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ON A FARM.

How many gallons of Molasses to the acre?—How many bushels of Corn, etc., etc?—Cheese, Hounds, Fresh Milk, Cropped Tail Mules—Hounds without Scent—Much Hare and Little Rabbit—Comanche Lookout—A General Disturbance of Mules, Jackasses, Rabbits, Bad Riders, Cropped Ponies, Saddles, and much Dust and no Blood.

An agreeable moderation in the late oppressively warm weather, suggested a visit to the "grassy undulations" to the north-east; upon which we, in the society of a "goodly number" of "clever fellows," well mounted and appointed, unhesitatingly acquiesced.

Ten miles from the city of San Antonio, on a gentle northern slope, we found the farm of Mr. Stowe. We say farm, as we wish to especially designate the distinction between a number of acres of land in the hands of an experienced and industrious farmer, and the same number of acres upon which are "raised," and not cultivated, just enough for "home consumption." Through the hospitalities of the hostess, Mrs. Stowe, our numerous party were furnished with a surfeit of curdled and sweet milk, and the "subscriber" with the agreeable task of stumbling over stubble, climbing over rough fences, and wading ankle deep through melow ground, accomplishing the rounds in every imaginable manner of triangulation, thirty-five acres of land, which had furnished, under the magical influence of a live Yankee, the undeniable following results: On twenty-six acres in cultivation he has raised 250 bushels of corn, 500 pumpkins, 100 bushels of sweet potatoes, five tons of hay, 50 gallons of molasses, 20 bushels of cane seed, 10 bushels of Hungarian grass seed, 1,000 sheaves of cane fodder, averaging 10 pounds to the sheaf, 10 bushels of beans, and a large supply of ochra and other esculents for market purposes which have not been enumerated.

He has raised on one acre of bottom land, \$120 single stalks of cane, planted in rows at distances of three feet one way and fourteen inches another, yielding 390 gallons of juice, making 49 gallons of molasses, seven barrels of vinegar, 780 pounds of fodder, and 25 bushels of seed. On one acre he has raised broom corn of a sufficient amount to make 600 brooms and twenty-five bushels of clean seed, the stalks planted at distances of three feet apart one way, and fourteen inches another. He will double his crop of sugar cane. He has made 1,000 pounds of cheese, inferior only to the celebrated "Western Reserve," since the first day of July, and raised 60 fat calves at the same time. He has put up twelve pounds of butter for winter use every week, and supplies a large family of ten persons at the same time.

We offer this to the favorable consideration of the skeptical portion of the population of Western Texas. After an invigorating night's rest, all having been piled in, in the usual anomalous style, and a hasty breakfast with an abundance of fresh milk and butter swallowed, a hare hunt was proposed, upon which a unanimous vote in the affirmative was made.

A medly acquisition to our already numerous coterie was made up of black mules and bay, brown ponies and grey, roached manes and cropped tails, ditch jumpers and wallow stampers from the neighborhood, and we certainly presented as interesting and picturesque a group as the followers of the chivalrous Falstaff, mounted.

We halted the bright morning and the hounds vociferously, and were soon taking "distances" at many "intervals" over a promiscuous species

of undulation, Texas creek, hog wallow, and mesquite cover, and much also very beautiful open prairie between the Comanche Lookout and the Austin road, between ten and fifteen miles from the city.

"There he goes!" "there he goes!" broke from the extreme left. Hey! hey! hey! hey! "There he goes!" from the extreme right. "There he goes!" "There he goes!" "There he goes!" Ha! ha! ha! broke out from all along the line. Mules humped, ponies thumped and bumped—many of the unfortunate novices with their saddles bottom over top, and truly such a subject for a Hogarth or Gustav Dore never was conceived. All were spectators *en pied* following up their charges, with their eyes, who were nearly up with the hounds, the hounds being nearly up with the hares, and the hares taking to cover before the hounds came up, the hounds having no scent lost sight. An agreement was made before opening the hunt to meet on the top of "Comanche Lookout," in case of the accident of a "general distribution," taking place, and thanks to the far-seeing activity of an old hunter we found it to our hand. We reorganized, while reflecting upon the command controlled by the old tribe from this romantic and prominent point.

