at Hongkong, Shanghai, and Calcutta, at five thousand dollars each, fifteen thousand dollars;

Consul-general at Melbourne, four thousand five hundred dollars;

Consuls-general at Berlin, Montreal, Yokohama, Panama, and Mexico (city), at four thousand dollars each, twenty thousand dollars;

Consuls-general at Halifax, Ottawa, and Vienna, at three thousand five hundred dollars each, ten thousand five hundred dollars;

Consuls-general at Antwerp, Apia, Constantinople, Dresden, Guayaquil, Frankfort, Rome, Saint Petersburg, Singapore, Cape Town (Africa), Barcelona, and Saint Gall, at three thousand dollars each, thirty-six thousand dollars;

Consul-general at Monterey, at two thousand five hundred dollars;

Consul-general at Guatemala, two thousand dollars;

Consuls-general at Tangiers and Maracaibo, at two thousand dollars each, four thousand dollars;

Consul-general at Santo Domingo, two thousand dollars;

Consul-general and secretary of legation at Stockholm, one thousand five hundred dollars;

Consul-general at Christiania, one thousand five hundred dollars;

Total, one hundred and fourteen thousand five hundred dollars.

For salaries of consuls, vice-consuls, and commercial agents, four hundred and forty-six thousand dollars, as follows, namely: Consuls, etc.

CLASS I. Class I, $5,000 a year.

Consul at Liverpool, five thousand dollars.

CLASS II. Class II, $3,500 a year.

At three thousand five hundred dollars per annum.

China:

Consuls at Amoy, Canton, and Tientsin.

France:

Consul at Havre.

Peru:

Consul at Callao.

CLASS III. Class III, $3,000 a year.

At three thousand dollars per annum.

Austria:

Consul at Prague.

Chile:
Consul at Valparaiso.
Colombia:
Consul at Colon (Aspinwall).
China:
Consuls at Cheefoo, Chinkiang, Fuchau, Hankow, and Chung King.
France:
Consul at Bordeaux.
Germany:
Consuls at Barmen and Nuremberg.
Great Britain and British Dominions:
Consuls at Belfast, Bradford, Demerara, Glasgow, Kingston (Jamaica), Manchester, and Dawson City, British North America.
Japan:
Consuls at Nagasaki, and Osaka and Hiogo.
Mexico:
Consul at Vera Cruz.
Switzerland:
Consul at Basel.
Uruguay:
Consul at Montevideo.

Class IV, $2,500 a year.

CLASS IV.

At two thousand five hundred dollars per annum.
Argentine Republic:
Consul at Buenos Ayres.
Austria:
Consul at Reichenberg.
Belgium:
Consul at Brussels.
Brazil:
Consuls at Bahia, Santos and Pernambuco.
Danish Dominions:
Consul at Saint Thomas.
France:
Consuls at Lyons and Marseilles.
Germany:
Consuls at Aix la Chapelle, Annaberg, Bremen, Chemnitz, Hamburg, Mayence, Plauen, and Stuttgart.
Greece:
Consul at Athens.
Great Britain and British Dominions:
Consuls at Barbados, Birmingham, Dundee, Edinburgh, Huddersfield, Nottingham, Sheffield, Southampton, Swansea, Tunstall, Quebec, and Victoria (British Columbia).
Mexico:
Consul at Ciudad Juarez.
Netherlands:
Consul at Rotterdam.
Nicaragua:
Consul at San Juan del Norte.
Turkish Dominions:
Consuls at Smyrna and Jerusalem.
Russia:
Consul at Vladivostock.

Class V, $2,000 a year.

CLASS V.

At two thousand dollars per annum.
Austria-Hungary:
Consul at Trieste.

