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CONTINGENT EXPENDITURES OF THE DEPARTMENT OF  
THE INTERIOR, &c.

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LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR,

TRANSMITTING

*Statements of expenditures from the contingent funds of the department,  
and of its bureaus and offices.*

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JULY 25, 1850.

Referred to the Committee of Ways and Means, and ordered to be printed.

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DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,  
Washington, July 18, 1850.

SIR: I have the honor to submit, herewith, statements of the expenditures from the contingent funds of this department, and its bureaus and offices, during the fiscal year ending 30th June, 1849; prepared in compliance with the 20th section of the act of August 26, 1842.

I have the honor to be, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,  
T. EWING, *Secretary.*

Hon. HOWEL COBB,  
*Speaker of the House of Representatives.*

*Detailed statement of the contingent expenses of the Department of the Interior from the 4th of March to the 30th of September, 1849.*

Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849.				
April 3	J. M. Donn & Brother .....	1 gilt-frame looking-glass..... 8 pint tumblers, at \$3 per dozen ..... 4 baskets for papers..... 2 large mats..... 2 pitchers..... 2 toilet sets..... 1 arm chair..... 9 Nankin spittoons, at 87½ cents..... 3 Rockingham spittoons ..... 6....do.....do...at 62½ cents..... 1 pair shovel and tongs..... 2 hearth brushes..... 1 pair shovel and tongs, and poker..... 2 dusters ..... ½ dozen brooms .....	\$27 00 2 00 4 25 3 00 1 75 9 00 5 00 7 87 2 63 3 75 4 50 1 75 5 50 1 12 1 88	
6	C. W. Boteler .....	1 bronze fender..... 1 pair bronze andirons ..... 1 pair bronze shovel and tongs ..... 1 pair bronze fire standards ..... ½ dozen Britannia candlesticks..... ½ dozen brass candlesticks .....	10 00 5 00 5 00 5 00 3 75 2 25	\$81 00
6	Edwin Green .....	1 spring and cushion-seat sofa..... ½ dozen mahogany chairs.....	45 00 21 00	31 00
6	Edwin King.....	1 mahogany table..... 1 mahogany washstand..... 4 small sign boards..... 1 mahogany table..... 1 mahogany desk ..... 1 large sign board..... 1 mahogany table.....	20 00 15 00 1 00 20 00 15 00 2 00 20 00	66 00

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		1 morocco cushion.....	\$ 00	
		1 slab.....	12 00	
6	Mary Shields.....	Making 2 dozen and 2 towels, at 12½ cents.....		108 00
7	Clagett, Newton, May, & Co.....	85 yards ingrain carpet, at 87½ cents.....	74 38	3 25
		80 yards Canton matting, at 50 cents.....	40 00	
		73 yards Wilton carpeting, at \$2 25.....	164 25	
		61½.....do.....do.....do.....do.....	137 81	
		20 yards satin laine, at \$3.....	60 00	
		42½ yards gimp, at 50 cents.....	21 13	
		5 drapers' cords and tassels, at \$4.....	20 00	
		24½ yards Brussels carpet, at \$1 50.....	36 75	
		44½.....do.....do.....do.....do.....	66 37	
		40 yards Canton matting, at 37½ cents.....	15 00	
		4 loops for curtains.....	8 00	
		1 rug.....	20 00	
		1½ yards blue cloth, at \$4.....	7 50	
		23½ yards B. E. diaper, at 25 cents.....	5 87	
		2 pieces tape, at 6 cents.....	13	
		3 spools cotton, at 6 cents.....	19	
		4½ yards superfine cloth, at \$5.....	22 50	
10	E. A. Laub.....	35 pounds sperm candles, at 35 cents, and box, 25 cents.....	12 50	
		1 dozen soap, \$1; shot, 10 cents.....	1 10	
		2 buckets, 62½ cents; 1 pound shot, 10 cents.....	72½	
		1 pound shot, 10 cents; tumblers, 18½ cents; mugs, 16 cents.....	45	
		Tumblers, 18½ cents; shot, 30 cents.....	49	
13	A. R. Plumley.....	Colton's Map of the World.....	10 00	15 26
		Morse's North American Atlas.....	3 50	
26	John Alexander.....	Cutting, sewing, and putting down 140 yards of Venetian carpeting, at 15 cents.....	21 00	
		3 transparent shades, and fixtures.....	13 50	
		Hanging glass, hooks and staples.....	1 50	
		4 pieces of carpet binding, at 62½ cents.....	2 50	
		Cutting, sewing, and putting down 83 yards carpet, at 10 cents.....	8 30	
		4 pieces carpet binding, at 62½ cents.....	2 50	
		8 transparent blinds, and fixtures.....	32 00	
		1 pair of heavy gilt cornices.....	35 00	
		Hooks, rings, and fixtures.....	1 50	
		Making a set of curtains, and hangings.....	15 00	13 50

STATEMENT—Continued.

Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849. April 26	John Alexander.....	Making 30 yards carpet, at 15 cents..... 1 transparent shade..... 1 carpet rug..... Putting down 40 yards of matting, at 10 cents..... 2½ pieces binding, at 62½ cents..... Making 45 yards carpet, at 15 cents..... 2 shades, and fixtures..... 3 pounds thread.....	\$4 50 3 50 4 00 4 00 1 56½ 6 75 8 00 3 75	
30	J. V. N. Throop.....	Engraving brass seal for department (plain).....		\$168 86½
30	Western Telegraph.....	30 words transmitted to Steubenville, Ohio..... 12 words transmitted to Pittsburg, Penn.....	2 20 65	6 00
30	William Burroughs.....	100 file boards, at 3½ cents.....		2 85
May 8	Edward Stabler.....	Cast steel screw seal press, and hardened cast steel die, with counter-die, and mahogany stand and case for same, delivered in Washington.....		3 50
25	M. M. Hitchcox.....	15 days superintending the removal of the old census documents, arranging, filing, and storing away the same, at \$1 25 per diem.....		252 25
24	Edwin King.....	Making 1 mahogany case, with drawers, pigeon-holes, &c., (per measurement)..... 1 mahogany case, with drawers, &c..... 1 pine case, with drawers, &c.....	42 29 36 41 46 64	18 75
24	Edwin King.....	3 cane-seat armchairs..... 1 mahogany table..... 1 round-back cane-seat chair..... ½ dozen cane-seat armchairs..... Putting castors to 3 chairs, at 87½ cents..... Repairing 1 chair..... 1 mahogany clothes-rack..... Fitting keys to 4 locks..... Varnishing, repairing, and covering table and case..... 1 mahogany table.....	13 50 20 00 4 00 27 00 2 62½ 50 2 50 1 00 4 00 4 00	125 34

		1 mahogany fire-screen .....	7 00	86 12½
26	Lee & Espy.....	Making 4 pine cases, with 456 pigeon-holes, 12 drawers, 22 shelves, &c., (per measurement).....		314 36
25	O. Summers.....	Mail-letter box.....		4 00
26	Lee & Espy.....	Making 2 ladders.....		9 00
26	Lemuel Williams.....	Making 1 mahogany case, with drawers, shelves, &c., (per measurement).....	61 07	
		Mahogany case, (per measurement).....	35 03	96 10
29	J. M. Donn & Brother.....	1 water-bucket.....	1 38	
		3 painted buckets.....	90	
		½ dozen chairs.....	4 50	
		½ dozen candlesticks.....	3 78	
		½ dozen chairs.....	4 50	
		1 water-cooler.....	3 50	
		9 scrub-brushes.....	4 28	
		2 basins and ewers.....	3 00	
		2 baskets.....	3 50	
		2 wisps.....	38	
		Dust-brush.....	50	
		1 dozen tumblers.....	2 75	
		1 ice-bucket.....	1 00	
29	Edwin Williams.....	1 Statesman's Manual, containing Presidents' messages and other documents.....		33 97
31	Washington and N. Orleans Telegraph Co.	1 message of 21 words to New Orleans.....		5 50
June 2	W. Phipps.....	Engraving plate and printing 300 official cards for Secretary of the Interior.....		3 10
14	William T. Porter.....	Painting 1 case in imitation of mahogany and maple, per measurement 73½ yards, at \$1 and proportion of measurement.....	74 87½	
		Staining and varnishing 16 yards, at 12½ cents.....	2 00	
		Labels in gold, (large size,) at 62½ cents.....	11 25	
		1 sign in gold and shade.....	4 00	
22	C. W. Fenton.....	Daily Whig, from March 10 to June 21.....		92 12½
25	Balaam Birch.....	Adjusting 3 doors.....	75	3 00
		Plugging the stove and putting up sign.....	1 75	
		Making press-frame of ashwood.....	12 00	
		Dressing and putting rails in front of Department.....	1 00	
29	J. W. Shields.....	Amount of sundry small demands against Department, paid by him.....		15 50
				5 39

STATEMENT—Continued.

Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849.				
June 29	Mary Shields.....	Washing towels, for quarter ending June 30.....		\$5 00
30	Edwin King.....	1 high mahogany desk.....	\$45 00	
		1 mahogany case for table.....	42 00	
		1 small .....do.....	12 00	
		2 mahogany armchairs.....	25 00	
		1 large mahogany table.....	20 00	
			<hr/>	144 00
30	E. A. Laub.....	1 tumbler, 6¼ cents; 1 pitcher, 62½ cents.....	69	
		2 pounds soap, 20 cents; 2 extra size scrubbing brushes.....	3 45	
		35 pounds patent wax candles, at 50 cents, and box 25 cents.....	17 75	
			<hr/>	21 89

PENSION OFFICE, *December 7, 1849.*

SIR: I have the honor to enclose herewith a statement of the expenditures of the appropriation for the contingent expenses of the Pension Office for the fiscal year commencing July 1st, 1848, and ending 30th June, 1849; prepared in conformity with the 20th section of, the act of August 26th, 1842.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully, your obedient servant,  
J. L. EDWARDS.

HON. THOMAS EWING,  
*Secretary of the Interior.*



Statement of the expenditure of the appropriation for the contingent expenses of the Pension Office for the fiscal year commencing July 1, 1848, and ending June 30, 1849: prepared in conformity with the twentieth section of the act of August 26, 1842.

Names.	For what object.	Price.	Total.
C. W. Boteler.....	2 basins and ewers, \$2 50; 2 sweeping brushes, \$2 50; 3 dust brushes, \$1 25....	\$6 25	
	½ dozen corn brooms, \$1 50; 1 large bucket, 75 cents; 1 keeler, 37½ cents.....	2 62	
			\$8 87
Leopold Nenmeyer.....	13 boxes matches.....		16
Henrietta Elzy... ..	House rent from April 7, 1848, to June 30, 1848—3 months and 23 days—at \$15..		41 50
T. Barnard.....	13,200 envelopes (printed,) at \$6 per 1,000.—Deduct for 1,200 not printed, at \$1		
	50 per 1,000 for printing.—Balance.....		77 40
J. H. McBlair.....	3 pounds sperm candles, at 37½ cents.....		1 12
Mechlin & Winder... ..	1 copy of General Navy Register and Laws.....		3 00
John Robinson.....	5 boxes soap, at 20 cents.....		1 00
T. Barnard.....	7,600 printed envelopes, at \$6 per 1,000.....		45 60
J. B. H. Smith, administrator de bonis non of B. L. Lear.	2 quarters' rent, occupied by Pension Office, ending June 30, 1848.....		300 00
Eliza Hibbs.....	Washing towels for three months; quarter ending September 30, 1848.....		5 00
J. B. H. Smith, administrator de bonis non of B. L. Lear.	1 quarter's rent, occupied by Pension Office, ending September 30, 1848.....		150 00
R. Farnham .....	4 reams envelope paper, at \$2 25; 2 dozen lead pencils, at 40 cents.....	11 80	
	4 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents; 1 dozen ivory folders, at \$3.....	5 00	
	10 letter stamps, at 25 cents; 4 inkstands, at 33½ cents; 1 gross pens, \$2.....	5 83	
	6 dozen Perry's curve cut pens, at 50 cents; 5 reams Jessup's 4to post, at \$4 25, ruled.....	24 25	
	1 dozen M. & N.'s quart black ink, at \$3; 3 reams envelope paper, at \$2 25.....	11 25	
	1 dozen castile soap, at 75 cents; 2 gross pens, at \$2; 2 dozen lead pencils, at 40 cents.....	5 55	
	1 ream best foolscap, faint lined, \$4; 1 dozen inkstands, \$4; 6 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents, 3-point.....	11 00	
	6 quires blotting paper, at 25 cents; 6 cards Perry's barrel pens, at 50 cents.....	4 50	
	300 quills, No. 80, \$1 60; 12 balls linen twine, at 18½ cents.....	7 05	
	12 balls cotton twine, at 12½ cents; 4 reams letter paper, at \$4 25.....	18 50	
	1 gross red tape, \$3; 4 dozen bullion pens, (gilt,) at 50 cents.....	5 00	
	1 gross steel pens, \$2; 1 card steel pens, 17 cents; 3 ivory folders, at 25 cents....	4 92	
	1 Congressional Directory, 25 cents; 2 cards Perry's curve cut pens, at 50 cents..	1 25	
	1 pound sealing wax, 85 cents; ½ dozen India rubber, 37 cents.....	1 22	

	5 reams letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25; 6 cards Perry's barrel pens, at 50 cents.	24 25
	2 pounds wafers, at 50 cents; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 25; 5 reams blue laid paper, ruled, at \$4 25	27 75
	18 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents; 2 pounds wafers, at 50 cents; 6 ivory folders, at 25 cents; 1/2 dozen erasers, at \$2 50	12 75
	1 ream foolscap, faint lined, at \$4; 2 dozen pencils, 80 cents; 1 pound sealing wax, 85 cents	5 65
	600 quills, at \$1 60; 1/2 dozen penholders, at 50 cents; 1 gross Commercial pens, \$2	11 85
	4 reams envelope paper, at \$2 75; 4 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents	13 00
	8 reams letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25; 1 dozen penholders 37 1/2 cents; 6 paper weights, at 25 cents	35 8 1/2
	10 dozen Perry's small barrel pens, at 50 cents; 1 gross of Myer Phonea's small barrel pens, \$2	7 00
	2 dozen Chancey's pens, 33 1/2 cents; 2 1/2 pounds castile soap, at 37 1/2 cents	1 27
	4 reams white laid paper, ruled, at \$4 25; 1 pair large scissors, 62 1/2 cents	17 63
	1 gross steel pens, \$2; 1 gross small steel pens, \$2	4 00
	1 Congressional Directory, 37 1/2 cents; 2 penholders, 12 1/2 cents	5 00
	3 gross steel pens, assorted, at \$2; 4 cards Perry's best cut pens, at 50 cents	8 00
	6 cards Perry's small barrel pens, at 50 cents; 6 cards Levy's back spring pens, at 16 2/3 cents	3 50
	12 quarts M. & N.'s black ink, at 25 cents; 5 reams blue laid paper, at \$4 25	24 25
	4 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50; 6 balls twine, at 12 1/2 cents	10 75
	18 pounds wafers, at 50 cents; 4 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50	19 00
	1 gross red tape, \$3; 1,800 official wafers, \$2 25	5 25
	12 balls fine linen twine, at 25 cents; 12 balls cotton twine, at 12 1/2 cents	4 50
	12 reams letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25; 2 gross Perry's pens, at \$6	63 00
	3 1/2 gross pens, assorted, at \$2; 2 pounds sealing wax, at 90 cents	8 80
	4 dozen lead pencils, at 40 cents; 1/2 dozen erasers, at \$3	3 10
Elton Brent	Moving 1 load furniture for Pension Office	428 80
	Moving 3 loads for office to Dyer's auction room	62
	Labor—cleaning window	1 50
		62 1/2
Philip Parker	2 days' work moving office	2 12 1/2
John Ingraham	4 do do do	2 00
Edward M. Thomas	4 do do do	4 00
Moses Wood	4 do do do	4 00
Albert Robinson	4 do do do	4 00
Michael Fox	6 do do do	6 00
Lawrence Naughton	6 do do do	6 00
Thomas Grady	5 do do do	5 00
Richard W. Clarke	6 do do do	6 00