Our animals being now nearly broke, as well as some of the necks of the riders, we resumed the chase, in which we successfully bagged four hares in less than an hour. It was truly lively fun, and all that we needed to complete the assembly was a Lady Gay Spanker, omitting her distressing accompaniment Dolly.

WANTED, A STATESMAN.

Wilkes' Spirit of the Times in an able review of the political situation, discusses the Presidential question as follows:—

The people must be patient and hopeful, and abide their time. Above all, they must resolutely determine, with a total disregard of the wire-pullers and speculators, to elect a President who can be trusted. We want a statesman and a lawyer of indomitable will, of sound constitutional learning, and of dauntless courage, with an eye to comprehend all complications of the situation, and with enough of the politician in his nature to understand the beatings of the popular heart. The time has gone by for fanciful nominations, for of such was that of Andrew Johnson, and very sorely have we suffered for our affectionate credulity. Only two Generals have been elected to the Presidency since the foundation of the Republic, upon the strength merely of military fame; but General Jackson had been respectable if not prominent in civil affairs, and General Taylor did not live long enough to prove either his fitness or his unwisdom for his elevated place. We assume that for the next few years, at least, the fighting is over in the field—it is over forever if we can have a respectable President; but there are battles impending in Washington which will shake the Republic to its foundation. We cannot go along forever in this way, meeting every new emergency by special enactment. We need and must have a President who can be relied upon—if not General Butler or Edwin M. Stanton, then some man of like qualities of character and of capacity for dealing summarily with the serpent which has been scottered, not killed. The weight of a momentous responsibility now rests upon the Republican party. At the last national election it made an amiable mistake, which has well nigh brought us to destruction. We want no more sentimental nominations, and we have had quite enough of simulated reconciliations. Whoever, other things being equal, is especially detested by unreconstructed rebels in the very man for the next Presidency, and the more bitterly they hate him, the better President in our sore emergency will he probably make.

A fearful pun is perpetrated by the New York Express in the following: "The coopers of Minneapolis, Minnesota, are on a strike; they ought to form a cooper-ative society."

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Ten miles from the city of San Antonio, on a gentle northern slope, we found the farm of Mr. Stowe. We say farm, as we wish to especially designate the distinction between a number of acres of land in the hands of an experienced and industrious farmer, and the same number of acres upon which are "raised," and not cultivated, just enough for "home consumption." Through the hospitalities of the hostess, Mrs. Stowe, our numerous party were furnished with a surfeit of curdled and sweet milk, and the "subscriber," with the agreeable task of stumbling over stubble, climbing over rough fences, and wading ankle deep through mellow ground, accomplishing the rounds in every imaginable manner of triangulation, thirty-five acres of land, which had furnished, under the magical influence of a live Yankee, the undeniable following results: On twenty-six acres in cultivation he has raised 250 bushels of corn, 500 pumpkins, 100 bushels of sweet potatoes, five tons of hay, 50 gallons of molasses, 20 bushels of cane seed, 10 bushels of Hungarian grass seed, 1,000 sheaves of cane fodder, averaging 10 pounds to the sheaf, 10 bushels of beans, and a large supply of ocher and other essences for market purposes which have not been enumerated.

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We offer this to the favorable consideration of the skeptical portion of the population of Western Texas. After an invigorating night's rest, all having been piled in, in the usual anomalous style, and a hasty breakfast with an abundance of fresh milk and butter swallowed, a hare hunt was proposed, upon which a unanimous vote in the affirmative was made. A medly acquisition to our already numerous coterie was made up of black mules and bay, brown ponies and grey, roached manes and cropped tails, ditch jumpers and wallow stampers from the neighborhood, and we certainly presented as interesting and picturesque a group as the followers of the chivalrous Falstaff, mounted.

We hailed the bright morning and the hounds vociferously, and were soon taking "distances" at many "intervals" over a promiscuous species

of undulation, Texas creek, hog wallow, and mesquite cover, and much also very beautiful open prairie between the Comanche Lookout and the Austin road, between ten and fifteen miles from the city.

