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CERTAIN DEFICIENCIES IN APPROPRIATIONS.

LETTER

FROM

THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY,

TRANSMITTING

A LIST OF CERTAIN DEFICIENCIES IN APPROPRIATIONS THE AMOUNTS OF WHICH HAVE BEEN FOUND DUE BY THE ACCOUNTING OFFICERS OF THE TREASURY.

FEBRUARY 28, 1899.—Referred to the Committee on Appropriations and ordered to be printed.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT,
 OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY,
 Washington, D. C., February 28, 1899.

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith, for the consideration of Congress, a list of certain deficiencies in appropriations the amounts of which have been found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury, and will require appropriations for their payment, viz:

STATE DEPARTMENT.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Contingent expenses, foreign missions," fiscal year 1898.....	\$296.06
To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Contingent expenses, United States consulates," for the fiscal years as follows:	
For the fiscal year 1898.....	5,192.36
For the fiscal year 1897.....	181.28

TREASURY DEPARTMENT.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriations "Contingent expenses, Treasury Department: Freight, telegrams, etc.," for the fiscal years as follows:	
For the fiscal year 1899.....	\$309.46
For the fiscal year 1898.....	1,922.97
To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Expenses of local appraisers' meetings," fiscal year 1899.....	63.27
To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Supplies of light-houses," fiscal year 1897.	495.29

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MINTS AND ASSAY OFFICES.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Freight on bullion and coin, mints and assay offices," for the fiscal year 1899	\$3,998.96
To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Salaries and expenses, assay office at Seattle"	28.63

WAR DEPARTMENT.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of the appropriation "Headstones for graves of soldiers," fiscal year 1897	146.23
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INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of appropriation "Telegraphing and purchase of Indian supplies," fiscal year 1898	39.79
To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of appropriation "Incidentals in New Mexico," fiscal year 1898	22.15

DEPARTMENT OF JUSTICE.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of appropriation "Salaries and expenses of district attorneys, United States courts," fiscal year 189830
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POST-OFFICE DEPARTMENT—PAYABLE FROM POSTAL REVENUES.

To pay amounts found due by the accounting officers of the Treasury on account of appropriations for the postal service, as follows:	
For free-delivery service—	
Fiscal year 1898	35.20
Fiscal year 1897	33.00
For compensation of postmasters, fiscal year 1898	201.87
For inland mail transportation—	
Railroads, fiscal year 1898	13,888.24
Railway post-office cars, fiscal year 1898	2,492.11

Respectfully, yours,

L. J. GAGE, *Secretary.*

The PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE.

