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LEGISLATIVE, EXECUTIVE, AND JUDICIAL APPROPRIATION BILL.

FEBRUARY 18, 1896.—Committed to the Committee of the Whole House on the state of the Union and ordered to be printed.

Mr. BINGHAM, from the Committee on Appropriations, submitted the following

REPORT:

[To accompany H. R. 6248.]

In presenting the bill making appropriations for the legislative, executive, and judicial expenses of the Government for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1897, the Committee on Appropriations submit the following in explanation thereof:

The estimates upon which the bill is based will be found on pages 9-72 and 83-90 of the Book of Estimates for 1897, and aggregate \$22,365,051, of which amount there is recommended in the bill \$21,444,195.51.

The appropriations for the same purposes for the current fiscal year aggregate \$22,069,778.08, being \$625,582.57 more than is recommended in the bill for the service of the fiscal year 1897.

The total amount recommended in the bill is \$920,855.49 less than the aggregate estimates submitted. The whole number of salaries specifically provided for in the bill is 10,017, being 235 less than the number estimated for and 335 less than the number provided for in the law for the current year.

Changes in the number or grade of officers or employees of the Government, and their rate of compensation, as compared with the current law, are recommended in the bill as follows:

SENATE.

The sum of \$500 additional to the assistant doorkeeper is omitted. Provision for the clerks to the committees on Woman Suffrage and Mines and Mining, at \$2,100 each, is omitted. Otherwise the bill appropriates for the officers, clerks, and other employees in the service of the Senate in the same terms as the law for the current year, except that for session employees the usual reduction in their aggregate compensation is made, growing out of the shorter term of employment during the ensuing session as compared with the present session of Congress.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Provision is made for two annual clerks to the Committees on Elections, at \$2,000 each, pursuant to the resolution of the House of December 23, 1895, and also for a clerk to the Committee on Banking and Currency at \$2,000 per annum instead of at \$6 per day during the session.

Otherwise the bill appropriates for the officers, clerks, and other employees in the service of the House in the same terms as the law for the current year, except that for session employees the usual reduction is made in their aggregate compensation, growing out of the shorter term of employment during the ensuing session as compared with the present session of Congress.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

Secretary's Office.—In the chief clerk's office provision is made for 2 additional elevator conductors at \$720 each.

In the division of bookkeeping and warrants 2 clerks of class 3, at \$1,600 each, are omitted.

Office Auditor for the Treasury.—A net reduction of 2 clerks, at \$1,000 each, is made.

Office Auditor for the Interior Department.—Six clerks of class 3, at \$1,600 each, and 6 clerks of class 2, at \$1,400 each; in all, 12 clerks, at \$18,000, are omitted.

Office Auditor for the State and other Departments.—An additional clerk of class 2, at \$1,400, is provided for, and 1 clerk of class 1, at \$1,200, is transferred to this office from the office of the Steamboat Inspection Service.

Office Auditor for the Post-Office Department.—One clerk of class 3, at \$1,600, is transferred from this office to the office of the Steamboat Inspection Service.

Office of the Treasurer.—Twenty-five additional expert counters, at \$720 each, are provided for in the general office of the Treasurer, and a skilled laborer, at \$1,000, instead of a clerk of class 1, at \$1,200, is provided for in the force employed in redeeming the national currency in the Treasurer's Office.

Office of the Register.—One clerk of class 3, at \$1,600, and 1 clerk of class 2, at \$1,400, are omitted.

Office Commissioner of Internal Revenue.—The 24 additional employees, at salaries aggregating \$30,590, authorized for the fiscal year 1896, on account of collecting the income tax, are omitted.

Collecting Internal Revenue.—Provision for salaries and expenses of 303 additional deputy collectors, aggregating \$408,600, and for 10 additional revenue agents, aggregating \$36,000, authorized on account of the income tax, is omitted.

Office assistant treasurer at Boston.—An additional stenographer and typewriter, at \$1,000, is authorized.

Mint at Carson, Nev.—The salaries of a cashier and a bookkeeper are reduced from \$2,000 and \$1,800, respectively, to \$1,500 each.

WAR DEPARTMENT.

A clerk of class 2, at \$1,400, is transferred to the office of the Secretary from the office of the Chief of Engineers.

Public buildings and grounds.—A day watchman at Garfield Park, at \$660, is provided for.

POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT.

In the office of the Postmaster-General the chief clerk is authorized to act as superintendent of the Post-Office Department building instead of the disbursing clerk, and a curator of museum, at \$1,000, is provided for.

Office Second Assistant Postmaster-General.—A messenger in charge of mails, at \$900, is provided for, in lieu of an assistant messenger at \$720, omitted.

Office Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General.—One additional clerk of class 2, at \$1,400, and 1 clerk of class 1, at \$1,200, are provided for.

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

The clerk in charge of accounts is given \$200 additional, and 1 additional clerk of class 3, at \$1,600; 1 clerk of class 2, at \$1,400, and 1 clerk of class 1, at \$1,200, are authorized.