"There he goes!" "there he goes!" broke from the extreme left. "Hey! hey! hey! hey!" "There he goes!" from the extreme right. "There he goes!" "There he goes!" "There he goes!" "Ha! ha! ha! broke out from all along the line. Mules humped, ponies thumped and bumped—many of the unfortunate novices with their saddles bottom over top, and truly such a subject for a Hogarth or Gustav Dore never was conceived. All were spectators *en pied* following up their charges, with their eyes, who were nearly up with the hounds, the hounds being nearly up with the hares, and the hares taking to cover before the hounds came up, the hounds having no scent lost sight. An agreement was made before opening the hunt to meet on the top of "Comanche Lookout," in case of the accident of a "general distribution" taking place, and thanks to the far-seeing activity of an old hunter we found it to our hand. We reorganized, while reflecting upon the command controlled by the old tribe from this romantic and prominent point.

Our animals being now nearly broke, as well as some of the necks of the riders, we resumed the chase, in which we successfully bagged four hares in less than an hour. It was truly lively fun, and all that we needed to complete the assembly was a Lady Gay Spanker, omitting her distressing accompaniment Dear Dolly.

WANTED, A STATESMAN.

Wilkes' Spirit of the Times in an able review of the political situation, discusses the Presidential question as follows:—

The people must be patient and hopeful, and abide their time. Above all, they must resolutely determine, with a total disregard of the wire-pullers and speculators, to elect a President who can be trusted. We want a statesman and a lawyer of indomitable will, of sound constitutional learning, and of dauntless courage, with an eye to comprehend all complications of the situation, and with enough of the politician in his nature to understand the beatings of the popular heart. The time has gone by for fanciful nominations, for of such was that of Andrew Johnson, and very sorely have we suffered for our affectionate credulity. Only two Generals have been elected to the Presidency since the foundation of the Republic, upon the strength merely of military fame; but General Jackson had been respected if not prominent in civil affairs, and General Taylor did not live long enough to prove either his fitness or his unfitness for his elevated place. We assume that for the next few years, at least, the fighting is over in the field—it is over forever if we can have a respectable President; but there are battles impending in Washington which will shake the Republic to its foundation. We cannot go along forever in this way, meeting every new emergency by special enactment. We need and must have a President who can be relied upon—not General Butler or Edwin M. Stanton, then some man of like qualities of character and of capacity for dealing summarily with the serpent which has been scotched, not killed. The weight of a momentous responsibility now rests upon the Republican party. At the last national election it made an unwise mistake, which has well nigh brought us to destruction. We want no more sentimental nominations, and we have had quite enough of simulated reconciliations. Whoever, other things being equal, is especially detested by unreconstructed rebels is the very man for the next Presidency, and the more bitterly they hate him, the better President in our sore emergency will he probably make.

A fearful pun is perpetrated by the New York Express in the following: "The coopers of Minneapolis, Minnesota, are on a strike; they ought to form a co-oper-ative society."

Laopold De Meyer, the great painter, very quietly walked into Stanton's the other day, after twenty years' absence in Europe.

The Daily Express.

Official Journal of the United States.

W. B. MOORE, A. SIEMERING, JAS. P. NEWCOMB, A. Siemering & Co., Publishers.

THURSDAY, SEPT. 26, 1867.

From the Weekly Express. CLOSE OF THE SECOND VOLUME.

Two years ago, through the energy and enterprise of Mr. A. Siemering, Esq., the SAN ANTONIO EXPRESS was established. Springing, phoenix-like, from the ashes of the "Alamo Express" which had perished in the flames of rebellion, the San Antonio Express has fought its way to the front rank of journalism in this State.

The San Antonio Express has had a struggling history; starting into life upon the break up of a bloody civil war, in a community where all the rebel unconquered hate was still rife, as the advocate of principles and a government which that community had attempted to destroy, opposed, threatened and despised, it had a rough voyage during its first year.

Since the writer has been connected with the Express he has found himself, at one period, standing alone, beating back the advancing wave of reviving treason, there not being a single other Union-Republican paper in the State; but the sentiment of the people has been gradually improving, and at present at least a dozen papers are doing good service in this State in favor of the good cause.

This number ends the second volume of the Weekly Express. It has become a welcome visitor at the homes of hundreds of Union men of Western Texas; it is one of the fruits of the dreadful war, as in it is embodied all the attributes of free speech and a free press, never known in the South before the war.

We are now entering upon a new volume. We hope to increase the interest and variety of our paper and make it still more dearly prized as a family paper, and an earnest advocate of the Union and the best interests of Texas.

Who is JOHN M. BRISCKLEY?—The Washington correspondent of the Chicago Republican, in answer to the above question respecting this gentleman, who figures in the Conover case, says: "He was a clerk in the General Land Office during Buchanan's administration, and was always a man of strong Southern feelings."

