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L E T T E R

OF THE

CHIEF CLERK 'OF COURT OF CLAIMS,

COMMUNICATING

A statement of the judgments rendered in the Court of Claims for the year ending December 6, 1869.

DECEMBER 6, 1869.—Ordered to lie on the table and be printed.

UNITED STATES COURT OF CLAIMS,
Clerk's Office, Washington, D. C., December 6, 1869.

SIR: In compliance with the provisions of section nine of the "Act to provide for appeals from the Court of Claims and for other purposes," approved June 25, 1868, I herewith transmit to the Senate a statement of all judgments rendered in said court for the year ending December 6, 1869, the amounts thereof, the parties in whose favor rendered, the amounts claimed in the petitions dismissed, with a brief synopsis of the nature of each claim.

I have the honor to be, with great respect, your obedient servant,
SAM'L H. HUNTINGTON,
Chief Clerk Court of Claims.

Hon. SCHUYLER COLFAX,
President of the United States Senate.

The clerk of the Court of Claims, in compliance with section nine of the act entitled "An act to provide for appeals from the Court of Claims and for other purposes," approved June 25, 1868, furnishes to Congress the following statement of all judgments rendered in said court for the year ending December 6, 1869, the amounts thereof, the parties in whose favor rendered, and a brief synopsis of the nature of the claim.

Names of claimants.	No.	Amount claimed.	Amount awarded.	Date of judgment.	Attorneys.	Nature of claim.
Emma M. Moore, executrix ..	1569	\$5,000 00 and int. from Mar. 3, 1857.	\$5,000 00	Jan. 11, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck.....	For back pay as a senior captain in the Texan navy, under act of Congress approved March 3, 1857.
Joseph W. Price.....	2954	234 00	*234 00	Jan. 18, 1869	Chipman & Hosmer.....	For one day's pay, subsistence, and other allowances due his rank, for each twenty miles of travel, as first lieutenant in 39th regiment Iowa volunteers, on his way homeward from New York City to Adel, Iowa, after being honorably mustered out of service at Savannah, Georgia, January 6, 1865.
Hamilton Slawson, jr.....	2523	39,950 00	Dismissed...	Jan. 25, 1869	George Taylor.....	For use and service of steamboat De Kalb.
William Clark.....	1985	13,000 00	8,690 00	Jan. 25, 1869	John M. McCalla, James M. Carlisle et al.	For balance on contract to "furnish all the material and make 221,000 cubic yards of embankment at the navy yard at Memphis."
Moses B. Bramhall.....	2632	64,260 0	Dismissed...	Jan. 25, 1869	Lewis & Cox, Owen & Wilson.	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Henry Jones.....	3089	1,760 1	1,363 72	Jan. 25, 1869	Owen & Wilson.....	For pay and allowances as first lieutenant of cavalry from November 19, 1863, to March 5, 1865, during the time he was a prisoner of war in the hands of the rebels.
Deidrick Muller.....	2912	11,377 92	Dismissed...	Jan. 25, 1869	T. J. D. Fuller.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Isaiah Warren.....	3108	1,350 00	1,350 00	Jan. 25, 1869	R. J. Atkinson.....	For rent of Old Dominion pork house and distillery, in the city of Wheeling, and for damages done the same while in possession of the United States as a recruiting station.
John H. Waters.....	3041	6,250 00	1,200 00	Jan. 25, 1869	T. J. D. Fuller.....	For rent of Union Hotel, Georgetown, D. C., and for damages to same while in possession of the United States as a hospital.
R. J. Henderson.....	2811	7,253 00	Dismissed...	Feb. 1, 1869	R. J. Atkinson.....	For balance due on contract to furnish three thousand cords of wood for the army.
S. & W. B. Thayer.....	2932	10,790 32	Dismissed...	Feb. 1, 1869	V. B. Edwards.....	For the refunding of excess of duties paid on spirits lost by leakage and evaporation while in bonded warehouse.
Henry Grossmeyer.....	2798	74,400 00	*8,040 96	Feb. 1, 1869	George Taylor.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Fuller & Hughes.....	2894	63,488 79	15,321 00	Feb. 8, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck.....	For damages for failure and refusal of the United States government to fulfill its contract with the claimants for supply of corn for the army.
James & Jona. Dair.....	3313	6,384 86	*Dismissed...	Feb. 8, 1869	V. B. Edwards.....	For refunding of excess of duties paid on sundry gallons of spirits lost by leakage and evaporation while stored in bonded warehouse.
Richard Gregg et al.....	2913	8,022 58	Dismissed...	Feb. 8, 1869	V. B. Edwards, Carlisle & McPherson.	For refunding of excess of duties paid on spirits lost by leakage and evaporation in course of transportation from Peoria, Illinois, to sundry wholesale markets.
William T. Pate.....	2931	6,904 38	5,852 69	Feb. 8, 1869	V. B. Edwards.....	For balance due on contract for furnishing hay and straw for the army.
Shavor & Corso.....	2571	250,000 00	*Dismissed...	Feb. 15, 1869	Marcus P. Norton, A. L. Merriam.	For the past use of the invention in post offices, post-marking and postage-canceling apparatus, patented April 14, 1863, and reissued
Edward Fordham.....	2913	2,400 00	*1,574 40	Feb. 22, 1869	Owen & Wilson.....	For cotton captured by the United States military
.....	2994	12,950 00