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Names.	For what object.	Price.	Total.
John Kane.....	1 day's work moving office.....		\$1 00
Solomon Ottmer.....	4 .....do.....do.....		4 00
John Wilson.....	5½ cords wood, at \$4 50; 2½ cords pine wood, at \$3 50.....		33 33
	Sawing and packing 8 loads wood.....		9 84
Eliza Hibbs.....	Making 2 dozen towels for Pension Office, \$3; washing 12 dozen towels, \$6.....		9 00
Barnard & Sandy.....	7,700 printed envelopes, at \$6 per 1,000.....	\$46 20	
	6,300 blank envelopes, at \$4 50 per 1,000.....	28 35	
			74 55
Degges & Tuxter.....	Putting fence round 1 desk, \$1; fitting key to desk, 25 cents.....		1 25
William G. Bitner.....	Repairing 1 bell, 87½ cents; picking 1 lock, 37½ cents.....	1 25	
	Picking 1 door lock, 37½ cents; picking 1 door lock, 37½ cents.....	75	
			2 00
Edwin Green.....	2 cane seat office chairs.....		6 00
J. & G. S. Gideon.....	Binding 3 volumes letters, at \$1 25.....	3 75	
	Red faint ruling and full binding 4 cap books, 6 quires each, at \$5.....	20 00	
	Binding 3 volumes letters, at \$1 25; printing heads and binding 6-quire transfer book, \$10.....	13 75	
	Ruling and binding separate index, 75 cents; binding 3 volumes letters, at \$1 25..	4 50	
	Binding 3 volumes letters, at \$1 25; ruling and binding 52 indexes, 1½ quire each, at \$1 12½.....	62 25	
	Binding 3 volume letters, at \$1 25; binding 2 volumes letters, at \$1 25.....	6 25	
	Binding 8 indexes, at 50 cents; binding 2 volumes letters, at \$1 25.....	6 50	
			117 00
C. W. Boteler.....	6 basins and ewers, \$6; 3 basins and ewers, \$3 75; 4 spittoons, \$2 50; 2 spittoons, \$1 50.....	13 75	
	1 soap box, 63 cents; 3 dust brushes, \$1 13; 3 dust brushes, 81 cents; 2 pieces sponge, 62 cents.....	3 19	
	2 buckets, 62 cents; ¼ dozen tumblers, 75 cents; 2 tumblers, 43 cents; 2 pieces sponge, 62 cents.....	2 42	
	4 spittoons, \$2 50; 6 wood buckets, \$3; 2 dust brushes, \$1.....	6 50	
	6 brooms, \$2 25; 6 buckets, \$1 88.....	4 13	
	6 washstands, at \$3 50; 1 glass, \$2 50.....	23 50	
			53 49
R. Farnham.....	6 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50; 1 gross Gillott's Eagle pens, \$2.....	7 00	
	2 cards Perry's pens, 3-point, at 50 cents; 6 quart bottles M. & N.'s ink, at 25 cts.	2 50	

	1 bottle Arnold's ink, 25 cents; 1 ditto Walker's, 15 cents.....	40
	1 quire blotting paper, 25 cents; 1 dozen patent ditto, 12 cents.....	37
	6 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents; 1 gross steel pens, \$2.....	3 00
	1 patent pump inkstand, \$1 75; 2 gross Perry's Pens, at \$6.....	13 75
	2 gross pens, at \$2; 1 dozen pen-holders, 50 cents; 1 quire blotting paper, 25 cents.....	4 75
	2 dozen patent blotting paper, at 25 cents; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50; 2 pounds wax, at 90 cents.....	7 30
	1 4-blade knife, \$1 12; 1 gross pens, \$2; 6 reams letter paper, at \$4 25.....	28 62
	1 dozen India rubber, 50 cents; 15 pounds red wafers, assorted, at 50 cents.....	8 00
	3 gross steel pens, at \$2; 1 gross Perry's pens, \$6.....	12 00
	1 dozen pen-holders, 50 cents; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50.....	5 50
	1 penknife, \$1 12; 1/2 dozen erasers, at \$3.....	2 62
	1 eraser, 25 cents; 1 inkstand, \$2 50; 1/2 dozen letter stamps, at \$3.....	4 25
	6 reams letter paper, faint ruled, at \$4 25; 12 quarts M. & N.'s ink, at 25 cents; 3,000 national wafers, at \$1 25.....	32 25
William Slade.....	1 pound sperm candles.....	
Barnes & Mitchell.....	24 1/2 yards towelling, at 18 1/2 cents; 2 pieces tape, at 6 cents; 2 spools cotton, at 4 cents.....	4 79
Eliza Hibbs.....	Washing 6 dozen towels for Pension Office, at 50 cents.....	3 00
F. & A. Schreiner.....	Repairing 1 lock, 50 cents; 1 pair knobs, 50 cents; 1 knob, 25 cents.....	1 25
G. W. Wheeler.....	Fixing desk, 50 cents; repairing lock on desk, 37 1/2 cents.....	87 1/2
	Putting 2 new locks on desk drawers.....	75
	Putting new key to desk lock.....	25
Thomas Byrnes.....	3 dozen palm soap, at 75 cents.....	1 87 1/2
John Robinson.....	2 days' labor, at \$1.....	2 25
Eliza Hibbs.....	1,900 envelopes made, at \$5 25 per 1,000.....	2 00
Thomas Byrnes.....	1 gross lucifer matches.....	10 00
Elton Brent.....	Hauling 1 load furniture (Mr Evans) to new treasury building.....	1 00
	Services of 3 laborers as assistants, at 25 cents.....	50
		75
J. B. H. Smith, administrator de bonis non of B. L. Lear.....	1 quarter's rent of office and buildings occupied by Pension department, from October 1, 1848, to December 31, 1848, inclusive.....	1 25
D. Clagett & Co.....	160 yards 4-4 matting, at 29 cents; 200 yards 6-4 matting, at 37 1/2 cents.....	150 00
	65 1/2 yards ply carpet, at \$1 37 1/2; 40 yards carpet, at \$1 37 1/2.....	115 00
	635 yards ingrain carpet, at \$1; 5 pounds thread, at \$1 25; 200 yards matting, at 37 1/2 cents.....	142 65
	7 5-9 yards oilcloth, at \$1 25; 2 3-9 ditto, at \$1 50; 149 yards matting, at 37 1/2 cts.....	716 25
		68 83

132 31  
37 1/2  
4 79  
3 00  
1 25  
87 1/2  
75  
25  
1 87 1/2  
2 25  
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Names.	For what object.	Price.	Total.
Richard W. Clarke .....	6 days' labor in December last.....	.....	\$6 00
R. Farham .....	4½ gross steel pens, \$9; ½ dozen erasers, at \$3.....	\$10 50	
	7 Congressional Directories, at 37½ cents; 1 gross red tape, \$3.....	5 62½	
	1 4-blade knife, \$1 12½; 2 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents.....	2 12½	
	1 patent manifold writer, \$5 50; 2 books Curtner papers, \$1 50.....	7 00	
	1 4-blade penknife, \$1 12; 1 ream plain letter paper, \$3.....	4 12	
	2 dozen packages patent blotting paper.....	3 00	
	½ dozen 4-blade penknives, at \$13 50.....	6 75	
	1 large pewter inkstand, 37 cents; 3 drawing pencils, 37 cents.....	75	
	1 ream envelope paper, \$2 50; 1 dozen lead pencils, 40 cents.....	2 90	
	1 dozen drawing pencils, \$1 50; 6 reams letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25.....	27 00	
	6 gross steel pens, at \$2; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50.....	17 00	
	2 dozen pen-holders, 75 cents; 1 inkstand, 38 cents.....	1 12	
	1 dozen M. & N.'s ink, \$3; 12 balls white twine, \$1 50.....	4 50	
	½ dozen carmine ink, at \$4; 6 dozen red tape, at 25 cents.....	3 50	
	6 reams blue letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25; 1 gross tape, \$3; 1 ream envelope paper, \$2 50.....	31 00	
	1 ream foolscap, faint lined, \$4 25; 1 gross steel pens, \$2; 2 dozen pencils, 80 cents.....	7 05	
	1 ream envelope paper, \$2 50; 1 gross pens, \$2; 200 quills, \$2 40.....	6 90	
	5 quires blotting paper, at 25 cents; 1 4-blade knife, \$1 50.....	2 75	
J. W. Plant.....	Room No. 52, Pension office:		143 58
	125 10-12 feet square shelving, work and materials, at 7 cents.....	8 80½	
	19½ feet round-edge shelving, at 9 cents.....	1 75½	
	40 grooves cut for shelves, at 4 cents, \$1 60; 31½ beaded slips to upright, at 3 cents, 93½ cents.....	2 53½	
	77 feet old shelving removed from old building and put up, at 4 cents.....	3 08	
	Room No. 94:		
	346 feet old shelving removed from old building and put up, at 4 cents.....	13 84	
	64½ feet side and shelving to plain case on door-way, at 7 cents.....	4 51½	
	4 corners to ditto, dove-tailed, at 25 cents, \$1; 68 grooves cut, at 4 cents, \$2 72...	3 72	
	9 fancy scollops to divisions, at 10 cents, 90 cents; 18 10-12 feet back to case, at 9 cents, \$1 69½.....	2 59½	

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37 10-12 feet pine sides and shelving to case on table, work only, at 10 cents. ....	3 78
3½ cherry sides to ditto, work only, at 12 cents, 40 cents; 4 corners, dove-tailed, at 30 cents, \$1 20. ....	1 60
68 grooves cut, at 5 cts., \$3 40; 31½ feet cherry slips to pine shelves, at 6 cts., \$1 29.	4 69
6 feet cherry tops to case, at 12 cents, 72 cents; 8 feet noring to top, at 4 cents) - 32 cents. ....	1 04
9½ feet poplar backs, dressed both sides, at 8 cents, 76 cents; 3½ feet cherry door, \$1 66½. ....	2 42½
2 pair butts put on, at 25 cents, 50 cents; 2 locks put on, at 20 cents, 40 cents. ....	90
Value of the pine, cherry, glue, and nails, for the case. ....	2 81
2 case-locks and screws, at 60 cents, \$1 20; 2 pair hinges, at 12½ cents, 25 cents. .	1 45
Varnishing case 4 coats and putmiced. ....	2 00
Room No. 100:	
13 1-6 feet pine sides and shelving to case on table, at 10 cents. ....	1 31½
4 corners to ditto, dove-tailed, at 30 cents, \$1 20; 6 grooves cut, at 5 cents, 30 cts.	1 50
4½ feet pine back, dressed both sides. ....	34½
Value of the material in case, and staining and oiling. ....	1 10
Room No. 101:	
86 feet pine sides and shelving to case and table, at 10 cents. ....	8 60
4 corners, dove-tailed, double width, at 50 cents. ....	2 00
42 fancy scollops to divisions, at 10 cents, \$4 20; 84 grooves cut, at 5 cents, \$4 20.	8 40
10½ feet noring to top of case, at 3 cents, 32 cents; 3 feet division board, at 6 cents, 18 cents. ....	50
9 1-6 beaded cloak rail, nailed to wall, at 6 cents. ....	55
Staining and varnishing case. ....	1 25
Value of the materials furnished for the case. ....	1 69
Room No. 102:	
17 feet mahogany sides, top and back to case on table, at 30 cents. ....	5 10
9½ feet mahogany slips, glued to pine shelves, at 8 cents. ....	77
4 corners, dove-tailed, on mahogany, at 35 cents. ....	1 40
16½ feet pine shelving, at 10 cents, \$1 67; 30 grooves cut, at 5 cents, \$1 50. ....	3 22
9 small scollops to divisions, at 6 cents, 54 cents; 8½ feet noring on mahogany, at 8 cents, 66 cents. ....	1 20
2½ feet mahogany pannel door, at 80 cts., \$2; 2 pairs butts, put on, at 25 cts., 50 cts.	2 50
2 case locks, put on, at 20 cents, 40 cents; 2 drawers with mahogany fronts, at 75 cents, \$1 50. ....	1 90
2 brass handles, put on to drawers, at 20 cents, 40 cents; 2½ feet pine back, at 8 cents, 60 cents. ....	1 00
Value of mahogany and pine, &c. ....	7 18
2 case locks, at 62½ cts., \$1 25; 2 pairs brass butts and screws, at 12½ cts., 25 cts.	1 50
2 flush-ring handles to drawers, at 18½ cents, 37½ cents; varnishing case, \$2. ....	2 37½

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Names.	For what object.	Price.	Total.
J. W. Plant—Continued .....	Room No. 103:		
	1 footstool and material, 45 cents; 172½ feet sides and shelving to 2 cases, at 10 cents, \$17 22½ .....	\$17 67½	
	Room No. 104:		
	4 corners, dove-tailed, at 30 cents, \$2 40; 168 grooves cut, at 5 cents, \$8 40 .....	18 80	
	48 feet back to case, at 6 cents, \$2 88; 8½ feet moulded bore, at 4 cents, 34 cents .....	3 22	
	14 10-12 feet plain freeze, 3½ in. wide, with dove-tailed corners, at 6 cents .....	89	
	17½ fancy cornishes to case, at 18 cents, \$3 12; 49 feet pannel door, at 25 cents, \$12 25 .....	15 37	
	4 pairs butts, put on, at 25 cents, \$1; 2 case locks, put on, at 20 cents, 40 cents .....	1 40	
	2 hook fastenings, put on, at 4 cents, 8 cents; 19½ feet top and legs to stand, at 7 cents, \$1 36½ .....	1 44½	
	2 scollops to legs to stand, at 10 cts., 20 cts.; 18½ feet side rails, at 4 cts., 73 cts .....	93	
	Value of the material of 2 cases and stands .....	12 04	
	2 case locks, at 60 cents, \$1 20; 2 hooks, at 8 cents, 16 cents; 4 pairs butts, at 12½ cents, 50 cents .....	1 86	
	14½ yards staining and 3 coats varnishing to 2 cases, at 30 cents .....	4 20	
	2½ yards staining and oiling to stands for cases, at 10 cents .....	25	
	12 1-6 feet cherry shelf and sides to case and table, at 12 cents .....	1 46	
	4 corners, dove-tailed, at 30 cents, \$1 20; 13 feet pine shelving, at 10 cts., \$1 30 .....	2 50	
	7½ feet noring to cherry shelf, at 4 cents, 29½ cents; 6 feet cherry slips to shelves, at 6 cents, 36 cents .....	65½	
	7 scollops to divisions, at 6 cents, 42 cents; 18 grooves cut, at 5 cents, 90 cents .....	1 32	
	2 5-12 feet cherry pannel door, at 50 cents, \$1 21; 2 pairs butts, put on, at 25 cents, 50 cents .....	1 71	
	2 case locks, put on, at 20 cents, 40 cents; 3½ feet cherry back to case at 12 cents, 39 cents .....	79	
	6½ feet poplar back, at 8 cents, 52 cents; 2 cherry drawers, at 60 cents, \$1 20 .....	1 72	
	4 mahogany knobs, put on, at 3 cts., 12 cents; 7 steps to ladder, at 25 cts., \$1 75 .....	1 87	
	16½ running feet back frame to step-ladder, at 6 cents .....	1 00½	
	Value of material to cases and ladder, \$3 29; 2 pairs butts, at 12½ cts, 25 cents; 2 case locks, at 60 cents, \$1 20 .....	4 74	
	4 mahogany knobs, at 4 cents, 12 cents; varnishing case, 4 coats, \$2 .....	2 12	
	415 feet plain shelving, at 7 cts., \$29 05; 35½ feet nored shelving, at 9 cts., \$3 17½ .....	32 22½	
	96 beaded slips to front of uprights, at 3 cents, \$2 88; 4 cleats, at 3 cts., 12 cents .....	3 00	

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128 grooves, cut, at 4 cents.....		5 12
Commissions for measuring, (John C. Harkness measurer,) \$7 38: one-half of commissions for measuring.....	\$3 69	
Deduct from room 102 5 cents; add for room 104 2 cents.....	3	3 66
		250 91 $\frac{1}{2}$
Deduction made by J. W. Plant:		
For workmanship in room 94, on \$14 43 $\frac{1}{2}$ , 10 per cent.....	1 44	
Do.....do.....100, on 3 16 .....do.....	31	
Do.....do.....101, on 20 05 .....do.....	2 00	
Do.....do.....102, on 17 09 $\frac{1}{2}$ .....do.....	1 70	
Do.....do.....104, on 51 28 .....do.....	5 12	
Do.....do.....104, on 13 02 $\frac{1}{2}$ .....do.....	1 30	
		11 87
J. W. Plant.....		\$239 04 $\frac{1}{2}$
Large stand and varnished table with lower stretcher rails.....		6 00
Large mahogany table, covered with cloth, drawer in front.....		25 00
Mahogany washstand with doors and drawers.....		12 00
1 set brass castors and putting on chair.....	1 50	
Do.....do.....do.....do.....	1 00	
24 cloak pins and putting up.....	2 25	
Making frame to chair and fixing castors on same.....	1 50	6 25
3 cane-seat chairs, \$5; 12 cloak pins and fixing up, \$1 25.....	6 25	
Making washboards to table-stand and oiled.....	1 50	
Taking off old cloth and putting new cloth on mahogany table, and fixing beads round same.....	7 50	15 25
Fixing table leg, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; putting 4 pieces to table to raise it, 50 cents.	62 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Taking down 9 Venetian blinds at the old office, at 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents.....	1 12 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Casing doors and bracing case.....	50	
Cutting table legs, 25 cents; fitting 2 keys to desk, 50 cents.....	75	3 00
Fixing key to lock on desk and furnishing escutcheon-plate.....	62 $\frac{1}{2}$	
Making frame to chair and fixing set of castors to same.....	1 50	
2 large cherry tables covered with cloth, at \$20.....	40 00	
Furnishing and putting on 2 desk locks.....	2 00	
Furnishing and putting up 6 cloak pins.....	56	44 68 $\frac{1}{2}$
Large cherry table covered with cloth.....	20 00	
Recovering stool with morocco, and brass nailing same.....	1 75	