POSTAGE.—Some time since we announced to our subscribers that there had been a new regulation requiring prepayment of postage on papers. It seems that the law did not go into operation, and some of our subscribers may be laboring under the impression that we are paying their postage, for their benefit we will state that the old plan is still in operation and they will pay their postage as usual.

SMALL GRAIN.

We have before alluded to the importance of our farmers trying small grain the coming season. Cotton and corn are perilous crops; cotton is in danger of the worm, and corn is the hardest crop to make of all, requiring continual rains.

The continual rains of the past summer have wet the ground to a great depth, and everything promises a splendid fall and winter season. The fields should be broken up early and deep, and the best seed secured from abroad for planting.

By planting small grain as a staple with corn and cotton as secondary, our farmers will be apt to be certain to make a crop. A new era must be inaugurated in our farming policy.

MR. SEWARD AS A BENEFACTOR AND A PATRIOT.

The Toledo Blade (Nasby's paper) takes a hopeful and consoling view of Mr. Seward's self-sacrifice in staying in the Cabinet for the sake of completing negotiations by which an immense area of outlying domain is to be added to the country.

The inhabitants of Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, were wont, in the olden time, to look with anxiety for a rise in the Ohio sufficient to carry out coal boats, for the reason that the roughs were in the habit of going to New Orleans upon them, relieving the city of their presence for three months at least, to say nothing of those killed on the way and after their arrival.

What would have been the consequence to the country if such men as Shannon, Stringfellow, and the men sent out by Pierce and Buchanan as officials to Kansas, and by the Southern Emigration Societies to back them, had remained in the older States? Well, Russia will serve a similar purpose. As we stated, Rosseau has already departed, and to run the government of that country many more will be required.

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BY TELEGRAPH.

GOLD & COTTON MARKETS.

WASHINGTON ITEMS.

Yellow Fever in New Orleans.

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EUROPEAN INTELLIGENCE.

Indian Affairs.

HEALTH OF THAD. STEVENS

ETC. ETC. ETC.

(Special Dispatches to the Express.)

Cotton and Money Market.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—Sales of cotton, 250 bales—dull and easier; Middling 21 1/2. Receipts for three days 1155 bales; exports for same time 2207.

Gold 143 1/2 to 144; Sterling 56 to 59 1/2.

New York, Sept. 24.—Cotton 1/2 lower, 28 1/2 to 24.

FRANKFORT, Sept. 24.—Evening.—Cotton sales 10,000 bales; 93 1/2 and lower; Uplands 94; Orleans 94.

LONDON, Sept. 24.—Evening.—Consols 94 1/2; bonds 78 1/2-10.

FRANKFORT, Sept. 24.—Bonds 70 1/2.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Gold 143.

LIVERPOOL, Sept. 23.—Yesterday's sales 12,000 bales; Middling Upland 94 Orleans 92.

NEW YORK, Sept. 23.—Cotton 24.

Gold 142. Sixty-two coupons 14 1/2; V. S. Sixes, new issue, 47.

NEW YORK, Sept. 24.—Stocks excited; heavy money; gold 142 1/2; sterling 68; cotton dull, 24.

Washington Items.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Two hours Cabinet meeting to-day.

Stevens still improving.

Revenue receipts to-day, \$281,000.

Sheridan had a prolonged interview with Grant.

The consul at Malaga writes the Spanish government has declared all United States ports infected with cholera and yellow fever; all vessels to be quarantined.

Gen. Hancock was serenaded to-night at the Metropolitan Hotel, which was brilliantly illuminated and blazed with fireworks. It is expected that the President will speak. Hancock said he intended to speak not for partisan purposes, but for his country, and he trusted for the benefit of the people entrusted to his care.

Five cholera deaths to-day.

Death of an Editor.

R. G. Gordon, editor of the New York Day Book, is dead.

Yellow Fever in New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Sept. 24.—Interments from yellow fever up to six o'clock this morning, 82.

Serenade to the Heroes.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—Gens. Sheridan, Sickles and Hancock were serenaded to-night by the military organization known as the Grand Army of the Republic, upon which occasion speeches were made by all these. Sickles responded at length; Hancock and Sheridan very briefly, to the serenaders.