LIMITATIONS.

Limitations with respect to appropriations made in the bill, not heretofore imposed, are recommended as follows:

In connection with the office of the Supervising Architect of the Treasury, the following:

That any draftsman or other employee engaged in the office of the Supervising Architect under the special appropriation made for the erection of a public building at Chicago, Ill., may, when not employed on work pertaining to said building, be temporarily detailed by the Secretary of the Treasury to other work in said office, but while so detailed no part of his compensation shall be paid out of the appropriation for said building.

In connection with the appropriation for publication of the Official Postal Guide, the following:

And the Postmaster-General may, in his discretion, cause a contract for furnishing the Official Postal Guide to be made for a term of four years.

With reference to details of clerks in the several Departments, there is recommended, as section 3 of the bill, the following:

Sec. 3. Section one hundred and sixty-six of the Revised Statutes is amended to read as follows:

"SEC. 166. Each head of a Department may, from time to time, alter the distribution among the various bureaus and offices of his Department of the clerks and other employees allowed by law, as he may find it necessary and proper to do; but all the details hereunder shall be made by written order of the head of the Department, and in no case be for a period of time exceeding sixty days: Provided, That details so made may, on expiration, be renewed from time to time by written order of the head of the Department in each particular case for periods of not exceeding sixty days. All details heretofore made are hereby revoked, but may be renewed as provided herein."

With reference to officers and administrative departments delinquent in rendering or transmitting accounts the following is proposed as section 4 of the bill, namely:

SEC. 4. So much of section twelve of the legislative, executive, and judicial appropriation act approved July thirty-first, eighteen hundred and ninety-four, as requires the Secretary of the Treasury, on the first Monday of January in each year, to make report to Congress of such officers as are then delinquent in the rendering of their accounts or in the payment of balances found due from them for the last preceding fiscal year is amended to read as follows:

"The Secretary of the Treasury shall, on the first Monday of January in each year, make report to Congress of such officers and administrative departments and offices of the Government as were respectively at any time during the last preceding fiscal year delinquent in rendering or transmitting accounts to the proper offices in Washington, and the cause therefor, and in each case indicating whether the delinquency was waived, together with such officers, including postmasters and officers of the Post-Office Department, as were found upon final settlement of their accounts to have been indebted to the Government, and who, at the date of making report, had failed to pay the same into the Treasury of the United States."

Legislative, executive, and judicial bill, 1897.

Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Senate.</i>						
For salaries of Senators.....	\$440,000.00	88	\$450,000.00	90	\$450,000.00	90
mileage.....	45,000.00	-----	45,000.00	-----	45,000.00	-----
For salaries, Vice-President's office.....	5,460.00	4	13,460.00	5	5,460.00	4
For salary, Chaplain.....	900.00	1	900.00	1	900.00	1
For salaries, Secretary's office.....	64,806.90	32	65,306.90	32	64,806.90	32
For salaries, annual clerks and messengers to committees.....	134,680.00	74	134,680.00	74	130,480.00	72
For salaries, Sergeant-at-Arms and Doorkeeper's office.....	120,164.00	108	116,524.00	108	115,864.00	108
For salaries, post-office.....	19,388.00	15	19,388.00	15	19,388.00	15
For salaries, document room.....	8,760.00	5	8,760.00	5	8,760.00	5
For salaries, folding room.....	22,320.00	22	22,320.00	22	22,320.00	22
For salaries, Architect of the Capitol's office.....	16,150.00	14	16,150.00	14	16,150.00	14
For salaries annual clerks to Senators who are not chairmen of committees.....	45,600.00	38	45,600.00	38	45,600.00	38
stationery.....	17,000.00	-----	16,250.00	-----	16,250.00	-----
postage stamps.....	350.00	-----	300.00	-----	300.00	-----
horses and mail wagons.....	5,000.00	-----	5,000.00	-----	5,000.00	-----
materials for folding.....	6,000.00	-----	4,000.00	-----	4,000.00	-----
folding speeches and pamphlets.....	4,000.00	-----	8,000.00	-----	4,000.00	-----
fuel, etc., for heating apparatus.....	9,000.00	-----	9,000.00	-----	9,000.00	-----
furniture.....	4,000.00	-----	4,000.00	-----	4,000.00	-----
material for furniture.....	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----
cleaning furniture.....	1,000.00	-----	2,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----
packing boxes.....	970.00	-----	970.00	-----	970.00	-----
miscellaneous items.....	25,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----
miscellaneous items, Maltby Building.....	16,940.00	-----	19,065.00	-----	16,940.00	-----
repairs, Maltby Building (in sundry civil act for 1896).....	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	-----	-----	-----
expenses of inquiries and investigations.....	25,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----
reporting debates.....	25,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----
Total, Senate.....	1,065,488.90	401	1,084,673.90	404	1,062,188.90	401