Name	Amount	Disposition	Date	Case Name	Description
John H. Fain	2946	32,982 86	*5,360 00	Feb. 22, 1869	Owen & Wilson
Child, Pratt & Fox	2139	163,111 47	*163,111 00	Mar. 1, 1869	T. J. D. Fuller
Alexander Stoddart	3142	64,520 00	Dismissed...	Mar. 1, 1869	T. J. D. Fuller
Wm. H. Reed et al	3094	15,760 00	*2,500 40	Mar. 1, 1869	R. J. Atkinson
Thomas G. W. Crussell	2974	37,500 00	*26,275 62	Mar. 1, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
Lorenzo A. Phelps	3291	4,332 65	Dismissed...	Mar. 1, 1869	E. Totten
James Leo	3263	12,000 00	6,175 00	Mar. 8, 1869	E. Totten
J. F. Mayes, administrator of Sarah Alexander	1279	393 33	*393 33	Mar. 15, 1869	John A. Wills
Daniel Wormer	2151	15,000 00	*9,000 00	Mar. 15, 1869	J. M. McCalla, Carlisle & McPherson, E. Totten, and Ira Harris
Azariah Mims, administrator of Jacob Redwine, dec'd	2973	903 00	*719 88	Mar. 16, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
Gilbert Secor et al	2227	59,223 94	59,223 94	Mar. 22, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
Benjamin H. Zellner	2273	3,076 71	Dismissed...	Mar. 22, 1869	Riddle & Leski
Elisha Hunt	2476	24,000 00	8,720 00	Mar. 22, 1869	Hine & Wilson
John Silvey	2649	38,500 00	*27,715 38	Mar. 22, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
Asher Ayres	2545	105,178 00	*35,011 68	Mar. 22, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
William W. Burns	2519	202,500 00	*101,242 50	Mar. 22, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
Henry A. Ealer	2751	28,723 88	*20,736 00	Mar. 22, 1869	R. J. Atkinson
Edward Padelford	2462	167,500 00	*123,138 85	Mar. 29, 1869	Carlisle & McPherson
George C. Mason	2286	8,000 00	4,000 00	Mar. 29, 1869	Chipman & Hosmer
William M. Lowry	2501	27,940 00	9,140 00	Mar. 29, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck
William A. Barnes	2936	311 32	311 32	Apr. 5, 1869	Chipman & Hosmer
John Frank Pargoud	3264	20,000 00	Dismissed...	Apr. 12, 1869	Thomas J. Durant
Henry Folsom et al	2981	3,062 33	*Dismissed...	Apr. 12, 1869	A. L. Merriman
Mary A. Tyson et al	2994	6,760 14	*Dismissed...	Apr. 12, 1869	C. F. Black, T. H. Oehlschlager, and A. M. Sallade
William H. Starke	2794	68,975 25	Dismissed...	Apr. 19, 1869	Cooley & Clarke

*Appealed.

JUDGMENTS IN THE COURT OF CLAIMS.

Statement of all judgments rendered in the Court of Claims for the year ending December 6, 1869, &c.—Continued.