Indian Affairs.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 24.—Commissioner Taylor telegraphs to Indian Bureau from Omaha that the prospects for peace with the Indians are more flattering than at any time since the war, the council with them at North Platte being perfectly satisfactory.

Omaha dispatches from North Platte reiterates Peace Conference very unsatisfactory; Indian affairs as threatening at ever.

Yellow Fever on the Coast.

Deaths in Houston on the 24th, 14; yellow fever 15.

Funeral of Sir Frederick Bruce.

Boston, Sept. 23.—The pall bearers of the funeral of Sir Frederick Bruce which will take place to-morrow, are Gov. Bellows, Mons. Barthemy, French Minister, Stages, Sumner, H. J. Piatt, of State Department and Hon. Samuel Hooper.

Sickness at Dry Tortugas.

The War Department has a dispatch from the Dry Tortugas, saying that Maj. Stowe's wife, Dr. Smith, son, and Lieut. Orr were dead; Major Stowe was sick, feverish and delirious.

Case of F. T. Tresholt & Co.

The counsel in the case of the United States versus Francis Tresholt & Co. endeavored to close matters by causing counsel for the United States to give a

dinner to the opposition lawyers, Henry A. Longfellow, Richard B. Hayard and Masor Norbeo.

Malory Pardoned.

Confederate Secretary of War, Malory has been pardoned.

Health of Thad Stevens.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 23.—A dispatch from Lancaster says that Stevens is very sick, supposed to be dying.

LATER.—Stevens is better.

South American News.

LONDON, Sept. 23.—Late advices from Rio state that the Allied forces have made no further advances since their recent success, and were lying idle before the Paraguayan fortifications. Gen. Mateo was in command of the combined Brazilian and Argentine armies.

Garibaldi.

FLORENCE, Sept. 23. Garibaldi made his appearance at Avesse from the city.

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WHEREAS, it has been made known to me, that on JOSEPH F. LAWRENCE did, on the 29th day of November, 1866, in the County of Navarro, and State aforesaid, kill JAMES RICHIEY, and that the said Joseph F. Lawrence is now a fugitive from justice.

Now, THOMAS I. M. PEASE, Governor of the State of Texas, do, by virtue of the authority in me vested, offer a reward of Six Hundred Dollars (\$600) for the arrest and delivery of the said Joseph F. Lawrence to the Sheriff of the County of Navarro, inside the jail door.

In Testimony Whereof, I have caused the Great Seal of the State to be affixed, at Austin, this 17th day of September, 1867, and in the year of the Independence of Texas the Thirty-Second.

By the Governor: E. M. PEASE, Secretary of State.

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A Rough Customer - Yesterday, (Wednesday) an Austrian, recently a soldier in Maximilian's army, attempted to ride rough shod over a couple of Mexican policemen...

DEPARTURE OF MAJOR WHITTEMORE. - Major E. W. Whittemore, of the 85th Infantry, has been ordered to relieve Major Geo. W. Smith at Seguin...

THE ADVANCE GUARD. - On Tuesday a Reverend individual of the Methodist Church South persuasion, appeared before the Board of Registrars...

A STRAY LAMP POST. - Yesterday we noticed an iron lamp post rolling about the street at the corner of Main and Alamo streets...

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(Official.)
PUBLIC ACTS OF THE
39th Congress of the United States of America.

CHAP. CCVIII.—An Act making Appropriations for the Legislative, Executive, and Judicial Expenses of the Government for the Year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and for other Purposes.

(CONTINUED.)
Contingent Expenses of the Treasury Department.—In the office of the Secretary of the Treasury:

For copying, labor, binding, sealing slips, registers, translating foreign languages, advertising, and extra clerk hire for preparing and collecting information to be laid before Congress, and for miscellaneous items, fifty thousand dollars.