<i>Capitol police.</i>						
For salaries	39,900.00	37	39,900.00	37	39,900.00	37
contingent expenses	300.00	-----	200.00	-----	100.00	-----
Total, Capitol police	40,200.00	37	40,100.00	37	40,000.00	37
For compiling Congressional Directory	1,200.00	-----	1,200.00	-----	1,200.00	-----
<i>House of Representatives.</i>						
For salaries of Members and Delegates	1,803,000.00	360	1,833,000.00	360	1,803,000.00	360
mileage	130,000.00	-----	130,000.00	-----	130,000.00	-----
For salaries, Speaker's office	7,201.20	4	7,200.00	4	7,200.00	4
For salary, Chaplain	900.00	1	900.00	1	900.00	1
For salaries, Clerk's office	86,802.11	49	85,644.00	46	84,144.00	46
For salaries, Architect of the Capitol's office	16,480.00	16	16,480.00	16	16,480.00	16
For salaries, annual clerks and messengers to committees	50,400.00	26	50,400.00	26	56,400.00	29
For salaries, session clerks to committees	24,168.00	19	9,918.00	19	12,636.00	18
For salaries, Sergeant-at-Arms's office	15,880.00	8	15,880.00	8	15,880.00	8
For salaries, Doorkeeper's office	131,353.45	152	117,179.60	152	120,604.60	152
For salaries, post-office	22,407.12	20	20,731.20	20	21,181.20	20
hire of horses and mail wagons	3,775.00	-----	3,775.00	-----	3,775.00	-----
For salaries, official reporters	26,200.00	6	26,200.00	6	26,200.00	6
For salaries, committee stenographers	8,000.00	2	8,000.00	2	8,000.00	2
clerk hire, Members and Delegates	230,889.15	-----	93,792.16	-----	93,792.16	-----
materials for folding	5,000.00	-----	5,000.00	-----	5,000.00	-----
fuel, etc., for heating apparatus	8,000.00	-----	12,000.00	-----	8,000.00	-----
furniture	9,000.00	-----	9,000.00	-----	9,000.00	-----
packing boxes	3,218.40	-----	3,218.40	-----	3,218.40	-----
miscellaneous items	20,000.00	-----	20,000.00	-----	20,000.00	-----
stationery	51,000.00	-----	51,000.00	-----	50,000.00	-----
postage stamps	525.00	-----	525.00	-----	525.00	-----
Total, House of Representatives	2,654,199.43	663	2,519,893.36	660	2,495,936.36	662

Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Office of the Public Printer.</i>						
For salaries	\$15, 100. 00	7	\$15, 100. 00	7	\$15, 100. 00	7
contingent expenses	3, 000. 00	-----	3, 000. 00	-----	3, 000. 00	-----
Total, office of the Public Printer	18, 100. 00	7	18, 100. 00	7	18, 100. 00	7
<i>Library of Congress.</i>						
For salaries	44, 520. 00	31	58, 420. 00	44	44, 520. 00	31
For salaries, execution of copyright law	7, 200. 00	8	-----	-----	7, 200. 00	8
increase of the library	11, 000. 00	-----	13, 000. 00	-----	11, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	1, 000. 00	-----	1, 500. 00	-----	1, 000. 00	-----
removal of the library	-----	-----	5, 000. 00	-----	-----	-----
furniture for new building	-----	-----	50, 000. 00	-----	-----	-----
For salaries, care and management of new building for 4 months	-----	-----	12, 406. 66	57	-----	-----
For salaries, additional force of Librarian's assistants for 4 months	-----	-----	15, 353. 33	57	-----	-----
Total, Library of Congress	63, 720. 00	39	155, 679. 99	158	63, 720. 00	39
<i>Botanic Garden.</i>						
For superintendent	1, 800. 00	1	1, 800. 00	-----	1, 800. 00	1
wages and miscellaneous expenses	17, 093. 75	-----	17, 093. 75	-----	17, 093. 75	-----
Total, Botanic Garden	18, 893. 75	1	18, 893. 75	1	18, 893. 75	1
<i>Executive.</i>						
For the President	50, 000. 00	1	50, 000. 00	1	50, 000. 00	1
For the Vice-President	8, 000. 00	1	-----	-----	8, 000. 00	1
For salaries, Executive Office	35, 200. 00	21	35, 200. 00	21	35, 200. 00	21
contingent expenses	8, 000. 00	-----	8, 000. 00	-----	8, 000. 00	-----
Total, Executive	101, 200. 00	23	93, 200. 00	22	101, 200. 00	23

Civil Service Commission.

For salaries.....	91,340.00	62	98,480.00	69	91,340.00	62
traveling expenses.....	7,000.00	-----	8,000.00	-----	7,000.00	-----
Total, Civil Service Commission.....	98,340.00	62	106,480.00	69	98,340.00	62

Department of State.

For salaries.....	117,820.00	80	119,620.00	82	117,820.00	80
miscellaneous and contingent expenses.....	15,200.00	-----	39,600.00	-----	15,200.00	-----
Total, Department of State.....	133,020.00	80	159,220.00	82	133,020.00	80

Treasury Department.

