

BY AUTHORITY.

PUBLIC ACTS

Passed during the first session of the Thirty-first Congress.

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AN ACT making appropriations for the civil and diplomatic expenses of Government for the year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty-one, and for other purposes.

LIGHT-HOUSE ESTABLISHMENT.

For supplying light-houses, containing three thousand one hundred and ten lamps, with oil, tube-glasses, wicks, buff-skirts, whiting, and cotton cloth, transportation and other expenses thereon, and for repairing and keeping in repair the lighting apparatus, one hundred and forty-seven thousand four hundred and seventy-four dollars and nineteen cents.

For providing surf-boats, life-boats, and other means for the preservation of life and property shipwrecked on the coast of the United States, ten thousand dollars; to be expended under the control and direction of the Secretary of the Treasury.

For repairs and incidental expenses, refitting, and improvements of light-houses, and buildings connected therewith, eight thousand four hundred and thirty dollars and sixty cents.

For salaries of three hundred and two keepers of light-houses, and twenty assistants, (twenty-five of them charged with double and two with triple lights,) and including one thousand two hundred dollars for salary of an inspector of lights on the upper lakes, one hundred and twenty-seven thousand four hundred and forty-eight dollars and thirty-three cents.

For salaries of fifty keepers of floating lights, twenty-one thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For seamen's wages, repairs and supplies of forty floating lights, seventy-one thousand, three hundred and ninety dollars and seventy-seven cents.

For expenses of weighing, mooring, cleansing, repairing boxes of beacons, buoys, chains, and sinkers, thirty-nine thousand four hundred and forty-nine dollars and ninety-two cents.

For expenses of superintendents in visiting light-houses annually, and reporting their condition, two thousand dollars.

For superintendents' commission, at two and a half per cent., on the four hundred and ninety-four thousand one hundred and forty-three dollars and eighty-one cents, appropriated above for light-house purposes, twelve thousand three hundred and fifty-three dollars and sixty cents: Provided, That collectors, whose compensation exceeds twenty-five hundred dollars, shall receive no compensation as superintendents of lights, or discharge agents.

For completing the light-house on Waugoshance, Lake Michigan, twenty thousand five hundred and eighty dollars.

For completing the light-house on Minot's rock, Boston harbor, five thousand dollars.

For completing the light-house on Brandywine Shoal, Delaware Bay, three thousand dollars.

For repair of damages, caused by the late storm, to the light on Brandywine Shoal, two thousand dollars.

For completing the light-house on Blackston's Island, Potomac river, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For completing the light-house on Carysfort reef, coast of Florida, thirty-six thousand dollars.

HOSPITALS.

For completion of the marine hospital at Chicago, Illinois, fifteen thousand dollars.

For completion of the marine hospital at Louisville, Kentucky, five thousand dollars.

For furnishing said hospital, seven thousand dollars.

For completion of the marine hospital at Pittsburgh, now under construction, ten thousand one hundred and forty-nine dollars and forty-two cents.

For inclosing the site of said marine hospital with wooden fence, for filling up, and leveling the lot, and constructing sewers, for supplying the building with water, and protecting the bank of the lot on the Ohio river, eleven thousand six hundred and four dollars.

For furnishing marine hospital at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania, seven thousand dollars.

For completion of the marine hospital at Cleveland, Ohio, eight thousand dollars.

For furnishing said marine hospital, seven thousand dollars.

For grading, piling, &c., that portion of the said marine hospital site at Cleveland, fronting the lake, in order to protect the bank from the encroachment of the water, and secure the hospital edifice, five thousand dollars.

For repairs and improvements of marine hospital at Mobile, Alabama, two thousand three hundred and thirty dollars.

To aid in the construction of a marine hospital at Evansville, Indiana, ten thousand dollars.

To aid in the construction of a marine hospital at Vicksburg, Mississippi, ten thousand dollars.

For repairs and improvements of marine hospital at Key West, Florida, six hundred dollars.

For completion of marine hospital at Paducah, seven thousand six hundred and twenty-five dollars.

For completion of marine hospital at Natchez, two thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

For completion of the marine hospital at Napoleon, Arkansas, ten thousand two hundred and fifty dollars.

For repairs and improvements of marine hospital at New Orleans, five thousand five hundred dollars.