For compensation of temporary clerks in the Treasury Department, and for additional compensation to officers and clerks in the same department, one hundred and sixty thousand dollars: Provided, That the temporary clerks herein provided for may be classified according to the character of their services: Provided further, That so much of the appropriation of two hundred and fifty thousand dollars, granted by act approved March second, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, for compensation of temporary clerks in the Treasury Department, and for additional compensation to clerks in the same department, as remains unexpended shall be divided as follows, viz: one hundred dollars each shall be paid to the clerks in said department of the first and second classes, who have not received any additional compensation out of said appropriation, and who shall have served in said capacity for one year previous to July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-six. And one hundred dollars shall be paid to each person employed in said department appointed by the Secretary, at an annual salary amounting to less than twelve hundred dollars, and who shall have served under such appointment for one year previous to July first, eighteen hundred and sixty-six. And if the balance of said appropriation remaining unexpended shall be insufficient to pay said clerks and appointees, the sum of one hundred dollars each, as herein provided, the deficiency shall be supplied and paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

In the office of the first comptroller:
For furniture, public documents, State and Territorial statutes, postage, and miscellaneous items, one thousand dollars.

In the office of the second comptroller:
For blank books, binding, furniture, and miscellaneous items, including subscription to one city newspaper, to be found and preserved for the use of the office, four thousand dollars.

In the office of the first auditor:
For stationery, office furniture, and miscellaneous items, one thousand five hundred dollars.

In the office of the second auditor:
For office furniture and miscellaneous items, including two of the city newspapers, to be filed and preserved for the use of the office, twenty-five thousand dollars.

In the office of the third auditor:
For office furniture, carpeting, two newspapers, preserving files and papers, bounty land service, and miscellaneous items, fifteen thousand dollars.

In the office of the fourth auditor:
For contingent expenses of the office, including two daily newspapers, three thousand dollars.

In the office of the fifth auditor:
For postage, furniture, and miscellaneous expenses, to which are included two daily newspapers, two thousand dollars.

In the office of the auditor for the Post Office Department:
For contingent expenses of the office, six thousand dollars.

In the office of the treasurer:
For contingent expenses of the office seven thousand five hundred dollars.

In the office of the register:
For arranging and binding cancelled marine papers, and for official papers and records, and miscellaneous items, including office furniture, eight thousand dollars.

Office of the solicitor of the treasury:
For books, binding, stationery, labor, and miscellaneous items, and for statutes and reports, and for care of library, two thousand two hundred dollars.

Office of the commissioner of customs:
For stationery, miscellaneous items, and office furniture, three thousand dollars.

Light-house board, viz:
For miscellaneous expenses and postage, six hundred dollars.

Office of the comptroller of the currency:
For furniture and miscellaneous items, five thousand dollars.

For stationery for the Treasury Department and its several bureaus, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

For the General Purposes of the Southeast Executive Building, including the Extension:
For compensation of twelve watchmen and eleven laborers of the southeast executive building, thirteen thousand eight hundred dollars.

For contingent expenses of said building, viz: for fuel, light, labor, and miscellaneous items, seventy-five thousand dollars.

For rent of buildings for the accommodation of clerks who cannot be accommodated in the treasury building, two thousand dollars.

Department of the Interior.—For compensation of the Secretary of the Interior, assistant secretary, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, assistant messengers, watchmen, and laborers in his office, forty six thousand three hundred and eighty dollars.

For compensation of the commissioner of the general land office, chief clerk, recorder, draughtsman, assistant draughtsman, clerks, messengers, assistant messengers, packers, watchmen, and laborers in his office, one hundred and seventy-five thousand four hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of additional clerks in the general land office, under the act of April March, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-five, granting bounty land, and for laborers employed therein, fifty-eight thousand six hundred and forty dollars: Provided, That the Secretary of the Interior, at his discretion, shall be and he is hereby authorized to use any portion of said appropriation for piece-work, or by the day, week, month, or year, at such rate or rates as he may deem just and fair, not exceeding a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum.

For compensation of the commissioner of Indian affairs, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, assistant messenger, watchman, and laborer in his office, thirty-one thousand nine hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the commissioner of pensions, chief clerk, and the clerks, messengers, assistant messengers, watchman, and laborer in his office, two hundred and fifteen thousand three hundred and forty dollars.

For additional clerks in the pension office, twenty thousand dollars: Provided, That the Secretary of the Interior, at his discretion, shall be and he is hereby authorized to use any portion of said appropriation for piece-work, or by the day, week, month, or year, at such rate or rates as he may deem just and fair, not exceeding a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum.

Contingent Expenses—Department of the Interior.—Office of the Secretary of the Interior:
For stationery, furniture, and other contingencies, and for books and maps for the library, seven thousand dollars.

For casual repairs of the patent office building, twelve thousand five hundred dollars.