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Names.	For what object.	Price.	Total.
J. W. Plant—Continued.....	3 cane-seat chairs, \$5; set castors and fixing on same, 87½ cents.....	\$5 87½	
	2 cloak pins and putting up.....	18¾	
			\$27 81¼
	1 pine spitbox, 75 cents; 8 cloak pins, 75 cents.....	1 50	
	1 large stained and varnished table, covered with cloth.....	20 00	
	Making frame to chair and set castors.....	1 50	
	Taking down and fixing up cloak pins.....	30	
	Making addition to large stained table.....	3 50	
			26 80
Eliza Hibbs.....	Making 3,300 envelopes for use of office, at \$5 25.....		\$166 79¼
F. R. Dorsett.....	Shelving, room No. 101, per contract.....	57 60	17 32
	1 step-ladder, \$3 50; taking down 1 sign from old office, 50 cents.....	4 00	
			61 60
Eliza Hibbs.....	Washing towels for 3 months, (February, March, and April,) 6 dozen per month, at 50 cents.....		9 00
James Kelly.....	Putting 2 spigots in waterstand.....		1 50
T. Barnard.....	19,050 envelopes, at \$6 per 1,000.....		114 30
John Alexander.....	1 window shade.....		3 00
Eliza Hibbs.....	Washing towels for Pension Office for month of May—6 dozen, at 50 cents.....		3 00
J. Wm. Plant.....	1 large desk, stained, varnished, and covered with baize.....	10 00	
	300 file-boards, at \$3 50 per 100.....	10 50	
	1 washstand, imitation of mahogany.....	3 00	
	2 large transparencies for windows in room 104.....	8 00	
	2 strips on shelves for books.....	1 00	
	Staining, varnishing, and repairing case in room 104.....	2 00	
	Making new cornice to same.....	2 75	
	Putting new castors to chair.....	25	
	Cutting step-ladder and repairing same, (rebracing).....	75	
	Putting castor on chair and putting up cloak hook.....	37½	
	Office chair, cane-seat.....	5 00	
	Case of shelving with pigeon-holes, and frame underneath to support.....	18 00	
			61 62½
C. W. Fenton, (publisher of National Whig)	Daily paper from April 9 to June 21, 1849.....		2 10
Geo. T. McGlue.....	4 months' cleaning privy.....		13 33½

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Eliza Hibbs .....	Washing towels for June, 1849—6 dozen, at 50 cents.....	3 00
C. W. Boteler .....	2 painted buckets, 62 cents; 2 dustpans, 63 cents.....	1 25
	2 mats, 87 cents and \$1 13; 1 basket and 1 hatchet, \$1 25.....	3 25
R. Farnham .....	6 reams blue letter paper, faint ruled, at \$4 25; 6 pounds red wafers, at 50 cents..	28 50
	3 gross steel pens, at \$2; 1 card bullion pens, gilt, 50 cents.....	6 50
	1 dozen India rubber, 37 cents; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50.....	5 37
	2 gross red tape, at \$3; 1 ream letter paper, at \$3.....	7 50
	6 reams letter paper, blue-ruled, at \$4 25; 2 dozen penholders, at 37 cents.....	26 25
	2 dozen black lead pencils, at 40 cents; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50.....	5 80
	1 dozen M. & N.'s black ink, \$3; 2 cards Perry's 3-point pens, at 50 cents.....	4 00
	1 pound sealing-wax, 90 cents; 4 gross steel pens, at \$2.....	8 90
	1 ream ruled letter paper, at \$4 25; 1 gross steel pens, \$2.....	4 12
	200 quills No. 80, at \$1 20; 2 reams letter paper, ruled, at \$4 25.....	10 90
	3 pounds wafers, at 50 cents; 8 dozen barrel pens, at \$1 33.....	2 83
	4 dozen Perry's pens, at 50 cents; 1 ream letter paper, ruled, \$4 25.....	6 25
	1 gross steel pens, \$2; 6 reams Jessup's letter paper, ruled, at \$4 25.....	27 50
	1 dozen Faber's drawing pencils, \$1 50; 1 gross red tape, \$3.....	4 50
	3 pounds wafers, at 50 cents; 2 reams envelope paper, at \$2 50.....	6 50
	1 gross steel pens, \$2; 2 gross steel pens, at \$2.....	6 00
	16 pieces silk taste, \$2; 1 pound red sealing-wax, 90 cents.....	2 90
	1 dozen Faber's drawing pencils.....	1 50
	6 reams Congress letter paper, ruled, at \$4 25.....	27 00
	1 gross Levy's steel pens.....	2 00
	1 4-blade penknife.....	1 12
		195 94
		<u>3,816 12½</u>

ANALYSIS.

Amount expended for blank books, binding, and stationery.....	\$1,359 80
Do.....furniture.....	1,661 53½
Do.....labor.....	55 99½
Do.....office rent.....	641 50
Do.....fuel.....	43 17
Do.....printing.....	2 10
Do.....miscellaneous items.....	52 02½
	<u>3,816 12½</u>

PENSION OFFICE, *July 23, 1850.*

SIR: Enclosed herewith is a statement of the expenditure of the appropriation for the contingent expenses of this office for the fiscal year ending the 30th of June, 1850; prepared in conformity with the 20th section of the act of August 26, 1842.

I am, respectfully, your obedient servant,

J. L. EDWARDS.

D. C. GODDARD, Esq.,  
*Secretary of the Interior ad interim.*

Statement of the expenditure of the appropriation for the contingent expenses of the Pension Office, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1850: prepared in conformity with the 20th section of the act of August 26, 1842.

To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
C. W. Fenton .....	Advertising proposals for printing.....		\$3 50
Ellen Brent.....	Whitewashing and scouring one room.....		1 75
Ritchie & Heisa.....	Advertising notice to discharged soldiers.....		1 50
Gales & Seaton.....	Advertising proposals for printing.....		5 75
Eliza Hibbs .....	Washing towels for July.....		3 00
J. & G. S. Gideon.....	Binding 2 volumes letters, January 9.....	\$2 50	
	Ruling and binding 70 indexes, at \$1 12½.....	78 75	
	Binding 2 volumes letters, February 10, at \$1 25.....	2 50	
	Do...2....do.....March 17, at \$1 25.....	2 50	
	Do...2....do.....April 9, at \$1 25.....	2 50	
	Do...3....do.....May 9, at \$1 25.....	3 75	
	Do...4....do.....June 8, at \$1 25.....	5 00	
			97 50
Eliza Hibbs .....	1,850 envelopes, at \$5 50 per 1,000.....	10 17	
	Making 1 dozen towels.....	1 50	
	Washing 10 dozen towels for August.....	5 00	
	Do.....do.....September.....	5 00	
			21 67
Thomas Byrnes.....	2½ dozens soap.....		3 75
White & Brother.....	1 dozen linen towels.....	1 50	
	Tape 5 cents; spool 5 cents.....	10	
			1 60
P. Goins .....	20 peck tickets for ice.....		2 00
John Pettibone.....	40 peck tickets for ice.....		4 00
J. & G. S. Gideon.....	Printing, folding, &c., 6,000 copies Pension Laws—172 pages, at \$3 09, stitched and cut.....		531 48
W. O. Niles.....	1 mahogany office desk and seat.....		9 00
W. A. Wheeler & Co.....	15 reams assorted English letter paper, selected, at \$3 50.....	52 50	
	2 reams extra size cap paper, at \$3.....	6 00	
	3 reams envelope paper, royal, at \$3.....	9 00	
	12 boxes Gillott's Eagle pens, at 37½ cents.....	4 50	
	12 boxes (gross each) pens, at \$1.....	12 00	
	12 boxes Damascus barrel pens, at 50 cents.....	6 00	
	1 gross W. A. W. & Co.'s Croton pens.....	1 50	

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To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
W. A. Wheeler & Co.—Continued.....	2 dozen penholders, at 31½ cents..... 5 boxes (1 pound each) sealing-wax, at 85 cents..... 2 dozen pieces extra rubber, at \$1..... 36 dozen red tape, at 18 cents..... 5 pounds wafers, at 50 cents..... 300 No. 80 clarified quills, at \$1 20..... 5 dozen patent blotters, at 75 cents..... 6,000 envelopes, printed to pattern, at \$6..... 5 dozen Faber's octagon pencils, at \$1..... 12 balls linen twine, at 31 cents..... 1 dozen Maynard & Noyes's black ink..... 1 twine reel..... 1-12 dozen paper shears..... 1 dozen paper scissors..... 1 gross Mitchel's pens..... 2 reams Congress letter paper, at \$2 75..... 2-12 dozen cards Perryan pens..... 1 ream sup. blue ruled cap paper..... 1 gross Mercantile pens (Wheeler's)..... 1 ream blue letter paper, ruled..... 1 ream white letter paper, ruled..... ½ dozen penholders, each sexagon and accommodation..... 12 ivory erasers, extra superfine, selected, at 75 cents..... 2 dozen cocoa letter stamps, at \$2..... 15 reams superfine blue and white laid Congress paper, at \$2 75..... 4 reams buff envelopes, at \$3..... 3 dozen fluted accom'n holders, at \$1..... 2 boxes W. A. W. & Co.'s pens, Eagle, at \$1..... 2 gross Commercial pens, at \$2..... 1 box Mitchel's pens..... 1 Congress knife (Rodgers)..... 5 pounds (letter size) wafers, at 50 cents..... 1 cocoa wafer stand, selected..... 2 paper weights, at 50 cents..... 1 memorandum book.....	\$0 63 4 25 2 00 6 48 2 50 3 60 3 75 36 00 5 00 3 72 2 40 1 00 09 1 00 1 50 5 50 17 2 75 2 00 2 75 2 75 1 00 9 00 4 00 41 25 12 00 3 00 2 00 4 00 1 50 1 00 2 50 50 1 00 50	

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	2 dozen superfine lead pencils, at 37½ cents .....	75	
	1 medium writing pad.....	1 75	
	1 quire treasury blotting.....	1 00	
	1 pound red wafers.....	50	
	6 bottles French carmine ink, at 28 cents.....	1 68	
	Deduct.....		\$270 27
			2
			270 25
J. Pettibone.....	Ice from August 6 to September 28.....		4 00
Eliza Hibbs.....	Washing 10 dozen towels in October .....	5 00	
	Do.....do.....do....November.....	5 00	
	Do.....do.....do....December.....	5 00	
			15 00
G. T. McGlue.....	Night work for 3 months .....		10 00
J. W. Plant.....	100 file boards .....	3 50	
	200..do.....do.....do.....do.....	7 00	
	Restuffing chair cushions.....	2 50	
	Making small pigeon-hole case.....	1 00	
	Making foot-board to desk .....	1 00	
	Shelving in room 92.....	10 00	
	Covering desk with cloth.....	7 50	
	Pine washstand.....	3 00	
	Fixing shelving.....	1 50	
	Making frame and furnishing for chair.....	1 50	
	3 cloak pins, fixing others, door, &c.....	75	
	Lock, and putting on .....	1 00	
	Frame, &c., for chair.....	1 50	
	2 till locks, and putting on.....	1 00	
	500 file boards, at \$3 50.....	17 50	
	Material and fixing book-case.....	3 00	
	Repairing arm-chair.....	3 00	
			66 25
J. M. Donn & Bro.....	1 basin and ewer.....	1 50	
	Soap box, 50 cents; 2 tumblers, 50 cents.....	1 00	
	1 small tumbler, 15 cents; 1 corkscrew, 25 cents.....	40	
	Soap box, tumblers, basin, and ewer. ....	2 25	
	Dust brushes.....	69	
			5 84
C. Alexander.....	Printing 70 blanks, pica italic, 1 page, at..... \$4 00 per 100.....	2 80	
	800....do....do.....do.....do..... 4 00....do.....	32 00	
	2,000 blanks, script type, at..... 1 00....do.....	20 00	

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To whom paid,	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
C. Alexander—Continued .....	Printing 100 copies Regulations, small pica type, with brevier acts, 1 page, on foolscap.....	\$4 00	
	1,000 envelopes, script type, 1 page, at..... \$1 00 per 100.....	10 00	
	1,000 blanks, 1 page, script type, at..... 1 00...do.....	10 00	
	3,000.....do.....do..... 1 00...do.....	30 00	
	1,000 blanks, pica italic, on foolscap, at..... 4 00...do.....	40 00	
	3,000 blanks, 1 page pica, 2 pages brevier, at..... 2 00...do.....	60 00	
	1,000 blanks, 2 pages pica roman, foolscap, at..... 2 00...do.....	20 00	
	500 blanks, 1 page.....do.....do..... 1 00...do.....	5 00	
	6,000 blanks, 1 page pica italic, for land warrants, at 4 00...do.....	240 00	
	Binding and lettering the same in 40 books, at 75 cents.....	30 00	
	Printing 100 copies blanks, 1 page pica roman.....	1 00	
	150 parchments, at..... \$18 00 per 100.....	27 00	
	3,000 blanks, 1 page script type, at..... 1 00...do.....	30 00	
	1,000 circulars, at..... 50...do.....	5 00	
	3,000 blanks, 1 page pica italic, 2 pages brevier type, at.....	2 00...do.....	60 00
	3,000 blanks, 1 page script type, at..... 1 00...do.....	30 00	
	2,000 blanks, 2 pages small pica roman, at..... 2 00...do.....	40 00	
	3,000 blanks, 1 page italic type, land warrants, at. 4 00...do.....	120 00	
	Binding 3,000 copies of same into 20 books, at 75 cents.....	15 00	
	Printing 4,000 blanks, 1 page pica, 2 pages brevier, at..... \$1 00 per 100.....	40 00	
	4,000...do.....do.....do.....do.....do..... 2 00...do.....	80 00	
	400 blanks, 2 pages pica, at..... 2 00...do.....	8 00	
	200 blanks, pica italic, at..... 4 00...do.....	8 00	
	6,000 blanks, 1 page pica italic, land warrants, at.. 4 00...do.....	240 00	
	Binding 6,000 same into 40 books, at 75 cents.....	30 00	
	Printing 200 blanks, 1 page script type, at..... \$1 00 per 100.....	2 00	
	400 1 page pica roman, at..... 1 00...do.....	4 00	
	4,000 1 page pica, 2 pages brevier, at..... 2 00...do.....	80 00	
	3,000 1 page script type, at..... 1 00...do.....	30 00	
	600 blank envelopes, script type, at..... 1 00...do.....	6 00	
	1,000 blanks, 2 pages pica roman, at..... 1 00...do.....	10 00	
	500 rules evidence, 3 pages long primer, at..... 50...do.....	2 50	
	830 letter envelopes, at..... 50...do.....	4 15	

1,000 blanks, 1 page pica italic type, at.....	4 00....do.....	40 00
1,500 blanks, 1 page, for envelopes, at.....	1 00....do.....	15 00
1,000 blanks, 1 page script type, at.....	1 00....do.....	10 00
1,000 blanks, 1 page pica italic, at.....	4 00....do.....	40 00
200 blanks, 1 page pica roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	2 00
3,000 blanks, script, at.....	1 00....do.....	30 00
200 parchments, at.....	18 00....do.....	36 00
150 blanks, 1 page pica italic, at.....	4 00....do.....	6 00
1,000 1 page pica roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	10 00
5,000 1 page pica, and 2 pages brevier, at.....	2 00....do.....	100 00
15,000 italic type, land warrants, at.....	4 00....do.....	600 00
Binding 15,000 copies into 100 books, at.....	75....do.....	75 00
Printing 2,000 blanks, 1 page pica, roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	20 00
2,000 blanks, 2 pages, small pica and brevier, at.....	2 00....do.....	40 00
500 blanks, 1 page pica, roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	5 00
6,000 blanks, 1 page script, at.....	1 00....do.....	60 00
2,000 blanks, 2 pages pica, roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	20 00
2,000 rules of evidence, 3 pages long primer, at....	50....do.....	10 00
1,000 blanks, 1 page script, for envelopes, at.....	1 00....do.....	10 00
6,000 blanks, 1 page pica and 2 pages brevier, at..	2 00....do.....	120 00
1,000 blanks, 2 pages script, at.....	2 00....do.....	20 00
3,000 blanks, 1 page, blue envelopes, at.....	1 00....do.....	30 00
600 blanks, 1 page pica, roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	6 00
3,000 blanks, 2 pages pica, and script, at.....	1 00....do.....	30 00
500 blanks, 1 page pica italic, at.....	4 00....do.....	20 00
1,000 rules of evidence, 1 page, at.....	50....do.....	5 00
1,000 blanks, 1 page pica, roman, at.....	1 00....do.....	10 00
Telegraphic despatch on official business.....		2,746 45
3 months' night work.....		51
Frame and castors for office chair.....		10 00
Repairing desk.....		1 50
Recovering desk with cloth, and hauling.....		2 00
Do.....do.....		4 75
Putting 2 pieces to desk frame.....		4 00
Cutting arch to desk.....		50
Cane seat office chair.....		25
2 frames and castors for 2 office chairs, at \$1 50 each.....		4 50
Repairing and restuffing office stool.....		3 00
Recovering desk with cloth.....		2 50
Office chair, \$4 50; frame and castors, \$1 50.....		4 75
2 office chairs.....do.....do.....each \$6.....		6 00
		12 00

Telegraph Company.....  
 G. T. McGlue.....  
 J. W. Plant.....