For salaries, Secretary's office.....	523,602.20	537	529,185.40	542	520,519.90	536
stationery.....	26,000.00	-----	30,000.00	-----	26,000.00	-----
postage.....	1,500.00	-----	1,200.00	-----	1,000.00	-----
rent of buildings.....	3,970.00	-----	3,970.00	-----	3,970.00	-----
contingent expenses.....	53,000.00	-----	61,000.00	-----	53,000.00	-----
For salaries, Supervising Architect's office.....	5,220.00	2	5,220.00	2	5,220.00	-----
For salaries, Comptroller's office.....	40,400.00	20	40,400.00	20	40,400.00	20
For salaries, office of Auditor for Treasury Department.....	143,900.00	104	143,900.00	104	141,900.00	102
For salaries, office of Auditor for War Department.....	301,500.00	219	301,500.00	219	301,500.00	219
restoring rolls.....	21,000.00	-----	21,000.00	-----	21,000.00	-----
For salaries, office of Auditor for Navy Department.....	68,080.00	50	68,080.00	50	68,080.00	50
For salaries, office of Auditor for Interior Department.....	156,940.00	120	156,940.00	120	156,940.00	120
to bring up work in Indian division.....	18,000.00	12	-----	-----	-----	-----
For salaries, office of Auditor for State and other Departments.....	84,520.00	58	84,520.00	58	87,120.00	60
For salaries, office of Auditor for Post-Office Department.....	517,540.00	448	517,540.00	448	517,540.00	448
salaries, additional force, money-order business.....	50,100.00	40	50,100.00	40	48,500.00	39
For salaries, Treasurer's office.....	264,764.80	221	289,841.60	250	282,761.60	246
salaries, Treasurer's office (reimbursable).....	61,700.00	49	61,500.00	49	61,500.00	49
For salaries, Register's office.....	70,770.00	58	70,770.00	58	67,770.00	56
For salaries, Comptroller of the Currency's office.....	103,420.00	77	103,820.00	77	103,420.00	77
salaries, Comptroller of the Currency's office (reimbursable).....	16,826.00	13	16,820.00	13	16,820.00	13
expenses special examinations and of macerating machines.....	1,600.00	-----	1,600.00	-----	1,600.00	-----
For salaries, Commissioner of Internal Revenue's office.....	259,090.00	200	259,090.00	200	259,090.00	200
salaries, under act imposing income tax.....	30,590.00	24	-----	-----	-----	-----
salaries, Commissioner of Internal Revenue's office (reimbursable).....	2,500.00	2	2,500.00	2	2,500.00	2
For salaries, Light-House Board.....	36,240.00	29	36,240.00	29	36,240.00	29

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Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Treasury Department—Continued.</i>						
For salaries, Life-Saving Service	\$37, 780.00	26	\$37, 780.00	26	\$37, 780.00	26
For salaries, Bureau of Navigation	26, 080.00	21	26, 140.00	21	26, 080.00	21
For salaries, Bureau of Engraving and Printing	17, 450.00	11	17, 450.00	11	17, 450.00	11
For salaries, Bureau of Statistics	47, 550.00	36	49, 550.00	37	47, 550.00	36
collecting statistics relative to commerce			1, 000.00			
For salaries, Secret Service division	11, 620.00	7	11, 620.00	7	11, 620.00	7
For salaries, Standard Weights and Measures Office	4, 190.00	4	4, 490.00	4	4, 190.00	4
contingent and expenses international committee	975.00		975.00		975.00	
For salaries, Director of the Mint's office	29, 160.00	18	29, 160.00	18	29, 160.00	18
freight on bullion and coin	20, 000.00		20, 000.00		16, 000.00	
contingent expenses	7, 150.00		7, 150.00		7, 150.00	
Total, Treasury Department	3, 064, 722.00	2, 406	3, 062, 052.00	2, 405	3, 022, 346.50	2, 391
<i>Internal revenue.</i>						
For salaries and expenses of collectors and deputies, etc	1, 710, 000.00		1, 850, 000.00		1, 710, 000.00	
salaries, additional deputy collectors	408, 600.00	303				
For salaries and expenses of agents, etc	1, 900, 000.00		2, 150, 000.00		1, 900, 000.00	
salaries, additional agents	36, 000.00	10				
Total, internal revenue	4, 054, 600.00	313	4, 000, 000.00		3, 610, 000.00	
<i>Independent Treasury.</i>						
For salaries at Baltimore	23, 800.00	16	23, 800.00	16	23, 800.00	16
For salaries at Boston	37, 910.00	24	38, 910.00	25	38, 910.00	25
For salaries at Chicago	33, 500.00	24	34, 220.00	25	33, 500.00	24
For salaries at Cincinnati	18, 760.00	14	18, 760.00	14	18, 760.00	14
For salaries at New Orleans	20, 490.00	14	20, 590.00	14	20, 490.00	14
For salaries at New York	192, 890.00	116	193, 190.00	116	192, 890.00	116
For salaries at Philadelphia	42, 340.00	30	42, 340.00	30	42, 340.00	30
For salaries at St. Louis	22, 460.00	16	22, 460.00	16	22, 460.00	16

