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REPORT

OF

THE SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR,

COMMUNICATING,

In compliance with a resolution of the Senate of the 26th ultimo, information respecting the expenditure of appropriations for Indian tribes.

FEBRUARY 13, 1857.—Read, ordered to lie on the table, and be printed.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, February 13, 1857.

SIR: In reply to the resolution of the Senate of the 26th ultimo, requesting to be informed "how much of the money appropriated for the Indian tribes in the last fiscal year has been expended upon them, (specifying the sum paid to each;) also, as to the amounts withheld from each of the tribes, and whether these amounts are in the hands of the disbursing agents, or still undrawn from the Treasury of the United States"—I have the honor to transmit, herewith, a communication from the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, under date of the 12th instant, furnishing the desired information, as far as it is in the power of the department to do so.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

R. MCCLELLAND,

Secretary.

Hon. J. M. Mason,

President pro tempore United States Senate.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Office Indian Affairs, February 12, 1857.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the reference, on the 27th ultimo, of the resolution of the Senate, passed on the 26th, in the following words:

Resolved, That the Secretary of the Interior be directed to inform the Senate how much of the money appropriated for the Indian tribes in the last fiscal year has been expended upon them, (specifying the sum paid to each;) also, as to the amounts withheld from each of the tribes, and whether these amounts are in the hands of the disbursing agents, or still undrawn from the treasury of the United States.

I enclose herewith the tabular statements which, it is hoped, will

furnish the information desired.

No. 1 is a statement of the amounts appropriated for the year ending June 30, 1857; also exhibiting the amounts drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856, on account of former appropriations for the same objects.

No. 2 is a statement of amounts drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856, from sundry appropriations not enumerated in

statement No. 1.

No. 3 is a statement exhibiting the amounts drawn from appropriations for the Indian service since the 30th June, 1856, the balances, under the same appropriations, undrawn on the 27th January, 1857, and the amounts reported as remaining in the hands of disbursing officers at the latest dates for that information.

There were other balances, numerous in description, but inconsiderable in amount, remaining in the treasury on the 30th June, 1856, and the 27th January, 1857, from which nothing has been

drawn in the intermediate time.

It will be perceived that it is not practicable, if it is indeed possible,

to reply to the resolution with perfect exactitude.

The tables submitted show the several amounts appropriated for a fiscal year, viz: the year ending June 30, 1857; also the amounts drawn during a fiscal year, viz: the year ending June 30, 1856,

with the respective aggregates.

They also show the amounts drawn since the commencement of the current fiscal year, and the amounts remaining in the treasury on the day of the passage of the resolution; and also all information now in this office, showing, in a general manner, at the latest dates of information, the amounts in the hands of superintendents, that had not been disbursed.

The policy of the department has been to remit money to disbursing agents when about to be needed for actual disbursement, and only then; but owing to the great distance from Washington City, at which many important disbursements are made, to the economy of purchasing goods in the eastern cities, allowing time to transport and deliver them to the Indians; and because it is so often the case that appropriations for a fiscal year are not made by Congress until sometime after the commencement of such fiscal year, it is necessary that the appropriations should always be considerably in advance of the actual disbursement of the money. Hence the balances held over from one fiscal year to another under many heads of account, and which appear large to the casual observer, but which, for the efficiency of the service, have to be held ready for expenditure. So long as the balances are confined in the treasury, the public funds are exposed to no danger of loss or misapplication.

The several amounts drawn from the treasury during a fiscal year on account of each of the several tribes may be assumed as the amounts expended on each tribe during a fiscal year; but the amount drawn on account of each of the several tribes since the 30th June, 1856, (on account of appropriations for 1856—'7,) embraces the fall annuity

payments, and consequently embodies a large proportion of the expenditures of the entire year.

The balances remaining in the treasury are mostly not yet due; and if there be any due, it has been adjudged best for the Indians to hold them for disbursement in the spring, or at some other time.

The aggregate amount in the hands of disbursing agents at any one period, it is supposed, would not essentially vary, in the course of two years past, at the expiration of any one quarter; but owing to the irregularity of communications, the remote positions of some of the agents, and the tardiness of others in rendering their accounts, it is not practicable to show the exact amount drawn from the treasury since the 30th June last remaining in the hands of officers on the 31st December.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

GEO. W. MANYPENNY, Commissioner.

Hon. R. McClelland, Secretary of the Interior.

No. 1.