Belgium:
Consul at Ghent.
Brazil:
Consul at Para.
Colombia:
Consul at Barranquilla.
Costa Rica:
Consul at San Jose.
France:
Consuls at Calais, Reims, Roubaix, and Saint Etienne.
Germany:
Consuls at Bamberg, Cologne, Crefeld, Dusseldorf, Kehl, Leipzig, Munich, Brunswick, Coburg, Magdeburg, Solingen, Weimar, and Glauchau.
Great Britain and British Dominions:
Consuls at Bombay (India), Cardiff, Chatham, Collingwood, Cork, Dublin, Dunfermline, Newcastle on Tyne, Hamilton (Ontario), Leeds, London (Canada), Nassau (New Providence), Port Louis (Mauritius), Saint Thomas (Canada), Saint John (New Brunswick), Sherbrooke (Canada), Sydney (New South Wales), Toronto (Canada), Hamilton (Bermuda), Auckland (New Zealand), Trinidad, and Vancouver (British Columbia).
Honduras:
Consul at Tegucigalpa.
Italy:
Consuls at Genoa, Milan, Palermo and Naples.
Madagascar:
Consul at Tamatave.
Mexico:
Consuls at Acapulco, Chihuahua, Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, Mazatlan, Tampico, and Nuevo Laredo.
Netherlands:
Consul at Curaçao.
Nicaragua:
Consul at Managua.
Portuguese Dominions:
Consul at Lourenço Marquez (Africa).
Russia:
Consul at Odessa.
Salvador:
Consul at San Salvador.
South African Republic:
Consul at Pretoria.
Switzerland:
Consuls at Aarau, Berne, and Zurich.
Turkish Dominions:
Consuls at Beirut and Erzerum.
Venezula:
Consul at La Guayra.
Zanzibar:
Consul at Zanzibar.

CLASS VI.

Class VI, $1,500 a year.

At one thousand five hundred dollars per annum.
Argentine Republic:
Consul at Rosario.
Belgium:
Consul at Liege.
Colombia:
Consul at Cartagena.

Denmark:
Consul at Copenhagen.
France and French Dominions:
Consuls at Grenoble, Guadeloupe, La Rochelle, Limoges, Martinique, Nantes, and Nice.
Germany:
Consuls at Breslau, Freiburg, Hanover, Mannheim, and Zittau.
Great Britain and British Dominions:
Consuls at Aden (Arabia), Amherstburg (Canada), Antigua (West Indies), Belize (British Honduras), Bristol, Brockville (Ontario), Ceylon (India), Charlottetown (Prince Edward Island), Niagara Falls (Canada), Coaticook (Canada), Fort Erie (Canada), Goderich (Canada), Gibraltar, Guelph (Canada), Hull, Kingston (Canada), Malta, Morrisburg (Canada), Sydney (Nova Scotia), Port Hope (Canada), Orillia (Ontario), Port Sarnia (Canada), Port Stanley (Falkland Islands), Prescott (Canada), Saint Helena, Saint Hyacinth (Quebec), Saint Johns (Quebec), Saint Stephens (Canada), Sierra Leone (West Africa), Stratford (Ontario), Three Rivers (Canada), Wallaceburg (Canada), Windsor (Ontario), Winnipeg (Manitoba), Woodstock (New Brunswick), Yarmouth (Nova Scotia), and Saint Johns (Newfoundland).
Italy:
Consuls at Castellamare, Catania, Florence, Leghorn, Messina, and Venice.
Japan:
Consul at Tamsui, Formosa.
Mexico:
Consuls at Durango, Matamoras, Progreso, and Nogales.
Netherlands:
Consul at Amsterdam.
Paraguay:
Consul at Asuncion.
Portuguese Dominions:
Consuls at Saint Michaels (Azores) and Funchal (Madeira).
Spain:
Consuls at Cadiz, Valencia, and Malaga.
Switzerland:
Consul at Geneva.
Sweden and Norway:
Consul at Gottenburg.
Turkey:
Consuls at Alexandretta, Harpoot, and Sivas.
Venezuela:
Consul at Puerto Cabello.

Schedule C.

SCHEDULE C.

Class VII, $1,000 a year.

CLASS VII.

At one thousand dollars per annum.
Germany:
Consul at Stettin.
Great Britain and British Dominions:
Consuls at Gaspe Basin (Canada), and Windsor (Nova Scotia).
Greece:
Consul at Patras.
Haiti:
Consul at Cape Haitien.
Honduras:
Consul at Utilla.
Italy:
Consul at Turin.

Mexico:
Consuls at Ensenada and Saltillo.
Netherlands:
Consul at Batavia.
Society Islands:
Consul at Tahiti.

SALARIES OF CONSULAR CLERKS.

Consular clerks.

Ten consular clerks, at one thousand two hundred dollars each, twelve thousand dollars; and three consular clerks, at one thousand dollars each, three thousand dollars; total, fifteen thousand dollars.