For salaries at San Francisco	27, 120. 00	15	27, 120. 00	15	27, 120. 00	15
For salaries, special agents, etc	3, 000. 00	-----	3, 500. 00	-----	3, 000. 00	-----
checks and drafts	13, 000. 00	-----	10, 000. 00	-----	10, 000. 00	-----
Total, Independent Treasury	435, 270. 00	269	434, 890. 00	271	433, 270. 00	270
<i>Mints and assay offices.</i>						
For salaries at Carson City, Nev	18, 100. 00	9	17, 300. 00	9	17, 300. 00	9
wages of workmen	15, 000. 00	-----	15, 000. 00	-----	15, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	7, 500. 00	-----	7, 500. 00	-----	7, 500. 00	-----
For salaries at Denver, Colo	12, 350. 00	7	12, 350. 00	7	12, 350. 00	7
wages of workmen	20, 000. 00	-----	20, 000. 00	-----	20, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	5, 000. 00	-----	5, 000. 00	-----	5, 000. 00	-----
For salaries at New Orleans, La	31, 950. 00	17	31, 950. 00	17	31, 950. 00	17
wages of workmen	74, 000. 00	-----	74, 000. 00	-----	74, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	33, 000. 00	-----	25, 000. 00	-----	25, 000. 00	-----
For salaries at Philadelphia, Pa	41, 550. 00	18	41, 550. 00	18	41, 550. 00	18
wages of workmen	275, 000. 00	-----	275, 000. 00	-----	285, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	75, 000. 00	-----	75, 000. 00	-----	65, 000. 00	-----
For salaries at San Francisco, Cal	41, 100. 00	18	41, 100. 00	18	41, 100. 00	18
wages of workmen	170, 000. 00	-----	170, 000. 00	-----	170, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	35, 000. 00	-----	35, 000. 00	-----	35, 000. 00	-----
For salaries at Boise City, Idaho	3, 200. 00	2	3, 200. 00	2	3, 200. 00	2
wages of workmen	7, 500. 00	-----	7, 500. 00	-----	7, 500. 00	-----
contingent expenses	9, 000. 00	-----	2, 500. 00	-----	2, 500. 00	-----
For salaries at Charlotte, N. C	2, 750. 00	2	2, 750. 00	2	2, 750. 00	2
wages of workmen	1, 080. 00	-----	1, 080. 00	-----	1, 080. 00	-----
contingent expenses	2, 000. 00	-----	920. 00	-----	920. 00	-----
For salaries at Helena, Mont	7, 250. 00	4	7, 250. 00	4	7, 250. 00	4
wages of workmen	13, 000. 00	-----	13, 000. 00	-----	13, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	5, 000. 00	-----	5, 000. 00	-----	5, 000. 00	-----
For salaries at New York, N. Y	39, 250. 00	17	39, 250. 00	17	39, 250. 00	17
wages of workmen	27, 500. 00	-----	27, 500. 00	-----	27, 500. 00	-----
contingent expenses	10, 000. 00	-----	10, 000. 00	-----	10, 000. 00	-----
For salaries at St. Louis, Mo	3, 000. 00	2	3, 000. 00	2	3, 000. 00	2
wages of workmen	1, 000. 00	-----	1, 000. 00	-----	1, 000. 00	-----
contingent expenses	2, 400. 00	-----	750. 00	-----	750. 00	-----
Total, mints and assay offices	978, 900. 00	96	970, 450. 00	96	970, 450. 00	96

Legislative, executive, and judicial bill, 1897—Continued.

Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Government in the Territories.</i>						
For salaries in Alaska.....	\$23,000.00	16	\$24,200.00	17	\$23,000.00	16
contingent expenses.....	2,000.00		2,000.00		2,000.00	
For salaries in Arizona.....	16,900.00	7	16,900.00	7	16,900.00	7
contingent expenses.....	500.00		500.00		500.00	
legislative expenses.....	2,000.00		25,000.00		24,250.00	
For salaries in New Mexico.....	19,900.00	8	19,900.00	8	19,900.00	8
contingent expenses.....	500.00		500.00		500.00	
legislative expenses.....	2,000.00		26,690.00		26,000.00	
repairs to adobe palace.....			3,000.00			
For salaries in Oklahoma.....	19,400.00	7	19,400.00	7	19,400.00	7
contingent expenses.....	1,500.00		1,500.00		500.00	
legislative expenses.....	2,000.00		25,000.00		24,250.00	
For salaries in Utah.....	8,200.00	6				
contingent expenses.....	250.00					
legislative expenses.....	750.00					
Commission, salaries.....	5,000.00	5				
Commission, contingent expenses.....	3,500.00					
(Until December 31, 1895.)						
Total, government in the Territories.....	107,400.00	49	164,590.00	39	157,200.00	38
<i>War Department.</i>						
For salaries, Secretary's office.....	92,900.00	70	95,140.00	72	94,300.00	71
stationery.....	30,000.00		30,000.00		25,000.00	
contingent expenses.....	54,000.00		54,000.00		45,000.00	
rent.....	4,600.00		4,600.00		4,600.00	
postage to Postal-Union countries.....	500.00		500.00		500.00	