Statement of the amount appropriated for the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department, and for fulfilling treaty stipulations with various Indian tribes, for the year ending June 30, 1857; also, exhibiting the amounts drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856, on account of former appropriations for the same objects.

For what object.	Amount appropriated.	When drawn.	Amount drawn.
Pay of superintendents and Indian agents	\$15,000 00	By amount drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856.	\$76,565 68
Pay of sub-Indian agents		dodododo	1,673 14
Pay of clerk to superintendent at St. Louis		dododo	
Pay of clerk to superintendent in California.			2,500 00
Presents to Indians	5,000 00	dodododo	2,226 36
Provisions for Indians.	11,800 00	dododo	14,075 05
Buildings, and repairs thereof, at agencies		dododo	
Contingencies of Indian Department		dododo	
Fulfilling treaty with the Blackfeet of Oct. 17, 1855		***************************************	
Fulfilling treaty with the Camanches, Kioways and	, , , , , ,		
Apaches of Arkansas river	25,000 00	dodo	12, 182 37
Fulfilling treaty with the Chippewas of Lake Superior	,		
of September 30, 1854	66,026 65	dodo	* 33,800 95
Fulfilling treaty with the Chippewas of the Missis-	,		
sippi of February 22, 1855	72, 120 01	dodododo	138,888 10
Fulfilling treaty with the Chippewas of Saginaw, Swan	1		
Creek and Black River of August 2, 1855	52,240 00		
Fulfilling treaties with the Chickasaws.	204,766 00	dodododo	4,500 00
Fulfilling treaties with Chippewas, Menomonees, Win-			
nebagoes, and New York Indians	1,500 00	dodododo	1,500 00
Fulfilling treaties with the Choctaws.	166, 105 43	dododo	11,543 73
Fulfilling treaties with the Christian Indians		dododo	409 00
Fulfilling treaties with the Creeks		dododo	44,633 09
Fulfilling treaties with the Delawares	3,754 00	dododo	91,850 00
Fulfilling treaties with the Florida Indians, or Semi-			
noles	5,000 00	dodododo	5,321 20

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Fulfilling treaties with the Ioways	2,875	00	1do	do	do	54,971	50
Fulfilling treaties with the Kanzas.				do		8,940	
Fulfilling treaties with the Kaskaskias, Peorias, Weas	,					11011	
and Pinkashaws	13,940	00	do	do	do	17,477	31
Tulfiling the time the state of	25,000		do	do	do	25,500	
Fulfilling treaties with the Kickapous	20,916			do		52,070	
Fulfilling treaties with the Menomonees	59, 342			do		102,821	
Fulfilling treaties with the Miamies	1, 100			do		1, 104	
Fulfilling treaties with the Miamies of Eel River	5.000					1, 104	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Navajoes.	5,000	UU					
Fulfilling treaties with the bands of Indians of Pu-	7 500	00	,	,	a	4 500	00
get's Sound, of December 26, 1854	7,500			do		4,500	
Fulfilling treaties with the Omahas	42, 140			do		41, 168	
Fulfilling treaties with the Osages	25, 456			do		27,949	
Fulfilling treaties with the Ottoes and Missourias	22, 140	00	do	do	do	19,482	50
Fulfilling treaties with the Ottowas and Chippewas of							
Michigan of July 31, 1855	95,540	00		do		56,420	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Ottowas of Kanzas.	2,600	00	do	do	do	2,600	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Pawnees	1,000	00	do	do	do	940	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Pottawatomies	60,600	00	do	do	do	8,763	49
Fulfilling treaties with the Pottawatomies of Huron.	400	00	do	do	do	400	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Quapaws	2,660	00	do	do	do	4, 163	67
Fulfilling treaties with the Chastas, Scoton and Ump-	,					,	
qua Indians	6.980	00	do	do	ob	13,990	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Rogue River Indians	2 500	00	do	do	do	2,500	
Fulfilling treaties with the Sacs and Foxes of Missis-						2,000	00
sippisippi	72 880	00	do	do	do	77, 235	61
Fulfilling treaties with the Sacs and Foxes of Mis-	13,000	00				11,200	OI
souri	17 070	00.	do	do	do	23,060	00
Fulfilling treaties with the Senecas	,						
	2,660			do		3,846	
Fulfilling treaties with the Senecas of New York	11,902			do		11,012	
Fulfilling treaties with the Senecas and Shawnees				do		2,661	
Fulfilling treaties with the Shawnees				do		123, 481	
Fulfilling treaties with the Six Nations of New York				do		4,653	
Fulfilling treaties with the Sioux of Mississippi	173,800	00	do	do	do	224,717	64
Fulfilling treaty with the Stockbridges and Mun-							
sees of February 2, 1856	69, 125	00					
Fulfilling treaty of Fort Laramie	70,000	00					
Fulfilling treaties with the Umpquas, Cow Creek			Sec. 7				
band	550	00	do	do	do	550 (00