For the construction of a marine hospital to be located by the Secretary of

the Treasury, at or near San Francisco, in the State of California, fifty thousand dollars.

For the purchase of Greenwood's Island, near Pascagoula, Mississippi, lately made by the Surgeon General, under the order of General Twiggs, for the location of a military hospital, five thousand dollars.

SURVEYS OF PUBLIC LANDS.

For surveying the public lands, in addition to the unexpended balance of former appropriations, viz:

For surveying the public lands, including incidental expenses to be apportioned to the several districts according to the exigencies of the public service, the part to be applied to the surveys of the mineral region of Michigan, Wisconsin, and Iowa, and in the reserve required by the location and survey of private claims in Florida, to be distributed at augmented rates, one hundred and fifteen thousand dollars.

For completing the surveys of the towns and villages in Missouri, named in the acts of eighteen hundred and twelve, and eighteen hundred and twenty-four, including office work, two thousand dollars.

For the survey of private claims in Florida, under the act of twenty-eighth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, including the work now under contract, fifteen thousand dollars.

For surveying in Louisiana, viz: For the outstanding liabilities of the surveying department, in Louisiana, exclusive of the Greensburg district, thirty thousand five hundred and fifty dollars.

For the outstanding liabilities of the surveying department in the Greensburg district, Louisiana, three thousand two hundred and twelve dollars.

For the proposed surveys in Louisiana, exclusive of the Greensburg district, and including office work, seventeen thousand dollars.

For proposed surveys, including office work, in the Greensburg district, Louisiana, seventeen thousand six hundred and eighty dollars.

For the mineral land service, to carry out the requirements of the acts of the first and third of March, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, to wit:

For compensation of geologists, assistant geologists, laborers, packmen, &c., and incidental expenses attending the geological examination and survey of the mineral lands in Michigan, Wisconsin, and Iowa, twenty thousand dollars.

For running and marking the northern boundary of the State of Iowa, conformably to the act of the third of March, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, fifteen thousand dollars.

For running and marking the meridian boundary between Wisconsin and Minnesota, six hundred dollars.

For refunding to the surveying appropriation, the amount transferred therefrom, on the application of the Commissioner of the General Land Office, by the Secretary of the Treasury, to the contingent fund of that office, for the service of the fiscal year ending thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, for the payment of outstanding liabilities of that fund, contracted by the General Land Office, before the fourth of March, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, beyond the amount appropriated for that year, and to be carried to the credit of the general surveying fund, thirteen thousand seven hundred and seventeen dollars and forty-six cents.

INTER-COURSE WITH FOREIGN NATIONS.

For salaries of the ministers of the United States to Great Britain, France, Russia, Prussia, Spain, Brazil, Mexico, and Chili, seventy-two thousand dollars.

For salaries of the secretaries of legation to the same places, sixteen thousand dollars.

For salary of minister resident to Turkey, six thousand dollars.

For salary of the dragoman to the legation to Turkey, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For salary of an assistant dragoman and secretary, to the legation to Turkey, fifteen hundred dollars.

For outfit of charges des affaires to Portugal, New Grenada, Guatemala, and Ecuador, eighteen thousand dollars.

For salary and outfit to charge des affaires to Nicaragua, nine thousand dollars.

For salaries of charges des affaires to Portugal, Austria, Denmark, Sweden, Holland, Belgium, Naples, Sardinia, the Papal States, Peru, New Grenada, Venezuela, Buenos Ayres, Bolivia, Guatemala, and Ecuador, seventy-two thousand dollars: And for compensation to Alexander Hammett, for his services as charge des affaires at Naples, from the twentieth of May, eighteen hundred and forty-seven, to the twenty-first of June, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, four thousand eight hundred and seventy-five dollars.

For contingent expenses of all the missions abroad, forty thousand dollars.

For contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, thirty thousand dollars.

For expenses of intercourse with the Barbary Powers, nine thousand dollars.

For salary of the consul at London, two thousand dollars. To defray the expenses of a special agent to the three republics of Venezuela, New Grenada, and Ecuador, to claim of those governments respectively, the several amounts due from each of them on claims of citizens of the United States against the former government of Columbia, two thousand dollars.

For salary of the commissioner to the Sandwich Islands, three thousand dollars.