For salaries, Record and Pension Office.....	616,430.00	514	616,430.00	514	616,430.00	514
For salaries, Adjutant-General's Office.....	159,280.00	130	159,280.00	130	159,280.00	130
For salaries, Inspector-General's Office.....	13,160.00	10	12,980.00	10	13,160.00	10
For salaries, Judge-Advocate-General's Department.....	13,660.00	11	15,460.00	12	13,660.00	11
For salaries, Signal Office.....	5,700.00	5	5,700.00	5	5,700.00	5
For salaries, Quartermaster-General's Office.....	152,340.00	120	152,340.00	120	152,340.00	120
For salaries, Commissary-General's Office.....	42,760.00	36	42,760.00	36	42,760.00	36
For salaries, Surgeon-General's Office.....	151,266.00	118	151,266.00	118	151,266.00	118
For salaries, Paymaster-General's Office.....	34,560.00	25	34,560.00	25	34,560.00	25
For salaries, Chief of Ordnance's Office.....	41,660.00	34	41,660.00	34	41,660.00	34
For salaries, Chief of Engineer's Office.....	23,240.00	17	21,840.00	16	21,840.00	16
For salaries, Rebellion Record's Office.....	15,380.00	13	15,380.00	13	15,380.00	13
Total, War Department.....	1,451,436.00	1,103	1,453,896.00	1,105	1,437,436.00	1,103
<i>Public buildings and grounds.</i>						
For salaries.....	4,240.00	3	7,020.00	5	4,240.00	3
overseers, foreman, and laborers.....	28,000.00		30,000.00		28,000.00	
salaries, watchmen.....	14,820.00	22	15,480.00	23	15,480.00	23
contingent expenses.....	500.00		500.00		500.00	
Total, public buildings and grounds.....	47,560.00	25	53,000.00	28	48,220.00	26
<i>State, War, and Navy building.</i>						
For salaries.....	121,380.00	217	121,380.00	217	121,380.00	217
fuel, light, and repairs.....	37,500.00		57,120.00		37,500.00	
Total, State, War, and Navy building.....	158,880.00	217	178,500.00	217	158,880.00	217
<i>Navy Department.</i>						
For salaries, Secretary's office.....	48,760.00	32	48,760.00	32	48,760.00	32
contingent expenses.....	11,000.00		11,000.00		11,000.00	
For salaries, Bureau of Navigation.....	26,120.00	22	26,120.00	22	26,120.00	22
For salaries, office of naval intelligence.....			3,260.00	3		
For salaries, office of naval records of the rebellion.....	16,280.00	14	16,280.00	14	16,280.00	14
publication of naval records.....	22,000.00		50,000.00		18,000.00	
For salaries, library of the Navy Department.....	2,380.00	3	2,380.00	3	2,380.00	3
professional books and periodicals.....	500.00		500.00		500.00	
For salaries, Judge-Advocate-General's office.....	10,460.00	8	10,460.00	8	10,460.00	8

Legislative, executive, and judicial bill, 1897—Continued.

Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Navy Department—Continued.</i>						
For salaries, Hydrographic Office	\$5,440.00	5	\$5,440.00	5	\$5,440.00	5
draftsmen, engravers, etc.....	40,000.00	-----	41,800.00	-----	40,000.00	-----
miscellaneous expenses	30,000.00	-----	30,000.00	-----	30,000.00	-----
rent, gas, repairs, etc.....	1,500.00	-----	1,500.00	-----	1,500.00	-----
contingent expenses of branch office	17,000.00	-----	17,000.00	-----	17,000.00	-----
For Monthly Pilot Chart, North Pacific.....	10,000.00	5	10,000.00	5	10,000.00	5
For salaries, Bureau of Equipment.....	7,780.00	7	7,780.00	7	7,780.00	7
For salaries, Nautical Almanac Office.....	15,480.00	13	15,480.00	13	15,480.00	13
pay of computers on piecework	7,000.00	-----	7,000.00	-----	7,000.00	-----
For salaries, Naval Observatory.....	37,160.00	38	38,900.00	40	37,160.00	38
contingent and miscellaneous expenses	14,700.00	-----	15,200.00	-----	14,200.00	-----
For salaries, Bureau of Steam Engineering.....	11,090.00	9	11,090.00	9	11,090.00	9
For salaries, Bureau of Construction and Repair.....	13,380.00	10	13,380.00	10	13,380.00	10
For salaries, Bureau of Ordnance	12,480.00	10	12,480.00	10	12,480.00	10
For salaries, Bureau of Supplies and Accounts	36,840.00	30	37,540.00	30	36,840.00	30
For salaries, Bureau of Medicine and Surgery	11,860.00	11	11,860.00	11	11,860.00	11
For salaries, Bureau of Yards and Docks	10,580.00	8	10,580.00	8	10,580.00	8
Total, Navy Department.....	419,790.00	225	455,790.00	230	415,290.00	225
<i>Department of the Interior.</i>						
For salaries, Secretary's office.....	220,070.00	182	221,830.00	183	220,070.00	182
expenses, special land inspectors.....	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	-----	2,000.00	-----
contingent expenses.....	73,000.00	-----	73,000.00	-----	73,000.00	-----
stationery.....	52,500.00	-----	52,500.00	-----	52,500.00	-----
scientific books.....	500.00	-----	500.00	-----	500.00	-----
rent of buildings.....	40,500.00	-----	40,500.00	-----	39,000.00	-----
postage to Postal Union countries.....	3,000.00	-----	3,000.00	-----	3,000.00	-----
For salaries, Assistant Attorney-General's office.....	42,650.00	22	42,650.00	22	42,650.00	22