For what object.	Amount appropriated.	When drawn.	Amount drawn.
Fulfilling treaties with the Umpquas and Calapooias			
of Umpqua valley, OregonFulfilling treaties with the Calapooias, Molalas, and	\$6,360 00	By amount drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856.	\$13, 180 00
Clackamas of Wilamette valley	12,260 00	dododo	50,000 00
Fulfilling treaties with the Utahs	5,000 00		
Fulfilling treaties with the Winnebagoes	97, 485 00	dodododo	110, 328 70
Fulfilling treaties with the Wyandots	126,666 67	dododo	141, 264 17
Civilization of Indians	15,000 00	dododododo	12, 431 83
Surveying and marking boundary of Choctaw and Chickasaw country, and completing survey of Creek			
boundary	10,000 00		
Preventing trespasses and depredations by Indians,&c Compilation and completion of map of the Indian ter-	5,000 00		
ritories	2,000 00		
Payment to Ann Hyatt, for claim	116 00		
Compensation of three special agents and three inter-			
preters for Indian tribes in Texas, &c	15,000 00	dodododo	17, 369 0
Expenses of colonizing, supporting, &c., Indians in			1.0 0.00
Texas	94, 658 50	dodododo	59,612 08
Insurance, transportation, &c., of annuities, goods,			
&c., for Indian tribes in Minnesota and Wisconsin	30,000 00		
Temporary clerks to superintendents	5,000 00	dodododo	666 67
Repayment to a Choctaw Indian for amount stolen			
by a United States soldier	40 00		
Collecting statistics of Indian tribes	2,930 00	dododo	17, 365 16
Incidental expenses of Indian service in Utah Ter-			
ritory	45,000 00	dododo	33, 138 59
Incidental expenses of Indian service in New Mexico.	47,500 00	dododo	19,991 14
Incidental expenses of Indian service in California	27,850 00	dodo	21, 637 50
Pay of physicians, smiths, &c., in California	82,500 00	dodododo	40,732 50
Removal and subsistence in California to reservations.	91,650 00	dododo	138,750 00

! Washington				
Incidental expenses of Indian service in Washington Territory	30,000 00	dododo	21,548	00
Adjusting difficulties and preventing outbreaks in	10,000 00	dodo	7,904	72
Washington Territory Incidental expenses of Indian service in Oregon Territory	30,000 00	dododo	10,000	00
Adjusting difficulties and preventing outbreaks in	10,000 00	dododo	10,000	00
Awards of commissioners for reservations, &c., under	5,724 36	dododo	8,930	23
Purchase of stock for Great and Little Osages, treaty of January 11, 1839————————————————————————————————————				
last war with Great Britain Payment to Spunk, or Bold Frog, alias Joseph Hen-				
***	400 00			
Revising, preparing, and printing a new code of regulations for the Indian department. Surveying boundaries of Indian reservations, and	2,000 00			
alloting and defining Indian reserves and half- breed lands, &c. An act making appropriations for restoring and main-	5,000 00			
taining the peaceable disposition of the Indian tribes on the Pacific, and for other purposes, approved April 5, 1856.	300,000 00	dododo	58,694	55
Parties of the same of the sam	2,831,613 78		2, 276, 293	19 .
TO THE RESERVE OF THE PARTY OF	2,001,010 10	Amounts drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856, not on the above statement	405, 121	
		Total drawn during the year	2, 681, 414	74

No. 2.

Statement of amounts drawn during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1856, from appropriations made before that date, for and on account of expenses of Indian department, fulfilling treaties, &c.