To Anthony Ter Eyck, for salary and contingent expenses as Commissioner to the Sandwich Islands, for the year ending December thirty-first, eighteen hundred and forty-nine, three thousand nine hundred and twenty-two dollars and eighty-seven cents.

To Charles Earnes for additional compensation as late Commissioner to the Sandwich Islands, in pursuance of the re-

commendation of the Department of State, three thousand dollars.

For interpreters, guards, and other expenses of the consulate at Constantinople, Smyrna, and Alexandria, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For the expenses of the agent of the Sublime Porte, ten thousand dollars, to be disbursed under the direction of the Secretary of State.

For office rent of the consul at Basle, in Switzerland, one hundred dollars.

For salary of a commissioner to reside in China, including the additional compensation under the act of the eleventh of August, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, six thousand dollars.

For salary of the interpreter and secretary to said mission, two thousand five hundred dollars.

For compensation of the consuls at the five ports in China, viz: Kwang-chow, Amoy, Foochow, Ningpo, and Shang-hai, five thousand dollars.

For salary of Consul General at Alexandria, three thousand dollars.

For clerk hire, office rent, and other expenses of the office of the consul at London, two thousand eight hundred dollars.

For salary of the consul at Beirut, five hundred dollars.

For relief and protection of American seamen in foreign countries, one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars.

For additional contingent expenses of foreign intercourse, four thousand dollars.

For relief of Stephen H. Weems, late consul of the United States at Guatemala, and to enable him to procure a passage home, twelve hundred dollars, to be expended under the direction of the State Department.

MISCELLANEOUS.

For the annual repairs in the capitol and attendance on furnaces in crypt, attendance on water closets, cleaning rooms, for public gardener, and laborers, wire, twine, leather, nails, chains, and posts, boxes, straw, whitewashing, manure, trees for grounds, attendance at the western gates of the capitol, repairs of public stables, flagging, enclosures, &c., keeping in order iron pipes that convey water to the capitol and public offices, and repairing damages by freshets: brooms, brushes, wooden spades, and shovelling snow, repairing abutments at Tiber creek, graveling the walks in the capitol grounds, including and improving the public grounds at the north, south, east, and west of the capitol, the open triangular spaces on Pennsylvania, [avenue] for the relaying and repairing flag pavements in the building, terraces, and western approaches, &c., and for other incidental repairs and improvements, twenty thousand dollars.

For annual repairs of President's house, garden, and laborers, graveling the walks in President's square, manure, leather, nails, tools, &c., and repairs of fence at Lafayette square, Fountain square, President's square, and President's garden, carriage, &c., four thousand five hundred dollars.

For improving the grounds in Lafayette square, and fencing the same, three thousand dollars; to be expended under the direction of the President of the United States.

For compensation of four assistants, draw keepers at the Potomac bridge, including oil for lamps and machinery, fire-wood, and repairs, five thousand dollars: Provided, That the allowance to the two assistants employed in keeping the southern draw of said bridge shall be two dollars per day.

For lighting Pennsylvania avenue from Capitol Square to the Treasury Department, and compensation of two lamp-lighters for the same, and for lighting the Capitol and Capitol grounds and President's house, eleven thousand dollars.

For compensation and contingent expenses of auxiliary guard, six thousand seven hundred and seventy-five dollars.

For repairs of the bridges on the Eastern Branch of the Potomac, pay of two draw keepers, oil for lamps and machinery, and for reimbursing to the Corporation and levy court of Washington city, the sum of six hundred and fifty dollars advanced by them for repairs already done, five thousand dollars.

For completing the improvements on Louisiana avenue, three thousand dollars.

For grading, graveling, repairing side-walks, building culverts, and otherwise improving New Jersey Avenue, north of the Capitol, three thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings.

For like improvements on New Jersey avenue, from the Capitol Square to public reservation, number seventeen, according to such grade as the Corporation of Washington may hereafter establish, two thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings.

For paying a balance due Peter Gorham, for furnishing stone for paving Pennsylvania avenue, two hundred and sixty dollars and sixty-five cents.

For completing the graveling on Fourth and a-half street, from Maryland avenue to the Arsenal grounds, and flagging the west side, one thousand two hundred dollars.