2,746 45  
 51  
 10 00



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To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.	
J. W. Plant--Continued.....	100 file boards, extra size.....	\$5 00		
	4 blocks to raise desk.....	25		
	Do.....do.....	25		
	Fitting keys to 2 locks.....	50		
	Cherry pigeon-hole case.....	6 00		
	Frame to office chair.....	1 00		
	Large cherry table, with drawers, cloth top.....	20 00		
	Cherry pigeon-hole case, with drawers.....	12 00		
	Large cherry..do.....do.....	15 00		
	Covering desk with cloth, and new cloth.....	7 00		
	Oil cloth for washstand.....	50		
				\$113 25
	James Kelley.....	6 candlesticks.....		1 00
J. H. McBlair.....	4 lbs. candles, \$1 80; 10 cakes soap, 60 cents.....		2 40	
G. M. Wheeler.....	Putting cloth on desk.....	4 50		
	Repairing chair.....	2 50		
			7 00	
W. A. Wheeler & Co.....	1 ream hand-made 4to post.....	2 75		
	1 flat French desk inkstand.....	2 00		
	1 ream ex. heavy hand-made cap.....	3 00		
	Ruling to pattern.....	1 00		
	5,000 buff envelopes, printed to pattern, at \$6.....	30 00		
	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> dozen silk taste, at 50 cents.....	25		
	5 quires red blotting.....	25		
	1 dozen cards Perryan pens, (raven).....	1 00		
	1 ream white laid letter.....	2 75		
	1 ream blue-laid letter.....	2 75		
	6 dozen Faber's best pencils, at \$1.....	6 00		
	<sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> dozen dbl. iron inkstands, at \$3.....	1 50		
	1 dozen accom. penholders.....	1 00		
	2 ivory folders, 9 inch, at \$2 75 per dozen.....	46		
	150 buff envelopes, at 22 cents.....	33		
100 opaque quills, No. 80.....	1 20			
1 ream white-laid letter.....	2 75			
4 boxes soap, at 75 cents.....	3 00			

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	3 00	
6 pounds sperm candles, at 50 cents.....	4 00	
1 ream hand-made letter, blue, ruled narrow, to pattern.....	4 00	
1 ream hand-made letter, medium, ruled narrow, to pattern.....	2 00	
2 dozen cards Leiman's steel pens, at \$1.....	18 00	
12 boxes Wheeler & Co.'s steel pens, extra fine, at \$1 50.....	75	
2 mouse-traps, at 37½ cents.....	8 25	
3 reams blue hand-made letter, ruled, at \$2 75.....	8 25	
3 reams assorted hand-made letter, ruled, at \$2 75.....	1 80	
6 pounds ex. hemp twine, at 30 cents.....	12	
1 memorandum book.....	2 00	
1 box Hertz's pens.....	1 88	
¾ ream folio post, at \$3 75.....	16 50	
3 reams blue and white letter, ruled, at \$2 75.....	3 00	
3 dozen Faber's pencils, at \$1.....	4 80	
12 bottles Cooper & Phillips's ink, at 40 cents.....	1 50	
¼ dozen dbl. iron inkstands, at \$3.....	1 44	
8 dozen red tape, at 18 cents.....	30 00	
5,000 buff envelopes, printed to pattern, at \$6.....	8 00	
2 reams hand-made blue letter, ruled to pattern, at \$4.....	17	
2 cards Perryan pens.....	16 50	
5 reams assorted hand-made ruled letter, at \$2 75.....	2 55	
3 pounds extra superfine scarlet wax, at 85 cents.....	3 60	
300 clear quills, No. 80, at \$1 20.....	1 50	
2 boxes soap, at 75 cents.....	2 75	
1 ream cream laid letter.....	1 00	
1 large ivory folder, with handle.....	2 00	
1 box Wheeler & Co.'s pens.....	2 25	
1,000 buff envelopes.....	3 00	
3 dozen accom. penholders, at \$1.....	1 50	
½ dozen ivory erasers, at \$3.....	11 00	
4 reams extra letter, ruled, at \$2 75.....	50	
1 pound red wafers.....	50	
½ dozen penholders, at \$1.....	48 82	
	1 25	
Deduct error in charging paper, October 13.....		47 57
Eliza Hibbs.....	5 00	
Washing 10 dozen towels, in January.....	5 00	
Washing 10 dozen towels, in February.....	5 00	
Washing 10 dozen towels, in March.....	15 00	
E. Simms.....	1 80	
4 pounds sperm candles, at 45 cents.....		25

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To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
G. T. McGlue.....	1 quarter cleaning privy.....		\$10 00
Thomas Byrnes.....	1 box soap, January 22.....	\$2 25	
	1 gross matches.....	1 00	
			3 25
Telegraph Company.....	Telegraphic despatch, on official business.....		36
Gideon & Co.....	Printing 500 circulars.....	2 50	
	Binding 4 vols. letters, at \$1 25.....	5 00	
	Red and faint ruling and binding 94 cap books, 6 quires, at \$5.....	20 00	
	Printing 750 sheets for scrip.....	3 75	
	Binding same in 10 books, at 80 cents.....	8 00	
	Printing 1,000 circulars, (Key's).....	5 00	
	Printing 500 land warrants.....	5 00	
	Printing 4,000 circulars.....	20 00	
	Printing 2,325 sheets land scrip.....	11 62	
	Binding 31 books, at 80 cents.....	24 80	
	2 vols. Pension Laws.....	1 50	
	Printing 3,000 land warrants.....	30 00	
	Binding 3 vols. letters, at \$1 25.....	3 75	
	Printing 1,000 widows' pension certificates.....	5 00	
	Printing 3,000 instructions, as follows:		
	Composing 18,000 ems brevier, at 50 cents.....	\$9 00	
	Press-work 24 tokens.....	12 00	
	7 reams paper.....	14 00	
		35 00	
	Printing in red 5,000 warrants.....	50 00	
	Printing 800 circulars.....	4 00	
	Printing 5,000 certificates, at \$10.....	50 00	
	Printing 100 circulars.....	50	
	Printing 1,000 envelopes.....	5 00	
	Printing 1,500 circulars.....	7 50	
	Binding 4 vols. letters.....	5 00	
	Printing 1,000 certificates.....	5 00	
	Printing 30 navy do.....	1 50	
	Printing 5,200 land warrants for 40 and 160 acres, and binding in 34 books, at 75 cents each.....	25 50	

Printing 2,000 circulars and interrogatories.....	20 00
Printing 2,000 file envelopes.....	10 00
Binding 5 vols. of letters, at \$1 25 each.....	6 25
Printing 2,000 circulars and rule forms.....	20 00
Binding 1 vol. letters.....	1 25
Printing heads and red and faint ruling 9 quires of medium for widows' pensions, vol. 2.....	18 00
Printing 1,000 instructions as follows:	
Composition 8 500 ems, at 50 cents.....	\$4 25
Press-work, 8 tokens, at 50 cents.....	4 00
2½ reams paper, at \$2 75.....	6 88
	15 13
Printing 500 circulars.....	2 50
Binding 8 vols. letters.....	10 00
Printing 800 blanks.....	4 00
Binding 6 vols. letters, at \$1 25.....	7 50
Printing 1,000 surgeon's affidavits.....	5 00
Printing 500 applications for increase of pension.....	2 50
Printing 600 applications for transfer of pension.....	3 00
Printing 600 blanks.....	3 00
Wheeler & Co.....	
1 Rodgers's knife.....	1 00
1 dozen cards Perry's pens.....	1 00
12 bottles French carmine, at 28 cents.....	3 36
6 reams assorted white and blue letter, at \$2 75.....	16 50
½ dozen silk taste, at 50 cents.....	17
¼ dozen accommodation pen-holders, at \$1.....	50
5,000 buff envelopes, printed to pattern, at \$6.....	30 00
6 balls cotton cord, at 10 cents.....	60
2 boxes Wheeler's large commercial pens, at \$2.....	4 00
2 dozen cards Hertz's fountain pens, at \$1.....	2 00
1 ivory crasers, at 25 cents.....	50
1 ream buff envelope paper.....	3 00
6 reams assorted letter paper, at \$2 75.....	16 50
9 reams blue and white paper, at \$2 75.....	24 75
2 dozen cards Hertz's fountain pens, at \$1.....	2 00
Do.....do.....do.....	2 00
1 dozen Mitchel's K. pens.....	1 00
1 dozen Lencar's large commercial pens.....	2 00
1 dozen Perry's national pens.....	1 00
6 lbs. ex. scarlet wax, at 85 cents.....	5 10
5,000 buff official envelopes, printed to pattern, at \$6.....	30 00

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To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
Wheeler & Co.—Continued.....	1 Rodgers's knife.....	\$1 00	
	3 lbs. red wafers, at 50 cents.....	1 50	
	9 Congressional Directories, at 37½ cents.....	3 38	
	2 boxes Hertz's fountain pens, at \$2.....	4 00	
	1 dozen cards Perry's assorted pens.....	1 00	
	2 accommodation penholders.....	16	
	5,000 official envelopes, printed to pattern, at \$6.....	30 00	
	10 reams assorted blue and white letter, at \$2 75.....	27 50	
	3 reams heavy 16 pound laid cap, at \$3.....	9 00	
	½ dozen silk taste.....	25	
	300 opaque quills, No. 80, at \$1 20.....	3 60	
	12 bottles Cooper & P. black ink, at 40 cents.....	4 80	
	3 pounds red wafers, at 50 cents.....	1 50	
	2 dozen patent rubber, (2 lbs.) at 50 cents.....	1 00	
	1 ream red blotting paper.....	1 00	
	2 reams buff envelope paper, at \$3.....	6 00	
	2 boxes Hertz's fountain pens, at \$2.....	4 00	
	5 boxes Wheeler's extra fine Peruvian pens, at \$2.....	10 00	
	1 pound patent rubber.....	50	
	8 dozen red tape, at 18 cents.....	1 44	
	2 dozen accommodation penholders, at \$1.....	2 00	
	½ dozen ivory letter folders, at \$2 75.....	69	
	4 Congress Directories, at 37½ cents.....	1 50	
	2 dozen washing soap, at \$1.....	2 00	
	2 dozen Faber's graduated drawing pencils, at \$1.....	2 00	
	6 reams blue and white letter, at \$2 75.....	16 50	
	2 reams hand-made commercial post, at \$2 75.....	5 50	
	Ruling (extra wide) to pattern.....	2 00	
			\$290 80
Eliza Hibbs.....	Washing 30 dozen towels this quarter, at 50 cents.....		15 00
J. M. Donn & Brother.....	2 brushes, 95 cents; 1 spittoon and brush, \$1 38.....	2 33	
	1 6-gallon water cooler.....	6 00	
			8 33
T. Byrnes.....	1½ dozen cakes soap.....		2 25
G. T. McGlue.....	Cleaning privy 3 months.....		10 00

Gideon & Co.....	Printing 2,000 certificates (with man and plough).....	10 00	
	Binding 5 volumes letters, each \$1 25.....	6 25	
	Printing in red 2,000 land warrants.....	20 00	
	Binding 30 books.....	24 00	
	2,250 land warrants.....	11 25	
	1 Biennial Register.....	3 00	
	Ruling and binding 25 cap indexes, 1 $\frac{1}{2}$ -quire each, at \$1 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ .....	28 13	
	Printing and ruling and binding 6 quires medium for widows' pensions, acts July.....	14 00	
	Binding 4 volumes letters, each \$1 25.....	5 00	
	Printing 3,000 certificates (man and plough).....	15 00	
	Composition (12,500 ems) regulations, at 50 cents.....	6 25	
	Press work (8 tokens).....	4 00	
	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ reams cap paper, at \$2 75.....	6 87	
	Printing 500 blanks.....	2 50	
	Binding 4 volumes letters.....	5 00	
	Printing 100 certificates of pension (with eagle).....	5 00	
	Printing 800 envelopes.....	4 00	
			170 25
Gideon & Co., (April).....	Binding 4 volumes letters, at \$1 25.....	5 00	
	Printing 800 circulars and interrogatories.....	4 00	
	Printing 500 regulations for agents.....	2 50	
	Printing copies of instructions and forms as follows:		
	Composition, (8,500 ems,) at 50 cents.....	\$4 25	
	Press work, (8 tokens,) at 50 cents.....	4 00	
	2 $\frac{3}{4}$ reams paper, at \$2 75.....	6 88	
			15 13
	Printing 800 envelopes (file).....	4 00	
	Printing 1,000 declarations and act of Congress.....	5 00	
	Printing 5,000 land warrants in red, at \$10.....	50 00	
	Printing 1,000 regulations for substantiating pensions.....	5 00	
	Binding 4 volumes letters.....	5 00	
	Ruling and full binding 5 quires cap.....	4 50	
	Morocco alphabet.....	2 00	
	Printing 800 blanks (widows' pensions).....	4 00	
	1 ream superfine cap paper and red faint ruled.....	5 00	
	Binding 5 volumes letters, at \$1 25.....	6 25	
	Printing 200 rules (circulars for establishing claims).....	1 00	
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To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
Wheeler & Co.....	5 pounds linen twine, at 30 cents.....	\$1 50	
	8 dozen red tape, at 18 cents.....	1 44	
	1 box Wheeler's extra fine Peruvian pens.....	1 50	
	1.....do.....do.....Fountain pens.....	2 00	
	2.....do.....do.....Peruvian pens, at \$1 50.....	3 00	
	6 reams Hubbard letter, at \$2 75.....	16 50	
	1 box 3-pointed pens.....	1 50	
	2 dozen Faber's pencils, at 37 cents.....	74	
	7 reams letter, white, &c., at \$2 75.....	19 25	
	7 boxes assorted pens, at \$1.....	7 00	
	2 dozen cards pens, curve-cut, at \$1.....	2 00	
	1 ream white hand-made Jessup's gilt.....	2 75	
	6 dozen red tape, at 18 cents.....	1 08	
	6 balls cotton cord, at 12½ cents.....	75	
	8 dozen red tape, at 18 cents.....	1 44	
	1 dozen accommodation pen-holders.....	1 00	
	½ dozen silk taste, at 50 cents.....	25	
	4 pounds wafers, at 50 cents.....	2 00	
	2 boxes soap, at 70 cents.....	1 40	
	1 ream white ruled cap.....	3 00	
	1 box Wheeler & Co.'s No. 21 pens.....	1 50	
	2 reams extra superfine gilt letter, at \$2 75.....	5 50	
	Ruling wide to pattern.....	2 00	
	6 pounds extra superfine scarlet wax, at 85 cents.....	5 10	
	500 buff official envelopes.....	1 13	
	500.....do.....do.....	1 13	
	1 dozen accommodation pen-holders.....	1 00	
	4 reams blue and white letter, at \$2 75.....	11 00	
	2 reams Monier's blue letter, at \$2 75.....	5 50	
	2 reams white-laid letter, at \$2 75.....	5 50	
	2 reams hand-made letter, at \$2 75.....	5 50	
	2 dozen pencils, at 37 cents.....	74	
	Ruling 2 reams to pattern.....	2 00	
	1,000 buff envelopes.....	2 25	

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8 reams assorted letter, at \$2 75 .....	22 00	
12 bottles C. and P. ink, at 40 cents .....	4 80	
4 pounds wafers, at 50 cents .....	2 00	
		\$148 75
		<u>5,424 52</u>

ANALYSIS.