SALARIES OF CONSULAR OFFICERS NOT CITIZENS.

Payment to consular officers not citizens.

The salary of a consular officer not a citizen of the United States shall be paid out of the amount specifically appropriated for salary at the consular office to which the alien officer is attached or appointed.

ALLOWANCE FOR CLERKS AT CONSULATES.

Clerks at consulates.

Allowance for clerks at consulates, as follows:
Liverpool, two thousand dollars;
Bradford, one thousand eight hundred dollars;
London, three thousand dollars;
Shanghai, one thousand six hundred dollars;
Paris, two thousand six hundred dollars;
Rio de Janeiro, one thousand six hundred dollars;
Antwerp, one thousand five hundred dollars;
Berlin, Bordeaux, Bremen, Chemnitz, Crefeld, Frankfort, Hamburg, Havre, Hongkong, Yokohama, Lyons, Manchester, Mexico (city), Montreal, Ottawa, Rotterdam, Osaka, and Hioga, Barmen, and Vienna, at one thousand two hundred dollars each, twenty-two thousand eight hundred dollars;
Southampton, one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars;
Halifax, six hundred and forty dollars;
Belfast and Coburg, at one thousand dollars each, two thousand dollars;
Birmingham and Marseilles, at nine hundred and sixty dollars each, one thousand nine hundred and twenty dollars;
Brussels, Calcutta, Colon, Dresden, Dundee, Glasgow, Leipsic, Melbourne, Monterey, Nuremberg, Panama, Port au Prince, Sheffield, Singapore, Toronto, and Tunstall, at eight hundred dollars each, twelve thousand eight hundred dollars;
Kingston (Jamaica), eight hundred dollars;
Maracaibo, eight hundred dollars;
Naples, eight hundred dollars;
Guayaquil and Victoria, at eight hundred dollars each, one thousand six hundred dollars;
Messina, Palermo, Saint Gall, Smyrna, and Tangier, at eight hundred dollars each, four thousand dollars;
Edinburgh, at six hundred and forty dollars;
Cairo, Cologne, Constantinople, Huddersfield, Aarau, Mayence, Munich, Nottingham, Odessa, Para, Pernambuco, Tampico, Vera Cruz, and Zurich, at six hundred dollars each, eight thousand four hundred dollars;
Beirut, four hundred and eighty dollars;
Ciudad Porfirio Diaz, six hundred and forty dollars;
Ciudad Juarez, six hundred and forty dollars;
Aix la Chapelle, six hundred and forty dollars;
Prague, seven hundred and twenty dollars;

Berne, Demerara, Florence, Genoa, Malaga, Mannheim, and Stuttgart, at four hundred and eighty dollars each, three thousand three hundred and sixty dollars;

Consulates not specified.

Allowance for clerks at consulates, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State at consulates not herein provided for in respect to clerk hire, no greater portion of this sum than five hundred dollars to be allowed to any one consulate in any one fiscal year, thirty-five thousand dollars: *Provided*, That the total sum expended in one year shall not exceed the amount appropriated;

Proviso. —limit.

Total, one hundred and fourteen thousand five hundred and thirty dollars.

SALARIES OF INTERPRETERS TO CONSULATES IN CHINA, KOREA, AND JAPAN.

Interpreters.

Interpreters to be employed at consulates in China, Korea, and Japan, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State, fifteen thousand dollars.

EXPENSES OF INTERPRETERS, GUARDS, AND SO FORTH, IN TURKISH DOMINIONS, AND SO FORTH.

Interpreters, guards, etc.

Interpreters and guards at the consulates in the Turkish dominions and at Zanzibar, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State, eight thousand dollars.

SALARIES, MARSHALS FOR CONSULAR COURTS.

Marshals.

Marshals for the consular courts in China, Korea, and Turkey, nine thousand three hundred dollars.

Consular prisons.

EXPENSES OF PRISONS FOR AMERICAN CONVICTS.

Bangkok.

Expenses of a prison and prison keeper at the consulate-general in Bangkok, Siam, one thousand dollars;

Shanghai.

Actual expense of renting a prison at Shanghai for American convicts in China, seven hundred and fifty dollars; and for the wages of a keeper of such prison, eight hundred dollars; one thousand five hundred and fifty dollars;

Keeping prisoners.