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Treating, &c., among the Stockbridges and Munsees, of Lake Winne-		
hago &c	\$522	30
bago, &c	1,943	3
Pay of interpreters	23,580	
Transportation of annuities, goods, &c, to Sioux of Mississippi, &c	28,939	
Expenses of rescuing prisoners from Indian tribes	1,746	
Pay of clerk to superintendent, &c., Van Buren, Arkansas	515	
Carrying out treaties with Ottoes and Missourias, Omahas, Delawares,		
loways, &c	17,000	
Ioways, &c	1,000	0
Fulfilling treaties with Chippewas of Saginaw, (proceeds of land)	11, 243	
Pay of three sub-agents for California	1,500	
Payment of liabilities incurred for Indian service in Oregon, &c	5,000	
Current expenses of Indian department	1,975	
Fulfilling &c., Chippewas of Saginaw	5,550	
Extinguishing title of Chippewas to lands in Minnesota and Wisconsin	268	
Chippewas of Lake Superior and the Mississippi	74, 341	
Claim of John Randona, deceased	5,925	
Relief. &c., of Omaha Indians	5,000	
Payment of Lewis Sounsosee, half-breed	1,000	
Payment of Lewis Barnard	300	
Ottowas of Michigan, fufilling, &c	1,700	00
Stockbridges	2,397	8
Stock bridges Expenses of running and marking eastern boundary line of Creek coun-		
try west of Arkansas	3,716	04
Expenses of negotiating treaties with the Indians in Oregon Territory,	10 704	0.5
&c	12,794	
Expenses of negotiating treaties with the Indians in Utah Expenses of negotiating treaties with Apaches, Navajoe and Utah In-	19,931	
dians, &c. Expenses of holding council, &c., with Blackfeet, Gros Ventres, and	8, 215	70
other wild tribes, &c	27,026	5
Presents to bands of pueblo Indians in New Mexico	1,640	
Insurance and transportation of annuities to Indian tribes in Oregon	1,600	
Payment in full to Winnebagoes of certain balances	40,004	
Payment of annuities and transportation of the same to certain tribes		
of Indians, &c	87,091	. 5
To enable the President to negotiate a treaty with the Indians in Michi-		
gan	7,489	5
Surveying and allotting to the proper persons, &c., the reserved tracts, per 9th and 10th articles treaty with the Sacs and Foxes, 15th July,		
1830	1,700	0
Payment of such Cherokees as were omitted in the census taken by D.	2,.00	
W. Silers, &c	185	6
Vaccination of Indians		_
Defraying expenses incurred in negotiating treaty concluded on the 30th	010	
September, 1854, with the Chippewas of Lake Superior	1,899	3
	405, 121	5
Amounts drawn from appropriations, per statement No. 1		
Total amount drawn during year		7
Total amount drawn during year	2, 001, 111	

Statement showing the amounts drawn since June 30, 1856, on account of appropriations for fulfilling treaty stipulations, and for other purposes; and for the current and contingent expenses of the Indian Department; the amounts undrawn up to January 26, 1857, inclusive, and the amounts in the hands of disbursing agents.

	Amounts drawn since June 30, 1856.			
Fulfilling treaty stipulations with—				
Blackfeet Indians, of October 17, 1855	\$30,540 17	\$21,459 83		
Chippewas of Lake Superior and the Mississippi		42,934 74		
Comanches, Kioways, and Apaches, of Arkansas river				
Chippewas of Saginaw Chippewas of Lake Superior, of September 30, 1854	300 00 86,848 37	5,440 08 88,458 28		Hands of Agent Gilbert, Dec. 31, 1856.
Chippewas of the Mississippi, of February 22, 1855.	50, 342 88	39, 294 60		Hands of Sup't Huebschmann, Dec. 31.
Chippewas of Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black river, of August 2, 1855.	17,620 00	34, 620 00	6,791 29	Hands of H. C. Gilbert, Dec. 31, 1856.
Chickasaws	204,766 00	3,000 00		No recent accounts from the agent.
Chippewas, Menomonees, Winnebagoes, and New York Indians.	750 00	3, 612 68	1,003 19	Hands of Superintendent Huebschmann, Dec. 31.
Choctaws	136, 345 43	34,620 00		No recent accounts from agent.
Creeks		35, 106 90	2,280 00	Transferred to agent, Nov. 5.
Creeks, (proceeds of land)	28,450 00			No recent accounts from the agent.
Delawares				Hands of Agent Robinson, Dec. 31.
Florida Indians or Seminoles			3,000 00	Transferred to agent, Nov. 24.
Iowas	-,0.0		1,908 31	Hands of Agent Vanderslice, Dec. 31.
Kanzas	8,360 00			Hands of Agent Montgomery.
Kaskaskias, Peorias, Weas, and Piankeshaws	2,00.00			Hands of Agent McCaslin, Dec. 31.
Kickapoos				The state of the s
Menomonees	20, 200 00			Hands of Sup't Huebschmann, Dec. 31.
Miamies	20,000 00			Hands of Agent McCaslin, Dec. 31.
Miamies of Eel river	1, 100 00	1.100 00		

No. 3—Continued.