Amount paid for blank books and stationery .....	\$948 82
Do.....printing banks, and binding .....	3,595 63
Do.....printing 6,000 copies Pension Laws.....	531 48
Do.....furniture.....	209 67
Do.....labor.....	41 75
Do.....advertising.....	10 75
Do.....miscellaneous items.....	86 42
	<u>5,424 52</u>

PENSION OFFICE, July 23, 1850.

J. L. EDWARDS, *Commissioner of Pensions.*

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GENERAL LAND OFFICE,  
November 27, 1849.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit, herewith, a detailed statement of the contingent expenses of this office from the 1st of October, 1848, to the 30th day of September, 1849, in conformity with the 20th section of the act of 26th August, 1842, "legalizing and making appropriations," &c.

I am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

J. BUTTERFIELD,  
*Commissioner.*

Hon. T. EWING,  
*Secretary of the Interior.*

*Detailed statement of the contingent expenses of the General Land Office, from October 1, 1848, to September 30, 1849, inclusive.*

Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
Oct. 6	R. Mayo.....	71 copies work on the organization, &c., of Treasury Department.....		\$142 00
Oct. 7	John T. Towers.....	Printing 100 circulars—4 pages.....	\$4 00	
		Do.....do.....do.....	4 00	
31	William Noell.....	8 Venetian window blinds, at \$3 50.....		8 00
31	Edwin Green.....	1 office chair.....		28 00
5	G. Rowzee.....	Repairing desk.....	25	3 25
		Making packing-box.....	2 00	
		Repairing desk.....	37½	
		Repairing case.....	25	
		Repairing door.....	25	
		Repairing desk.....	75	
		Repairing cases.....	62½	
		Fitting shelves in cases.....	75	
		Repairing desk.....	25	
		Furnishing and putting lock on desk.....	87½	
		Do.....do.....do.....door.....	62½	
		Repairing case.....	25	
		Furnishing lock and putting it on letter box.....	87½	
		Furnishing 1½ yards cloth and covering table.....	4 00	
		Furnishing 2½.....do.....do.....	7 00	
		Putting cloth on desk.....	50	
		Furnishing two hat hooks.....	37½	
		Furnishing and putting castors on chair.....	75	
		Fitting key to lock.....	25	
		Repairing case.....	25	
		Furnishing 1½ yards cloth and covering table.....	3 50	
		Repairing and varnishing table.....	1 00	
		Making shelves for case.....	2 50	
		Repairing chair.....	1 50	
		Furnishing and putting on lock.....	62½	
		Making packing-box.....	2 00	
		Repairing cutting-board.....	25	

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1848. Oct. 5	G. Rowzee—Continued.....	Furnishing 1½ yards casinet and covering table..... Furnishing 1½.....do..... Strips for cases (carpet)..... Repairing table..... Repairing case..... Making case and table..... Making top for case.....	\$2 75 2 50 2 50 25 50 38 00 1 75	
31	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers, &c.: Samuel Coomes..... Benjamin C. Freeman..... A. E. Lemerle..... George W. Fridley..... G. Rowzee..... Dennis Burke..... O. Walker..... N. Goddard..... John Crome.....	37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 30 00 4 25 4 50 2 12½	\$80 87½
25	John P. Hilton.....	Large book-case, &c., painted and varnished..... 2 large book-cases, painted and varnished..... 48 extra pigeon holes in above cases, at 20 cents each..... 3 large extra drawers..... 4 extra shelves, at 75 cents each.....	40 00 59 00 9 60 4 50 3 00	228 37½
Nov. 15	Gales & Seaton.....	1 year's subscription to National Intelligencer.....		116 10
17	Ritchie & Heiss.....	1 year and 3 months' subscription to Union.....		10 00
6	Magnetic Telegraph Company.....	Despatch to John Evans—65 words.....		13 33
14	C. W. Boteler.....	1 chair and cushion..... 1 wire fender..... 1 pair bronze andirons..... 1 pair spittoons..... 1 dozen cane chairs..... 1 pair shovel and tongs.....	5 00 6 50 5 00 1 25 10 00 4 50	10 20

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		1 pair bronze andirons.....	5 00	
		1 wire fender.....	6 50	
		1 pair standards.....	5 00	
		1 pair shovel and tongs.....	4 50	
4	J. C. McGuire.....	12 books of extra imperial paper, and printing captions to same—numerical index to each system of patents, of 5½ quires each book—66 quires, at \$5 75 per quire.....	379 50	53 25
		12 indexes of extra imperial, of 1½ quires each, printed captions—18 quires, at \$5 75.....	103 50	
		13 books, of 2 quires each, extra imperial, printed captions—"register of monthly returns," bound flat, in Russia—26 quires, at \$5 75 per quire.....	149 50	
		13 books, of 2 quires each, extra imperial—"register of quarterly returns," bound flat—26 quires, at \$5 75.....	149 50	
		1 book, 6 quires, extra imperial, printed captions—"registry letters received," at \$5 75.....	34 50	
		2 books, of 2 quires, extra imperial—"annual register of operations General Land Office"—4 quires, at \$5 75.....	23 00	
Oct.	25 T. Barnard.....	10,000 military land warrant blanks.....	75 00	839 50
		300 handbill proclamations—1 page, cap, at \$1.....	3 00	
		300 circulars, quarto post, at 75 cents.....	2 25	
		300 proclamations, 1½ cap, at \$1.....	3 00	
		2,000 military abstracts, medium, at \$2.....	40 00	
		Ruling the above, 4½ reams, at \$2.....	9 00	
		8,136 military abstracts, medium, at \$2.....	162 72	
		Ruling above, 19 reams, at \$2.....	38 00	
		Covering the above, 339 books, at 6½ cents.....	21 19	
		10,000 military land warrant blanks, quarto post, at 75 cents.....	75 00	
		15,000 circulars, quarto post.....	112 50	
		22,000 register's receipts, quarto post.....	165 00	
		300 salary tables, 1 page, cap, at \$1.....	3 00	
		300 proclamations, 1 page, cap, at \$1.....	3 00	
		6,000 register's certificates, medium, at \$2.....	120 00	
		100 circulars, 1 page, cap, at \$1.....	1 00	
		300 circulars, 1 page, quarto post, at 75 cents.....	2 25	
Nov.	25 William F. Bayly.....	20,000 parchments, printed, at \$10 30 per 100.....		835 91
	30 Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers—		2,060 00
		Samuel Coomes.....	37 50	
		Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50	

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1848. Nov. 30	Grafton Powell—Continued.....	Pay of laborers— A. E. Lemerle..... George W. Fridley..... G. Rowzee..... D. Burke..... O. Walker, washing towels..... N. Goddard..... G. Powell, per bill.....	\$37 50 37 50 37 50 30 00 4 25 4 50 37½	
30 Dec. 2	John Pettibone..... John W. Riggs.....	1 18 bushels 1 peck ice, at 50 cents per bushel ..... Painting washstand..... Painting table..... Painting desk..... Painting table.....	..... 1 00 1 25 1 25 75	\$226 62 59 12½
1	D. Clagett & Co.....	70 1-9 square yards oilcloth, at \$1..... 79 6-9.....do.....do..... 28.....do.....do.....do..... 4 yards crash, at 10 cents..... 8 yards cotton, at 10 cents..... 1 rug.....	70 11 79 67 28 00 40 80 7 00	4 25 185 98
4 5	M. Powell..... John P. Hilton.....	Making 16,700 envelopes, at \$1 50 per 1,000..... Materials, making, and putting up, painting, &c., 1 pine case, with 56 pigeon holes..... Ditto, 1 pine case..... Ditto, 2 cases, at \$35 50 each..... Ditto, 1 pine case..... Ditto, 1 pine case and desk, covered with cloth..... Ditto, 1 pine book case..... Materials and enlarging mahogany table and case, with pigeon holes, new cloth, &c..... Materials and making, painting, &c., 1 pine case, with rolling shelves, &c. Making a desk screen.....	..... 38 50 28 00 71 00 35 50 46 00 22 50 28 00 50 00 3 50	25 00

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21 William H. Harrover.....

Materials and making a desk and book-case, painting, &c.....	22 50
2 elbows, at 87½ cents.....	1 75
Putting up stove and pipe.....	1 00
2 stoves, at \$12 50 each.....	25 00
51 pounds stove-pipe, at 20 cents.....	10 20
9½ pounds Russia iron pipe, at 25 cents.....	2 37½
1 Stanley's air-tight stove.....	12 50
6 pounds Russia iron pipe, at 25 cents.....	1 50
2 elbows.....	50
1 Stanley's air-tight stove.....	12 50
17 pounds common stove pipe, at 20 cents.....	3 40
1 elbow.....	20
7 pounds zinc, at 20 cents.....	1 40
3 Stanley's air-tight stoves, at \$10 50.....	31 50
53 pounds common stove-pipe, at 20 cents.....	10 60
3 elbows.....	60
1 large air-tight stove.....	14 00
6 pounds stove-pipe, at 20 cents.....	1 20
2 elbows, at 20 cents.....	40
1 No. 3 Stanley's air-tight stove.....	12 50
6 pounds stove-pipe, at 20 cents.....	1 20
2 elbows, at 20 cents.....	40

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22 William F. Bayly.....

Contra.—By 7 pounds zinc returned.....	144 72
	1 40
4 reams B. C. laid letter paper, at \$3 25.....	13 00
6 books of copying paper, at \$3 50.....	21 00
1 dozen taste.....	50
2 reams ex. heavy laid cap paper, at \$4 50.....	9 00
12 dozen cards steel pens, assorted, at \$1.....	12 00
1 folder, with handle.....	75
1 gold pen.....	1 25
1 gold pen and case.....	2 92
1 dozen M. & N. ink.....	1 44
1 dozen Congress knives.....	15 00
½ dozen American ditto.....	3 00
1 Carrington's patent ruler.....	75
1 gold pen and case.....	2 92
1 dozen ivory pen-holders.....	1 50
1 lignumvitæ ruler.....	75

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1848. Dec. 22	William F. Bayly—Continued.....	1 gold pen and case, gold .....	\$5 00	
		dozen letter stamps .....	1 50	
		1 dozen A. red ink .....	36	
		1 dozen Terry's copying ink .....	24	
		6 black books .....	6 00	
		12 cards Perry's pens .....	1 00	
		1 bottle blue ink .....	8	
		1 dozen boxes matches, in tin .....	1 50	
		3 pairs small shears .....	1 00	
		1 dozen F. pencils .....	50	
		1 dozen key rings .....	2 50	
		6 reams P. & S. blue laid and N. letter paper, at \$3 25 .....	19 50	
		2 reams O. S. H. white letter paper .....	6 50	
		6 dozen cards Perry's pens .....	6 00	
		2 dozen Hertz's pens .....	2 00	
		1 ream blotting paper .....	1 00	
		1 pack sand .....	25	
		4 pounds red wafers .....	2 00	
		2 dozen pen-holders .....	1 00	
		1 dozen large pens .....	1 00	
		1 gold pen and gold case .....	5 00	
		1 gold pen and case .....	2 92	
		1 knife .....	87	
		12 reams envelope paper .....	36 00	
		6 dozen cards pens .....	6 00	
		6 dozen F. pencils .....	3 00	
		1 gold pen and case .....	2 92	
		1 dozen cards Perry's pens .....	1 00	
		1 gold pen and case .....	2 92	
		1 long lignumvitæ ruler .....	1 00	
		1 folder, 25 cents; 2 razor strops, \$1 75 .....	2 00	
		1 hone .....	75	
		6 reams letter paper, and ruling extra wide, at \$3 75 .....	22 50	
		7 letter clips .....	3 00	

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1 pound rubber.....	40
1 gross leads.....	2 00
1 eyelet machine.....	1 50
1 box eyelets.....	50
7 reams envelope paper, at \$3.....	21 00
1 ream white letter paper.....	1 62
2 pounds pounce.....	50
1 dozen erasers.....	3 00
1 blank book.....	50
1 dozen pen-holders, 25 cents; 1/2 dozen ditto, 50 cents.....	75
7 desk pencils.....	1 75
5 patent holders.....	62
6 blank books, at \$1.....	6 00
10 pen-holders, ivory.....	1 87
2 pounds pounce.....	50
72 dozen tape, narrow, at 25 cents.....	18 00
60 dozen tape, wide, at 25 cents.....	15 00
2 quarto blank books.....	2 00
2 dozen silk taste.....	1 00
1,000 envelopes.....	2 25
2 dozen Faber's pencils.....	1 00
4 gross everpoints.....	1 00
1 gold pen and case.....	2 92
1 pound cuttle bone.....	1 25
1 pound 1 ounce rubber.....	50
1 penknife.....	87
1 ream royal paper.....	12 00
Ruling ditto.....	3 00
2 cap books, white paper.....	2 00
3 reams envelope paper.....	9 00
1 dozen American penknives.....	6 00
1 penknife.....	87
6 iron inkstands.....	2 25
1 scrap-book.....	1 50
1 dozen broad taste.....	50
400 opaque quills, at \$1 40.....	5 60
3 dozen cards Perry's pens.....	3 00
1 ream laid letter paper, and extra ruled.....	4 50
2 dozen cards Hertz's pens.....	2 00
1 ream heavy record cap paper, ruled.....	4 50
6 dozen cards eagle pens.....	6 00
2 reams cap paper.....	6 00



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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1848. Dec. 22	William F. Bayly—Continued.....	2 dozen Congress knives, at \$15..... 2 reams letter paper..... 20,000 large wafers, at 50 cents..... 6 paper weights.....	\$30 00 6 50 10 00 4 50	
				\$442 50
30	A. B. Morton.....	Clerical services 24 days, at \$3 per day.....		72 00
30	Charles E. Upperman.....	do..... 16 days, at \$3 25 per day.....		52 00
30	David S. G. Cabell.....	do..... 1 day, at \$3 25 per day.....		3 25
30	Oliver Diefendorf.....	do..... 24 days, at \$3 25 per day.....		78 00
30	Robert Crupper.....	do..... 12 days, at \$3 25 per day.....		39 00
30	L. F. Whitney.....	do..... 24 days, at \$3 25 per day.....		78 00
30	P. H. Sweet.....	do..... 23 days, at \$4 per day.....		92 00
30	Owen D. Robb.....	do..... 24 days, at \$3 25 per day.....		78 00
30	Jacob W. Cummins.....	do..... 24 days, at \$4 per day.....		48 00
30	M. L. Covell.....	do..... do..... do.....		84 00
30	S. O. Niles.....	do..... 24 days, at \$3 25 per day.....		78 00
30	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers, &c—		
		Samuel Coomes.....	37 50	
		Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50	
		A. E. Lemerle.....	37 50	
		George W. Fridley.....	37 50	
		Greenberry Rowzee.....	37 50	
		Dennis Burke.....	30 00	
		O. Walker (washing towels).....	4 25	
		N. Goddard..... do.....	4 50	
		John Crome, per bill.....	37½	
		Grafton Powell, per bill.....	2 75	
				229 37½
30	C. Woodward.....	1 pair shovel and tongs.....	2 00	
		3..... do..... at \$1 50.....	4 50	
		1..... do..... do..... at \$1 50.....	1 25	
		2..... do..... do..... do.....	3 00	
		1..... do..... do..... do.....	1 25	
		2..... do..... do..... at \$1 13.....	2 26	