For salaries, General Land Office.....	488,850.00	372	511,350.00	383	488,850.00	372
expenses of inspectors.....	7,000.00		7,000.00		7,000.00	
law books for library.....	400.00		500.00		400.00	
maps of the United States.....	14,840.00		14,840.00		14,840.00	
For salaries of mine inspectors.....	6,000.00	3			6,000.00	3
} (Estimated for under sundry civil	5,000.00				5,000.00	
} expenses of mine inspectors.....						
} bill for 1897.)						
For salaries, Indian Office.....	115,620.00	91	116,620.00	91	115,620.00	91
For salaries, Pension Office.....	2,086,710.00	1,686	2,093,110.00	1,690	2,086,710.00	1,686
For salaries, special examiners, Pension Office.....	195,000.00	150	195,000.00	150	195,000.00	150
expenses, special examiners.....	500,000.00		500,000.00		500,000.00	
For salaries, Patent Office.....	694,190.00	606	759,280.00	658	694,190.00	606
scientific library.....	2,000.00		10,000.00		2,000.00	
foreign exchanges.....			2,000.00			
producing Gazette.....	99,655.00		95,900.00		95,900.00	
producing copies of drawings.....	61,129.00		59,000.00		59,000.00	
investigating public use of inventions.....	250.00		250.00		250.00	
international bureau at Berne.....	700.00		800.00		700.00	
expenses investigation of arts and manufactures.....			1,250.00			
For salaries, Bureau of Education.....	51,820.00	43	52,120.00	43	51,820.00	43
books for library.....	500.00		1,000.00		500.00	
collecting statistics.....	2,500.00		4,000.00		2,500.00	
distribution of documents.....	2,500.00		4,000.00		2,500.00	
For salaries, Commissioner of Railroads' office.....	11,420.00	6	11,420.00	6	11,420.00	6
examinations and inspections.....	1,000.00		1,000.00		1,000.00	
For salaries, office of the Architect of the Capitol.....	20,644.00	18	20,644.00	18	20,644.00	18
For salaries, office of the Geological Survey.....	31,390.00	29	34,390.00	30	31,390.00	29
Total, Department of the Interior.....	4,833,338.00	3,208	4,931,454.00	3,274	4,825,954.00	3,208
<i>Surveyors-general.</i>						
For salaries.....	31,200.00	16	33,700.00	18	31,200.00	16
clerk hire.....	102,500.00		135,425.00		102,500.00	
contingent expenses.....	20,400.00		28,803.00		20,400.00	
Total, surveyors-general.....	154,100.00	16	197,928.00	18	154,100.00	16

Legislative, executive, and judicial bill, 1897—Continued.

Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Post-Office Department.</i>						
For salaries, Postmaster-General's Office.....	\$25,020.00	13	\$26,020.00	14	\$26,020.00	14
For salaries, Assistant Attorney-General's Office.....	12,220.00	8	12,220.00	8	12,220.00	8
For salaries, First Assistant Postmaster-General's Office.....	263,160.00	234	264,480.00	236	263,160.00	234
For salaries, Second Assistant Postmaster-General's Office.....	164,000.00	115	164,000.00	115	164,180.00	115
For salaries, Third Assistant Postmaster-General's Office.....	120,870.00	91	124,670.00	94	120,870.00	91
For salaries, Fourth Assistant Postmaster-General's Office.....	84,600.00	59	88,400.00	62	87,200.00	61
For salaries, topographer's office.....	31,020.00	25	31,740.00	26	31,020.00	25
For salaries, disbursing clerk's office.....	60,760.00	94	60,760.00	94	60,760.00	94
For contingent expenses.....	47,750.00	-----	48,250.00	-----	47,750.00	-----
rent of buildings.....	26,500.00	-----	26,800.00	-----	25,500.00	-----
Official Postal Guide.....	27,000.00	-----	27,000.00	-----	25,000.00	-----
post-route maps.....	18,000.00	-----	21,000.00	-----	18,000.00	-----
postage to Postal-Union countries.....	550.00	-----	550.00	-----	550.00	-----
Total, Post-Office Department.....	881,450.00	639	895,890.00	649	882,230.00	642
<i>Department of Justice.</i>						
For salaries, Attorney-General's Office.....	152,110.00	92	168,210.00	97	156,510.00	95
contingent expenses.....	10,900.00	-----	15,000.00	-----	12,150.00	-----
For salaries, office Solicitor of the Treasury.....	26,880.00	15	26,880.00	15	26,880.00	15
contingent expenses.....	450.00	-----	750.00	-----	450.00	-----
Total, Department of Justice.....	190,340.00	107	210,840.00	112	195,990.00	110
<i>Department of Labor.</i>						
For salaries.....	101,220.00	75	108,020.00	80	101,220.00	75
per diem expenses of special agents.....	54,000.00	-----	54,000.00	-----	60,000.00	-----
stationery.....	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----	1,500.00	-----
books, periodicals, etc.....	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----
postage to Postal Union countries.....	350.00	-----	350.00	-----	450.00	-----

