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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES.

JUNE 26, 1882.—Ordered to be printed.

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

MEMORANDA:

Memoranda relating to the legislative appropriation bill (H. R. 6244), submitted by Mr. Allison on reporting the bill to the Senate from the Committee on Appropriations, June 26, 1882.

Amount of estimates for 1883	\$21,165,903 65
Amount of bill as passed the House	19,880,273 35
Amount added by the Senate committee	336,847 80
Total as reported	20,117,121 15
Amount of appropriations for 1882	17,433,643 49
The bill as reported less than the estimates	948,782 50
The bill as reported exceeds appropriations for 1882	2,783,477 66

The increase over the appropriations for 1882 is for the following purposes:

For settlement of pension claims	\$1,742,430 00
For Sixth Auditor's Office	43,600 00
For General Land Office	81,580 00
For Patent Office	87,930 00
For Post-Office	79,810 00
For Indian Office	10,860 00
For Department of Justice	12,470 00
For appropriations made specific	497,392 25
For miscellaneous appropriations	227,405 41
Total	2,783,477 66

The changes in amounts made by the committee are as follows:

INCREASE.

For Senate, restoration of salaries and for additional employes	\$37,947 80
For Capitol police, contingent fund	500 00
For Public Printer, change in grade of clerk	400 00
For State Department, clerical force	8,900 00
For Treasury Department, Secretary's Office, clerical force	3,550 00
For Supervising Architect's Office, salary of photographer	200 00
For First Comptroller's Office, change in clerical force	120 00
For Commissioner of Custom's Office, 1 clerk	1,000 00
For First Auditor's Office, 1 clerk	1,600 00
For Second Auditor's Office, clerical force	5,200 00
For Third Auditor's Office, clerical force	400 00
For Fifth Auditor's Office, clerical force	1,060 00
For Bureau of Engraving and Printing, change in grade	200 00
For Office of Register of the Treasury, change in force	740 00

For Office of Life Saving Service, clerical force.....	3,200 00
For Office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue.....	6,300 00
For salaries, &c., Collector's of Internal Revenue.....	125,000 00
For Office of Assistant Treasurer, New York, 1 assistant engineer.....	720 00
For Office of Director of Mint, clerical force.....	1,760 00
For Assay Office, New York, wages of workmen.....	2,000 00
For War Department, Assistant Secretary of War.....	3,500 00
For Secretary's Office, salaries.....	250 00
For Quartermaster General's-Office, number of agents and for transportation.....	34,000 00
For Commissary-General's Office, 1 messenger.....	840 00
For Rebellion Record's Office, salary of agent.....	400 00
For north wing State, War, and Navy Department Building, laboring force.....	10,390 00
For Public Buildings and Grounds, pay of gardner.....	200 00
For Navy Department, Assistant Secretary.....	3,500 00
For Navy Department, purchase of books.....	2,500 00
For Secretary's Office, 2 clerks class 2.....	2,800 00
For Naval Observatory, pay of laborers.....	400 00
For Interior Department, Secretary's Office, salaries.....	1,000 00
For Assistant Attorney-General's Office, clerical force.....	3,850 00
For General Land Office, clerical force.....	8,500 00
For Indian Office, clerical force.....	10,860 00
For Pension Office, clerical force.....	8,000 00
For Patent Office, clerical force.....	20,000 00
For Patent Office, abridgment of letters-patent.....	35,000 00
For Bureau of Education, clerical force.....	3,600 00
For Post-Office Department, Office of Postmaster-General, clerical force.....	1,620 00
For First Assistant Postmaster-General, clerical force.....	13,020 00
For Second Assistant Postmaster-General, clerical force.....	10,120 00
For Third Assistant Postmaster-General, clerical force.....	900 00
For Superintendent of Foreign Mails, 1 clerk.....	1,200 00
For Superintendent of Money-Order System, watchmen and laborers.....	1,380 00
For Topographer's Office, 2 clerks.....	2,000 00
For Attorney-General's Office, clerical force.....	3,320 00
Total increase in amount.....	383,947 80

REDUCTION.

For Library of Congress, clerical force.....	\$200 00
For Second Comptroller's Office, clerical force.....	1,000 00
For Sixth Auditor's Office, clerical force.....	20,400 00
For Comptroller of the Currency, special examination national banks.....	2,000 00
For Treasury Department, contingent expenses.....	15,600 00
For assistant treasurer's, San Francisco, 1 clerk.....	1,600 00
For mint at San Francisco, salary register of deposits.....	200 00
For Adjutant-General's office, change in grades of clerks.....	600 00
For superintendents, War Department buildings.....	1,000 00
For War Department, postage.....	1,000 00
For Commissioner of Railroads, clerical force.....	200 00
For office disbursing clerk, Post-Office Department, contingent expenses.....	800 00
For salary reporter Supreme Court.....	2,500 00
Total reduction in amount.....	47,100 00

Net increase in amount made by the committee..... 336,847 80

The changes made by the committee in the numerical force of the House bill for the executive departments are as follows:

INCREASE.

State Department.....	6
Treasury Department, Secretary's office.....	2
Commissioner of Customs.....	1
First Auditor.....	1
Second Auditor.....	1
Fifth Auditor.....	1
Register of the Treasury.....	1

Life-Saving Service	2
Commissioner of Internal Revenue.....	7
Director of the Mint	2
War Department, Secretary's Office	1
Quartermaster-General's agents	10
Commissary-General	1
Surgeon-General	3
North wing State, War, and Navy Department Building.....	26
Navy Department, Secretary's Office	3
Assistant Attorney-General's, Interior	2
General Land Office	4
Indian Office.....	7
Bureau of Education	2
Postmaster-General.....	2
First Assistant Postmaster-General.....	10
Second Assistant Postmaster-General.....	8
Third Assistant Postmaster-General	1
Superintendent of Foreign Mails.....	1
Superintendent of Money-Order System.....	2
Topographer's Office.....	2
Disbursing Officer Post-Office Department.....	7
Attorney General.....	3
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Total	119

REDUCTION.

First Comptroller	2
Third Auditor.....	1
Sixth Auditor.....	14
Adjutant-General	7
War Department Buildings.....	4
Commissioner of Railroads	1
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Total	29
Net increase.....	90

NUMBER OF EMPLOYÉES IN THE EXECUTIVE DEPARTMENTS.

Number specifically authorized for 1882.....	5,315
Number employed and paid from miscellaneous appropriations.....	840
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Total	6,155
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Number estimated for 1883.....	7,649
Number recommended by Senate Committee.....	7,606
Number recommended less than estimates.....	43
Number recommended over 1882.....	1,451
Number of this increase over 1882, for the settlement of pension cases.....	1,210