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		Repairing.....	50	
30	R. W. Carter.....	6 yards 10-4 sheeting, at 37½ cents.....		14 76
	William S. Prentice.....	Clerical services, 22 days, at \$4 per diem.....		2 25
				88 00
	4 P. Simpson, assignee of T. Barnard.....	100 circulars, 4to post.....	75	
		1,000 ..do.....do.....at 75 cents.....	7 75	
		10,000 bounty land certificates ..do.....	75 00	
		10,000 ..do.....do.....do.....	75 00	
		1,000 Florida ..do.....do.....	7 50	
		200 deeds Alabama ..do.....3 pages cap, at 75 cents.....	1 50	
		5,184 register's receipts, at \$2 per 100.....	103 68	
		Ruling ..do.....12 reams, at \$2 per ream.....	24 00	
		4,260 abstracts, at \$2 per 100, \$85; ruling do., 10 reams, at \$2 per ream \$20.....	105 20	
		200 circulars, an act.....	1 50	
6	William Greer.....	Printing 200 circulars, 4to post.....		401 63
10	Samuel Colman.....	Bernard's Diary—Conquest of Mexico, &c., 4to.....		1 20
18	William H. Marriott.....	Sundry expenses—freight, drayage, &c.....		3 50
10	Samuel Colman.....	Ellicott's Journal (calf).....		8 46
22	John L. Barnhill.....	1 mahogany desk stool.....		5 85
31	Chester Walbridge.....	Clerical services, 21 days, at \$4 per diem.....		8 00
31	Owen D. Robb.....	Do.....27.....\$3 25..do.....		84 00
31	Robert Crupper.....	Do.....27.....\$4 00..do.....		87 75
31	P. H. Sweet.....	Do.....27.....\$4 00..do.....		108 00
31	George W. Brega.....	Do.....21.....\$4 00..do.....		108 00
31	James H. Stewart.....	Do.....25.....\$4 00..do.....		84 00
31	E. R. Lippett.....	Do.....11.....\$4 00..do.....		100 00
31	M. S. Ward.....	Do.....12.....\$4 00..do.....		44 00
31	Theodore J. Barnett.....	Do.....11.....\$4 00..do.....		48 00
31	James L. Douglass.....	Do.....9.....\$3 25..do.....		44 00
31	Charles C. Upperman.....	Do.....27.....\$4 00..do.....		29 25
31	O. Diefendorf.....	Do.....27.....\$3 25..do.....		108 00
31	William Garrett.....	Do.....26.....\$4 00..do.....		87 75
31	Samuel V. Niles.....	Do.....27.....\$3 25..do.....		104 00
31	Jacob W. Cummings.....	Do.....27.....\$4 00..do.....		87 75
31	A. B. Morton.....	Do.....27.....\$3 00..do.....		108 00
31	William H. Shirley.....	Do.....18.....\$3 25..do.....		81 00
31	L. F. Whitney.....	Do.....27.....\$3 25..do.....		42 25
31	E. Davis.....	Do.....15.....\$3 25..do.....		87 75
31	William S. Prentice.....	Do.....27.....\$4 00..do.....		48 75
31	G. Rowzee.....	Furnishing cloth and covering desk.....	1 75	108 00

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849.				
Jan. 31	G. Rowzee—Continued.....	Putting shade to desk.....	\$2 00	
		Making box for sealing room.....	2 75	
		Stand for desk.....	3 00	
		Furnishing cloth and covering table.....	7 00	
		Varnishing table and case.....	2 00	
		Making mahogany case.....	5 00	
		Repairing case.....	50	
		Repairing chair.....	75	
		Varnishing washstand and repairing.....	1 25	
		Varnishing table.....	50	
		Making shelves for case.....	1 25	
		Key to lock.....	25	
		Repairing locks and bolts.....	25	
		Repairing table.....	50	
		Putting up hat and cloak hook.....	25	
		Key to lock.....	25	
		Do.....	25	
		Furnishing cloth and covering table.....	2 75	
		Repairing and covering chair.....	2 75	
		Repairing and varnishing case.....	75	
		Making two window shades.....	2 50	
		Making one screen.....	5 00	
		Do..... do.....	4 50	
		Making two drawers for case.....	2 75	
		Making two envelope patterns.....	87½	
		Making one shade for desk.....	62½	
		Covering two window shades.....	1 50	
		Making ten wood boxes, at \$3 50 each.....	35 00	
		Altering two wood boxes, at \$1 25.....	2 50	
		Making two doors for case.....	3 75	
		Repairing table.....	1 50	
		Making one screen.....	3 50	
		Making carpet strips.....	37½	
		Putting up hooks.....	50	
		Key to lock.....	25	

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		Furnishing and putting on lock.....	62½	
		Making chair.....	6 50	
		Furnishing and putting on 2 locks, 75 cents each.....	1 50	
		Repairing case.....	1 00	
		Making top for table.....	1 00	
		Repairing Venetian blinds.....	1 00	
		Repairing case.....	75	
		Making 1 box for pens.....	2 00	
		2 keys to locks.....	50	
		Furnishing and putting on desk locks.....	75	
				\$117 62½
31	Grafton Powell.....	Hack-hire, per J. Wilson.....	2 16	
		Cartage to post-office.....	37½	
		Making and marking 19 towels.....	3 16	
				5 53
25	William R. Riley.....	19 yards towel diaper, at 25 cents.....	4 75	
		Tape and cotton.....	25	
				5 00
25	Z. M. P. King.....	1 gallon oil, 80 cents; 1 gallon oil, 80 cents.....	1 60	
31	.....	Match-box, 12½ cents, and lampwick.....	31	
		1 gallon oil.....	80	
				2 71
31	Nancy Goddard.....	Washing towels.....		4 50
31	Oceana Walker.....	do.....		4 25
31	Dennis Burke.....	Services as laborer.....		30 00
31	Greenbury Rowzee.....	do.....		37 50
31	George W. Fridley.....	do.....		37 50
31	A. E. Lemerle.....	do.....		37 50
31	Benjamin C. Freeman.....	do.....		37 50
31	Samuel Coomes.....	do.....		37 50
Feb. 1	E. C. & G. F. Dyer.....	Wash-stand, bowl, and pitcher.....		10 75
		Cartage.....		25
Jan. 4	William M. Morrison.....	Bryant's California.....	1 25	
		Claugor's History of Mexico.....	10 00	
		Forbes's California.....	4 75	
				16 00
Feb. 2	John P. Hilton.....	Furnishing material, painting desk and bookcase.....	45 00	
		Furnishing material, making centre panels of canvass, for case, painting, &c.....	5 00	
		Making and putting up a case containing 50 pigeon holes, with 4 panel doors, cornice, and base; painting, &c., inclusive.....	47 50	
				97 50

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849.				
Feb. 1	John M. Donn & Brother .....	1 office chair.....	\$3 75	
		2 office chairs, and cushion.....	10 00	
				\$13 75
1848.				
July 21	Price & Fulton .....	Publishing land sales in Wilmington Journal.....		23 26
Feb. 23	William S. Prentice.....	Clerical services, 18 days, at \$4 per day.....		72 00
Mar. 3	Oliver Diefendorf.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Ellis Hughes.....	.....do.....12.....do.....		48 00
3	Clement D. Webb.....	.....do.....4.....do.....		16 00
3	James L. Douglass.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Charles E. Upperman.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Isaac C. Smith.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	A. B. Crupper.....	.....do.....21.....do.....		84 00
3	William H. Shirley.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	William Garrett.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	E. R. Lippett.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	James H. Stuart.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Hamilton R. Boone.....	.....do.....23.....do.....		92 00
3	P. H. Sweet.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	J. W. Cummins.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	A. B. Morton.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	R. W. Bates.....	.....do.....26.....do.....		104 00
3	Thomas J. Barnett.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	T. D. Fendal.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Chester Walbridge.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	G. W. Brega.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Charles Fletcher.....	.....do.....8.....do.....		32 00
3	Andrew K. Smith.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Oliver D. Robb.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
Feb. 28	M. S. Ward.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
Mar. 3	Robert Crupper.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	Samuel F. Niles.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
3	L. F. Whitney.....	.....do.....27.....do.....		108 00
Feb. 28	Grafton Powell.....	.....Pay of laborers, &c.—		

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		Samuel Coomes.....	37 50		
		Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50		
		A. E. Lemerle.....	37 50		
		George W. Fridley.....	37 50		
		G. Rowzee.....	37 50		
		Dennis Burke.....	30 00		
		Oceana Walker, (washing).....	4 25		
		Nancy Goddard, (washing).....	4 50		
		Grafton Powell, per bill.....	2 50		
				228 75	
Mar.	8	Blair & Rives.....	500 copies report of the Commissioner of the General Land Office....	10 00	
			100 copies report of the Commissioner of the General Land Office....	2 00	
					12 00
	10	M. Powell.....	5,938 envelopes, at \$1 50.....		8 94
	10	John P. Hilton.....	Making and painting one desk and book-case.....	27 50	
			Making, &c., two extra large high desk tops, covered with broad-cloth and painted.....	57 00	
			Making very large, extra high desk, with large drawers, locks, knobs, &c.....	33 75	
			1 large leather-covered hair cushion.....	3 00	
					121 25
	31	E. I. McClery.....	Gum arabic, rosin, &c.....	5 25	
			Brushes, sponge, gum arabic, &c.....	5 25	
			Glass, gum arabic.....	3 12	
					14 12
	31	C. W. Boteler.....	1 chair and cushion.....		3 75
	31	William Fischer.....	12 sheets double elephant paper.....	3 50	
			1 silver drawing pen.....	2 50	
			3 cakes Newman's colors.....	75	
			6 sheets imperial paper.....	1 12	
					7 87
			Deduct 75 cents, purchased for the House of Representatives.....	75	
					7 12
	31	McClery & Clements.....	Gum arabic and brushes.....		8 25
	31	L. F. Whitney.....	Clerical services 21 days, at \$4 per day.....		84 25
	31	G. W. Brega.....	do.....do.....do.....		84 25
	31	J. M. Lucas.....	do.....do.....do.....		84 25
	31	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers, &c.:		
			Samuel Coomes.....	37 50	
			Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50	
			A. E. Lemerle.....	37 50	

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1843.				
March 31	Grafton Powell—Continued.....	Pay of laborers, &c. : G. W. Fridley..... G. Rowzee..... Dennis Burke..... Oceana Walker (washing)..... Nancy Goddard (washing)..... Grafton Powell (hack hire).....	\$37 50 37 50 30 00 4 25 4 50 1 37½	\$227 62½
April 3	John P. Hilton.....	1 case..... 1 case..... 1 case..... 3 platforms, at \$1 25..... Hanging doors..... Making sliding step.....	15 00 15 00 12 00 3 75 3 50 2 00	
5	Taylor & Maury.....	1 copy of Wilson's French and English Dictionary..... 1 copy of Newman's Spanish Dictionary, 2 vols.....	9 90 5 50	51 25
5	Edward Deeble.....	Binding Bache's Report.....		14 50
30	J M. Lucas.....	Clerical services, 25 days, at \$4 per day.....		3 00
30	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers : Samuel Coomes..... Benjamin C. Freeman..... A. E. Lemerle..... George W. Fridley..... Greenberry Rowzee..... Dennis Burke..... Oceana Walker (washing)..... Nancy Goddard (washing)..... Grafton Powell (cartage, &c.).....	37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 30 00 4 25 4 50 2 25	100 00
30	L. F. Whitney.....	Clerical services, 25 days, at \$4 per day.....		228 50
May 1	Elexius Simms.....	6 jars, at 50 cents; 1 bucket, 31½ cents; 1 bottle sweet oil, 50 cents; 6 spittoons, at 50 cents.....		100 00
			6 81½	

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 April 30  
 May 28  
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A. R. Plumley.....  
 G. W. Brega.....  
 Western Telegraph.....  
 G. W. Brega.....  
 J. M. Lucas.....  
 L. F. Whitney.....  
 Grafton Powell.....

21 pittoons, \$15 75; 1 large size spittoon, \$1; 18 dusters, \$6 75.....  
 6 buckets, \$1 87½; 16 wisps, \$2 70; 2 dozen matches, 48 cents.....  
 1 dozen sponge cups, \$1; 1 brush, \$1 50.....  
 Polishing brush, 37½ cents; 10 pounds sperm candles, \$3 75.....  
 8 pounds fine soap, \$2; 4 pounds soap, 32 cts.; 1 washbowl, 37½ cts..  
 1 pitcher, 50 cts.; 1 paper tacks, 8 cts.; 1 dozen sponge cups, \$1 50..  
 10 pounds sperm candles, \$3 75; 1 bucket, 37½ cents; 1 duster, 37½  
 cents, 1 wisp, 25 cents.....  
 1 dozen brooms, \$3 50; 2 dozen paste cups, 50 cents; 8 pounds fine  
 soap, \$2.....  
 1 bucket.....

23 50  
 5 05½  
 2 50  
 4 12½  
 2 69  
 2 08  
 4 75  
 6 00  
 31½

1 copy Cotton's map United States.....  
 Clerical services 25 days, at \$4 per day.....  
 27 words to Milwaukee.....  
 Clerical services 27 days, at \$4 per day.....  
 do.....do.....do.....  
 do.....do.....do.....

62 33  
 3 50  
 100 00  
 3 37  
 108 00  
 108 00  
 108 00

Pay of laborers:

Samuel Coomes.....  
 Benjamin C. Freeman.....  
 A. E. Lemerle.....  
 George W. Fridley.....  
 Greenberry Rowzee.....  
 Dennis Burke.....  
 Oceana Walker.....  
 Nancy Goddard.....  
 John Crome (repairing locks).....  
 Grafton Powell (cartage).....

37 50  
 37 50  
 37 50  
 37 50  
 37 50  
 30 00  
 4 25  
 4 50  
 1 12½  
 1 25

June 30  
 30

John P. Hilton.....  
 G. Rowzee.....

1 large book-case, sliding doors, &c.....  
 30 feet extra division, at 6 cents per foot.....  
 1 large pigeon-hole case, &c.....  
 2 book-cases, at \$30 each.....  
 4 large size packing-boxes, at \$3 50 each.....  
 2 small size packing-boxes.....

68 75  
 1 80  
 80 00  
 60 00  
 14 00  
 5 50

Casing two doors.....  
 Repairing case.....  
 Fitting key to lock.....  
 Making screen.....  
 Making cutting-board.....

25  
 25  
 25  
 2 75  
 75

228 62½  
 230 05



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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1848.				
June 30	G. Rowzee—Continued.....	Repairing chair .....	\$1 50	
		Repairing lock.....	37½	
		Repairing chair.....	2 00	
		Repairing chair.....	25	
		Repairing stool.....	37½	
		Making mallet.....	62½	
		Making two doors.....	3 00	
		Repairing desk.....	25	
		Repairing desk.....	25	
		Repairing chair.....	25	
		Repairing desk.....	1 25	
		Repairing chair.....	25	
		Repairing screen.....	1 25	
		Repairing case.....	25	
		Repairing chair.....	25	
		Repairing case.....	75	
		Making two cases.....	6 00	
		Making cutting-board.....	37½	
		Repairing chair.....	25	
		Repairing water-cooler.....	50	
		Repairing desk.....	25	
		Repairing room.....	37	
		Furnishing and putting on 5 locks.....	3 50	
		Making cutting-board.....	1 00	
		Making stool.....	75	
		Fitting key to lock.....	25	
		Fitting key to lock.....	25	
		Making cushion.....	2 25	
		Covering book stand.....	1 25	
		Making cutting-board.....	1 00	
		Repairing chair.....	50	
		Repairing desk.....	50	
		Repairing chair.....	25	
		Furnishing locks and hinges for coolers.....	1 25	

30	G. W. Brega.....	Clerical services 26 days, at \$4 per day.....		104 00
30	J. M. Lucas.....	do do do.....		101 00
30	L. F. Whitney.....	do do do.....		104 00
30	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers:		
		Samuel Coomes.....	37 50	
		Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50	
		A. E. Lemerle.....	37 50	
		G. W. Fridley.....	37 50	
		G. Rowzee.....	37 50	
		Dennis Burke.....	30 00	
		Oceana Walker, (washing).....	4 25	
		Nancy Goddard, (washing).....	4 50	
		W. R. Riley, per bill.....	10 00	
		John Cromie.....	2 75	
		Grafton Powell.....	4 08	
				243 08
30	C. W. Fenton.....	Printing notices.....		5 00
30	John Sergeant.....	300 copies Commissioner's report and appendix.....	120 00	
		50 copies Senate Doc. No. 57, 30th Congress 1st session.....	50 00	
				170 00
July 2	John P. Stallings.....	Painting 5 office signs, at \$2 25.....	11 25	
		Painting 4 office signs, at \$3 50.....	14 00	
				25 25
10	Western Telegraph.....	11 words to St. Louis.....		1 45
31	J. M. Lucas.....	Clerical services 26 days, at \$4 per diem.....		104 00
31	George W. Brega.....	do do do.....		104 00
31	L. F. Whitney.....	do do do.....		104 00
31	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers:		
		Samuel Coomes.....	37 50	
		Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50	
		A. E. Lemerle.....	37 50	
		G. W. Fridley.....	37 50	
		G. Rowzee.....	37 50	
		D. Burke.....	30 00	
		N. Goddard, (washing).....	4 50	
		O. Walker, (washing).....	4 25	
				226 25
Aug. 24	Wendell & Van Benthuyzen.....	Binding public documents, 1 set, at \$15 each.....		30 00
July 22	J. M. Donn & Bro.....	1 office chair.....		3 75
July 21	E. King.....	1 set of chairs.....	17 00	
		Upholstering and repairing case.....	6 00	
		Repairing and covering table.....	3 00	