For rent	5,000.00	-----	5,000.00	-----	5,000.00	-----
contingent expenses.....	3,000.00	-----	3,000.00	-----	3,000.00	-----
investigation of liquor problem.....		-----	20,000.00	-----		-----
Total, Department of Labor	165,570.00	75	192,370.00	80	172,170.00	75
<i>Judicial.</i>						
Supreme Court:						
Salaries Chief Justice and associate justices.....	90,500.00	9	90,500.00	9	90,500.00	9
Salary of marshal.....	3,000.00	1	3,000.00	1	3,000.00	1
Salaries of stenographic clerks.....	14,400.00	9	14,400.00	9	14,400.00	9
Circuit courts, salaries, circuit judges	60,000.00	10	132,000.00	22	132,000.00	22
Circuit court of appeals:						
Salaries, circuit judges.....	72,000.00	12				
Salaries, clerks.....	27,000.00	9	27,000.00	9	27,000.00	9
Court of Private Land Claims:						
Salaries of justices.....	25,000.00	5	25,000.00	5	25,000.00	5
Salary of clerk.....	2,000.00	1	2,000.00	1	2,000.00	1
Salary of stenographer.....	1,500.00	1	1,500.00	1	1,500.00	1
Salary of attorney.....	3,500.00	1	3,500.00	1	3,500.00	1
Salary of interpreter.....	1,500.00	1	1,500.00	1	1,500.00	1
Salaries of deputy clerks, additional assistants, etc.....						
District courts:						
Salaries of district judges.....	320,000.00	64	320,000.00	64	320,000.00	64
Salary of a judge, United States court in Indian Territory.....	3,500.00	1				
Indian Territory, United States courts (in deficiency act for 1896, estimated)	175,000.00	-----	210,600.00	-----	175,000.00	-----
Court of appeals, District of Columbia:						
Salaries, chief justice and associate justices.....	18,500.00	3	18,500.00	3	18,500.00	3
Salary of clerk.....	3,000.00	1	3,000.00	1	3,000.00	1
Salary of assistant clerk.....	2,000.00	1	2,000.00	1	2,000.00	1
Salary of messenger.....	720.00	1	720.00	1	720.00	1
Clerical assistance, etc.....	500.00	-----	500.00	-----	500.00	-----
Supreme court, District of Columbia:						
Salaries, chief justice and associate judges.....	30,000.00	6	30,000.00	6	30,000.00	6
Clerk district court, northern district of Illinois	3,000.00	1	3,000.00	1	3,000.00	1
Commissioner Yellowstone Park (in sundry civil act for 1896)	1,000.00	1	1,000.00	1	1,000.00	1
District attorneys of United States	20,900.00	73	20,700.00	72	20,700.00	72
Marshals of the United States	13,700.00	66	13,500.00	65	13,500.00	65
Total, judicial	892,220.00	277	923,920.00	274	888,320.00	274

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Object.	Appropriations for 1896.		Estimates for 1897.		Recommended for 1897.	
	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.	Amounts.	No. of salaries.
<i>Court of Claims.</i>						
For salaries.....	\$35,840.00	14	\$37,040.00	14	\$35,840.00	14
contingent expenses.....	3,000.00	-----	4,000.00	-----	3,000.00	-----
reporting decisions.....	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----	1,000.00	-----
Total, Court of Claims.....	39,840.00	14	42,040.00	14	39,840.00	14
Grand total.....	22,069,778.08	10,352	22,365,051.00	10,252	21,444,195.51	10,017

NOTE: Total increase in amount of estimates 1897 over appropriations for 1896	\$295,272.92
Net decrease in number of salaries estimated 1897 under appropriations for 1896.....	100
Net decrease in amount of this bill under estimates for 1897	920,855.49
Net decrease in number of salaries in this bill under estimates for 1897.....	235
Net decrease in amount of this bill under appropriations for 1896	625,482.57
Net decrease in number of salaries in this bill under appropriations for 1896.....	335