For the support, care, and medical treatment of twelve transient pauper medical or surgical patients in the Washington Infirmary, two thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings: Provided, The physicians and surgeons of the aforesaid infirmary give bonds for the maintenance of twelve pauper transient patients during one year, if application be made for their reception, and bind themselves to keep rooms for the accommodation of twelve pauper patients weekly on an average during the year.

For completing the grading, planting

with trees and enclosing with a substantial wooden fence for their protection, the mall from Sixth street westward, to the Potomac river, five thousand dollars.

For extending the sewers from the Executive Department and the President's house to the canal, and for further improving the grounds south of the President's house, fifteen thousand dollars.

For paying a balance due the contractor for laying gas pipes between the Capitol and Fifteenth street, within the Capitol and Capitol grounds, and for chandeliers and burners in the President's house, and completing the branch pipes, lamps, &c., within the Capitol grounds, three thousand dollars.

For continuing the sewer under Pennsylvania avenue on the east line of Fourth street to the canal, three thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Commissioner of Public Buildings.

For the extension of the Capitol, according to such plan as may be approved by the President of the United States, one hundred thousand dollars; to be expended under his direction by such architect as he may appoint to execute the same.

That the duties now due the United States upon a certain importation of printed books, contained in three cases, marked one hundred and ninety-three, one hundred and ninety-five, and three, and shipped by William Crierker, from London, England, in the ship J. W. Andrews, unto Messrs. Hill and Sears, Boston, the value of said books being seventy-eight pounds four shillings and six pence sterling, be, and the same are hereby, remitted: Provided, It shall be made to appear to the satisfaction of the Secretary of the Treasury, that such books have not been imported for sale, but for charitable and gratuitous circulation by certain religious societies in the United States.

For refunding to John Joseph Chance, Bishop of Natchez, the duties paid on a cathedral bell, presented to said Bishop by Prince Alexander Torlonia, of Rome, two hundred and fifty dollars.

For the expenses of pauper lunatics in the Maryland Hospital at Baltimore, eight thousand six hundred dollars.

For payment of annuities and grants by special acts of Congress, seven hundred and fifty dollars.

For compensation of Secretary to sign patents for public lands, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For compensation of two additional watchmen on the Capitol grounds, seven hundred and thirty dollars.

For compensation of the Commissioner of Public Buildings, two thousand dollars.

For the discharge of such miscellaneous claims not otherwise provided for, as shall be admitted in due course of settlement at the Treasury, five thousand dollars: Provided, That no part of the appropriation shall be drawn from the Treasury except in pursuance of some law or resolution of Congress authorizing the expenditure.

For salaries and commissions of registers of land offices and receivers of public moneys, one hundred and twenty-eight thousand and seventy dollars.

For expenses of depositing public moneys by receivers of public moneys, seventeen thousand seven hundred and fifteen dollars.

For incidental expenses of the several land offices, twenty-five thousand and fifty dollars.

For salaries of assistant treasurers of the United States at New York, Boston, Charleston, and St. Louis, eleven thousand five hundred dollars.

For additional salary of the treasurer of the mint at Philadelphia, five hundred dollars.

For salaries of ten clerks authorized by the act of sixth August, eighteen hundred and forty-six, and of the twelfth of August, eighteen hundred and forty-eight, nine thousand dollars.

For salary of chief clerk of assistant treasurer at New York, one thousand five hundred dollars.

For contingent expenses under the act for the safe-keeping, collecting, transfer, and disbursement of the public revenue, of sixth August, eighteen hundred and forty-six, sixteen thousand five hundred dollars: Provided, That no part of said sum of sixteen thousand five hundred dollars shall be expended for clerical services.

For compensation to special agents to examine books, accounts, and money on hand in the several depositories, under the act of sixth August, eighteen hundred and forty-six, five thousand dollars.

For expenses of loans and treasury notes, twenty thousand dollars.

For supply of deficiencies in the fund for the relief of sick seamen, including the furnishing of five new marine hospitals now building, viz: Paducah, Kentucky; Chicago, Illinois; Natchez, Mississippi; Napoleon, Arkansas; St. Louis, Missouri; two hundred thousand dollars.

For continuing the construction of the custom-house at New Orleans, two hundred thousand dollars.

For the topographical and hydrographical survey of the Delta of the Mississippi, with such investigations as may lead to determine the most practicable plan for securing it from inundation, and the best mode of a deepening the passes at the mouth of the river as to allow ships of twenty feet draught to enter the same, fifty thousand dollars.