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1848.				
July 21	E. King—Continued.....	Repairing and varnishing case..... 1 table, mahogany..... 1 lounge..... 2 spittoons..... Oilcloth for washstand..... 1½ yards broadcloth, at \$4.....	\$1 50 4 00 30 00 1 50 1 00 6 66	
Aug. 31	E. King.....	1 hair pillow for lounge..... Repairing 1 high desk..... Putting keys to locks..... 1 mahogany writing desk..... Varnishing 2 mahogany cases..... Varnishing 1 centre table..... Furnishing keys to five locks..... Furnishing two new locks..... Covering the top of a desk with cloth.....	4 00 75 1 00 18 00 1 00 75 2 00 2 00 2 50	\$70 66
31	J. M. Lucas.....	Clerical services—27 days, at \$4 per day.....		32 00
31	L. F. Whitney.....	do.....do.....do.....do.....		108 00
31	G. W. Brega.....	do.....do.....do.....do.....		108 00
31	Grafton Powell.....	Pay of laborers, &c. : Samuel Coomes..... Benj. C. Freeman..... A. E. Lemerle..... George W. Fridley..... G. Rowzee..... James P. Kirby..... Dennis Burke..... John Crome, per bill..... D. Hauptman & Sons, per bill..... G. C. Souesdie..... O. Walker, for washing towels..... Mary Adams..... N. Goddard.....	37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 37 50 30 00 75 1 18 75 4 25 3 43 1 06	

		G. Parmelee, per bill.....	1 50	
Sept.	1	William T. Porter .....	Painting Recorder's room.....	8 00
			Painting and glazing sky-light in Recorder's room .....	15 00
			Commissioner's room, graining door and varnishing furniture .....	20 00
				43 00
	3	John Alexander.....	35 pieces of paper, at 50 cents .....	17 50
			2 pieces of border, at \$1 50 .....	3 00
			Size for 2 rooms and ceiling .....	2 50
			Hanging 35 pieces of paper, at 25 cents .....	8 75
			Hanging 2 pieces of border, at 50 cents .....	1 00
			1 fireboard.....	2 00
			12 yards damask (worsted) .....	9 00
			2 gilt cornices .....	5 00
			Making curtain, and hanging.....	3 50
			Upholstering, and chair.....	6 00
				58 25
	1	John Alexander.....	29 pieces of paper, at 50 cents.....	14 50
			7 pieces of moulding, at \$1.....	7 00
			2 pieces of cord, at \$1 50.....	3 00
			4 corner pieces .....	2 00
			1 centre piece .....	2 00
			Hanging 29 pieces of paper, at 25 cents.....	7 50
			Hanging 9 pieces of border, at 50 cents .....	4 50
			Hanging 4 corners and 1 centre piece.....	1 00
			2 window shades .....	4 00
				45 50
1849.	March 31	W. F. Bayly .....	1 dozen wide taste.....	50
			2 reams white ruled cap, at \$3.....	6 00
			2 reams Butler's envelope heavy cap, at \$4 50.....	9 00
			2 dozen rosewood holders, at 75 cents.....	1 50
			6 largest iron inkstands, at 75 cents .....	4 50
			1 dozen Rodgers's penknives.....	15 00
			1 ream gilt letter .....	5 00
			1½ dozen Congress Directories, at 37 cents.....	6 75
			1 hone.....	50
			6 lignumvitæ round rulers, at 75 cents.....	4 50
			1 box rubber.....	50
			1 dozen erasers .....	3 00
			2 dozen cards steel pens .....	2 00
			1 punch .....	75
			1 penholder.....	1 50

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849. March 31	W. F. Bayly—Continued .....	1 gold pen ..... 1 ream letter paper..... 1 ream blotting paper..... 4 reams ruled letter paper, at \$3 25..... 1 gold pen..... ½ dozen cards pens..... 4 dozen bands, at 62½ cents..... 1 gold pen..... 2 frames..... 1 blank book..... 48 cards of pens..... 4 reams O. S. H. letter..... 2 reams cap paper..... 1 steel stamp, (engraved,) and handle..... 6 Congress knives..... Printing ink, and box..... 2 pounds virgin gum..... 1 ream letter, and ruling..... ½ dozen round rulers (lignumvita)..... 1 dozen carmine ink..... 1 dozen erasers..... 40 pounds twine..... 1 dozen silk taste..... 2 red lead pencils..... 12 cards Perry's mapping pens..... 1 pound wax..... 1 gold pen and case..... 6 iron inkstands, at 37½ cents..... 5 pounds pounce, at 48 cents..... 1 ream letter paper, and ruling..... 6 reams envelope, at \$3..... 1 knife..... 12 sheets tracing paper, at 25 cents..... 5 dozen cards steel pens.....	\$1 66 3 25 1 00 13 00 1 66 1 50 2 50 1 66 3 00 1 00 4 00 13 00 6 00 15 00 7 00 50 2 00 3 75 3 00 3 00 3 00 14 00 50 50 15 00 75 2 92 2 25 2 40 3 75 18 00 2 25 3 00 5 00	

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4 dozen rosewood holders, at 50 cents.....	2 00
1 blue book.....	1 25
1 penknife.....	1 25
Do.....	1 25
6 dozen cards steel pens.....	6 00
1 ream colored medium paper.....	6 00
2 reams extra heavy ruled cap, at \$5.....	10 00
10 dozen Faber's pencils, assorted.....	5 00
400 quills, No. 8, at \$1 40.....	5 60
1 dozen M. & N. ink.....	1 46
1 peck black sand.....	25
6 reams ruled letter.....	19 50
6 penknives.....	7 50
1 calendar.....	50
1 ream blotting.....	1 00
1 ream letter paper.....	3 25
6 erasers.....	1 50
2 reams blue letter.....	6 50
1 ream colored medium paper.....	6 00
1 dozen carmine ink.....	3 00
3 penholders, silver.....	3 00
20,000 seal wafers.....	10 00
1/2 ream letter paper.....	1 62
1 penknife.....	1 25
1 gold pen and case.....	2 92
1 pound virgin gum.....	1 00
3 boxes and cards large B. pens.....	1 24
7 dozen gum elastic bands, at 62 cents.....	4 37
3 dozen hard pencils.....	1 50
2 reams large cap, at \$3.....	6 00
2 quire blank books.....	1 00
1 gold pen and case.....	2 92
1.....do.....	2 92
48 dozen pens.....	4 00
4 desk pencils.....	1 00
1 pound virgin gum.....	1 00
1 patent ruling blotter.....	50
1 pair shears.....	33
12 dozen tape.....	3 00
2 dozen best taste.....	1 00
2 reams large cap paper.....	6 00
6 penknives.....	7 50

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849. March 31	W. F. Bayly—Continued.....	5 dozen gumelastic bands, at 62 cents..... 36 dozen Am. pens..... Do...3-point Perry's..... 5 gross Hertz's pens..... 6 balls of twine..... 6 blank books, at \$1 25.....	\$4 37 3 00 3 00 5 00 1 50 7 50	
June 30	W. F. Bayly .....	1 engraving pen..... 6 reams Jess. white letter..... 6 reams O. & H. white letter..... 3 reams blue laid letter..... 2 reams Jess. blue cap..... 2 dozen cards Perry's pens..... 3....do....Am. pens..... 3....do....eagle pens..... 6 erasers..... 6 Congress knives..... 6 boxes barrel pens..... 12 dozen French pencils..... 3 dozen carmine ink..... 1 pound prepared rubber..... 12 dozen wide red tape..... 2....do....taste..... 4 iron inkstands..... 2 reams blue laid letter..... 1 reams English letter..... 1 punch, 75 cents; 6 tin folders, \$1 50..... 1 dozen small iron inkstands..... 2 wafer stamps, ivory..... 2 dozen cards pens..... 2 guard books..... 1 slab..... 2 pounds sponge..... 3 reams envelope.....	5 00 19 50 19 50 9 75 6 00 2 00 3 00 3 00 1 50 7 50 50 6 00 9 00 50 3 00 1 00 3 00 6 50 4 50 2 25 2 25 50 2 00 2 50 50 3 50 9 00	\$397 68

1 dozen M. & N. ink.....	1 44
12 dozen Lehman's pens.....	1 00
4 reams Butler's letter.....	13 00
2 reams Jess. letter.....	6 50
2 reams extra wide ruled letter, at \$4.....	8 00
2 dozen rosewood holders.....	1 50
6 largest ivory holders.....	3 00
12 boxes large pens.....	1 00
20 pounds sealing wax.....	15 00
12 dozen Hertz's pens.....	1 00
1 ruler.....	75
1 ruling pen.....	2 00
6 tin folders.....	1 50
6 round rulers, (lignumvitæ,) at 75 cents.....	4 50
6 flat rulers.....	1 50
6 erasers.....	1 50
1 pound white rubber.....	1 00
1 eye glass.....	2 50
6 gross pens.....	6 00
1 gold pen.....	1 67
4 cards pens.....	33
2 pounds D. W. wafers.....	2 50
40 pounds linen twine.....	14 40
10 reams extra thick envelope paper.....	50 00
5 pounds red wax.....	3 75
3 reams extra heavy laid cap, ruled, at \$5.....	15 00
24 sheets double elephant drawing paper, best English.....	12 00
4 reams envelope paper.....	12 00
1 gross galvanic pens.....	2 00
Paper weight.....	2 00
2 dozen penholders.....	1 25
3 dozen M. & N. ink.....	4 32
3 dozen hard pencils.....	1 50
3 dozen soft pencils.....	1 50
6 dozen medium pencils.....	3 00
1 lignumvitæ stamp.....	1 50
4 cards pens.....	4 00
6 9-inch folders.....	1 50
12 tin sand boxes.....	50
6 largest iron inkstands.....	4 50
6 office shears (11-inch).....	2 00
3 reams white cap paper.....	6 00



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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849. June 30	W. F. Bayly—Continued.....	2 pounds wafers, at 50 cents.....	\$1 00	
		2 dozen sand, 75 cents; 6 erasers, \$1 50.....	2 25	
		6 penknives, \$7 50; 6 desk pencils, \$1 50.....	9 00	
		6 gross Lehman's pens.....	6 00	
		Mending pen.....	50	
		1 gold pen and case.....	5 00	
		1 German silver ruling pen.....	2 00	
		1 large iron inkstand.....	75	
		32 dozen pounce.....	96	
		1 gold pen.....	1 67	
		4 ivory penholders.....	2 00	
		6 ivory penholders.....	1 00	
		1 large desk knife.....	1 25	
		Mending pen.....	75	
		4 reams envelope paper.....	12 00	
		1 patent grindstone.....	2 00	
		1 penknife.....	1 25	
		16 dozen pounce.....	48	
		Exchanging 2 reams ruled cap for 2 reams plain.....	2 00	
		1 gross American pens.....	1 00	
		2 extra penholders, silver.....	3 00	
		1 gold pen and silver case.....	2 92	
		4 reams envelope paper, \$3.....	12 00	
		Sand 25 cents; pens, 30 cents.....	55	
		10 pounds sealing wax.....	7 50	
		6 lignumvitæ rulers.....	4 50	
		1 dozen erasers.....	3 00	
		6 cards Perry's large pens.....	50	
		4 seals.....	1 00	
		1 wetting brush.....	87	
		1 dozen earthen penholders.....	75	
		2 knives.....	1 00	
		2 reams Jessup's letter paper.....	6 50	
		6 dozen pencils.....	3 00	

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		7,000 seal wafers.....	2 10	
		2,000 binders' boards, at $\frac{1}{2}$ cent.....	10 00	
		1 extension holder.....	1 50	
		12 cards Croton pens.....	1 00	
		4 gross Eagle pens.....	4 00	
		2 reams envelope paper.....	6 00	
		1 dozen carmine ink.....	3 00	
		12 dozen red tape.....	3 00	
		1 ream blotting paper.....	1 00	
		6 folders.....	1 50	
		1 gold pen and case.....	2 92	
		Mending pen.....	75	
		1 penknife.....	87	
		5 pounds black wax, at 50 cents.....	2 50	
		2 pounds black wafers, at \$1 50.....	3 00	
		$\frac{1}{2}$ ream letter paper.....	1 62	
		2 penholders (fine).....	2 00	
		1 ream letter paper.....	3 25	
				\$503 12
Mar.	31	W. F. Bayly.....	125 00	
		500 large parchments, at 25 cents.....	10 00	
		Printing form on parchments.....	3,090 00	
		30,000 sheets parchments, at \$103.....	20 00	
		Printing four extra forms on parchment, at \$5.....		3,245 00
June	18	W. F. Bayly.....	2,900 48	
		28,160 parchments, printed, at \$10 30 per hundred.....	120 00	
		1,200.....do.....do.....10.....do.....	10 00	
		Printing two extra forms for same.....		3,030 48
Sept.	29	L. F. Whitney.....	100 00	
		J. M. Lucas.....	100 00	
		G. W. Brega.....	100 00	
		Robert W. Carter & Co.....	2 00	
		Grafton Powell.....		
		10 yards bleached cotton, at 20 cents.....		
		Pay of laborers, &c.—		
		Samuel Coomes.....	37 50	
		Benjamin C. Freeman.....	37 50	
		A. E. Lemerle.....	37 50	
		G. W. Fridley.....	37 50	
		G. Rowzee.....	37 50	
		J. B. Kirby.....	30 00	
		Dennis Burke.....	4 50	
		Mary Adams (washing).....	4 25	
		Oceana Walker.....do.....		

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what object.	Amount.	Total.
1849. Sept. 29	Grafton Powell—Continued.....	Daniel Hauptman & Son, per bill..... F. Laub.....do..... Grafton Powell.....do.....  Total.....	\$3 00 2 25 62½ <hr/> <hr/>	  \$269 62 <hr/> 24,450 05

Balance of contingent fund in the treasury on the 30th September, 1849.....	\$28,566 25
In the hands of agent.....	437 64
Total.....	<hr/> <hr/> 29,003 89

*Abstract of expenditures in the office of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, on account of contingencies, in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1849.*

Date.	To whom paid.	For what paid.	Amount.	Total.
1848.				
July 12	D. Clagett & Co.....	80 yards 4-4 extra matting, at 37½ cents..... 1 pound thread, \$1; 4 pieces binding, \$3..... 40 yards best matting, at 37½.....	\$30 00 4 00 15 00	
12	McClery & Clements .....	3½ dozen sup. soap.....		\$49 00
14	F. Taylor.....	6 American Almanacs for 1846, bound..... 10 volumes Laws of United States..... 2 American Almanacs for 1847, bound..... Crabb's Synonymes..... 2 American Almanacs, for 1848, bound.....	9 00 4 00 3 00 3 00 3 00	7 00
14	Mechlin & Winder.....	1 copy of General Navy Register and Laws.....		22 00
31	R. Farnham.....	90 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents..... ½ dozen penholders..... 1 Webster's quarto Dictionary..... 4½ gross Myers's pens, at \$2..... 1 ream Southworth's quarto post, ruled..... 1 ream foolscap paper..... 2 reams Jessup's blue laid cap paper..... Ruling ditto margin lines..... 1 dozen penholders..... 3 reams Jessup's blue laid letter paper, at \$4 25..... Ruling 2 reams letter paper to pattern..... 6 pounds sealing-wax, at 85 cents..... 1 Oxford Bible..... 1 ream wrapping paper..... 2 paper weights..... 1,200 envelopes, assorted, at 37½ cents..... 100 adhesive ditto..... 6 reams blue laid letter paper, at \$4 25..... 1,000 large yellow envelopes..... 12 reams letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25.....	4 50 37 6 00 9 00 3 00 4 00 8 00 5 00 50 12 75 1 25 5 10 3 50 50 75 4 50 62 25 50 6 00 51 00	3 00