	Amounts drawn since June 30, 1856.	Am'ts undrawn up to January 26,(inclusive,) 1857.)	hands of dis-	
Fulfilling treaty stipulations with—		A15 500 51	-	
Navajoes Nisqually, Puyallup, and other tribes and bands of Indians.	\$11,500 00	\$15,568 51 8,000 00	\$11,500 00	Lately remitted to Governor Stevens.
Omahas		37, 370 00	1,627 55	Hands of Superintendent Cumming and Agent Robinson, Dec. 31.
OsagesOttoes and Missourias	13,000 00 12,645 00	51,944 52 25,820 00	13,413 25	Hands of Agent Dorn, Dec. 31. Balance in hands of late Agent Hepner can-
Ottawas and Chippewas, of July 31, 1855	2,600 00	67 861 82 1,734 00	4,657 87	not be stated. Balance in hands of Agent Gilbert, Dec. 31.
Ottawas of Kanzas Pawnees Pottawatomies	360 00	2,600 00 7,902 21	3,526 05	Hands of Agents Clarke & Gilbert, Dec 31.
Pottawatomies of Huron		102, 302 00 400 00		,
Quapaws	1,419 66 12,690 92	3,627 35 8,090 00		Hands of Agent Dorn, Dec. 31. Lately remitted to Superintendent Hedges.
Fulfilling treaties with Calapooias, Malala, and Clackamas Indians.	22,260 00	2,260 00	2,260 00	Lately remitted to Superintendent Hedges.
Fulfilling treaties with Rogue River Indians	36,220 00	20,000 00 133,261 42	350 00 501 12	In transit to Superintendent Hedges. In hands of Agent James, December 31.
Fulfilling treaties with Sacs and Foxes of Missouri——— Fulfilling treaties with Senecas————————————————————————————————————	17,150 00 1,830 00	6,990 00 2,200 92	1,782 16 298 00	In hands of Agent Vanderslice, Dec. 31. In hands of Agent Dorn, December 31.
Fulfilling treaties with Senecas of New York	1,530 00	10, 224 09 2, 290 00 58, 706 23	3,695 04 2,463 93 32,532 60	In hands of Agent M. H. Johnson, Dec. 31 In hands of Agent Dorn, December 31. In hands of Superintendent Cumming and Agent Arnold, December 31.
Fulfilling treaties with Six Nations of New York	4,846 50	4,612 90		

Fulfilling treaties with Sioux of Mississippi	51, 197 96	339,863 11	8,851 02	In hands of Superintendent Huebschmann, December 31.
Fulfilling treaties with Stockbridges and Munsees of 2d February, 1856.	12,775 00	56, 350 00	10,000 00	In hands of Superintendent Huebschmann, December 31.
Fulfilling treaties with Stockbridges	11,800 00	2,150 00	5,999 50	In hands of Superintendent Huebschmann, December 31.
Fulfilling treaties with Umpquas, Cow Creek band		550 00		
Impous valley Oregon.	12,083 19	1,689 00	12,083 19	Lately remitted to Superintendent Hedges.
Fulfilling treeties with IItahs		20,766 91		
Fulfilling treaties with Winnebagoes	49,057 05	148,817 97		No recent returns from the agent.
Fulfilling treaties with Wyandots	69,320 02	58, 912 18	14,734 00	In hands of Superintendent Cumming and Agent Arnold, December 31.
Payment of annuities, and transportation of the same to certain tribes of Indians, &c. Treaty of Fort Laramie.	17,906 63	86, 184 15		100
Civilization of Indians	5,398 75	14,935 39		
Surveying and marking the boundaries of the Choctaw and Chickasaw countries in pursuance of the provisions of the 19th article of the treaty of 22d June, 1855, and		10,000 00		
for completing the survey of the Creek country.				
Preventing trespasses and depredations by Indians, &c., &c.		5,000 00		A Partial National Property of the Conference of
Compilation and completion of a map of the Indian territories, &c.	1,000 00	1,000 00	180 20	In hands of P. Lammond, December 31.
Payment to Ann Hyatt for claim, &c., &c	116 00			
Compensation of three special agents and three interpreters for the Indian tribes of Texas, and purchase of	11, 250 00	3,955 89	4,472 91	In hands of special agents in Texas, Dec. 31.
presents. Expenses of colonizing, supporting, and furnishing agricultural implements and stock for the Indians in Texas.	45, 208 40	87,468 05	19,718 31	In hands of special agents in Texas, Dec. 31.
Insurance, transportation, &c., of annuities, goods, &c., for Indian tribes in Minnesota and Wisconsin.	21,698 56	8, 301 44	1,951 68	In hands of Superintendent Huebschmann.
Temporary clerks to superintendents	1,771 16	7,312 17		
Repayment to a Choctaw Indian for amount stolen by a United States soldier.	40 00			
Payment to Spunk, or Bold Frog, alias Joseph Henson, of \$400, for his valuation of an improvement. Cherokee treaty, 1855.		400 00		
Revising, preparing, and printing a new code of regula- tions for the Indian department.		2,000 00		