For expenses of picking and distributing congressional journals and documents, in pursuance of the provisions contained in the joint resolution of Congress approved twenty-eighth January, eighteen hundred and fifty-seven, and act fifth February, eighteen hundred and fifty-nine, six thousand dollars.

For fuel and lights for the patent office building, including the salaries of engineers and assistant engineer of the furnaces, eighteen thousand dollars.

Office of the commissioner of Indian affairs:
For blank books, binding, stationery, and miscellaneous items, including two of the daily city newspapers, to be filed, bound, and preserved for the use of the office, four thousand dollars.

Office of the commissioner of pensions:
For stationery, engraving, and retouching plates for bounty land warrants, and binding the same, office furniture, and repairing the same, and miscellaneous items, including two city daily newspapers, to be filed, bound, and preserved for the use of the office, fifteen thousand dollars.

Office of the commissioner of public buildings:
For compensation of the commissioner of public buildings, and the clerk and messenger in his office, four thousand two hundred dollars.

For stationery, blank books, plans, drawings, and other contingent expenses of his office, five hundred dollars.

Surveyors General and their Clerks.—For compensation of the surveyor-general of Wisconsin and Iowa, and clerks for completing and winding up the business in his office, four thousand eight hundred dollars: Provided, That when this appropriation shall have been exhausted, the said office shall be abolished.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of Minnesota, and the clerks in his office, eight thousand three hundred dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of the Territories of Dakota and Montana, and the clerks in his office, six thousand three hundred dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of Kansas and Nebraska, and the clerks in his office, eight thousand three hundred dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of the Territories of Colorado, Utah, and Idaho, and the clerks in his office, seven thousand dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of New Mexico and Arizona, three thousand dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of California and Nevada, and the clerks in his office, fourteen thousand dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of Oregon, and the clerks in his office, six thousand five hundred dollars.

For compensation of the surveyor-general of Washington Territory, and the clerks in his office, six thousand five hundred dollars.

For compensation of recorder of land titles in Missouri, five hundred dollars.

For rent of surveyor-general's office in Oregon, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, including pay of messenger fifteen hundred dollars.

For rent of surveyor-general's office of California and Nevada, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, including pay of messenger five thousand dollars.

For office rent of the surveyor-general of Kansas and Nebraska, fuel, and incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of surveyor-general's office in the Territories of Dakota and Montana, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, two thousand dollars.

For rent of office for the surveyor-general of Colorado, Utah, and Idaho, fuel, books, stationery, and other incidental expenses, one thousand five hundred dollars.

Expenses of Courts of the United States.—For defraying the expenses of the supreme court and district courts of the United States, including the District of Columbia, and also for jurors and witnesses, in aid of funds arising from fines, penalties, and forfeitures, in the fiscal year ending June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-seven, and previous years, and likewise for defraying the expenses of suits in which the United States are concerned, including legal assistance to the attorney-general, and other special and extraordinary expenditures, in cases in the Supreme Court of the United States, in which the United States are concerned, and of prosecutions for offenses committed against the United States, in addition to the unexpended balances of appropriations to the credit of the judiciary fund of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, required to meet the expenses of the courts being re-established in the Southern States, so much of the act of March two, eighteen hundred and sixty-five, carrying said unexpended balances of appropriations into the treasury, and in relation to the credit of the judiciary fund, as is contained in the fourth and fifth sections of the act of June thirtieth, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, shall be and he is hereby authorized to use any portion of said appropriation for piece-work, or by the day, week, month, or year, at such rate or rates as he may deem just and fair, not exceeding a salary of twelve hundred dollars per annum.

To enable the Secretary of the Interior to pay the balance due for work done up, and materials furnished for that part of the custom-house building at New Orleans, reserved for the use of the Federal postal, four thousand two hundred and sixty-eight dollars and sixty-five cents.

War Department.—For compensation of the Secretary of War, assistant secretary, messenger, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, assistant messengers, and laborer in his office, sixty-three thousand eight hundred and eighty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks and messengers in the office of the adjutant-general, two hundred and twenty-three thousand five hundred and thirty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks, messengers, assistant messengers, and laborers in the office of the quartermaster-general, three hundred and ninety thousand one hundred and sixty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks, messengers, assistant messengers, and laborers, in the office of the paymaster-general, two hundred and eight thousand four hundred dollars: Provided, That the annual compensation of the chief clerk in the office of the paymaster-general, from the first day of July, eighteen hundred and sixty-six, shall be two thousand dollars; and the third-class clerks in said office are hereby reduced three in number, and the fourth-class clerks are hereby increased three in number.