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what paid.	Amount.	Total.
1848. July 31	R. Farnham—Continued .....	4 dozen bullion pens, at 50 cents..... 1 gross pens..... $\frac{1}{2}$ ream note paper, gilt..... 3 quires English tissue paper..... $\frac{1}{2}$ ream envelope paper..... 2 dozen black sand..... 1 ream French letter paper..... 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ boxes envelopes..... $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen quarts Cooper & Phillips's ink.....	\$2 00 2 00 1 50 1 50 1 38 75 3 50 4 50 1 50	
August 15	Moses Orr.....	Whitewashing 1 ceiling.....	1 00	\$170 47
Sept. 16	John Sergeant.....	Lining 1 map with linen.....	1 50	1 50
16	John Alexander.....	Taking tacks out of the floor.....	1 00	
		Putting down 25 yards matting, at 25 cents.....	2 50	
		2 pieces binding, at 75 cents.....	1 50	5 00
16	H. Bittinger .....	Transportation at various times to the capitol, on public business..... Freight on 1 box from Philadelphia to Washington..... Transportation, on public business..... Ribbon for trimming commissions..... Matches, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; gum arabic, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents..... 6 tumblers for the office..... John Robinson, for attending to the rooms in the absence of the messenger..... Transportation on 1 box from New York..... Matches, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; 2 pencil brushes, 25 cents..... Fixing door hook, 18 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; oxalic acid, 31 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents..... Transportation of boxes to railroad..... 1 hatchet, 75 cents; matches, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; turpentine, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents..... Telegraphic despatch to Detroit..... Printers' ink, puff ball, and ink-wash.....	4 25 75 2 25 43 25 1 25 2 00 1 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ 37 $\frac{1}{2}$ 50 1 00 1 00 2 00 1 00	
Oct. 3	A. Ambush.....	Putting down 7 carpets, at \$1..... Scrubbing 8 hearths.....	7 00 1 00	18 18

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		Scrubbing floor oilcloth.....	1 00	
14	Mary Draine.....	Washing towels for the use of the office for the quarter ending 30th September, 1848.....		9 00
19	R. Farnham.....	1 dozen pen-holders.....	50	6 00
		3 reams Jessup's letter paper, faint lined, at \$4 25.....	12 75	
		1 bottle French ink.....	25	
		2 dozen Faber's drawing pencils, at \$1 50.....	3 00	
		1 dozen Rodgers's 4-bladed penknives.....	13 50	
		1 dozen ivory folders.....	3 00	
		1 sheet parchment, at 30 cents, and 4 boxes wafers, at 50 cents.....	80	
		2 gross red tape, at \$3.....	6 00	
		2½ gross steel pens, at \$2.....	5 00	
		6 cards Perry's 3-pointed pens, at 50 cents.....	3 00	
		1 dozen penholders.....	50	
		3 cards Perry's 3-pointed pens.....	1 50	
		3 gross pens, \$6; 10 lbs. sealing wax, \$9.....	15 00	
		1 dozen carmine ink.....	4 00	
		1 ream extra size heavy cap.....	5 00	
		Ruling do. margin lines.....	2 50	
		1 ream folio post, faint lined.....	4 00	
		4 reams blue laid foolscap, at \$4 25.....	17 00	
		Ruling do. red and faint, with margin lines, at \$2 50.....	10 00	
		2 reams English letter paper, at \$4 25.....	8 50	
		Ruling do. faint lines.....	1 00	
		1 ream of envelope.....	2 50	
		2 reams white letter paper, plain.....	6 00	
				125 30
Nov. 3	Wm. A. Wilson.....	22 bushels and 3 pecks of ice, delivered between May 23 and September 9, 1848, at 40 cents.....		9 10
4	John P. Stallings.....	Graining new cornice on case.....	1 00	
		Graining 2 large cases with pigeon-holes.....	8 00	
		Glazing 1 light 14 by 22.....	1 00	
		Painting wood work in 1 room.....	4 00	
		Painting 6 mantels, hearths, and fireplaces.....	15 00	
		Painting mantel and jamb.....	1 50	
				30 50
14	John Pettibone.....	28 pecks ice, at 12½ cents per peck, furnished from Sept. 12 to Oct. 12.....		3 50
15	David A. Baird.....	Altering and putting down a carpet.....	3 00	
		1½ pieces binding, at 75 cents.....	1 12½	
		2 papers 10 oz. tacks.....	20	
				4 32

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what paid.	Amount.	Total.
1848.				
Nov. 19	John Sergeant.....	Furnishing 2 copies of laws for 1846 and 1847.....	\$3 00	
		Binding 3 vols. of laws for 1846, 1847, and 1848, at 75 cents per vol. . .	2 25	
				\$5 25
30	John D. Brown.....	Putting castor on chair.....	50	
		Altering book-case.....	1 25	
		Repairing and varnishing table and new cloth on the same.....	8 00	
		Repairing desk, \$1 25; 1 chair varnished, \$1 25.....	2 50	
		Restuffing chair seat and castors on same.....	3 75	
		Repairing 5 old chairs.....	2 00	
		Repairing 1 chair and castors on same.....	2 75	
		1 book rest, 75 cents; 1 book-case, \$4 50.....	5 25	
				26 00
Dec. 22	C. F. McCarthy.....	4 packing-boxes and stuff, at \$1 50.....	6 00	
		5 sets green baize strips, at 75 cents.....	3 75	
		Taking down and putting up 2 shades.....	2 00	
		Altering 2 shades with pulley and rope.....	4 00	
		2 sash cords in chief clerk's room.....	75	
				16 50
30	John Sergeant.....	Making 1 7-quire medium book, (register of claimants,) at \$2.....		14 00
30	Mary Draine.....	Washing towels for the use of the office, for the quarter ending December 31, 1848.....		6 00
31	H. Bittinger.....	Transportation of 1 box to New York.....	50	
		Sponge, matches, and gum for paste.....	25	
		Transportation on public business.....	50	
				1 25
1849.				
Jan. 3	J. H. McBlair.....	24 pounds patent sperm candles, at 46 cents.....	11 04	
		1½ pounds palm soap.....	38	
		1 dozen boxes matches.....	20	
				11 62
3	James Kelly.....	Covering top of case with tin.....		2 50
10	W. Mann.....	½ dozen patent portfolio files, cap size.....	6 00	
		1 dozen patent portfolio files, quarto size.....	10 00	
		8-12 dozen patent portfolio punches, at \$6.....	4 00	
				20 00

10	R. Farnham.....	6 dozen silk taste, at \$1 50.....	9 00	
		1 china inkstand, 62½ cents; and 1 card Perry's pens, 50 cents.....	1 12½	
		9 dozen patent blotting-paper, at 12¼ cents.....	1 12	
		1 gross steel pens, \$2; and 100 laid envelopes, 62½ cents.....	2 62½	
		12 cards Perry's pens, at 50 cents.....	6 00	
		1 dozen penholders.....	50	
		1,000 large yellow envelopes.....	6 00	
		2 cards Perry's pens, \$1; and 1 bottle ink, 25 cents.....	1 25	
		½ dozen 6-blade penknives, at \$18.....	9 00	
		1 patent inkstand, \$3; and 12 cards Perry's pens, \$6.....	9 00	
		300 envelopes, \$1 50; and 1 folder, 25 cents.....	1 75	
		6 quarts black ink, \$1 50; and adhesive envelopes, \$1.....	2 50	
		200 quills, No. 80, at \$1 20.....	2 40	
		1 case lead-pencils.....	75	
		½ ream blotting-paper, at \$3.....	1 50	
		3 dozen Perry's barrel pens, at 50 cents.....	1 50	
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15	John Alexander.....	4 pair window-shades, fixtures, and hanging.....		32 00
31	Elton Brent.....	Labor for the month ending this day.....		8 00
31	John D. Brown.....	Repairing chair, and new castors.....	2 00	
		1 dozen chairs.....	18 00	
		Cleaning, varnishing, and keys on 1 table.....	2 00	
		Repairing desk.....	75	
		Upholstering 1 chair-seat.....	1 75	
				24 50
31	James Kelly.....	Trimming 2 mantelpieces, at \$1.....		2 00
31	James H. Stuart.....	Fees and other expenses paid him for procuring copy of deed for the Indian Office.....		7 95
Feb. 21	Thomas Pursell.....	2 blue ewers and basins, at \$1 25.....		2 50
23	C. F. McCarthy.....	Taking down 5 window-shades.....	2 50	
		Unhanging 4 sets window-shades.....	1 50	
		Taking down 2 shades.....	1 00	
		Altering and putting up 2 shades.....	3 00	
		New wood-box, with iron clamps.....	3 50	
		Altering and putting up window-shade.....	3 00	
				14 50
28	John P. Stallings.....	Furnishing 1 large light of glass, 16 by 24, and glazing book-case door.....		2 50
28	Elton Brent.....	Services as laborer during the month of February.....		8 00
Mar. 1	W. Mann.....	½ dozen cap size patent movable binders.....		6 00
3	John Sergeant.....	1 super royal stock ledger, 8 quires, full bound in Ruseia, ruled and faint-lined, at \$4 50.....		36 00



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Date.	To whom paid.	For what paid.	Amount.	Total.	
1849. Mar.	3	John Sergeant—Continued.....	1 medjum day-book, 7 quires, full bound in Russia, ruled and faint-lined, at \$2 50 per quire..... Ruling 1 ream letter paper..... Binding in $\frac{1}{2}$ Russia 5 volumes of congressional documents on Indian affairs, at 75 cents per volume..... Binding 1 volume laws.....	\$17 50 1 00 3 75 75	
	3	Taylor & Maury.....	1 set of the Treasury of Knowledge, 3 vols.....		\$59 00
	3	Wm. Fischer.....	1 japaned calendar..... 2 reams Jessup's white wove, gilt..... 1 gold pen, \$2; inkstand, 31 cents..... 6 cards Wright's national pens..... 6 dozen boxes Fisher's choice.....	63 10 00 2 31 1 50 3 00	3 25
	3	H. Bittinger.....	Transportation at various times on public business..... Gum, 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ cents; and 1 box metallic pens, \$2..... Fixing lock at office..... Transportation for books and papers to Capitol.....	10 44 2 12 $\frac{1}{2}$ 87 $\frac{1}{2}$ 4 00	17 44
	3	Elton Brent.....	Labor from the 1st to 3d March inclusive.....		17 44
	3	R. Farnham.....	1 dozen Congressional Directories..... 1 large gold pen, \$3 50; and 1 small do., \$2 50..... 2 reams white-laid letter paper, ruled..... 2 dozen black sand, 75 cents; and 2 gross steel pens, \$4..... 1 large gold pen, \$3 50; and 1 small do., \$2 50..... $\frac{1}{2}$ dozen 6-bladed penknives..... 1 card bullion pens, gilt, 50 cents; and 2 dozen drawing pencils, \$3... 3 dozen penholders, \$1 25; and 1 ream note-paper, gilt \$3..... 1 ream Congress letter paper..... 12 sheets imperial paper, \$1 50; and 1 gross pens, \$2..... Ruling do. red and faint to pattern..... 1 gold pen case, \$2 50; and 6 boxes fancy wax, at \$1 50..... 3 large French pump inkstands..... 1 ream Jessup's blue paper, ruled.....	4 50 6 00 8 50 4 75 6 00 9 00 3 50 4 25 4 25 3 50 5 50 4 00 6 00 4 25	80

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		6 cards bullion pens, gilt, at 50 cents .....	3 00	
		6 packages do., 75 cents; 1 pair fine scissors, 62 cents.....	1 37	
		3 dozen penholders .....	1 12	
		1 box fancy wax.....	75	80 24
3	John D. Brown .....	Furnishing and putting castors on chair.....	1 75	
		Repairing 1 chair and putting castors on same.....	2 50	
		Repairing screen.....	75	
		Repairing, furnishing 8 chairs, and upholstering same with hair cloth.....	8 00	13 00
31	Elton Brent.....	Labor from 4th to 31st March, inclusive, at \$8 per month.....		7 20
31	Mary Draine.....	Washing towels for office quarter ending this day.....		6 00
31	H. Bittinger .....	Transportation, 50 cents; and 1 small brush, 25 cents.....		75
April 1	James Kelly.....	Putting 2 new bottoms in slop buckets.....	75	
		Putting 2 coats of paint.....	75	1 50
30	M. W. Galt & Bro.....	Repairing clock.....		1 00
30	C. F. McCarthy.....	Taking down and putting up 2 shades, at \$1.....	2 00	
		Altering 5 window-shades, at \$2 50.....	12 50	
		Moving sign-boards over doors.....	37	
		Putting up window-shade.....	50	
		Putting up 3 sash-cords, at 37½ cents.....	1 12½	16 50
30	A. Ambush.....	Whitewashing the ceilings of 7 rooms and 1 passage, at \$1 each.....		8 00
May 15	John H. McBlair.....	1 box patent sperm candles, 35 pounds, at 46 cents per pound,.....	16 10	
		1 bottle sweet oil.....	50	16 60
15	W. T. Porter.....	Painting the wood-work, mantel, of 1 room.....	12 00	
		Repainting and graining in oak 2 large record file cases .....	33 00	45 00
24	John D. Brown.....	Altering and repairing 2 chairs and 1 book-case.....	6 75	
		Altering 1 large writing-table, and new cloth on do.....	12 00	
		Altering 1 mahogany desk, and new cloth on do.. ..	9 00	
		1 mahogany desk.....	7 00	34 75
June 2	John Sergeant.....	Ruling 300 circulars, 5 sheets each.....	9 00	
		Binding 5 volumes, 8 quires, half Russia.....	75	
		Making a collection of and furnishing 21 Congressional documents on various subjects.....	10 75	25 50
6	John Alexander.....	17 pieces figured paper, at 50 cents.....	8 50	

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Date.	To whom paid.	For what paid.	Amount.	Total.
1849. June 6	John Alexander—Continued.....	4 pieces border for same, \$6; washing and preparing walls, \$1; altering carpet, \$2. .... Taking up old oilcloth and putting down new one. .... Hanging 17 pieces paper, at 25 cents. .... Hanging 4 pieces border for same. ....	\$9 00 1 50 4 25 2 00	
30	Mary Draine.....	Washing towels for the office during the quarter ending this day. ....	62½	\$25 25 6 00
30	H. Bittinger.....	Transportation on public business. .... Mending inkstand, 31 cents; sponge, 12½ cents; soap, \$1 50. .... Matches, 12½ cents; fixing lock and new key, 38 cents. .... Mending and grinding office shears. .... Repairing 4 locks and furnishing 3 new keys. ....	1 94 50 50 1 37½	4 94 4 65
30	Clagett & Dodson.....	7 2-9 square yards oilcloth, at 62½ cents per yard. ....	2 25	
30	R. Farnham.....	1 ream envelope paper. .... ½ ream gilt note paper, \$1 50; 2 pounds wafers, \$1. .... 1 card bullion pens, gilt, 50 cents; 1 dozen lead pencils, \$1. .... 1 ream foolscap, faint lined. .... 2 dozen bottles carmine ink, \$8; ½ dozen erasers, \$1 50. .... 1 dozen quarts M. & N.'s black ink. .... 1 ream heavy English foolscap. .... Ruling same, faint and margin lines. .... 1 ream English letter paper. .... Ruling same to pattern. .... 300 letter envelopes, at 37½ cents. .... 300 do. adhesive, at 62½ cents. .... 100 silver border envelopes. .... 1 gross steel pens, \$2; 1 dozen steel pens, 17 cents; 12 cards pens, \$6 1 ream wrapping, 50 cents; 300 official envelopes, \$1 80. .... 1 ream Bath letter paper, gilt. .... 1 card ladies' pens, 17 cents; 1½ gross tape, \$4 50. .... 3 reams English letter paper. .... Ruling same to pattern. .... 6 pounds sealing-wax, \$5 40; 100 official white envelopes. ....	2 50 1 50 4 25 9 50 3 00 5 00 2 50 4 50 50 1 12½ 1 87½ 1 50 8 17 2 30 4 25 4 67 13 00 1 00 6 15	

250 blue-laid official envelopes, at 75 cents.....	1 88	
250 blue-laid letter envelopes, at 50 cents.....	1 25	
200 blue-laid cloth-lined official envelopes.....	5 00	
250 yellow letter envelopes, adhesive, at 37½ cents.....	94	
12 cards pens, \$6; 2 dozen cards pens, assorted, \$4.....	10 00	
14 gross pens, (Perry's and Hertz & Son's).....	36 00	
1,000 official yellow envelopes.....	6 00	
2 reams English blue-laid letter paper.....	8 50	
Ruling same, \$1; 1 ream Southworth's blue folio-post, \$4.....	5 00	
4 French gold pens and cases.....	13 50	
2 reams English blue-laid cap, \$8 50; ruling same, \$5.....	13 50	
½ dozen 6-bladed penknives, \$9; 2 dozen Hoover's ink, \$4.....	13 00	
3 6-bladed pearl handled knives, at \$2.....	6 00	
2 dozen Faber's drawing pencils, \$3; 1 gold pen, \$3 50.....	6 50	
1 pound black wax, 90 cents; 1 pearl handled knife, \$1 50.....	2 40	
24 cards Perry's 3-point pens, at 50 cents.....	12 00	
2 reams Congress letter paper.....	8 50	
		229 76
		<u>1,351 53</u>

WILLIAM DEVEREAUX, *Disbursing Agent, Office Indian Affairs.*