Paying for the keeping and feeding of prisoners in China, Korea, Siam, and Turkey, nine thousand dollars: *Provided*, That no more than fifty cents per day for the keeping and feeding of each prisoner while actually confined shall be allowed or paid for any such keeping and feeding. This is not to be understood as covering cost of medical attendance and medicines when required by such prisoners: *And provided further*, That no allowance shall be made for the keeping and feeding of any prisoner who is able to pay or does pay the above sum of fifty cents per day; and the consular officer shall certify to the fact of inability in every case;

Provisos. —maximum allowance.

—self-supporting prisoners.

Rent, Turkey.

Rent of prison for American convicts in Turkey, and for wages of keepers of the same, one thousand dollars;

Total, twelve thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

RELIEF AND PROTECTION OF AMERICAN SEAMEN.

Relief of American seamen.

Relief and protection of American seamen in foreign countries, and shipwrecked American seamen in the Territory of Alaska, in the Hawaiian Islands, Cuba, Puerto Rico, and the Philippine Islands, or so much thereof as may be necessary, thirty thousand dollars.

FOREIGN HOSPITAL AT CAPE TOWN.

Foreign hospitals.

Annual contribution toward the support of the Somerset Hospital (a foreign hospital) at Cape Town, twenty-five dollars, to be paid by the Secretary of State upon the assurance that suffering seamen and citizens of the United States will be admitted to the privileges of said hospital.

Cape Town.

FOREIGN HOSPITALS AT PANAMA.

Annual contributions toward the support of foreign hospitals at Panama, five hundred dollars, to be paid by the Secretary of State upon the assurance that suffering seamen and citizens of the United States will be admitted to the privileges of said hospitals.

Panama.

PUBLICATION OF DIPLOMATIC, CONSULAR, AND OTHER COMMERCIAL REPORTS.

Preparing, etc., consular reports.

Employees, etc.

Preparation, printing, publication, and distribution by the Department of State of the diplomatic, consular, and other commercial reports, thirty thousand dollars; and of this sum the Secretary of State is authorized to expend not exceeding five thousand five hundred dollars for services of employees in the Bureau of Foreign Commerce (formerly the Bureau of Statistics), Department of State, in the work of compiling and distributing such reports; the sum of two thousand dollars for the cost of cablegrams in instructing consular officers to report upon matters of immediate importance to commerce and industry, and of cablegrams of consuls on such subjects; also to defray the extra expense imposed upon consular officers in collecting certain data where it seems to be warranted; and not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars in the purchase of such books, maps, and periodicals as may be necessary to the editing of diplomatic, consular, and other commercial reports: *Provided*, That all terms of measure, weight, and money shall be reduced to and expressed in terms of measure, weight, and coin of the United States, as well as in the foreign terms; that each issue of diplomatic, consular, and other commercial reports shall not exceed ten thousand copies.

Proviso.
Equivalents of measure, etc.
Limit of issue of reports.

CONTINGENT EXPENSES, UNITED STATES CONSULATES.

Contingent expenses, consulates.

Expenses of providing all such stationery, blanks, record and other books, seals, presses, flags, signs, rent, postage, furniture, statistics, newspapers, freight (foreign and domestic), telegrams, advertising, messenger service, traveling expenses of consular officers and consular clerks, compensation of Chinese writers, loss by exchange, and such other miscellaneous expenses as the President may think necessary for the several consulates, consular agencies, and commercial agencies in the transaction of their business, two hundred thousand dollars.

INTERNATIONAL UNION OF AMERICAN REPUBLICS.

Bureau of American Republics.
Provisos.
Use of receipts from sales, etc.

Commercial Bureau of American Republics, thirty-six thousand dollars: *Provided*, That any moneys received from the other American Republics for the support of the Bureau, or from the sale of the Bureau publications, from rents, or other sources shall be paid into the Treasury as a credit in addition to the appropriation, and may be drawn therefrom upon requisitions of the Secretary of State for the purpose of meeting the expenses of the Bureau: *And provided further*, That the Public Printer be, and is hereby, authorized to print an edition of the Monthly Bulletin not to exceed five thousand copies for distribution by the Bureau every month during the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, nineteen hundred and one.

Printing of Monthly Bulletin authorized.

Approved, April 4, 1900.