Names of claimants.	No.	Amount claimed.	Amount awarded.	Date of judgment.	Attorneys.	Nature of claim.
John C. Frémont	2222	\$42,000 00	\$18,666 00	Apr. 19, 1869	Carlisle & McPherson	For amount due on sundry unpaid bills of exchange drawn by Adam Johnson, as sub-agent, upon the Secretary of the Interior, to the order of the claimant, for supplies furnished the Indians, for cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Morris Kohn	2922	110,990 88	*109,771 20	Apr. 26, 1869	John A. Wills	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Julius A. Hayden	2543	91,630 00	50,581 60	Apr. 26, 1869	George Taylor	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
John R. Holland	2509	1,870 36	1,870 36	Apr. 26, 1869	Carlisle & McPherson	For woolen goods taken by the United States military forces, sold, and the net proceeds covered into the treasury.
Hosea B. Emery <i>et al.</i>	3252	1,808 99	540 00	Apr. 26, 1869	Chipman & Hosmer	For balance due on charter-party for use and services of schooner Montezuma.
Cornelius K. Garrison	2202	22,400 00	22,400 00	Apr. 27, 1869	T. J. D. Fuller	For balance due on contract for furnishing Minié rifles for the army.
John E. Reeside	1963	5,716 83	5,464 00	May 3, 1869	T. J. D. Fuller	For balance due on contracts to carry the United States mail.
William P. Burroughs	3121	620 00	Dismissed...	May 10, 1869	Enoch Totten	For one hundred and twenty-four days' services rendered as inspector of horses.
Mintz & Fass	2772	4,757 32	*1,443 20	May 10, 1869	D. N. Cooley	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Marie L. Perrin <i>et al.</i>	3592	15,075 00	*Dismissed...	May 17, 1869	William H. Towne, Cushing & Boyce.	For compensation for destruction of merchandise in the bombardment of San Juan, (or Greytown,) Central America, by the United States sloop of war Cyane.
Milton Stapp	3565	2,614 02	Dismissed...	May 17, 1869	Crittenden & Edwards	For credit upon the books of the internal revenue department, as a collector of internal revenue, for stolen revenue stamps.
James Hawker	2177	739 00	384 00	May 17, 1869	A. L. Merriman	For services as wagon-master in the army.
Bishop & Westcott	3110	8,400 00	Dismissed...	May 17, 1869	Hughes, Denver & Peck	For the occupation and use, by the Quartermaster's Department of the United States Army, of sundry lots in the city of Memphis, from March 19, 1866, to December 19, 1867.
Joseph Dothage	2609	695 40	Dismissed...	May 17, 1869	D. N. Cooley	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Edgar Baker and forty-four other cases, known as 20 per cent. cases, numbered from 2989 to 3031.	2914	22,202 70	Dismissed...	May 17, 1869	L. G. Hine	For twenty per centum additional pay under the joint resolution of Congress approved February 28, 1867.
Rebecca J. E. Kugler, administratrix of John Kugler, deceased.	2564	24,713 50	15,200 00	May 24, 1869	William Johnston	For the use of a certain tract of land in the State of Ohio known as "Camp Dennison," and one acre of which is now used as a cemetery by the United States.
Charles G. Scott	3679	17,605 66	*Dismissed...	May 24, 1869	Chipman & Hosmer	For breach of contract on part of the United States, for the transportation of government troops and supplies from Little Rock to Fort Smith.
James Lindeley, for the use of Paramore, Sowers & Co.	3624	2,600 00	Dismissed...	May 24, 1869	Weed & Clarke	For amount due on contract to furnish sand for the use of the military railroads in Tennessee.
Edwin Bates	2582	25,929 45	Dismissed...	May 24, 1869	D. N. Cooley	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Hermann Bulwinkle	2574	18,654 95	*7,408 96	May 24, 1869	Thomas Wilson	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Henry D. McKinney	5108	15,431 78	Dismissed...	May 24, 1869	Bartley & Stanton	For balance due on contract to furnish wood for the army.
Charles O. ...	5109	12,920 00	Dismissed...	May 24, 1869	Bartley & Stanton	For balance due on contract to furnish wood for the army.
John A. Kline, administrator of Victor F. Wilson, dec'd.	2159	113,620 25	125,500 00	May 20, 1869	D. N. Cooley and G. F. Peck	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
					Bartley & Lincoln	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.

<i>John A. Kime, administrator of Victor E. Wilson, dec'd.</i>	2180	113, 639 23	735, 300 00	May 26, 1869	Bartley & Lincoln.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Abraham Burchicll.....	3645	1, 823 95	1, 823 95	May 26, 1869	A. L. Merriman.....	For amount due on contract to furnish cross-ties for the Nashville and Northwestern railroad, when used by the government as a military railroad.
Erederick Stanton, Elizabeth H. Rawle, and Huldah L. Stanton, guardian of Newton H. Stanton.	3207	75, 000 00	*51, 696 16	May 26, 1869	George Taylor.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Philip Hayes.....	2588	4, 125 70	*1, 703 52	May 26, 1869	D. N. Cooley.....	For cotton and turpentine captured by the United States military forces.
H. Henry Knee.....	2583	3, 183 45	*1, 180 80	May 26, 1869	D. N. Cooley.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
William Pollard.....	2962	27, 560 70	*11, 425 80	May 26, 1869	Stewart, Riddle & Leski.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Henry Wayne.....	2969	14, 202 90	*3, 046 88	May 26, 1869	Stewart, Riddle & Leski.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Calvin L. Gilbert.....	2826	10, 800 00	*4, 570 32	May 26, 1869	Stewart, Riddle & Leski.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Delancy Jenks.....	2970	1, 350 00	*571 29	May 26, 1869	Stewart, Riddle & Leski.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
James Tait, for the use of John H. Browning <i>et al.</i>	2171	12, 000 00	*8, 707 34	May 26, 1869	John J. Latting.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Miller & Fellows.....	2648	20, 000 00	*18, 929 00	May 26, 1869	Carlisle & McPherson.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
Eliza A. Habersham, adm'x of John Habersham, dec'd.	2964	6, 439 50	*1, 904 30	May 26, 1869	Stewart, Riddle & Leski.....	For cotton captured by the United States military forces.
George E. Glenn.....	3240	25, 456 80	25, 456 80	May 26, 1869	Chipman & Hosmer.....	For the allowance of a credit upon the books of the Treasury Department for money stolen while in his custody as a paymaster in the United States Army.
Gilman Kirby.....	2754	115 20	97 60	May 26, 1869	J. Daniels.....	For twenty per centum additional pay under the joint resolution of Congress approved February 28, 1867.

*Appealed.

SAM'L H. HUNTINGTON,
Chief Clerk Court of Claims.

WASHINGTON, December 6, 1869.