	Amounts drawn since June 30, 1856.		Amounts in the hands of dis- burs' gagents.	
Expenses of collecting statistics, &c., of Indian tribes	\$3,455 85	\$15,220 33	\$189, 25	In hands of P. Lammond, disbursing agent, December 31.
Incidental expenses of the Indian service in Utah Terri-	12,618 47	34, 396 79		Expended as fast as drawn.
tory, &c. Incidental expenses of the Indian service in New Mexico, &c.	26,035 10	38, 374 64		Do. do.
Incidental expenses of the Indian service in California, &c- Pay of physicians, smiths, carpenters, and laborers, on	22,425 00 20,625 00	20,887 50 61,875 00]	The superintendent in California had in hand on the 30th September \$38,898 88, but has not so stated his accounts as to
the reservations in California. Removal and subsistence of Indians in California to reservations, &c.	159, 162 50	93,737 50	}	enable the office to separate the amount to the three appropriations.
Incidental expenses of the Indian service in Washington	17,150 00	21,302 00		Expended as fast as drawn.
Territory. Adjusting difficulties and preventing outbreaks in the Territory of Washington.	12,095 28			Do. do.
Incidental expenses of the Indian service in Oregon Territory.	15,000 00	15,000 00		Do. do.
Adjusting difficulties and preventing outbreaks in Oregon Territory.	10,000 00			Do. do.
Awards of commissioners for reservations, &c., &c., under Cherokee treaty December 29, 1835.	5,818 18	01		_
Surveying boundaries of Indian reservations, and of allotting and defining Indian reserves and half-breed lands, &c.		5,000 00		
Road from Fort Ridgely, Minnesota, to the South Pass of the Rocky mountains, Nebraska.	18,000 00	32,000 00		\$4,500 draft charged to Supt. Huebschman not acknowledged by him; and \$4,500 lately remitted to W. H. Nobles, special agent.

Payment of interest to the children of John Connolly,	238 70			
deceased. Carrying into effect treaty with Stockbridges and Mun-	282 00	63 00	14	
sees. Re appropriated—payment of claims, &c.				
Extinguishing title of Indian tribes to lands west of Missouri and Iowa.	1,000 00	18,940 83	3,568 29	In hands of Superintendent Cumming, December 31.
Drafts, checks, and deposits, &c., with Selden, Withers & Co., &c.	1,943 33	2,456 67		
Transportation of annuities, goods, &c., to the Sioux of Mississippi, &c.	2,060 53			
Carrying out treaties with Ottoes and Missourias, Omahas, Delawares, Iowas, &c., &c.	3,276 82	2,723 18		
Restoring and maintaining the peaceable disposition of the Indian tribes on the Pacific, &c.	240,618 03	687 42		No late reports. Funds expended as fast as drawn out.
Extinguishing title of Chippewas to lands in Minnesota and Wisconsin, &c.: negotiating for, &c.	98 90	1,966 90		
Relief, &c., of Omaha Indians	3,700 00		2,258 21	In hands of Agent Robertson, Dec. 31.
Pay of superintendents and Indian agents	48,310 10	20,691 96		Some small balances in hands of a few of the superintendents.
Pay of sub-Indian agents	6,768 45	5,041 59		
Pay of interpreters	16,898 46	23, 534 96		Some small balances in hands of superin- tendents and agents.
Presents to Indians	7,453 79	6,408 80		, Do. do.
Provisions for Indians	11,031 97	12,760 82		Do. do.
Buildings and repairs thereof, at agencies	7, 152 99	19,983 68		
Contingencies Indian department	22,733 64	20,761 56		Do. do.
Pay of clerk to superintendent Indian affairs, St. Louis, Missouri.	600 00	655 91		
Pay of clerk to superintendent Indian affairs, in California.	1,875 00	1,250 00		
	2, 118, 984 89	2,420,131 34	230,300 10	