For compensation of the clerks, messenger, and laborers in the office of the commissary-general, eighty-five thousand six hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks, messengers, and laborer in the office of the surgeon-general, forty-three thousand eight hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks, messengers, and laborer in the office of the chief engineer,

twenty-eight thousand seven hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks and messengers in the office of the chief of exchange, sixty thousand and forty dollars.

For compensation of the clerks in the office of military justice, seven thousand two hundred dollars.

Contingent Expenses of the War Department.—Office of the Secretary of War:
For blank books, stationery, labor, maps, extra clerk hire, and miscellaneous items, twenty thousand dollars.

Office of the adjutant-general:
For blank books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, twenty-five thousand dollars.

Office of the quartermaster-general:
For blank books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, twenty thousand dollars.

Office of the paymaster-general:
For blank books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, ten thousand dollars.

Office of the commissary-general:
For blank books, stationery, and binding, including rent of office and furniture, twenty thousand dollars.

Office of the chief engineer:
For blank books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, three thousand five hundred dollars.

Office of the surgeon-general:
For blank books, books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, including rent of office, fifteen thousand dollars.

Office of the chief of ordnance:
For blank books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, ten thousand dollars.

Office of military justice:
For blank books, stationery, binding, and miscellaneous items, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For the General Purposes of the Northeast Executive Building.—For compensation of superintendent, four watchman, and two laborers of the northeast executive building, three thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars.

For labor, fuel, light, and miscellaneous items, twenty thousand dollars.

For the General Purposes of the Building corner of F and Seventh streets.—For compensation of superintendent, four watchmen, and two laborers for said building, three thousand eight hundred and fifty dollars.

For fuel, compensation of firemen, and miscellaneous items, ten thousand dollars.

For the General Purposes of the Building corner of R and Fifth streets.—For superintendent, watchman, rent, fuel, lights, and miscellaneous items, fifteen thousand dollars.

Navy Department.—For compensation of the Secretary of the Navy, assistant secretary, advocate-general, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, assistant messenger, and laborers in his office, fifty-eight thousand one hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of navy yards and docks, and the civil engineer, chief clerk, clerks, messenger, and laborers in his office, nineteen thousand two hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of equipment and recruiting, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, and laborer in his office, sixteen thousand one hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of navigation, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, and laborer in his office, nine thousand three hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of ordnance, and the assistant, chief clerk, clerks, draughtsman, messenger, and laborers in his office, eighteen thousand eight hundred and twenty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of construction and repair, chief clerk, and the clerks, draughtsman, messenger, and laborer in his office, sixteen thousand three hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of steam engineering, chief clerk, and the clerks, draughtsman, messenger, and laborer in his office, ten thousand seven hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of provisions and clothing, chief clerk, and the clerks, messenger, and laborer, twenty-four thousand three hundred and forty dollars.

For compensation of the chief of the bureau of medicine and surgery, assistant, and the clerks, messenger, and laborer in his office, ten thousand five hundred and forty dollars.

Incidental and Contingent Expenses of the Navy Department.—Office of the Secretary of the Navy:
For stationery, labor, newspapers, periodicals, and miscellaneous items, five thousand dollars.

Bureau of yards and docks:
For stationery, books, plans, drawings, and incidental labor, one thousand eight hundred dollars.

Bureau of equipment and recruiting:
For stationery, books, and miscellaneous items, five hundred dollars.

Bureau of navigation:
For stationery, blank books, and miscellaneous items, two thousand four hundred dollars.

Bureau of ordnance:
For stationery and miscellaneous items, one thousand three hundred dollars.

Bureau of construction and repair:
For stationery and miscellaneous items, one thousand dollars.

watchmen, repairs of furniture, and for miscellaneous items, forty-five thousand dollars.

Money Order Bureau.—For compensation of superintendent and the clerks in his office, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

Topographer.—For preparing and publishing post-route maps of the United States, ten thousand dollars.

Department of Agriculture.—For compensation of commissioner of agriculture, chief clerk, and the clerks and employees in this office, thirty-nine thousand six hundred dollars.

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