For repairs, alterations, and furniture for the new custom-house at Portland, Maine, eight thousand dollars.

For repairs and furniture for the custom-house at Castine, in the district of Penobscot, three thousand six hundred dollars.

For the purchase of a site, and the erection of a custom-house in the city of Bangor, Maine, fifty thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury; and the cost of said building shall not exceed said sum.

For the purchase of a site, and the erection of a new custom-house at Mobile, to contain rooms for the Post Office in city, and the accommodation of its officers, and also rooms for the United States district court, and the accommodation of its officers, one hundred thousand dollars, in addition to such sum as may be received for the sale of the old custom-house building: Provided, That the plan of the building shall be such, that the whole cost both of the building and site shall in no event exceed the appropriation hereby made.

The Secretary of the Treasury is hereby authorized and required to purchase, as soon as it can be effected on reasonable terms, a site for a custom-house and post office in the city of Bath, in the State of Maine, and to cause to be erected thereon such a building as may be suitable for a custom-house and post office: Provided, also, That the entire cost of such site and building, or of such repairs, shall not exceed the sum of twenty-five thousand dollars.

For repairing and lining the arches and vaults of the custom-house building at Philadelphia, to render them proper for storing goods, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For continuing the construction of the custom-house at Charleston, one hundred thousand dollars.

For the purchase of a site and the building of a custom-house and post office at Norfolk, Virginia, in addition to the proceeds of the sale of the present custom-house and site, to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of the Treasury, fifty thousand dollars: Provided, That the plan of the building shall be such that the whole cost, both of the building and site, shall in no event exceed the appropriation hereby made.

For the erection of a new custom-house at San Francisco, to contain rooms for the post office in that city, and the accommodation of its officers, and also rooms for the United States district court, the accommodation of its officers, and other Government officers in California, until the whole building is needed for custom-house purposes, one hundred thousand dollars: Provided, Said building shall be exempt from all State, City or other taxation: And provided further, That the whole cost of the same shall not exceed four hundred thousand dollars.

For continuing the construction of the custom-house at Savannah, Georgia, fifteen thousand dollars.

For purchasing a site, and commencing the erection of a suitable fire-proof building in the city of St. Louis, Missouri, for custom-house and independent Treasury, and other offices of the United States, the sum of fifty thousand dollars; the whole cost of the building not to exceed the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars: Provided, That said building shall be exempted from city taxes and all other taxes whatever by act of the Legislature of Missouri.

For the purchase of a site, and construction of a proper building at Cincinnati, for a custom-house, independent Treasury, and other offices of the United States, fifty thousand dollars: Provided, That the total cost of construction shall not exceed seventy-five thousand dollars, and provided also, That said building shall be exempted from city taxes and all other taxes whatever, by act of the Legislature of Ohio.

For repairing and painting the custom-house at Providence in the State of Rhode Island, one thousand dollars.

For finishing and altering rooms in the custom-house, Portland, Maine, for the accommodation of the federal courts, clerks of the district and circuit courts, and marshal's office, three thousand and thirty-one dollars and seventy-one cents.

For survey of the coast of the United States, including compensation to superintendent and assistants, one hundred and eighty-six thousand dollars.

For continuation of the survey of reefs, shoals, keys, and coasts of South Florida, by the superintendent of the coast survey, thirty thousand dollars.

For continuing the survey of the western coast of the United States, forty thousand dollars.

To enable the clerk of the House of Representatives to pay for one hundred and two copies of the eighth volume of the American archives, to be retained in his possession until disposed of by Congress, at sixteen dollars and eighty-three cents per volume, one thousand seven hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents.

To enable the clerk of the House of Representatives to pay for one hundred and seventeen copies of the eighth volume of the American archives, to be retained in his possession until disposed of by Congress, at sixteen dollars and eighty-three cents per volume, one thousand nine hundred and sixty-nine dollars and eleven cents.

To enable the clerk of the House of Representatives to pay for reporting and publishing in the "Daily Globe" two thousand columns of the proceedings of the House of Representatives, for this session, at the rate of seven dollars and fifty cents a column, fifteen thousand dollars.

To enable the Clerk of the House of Representatives to pay for binding the Congressional Globe and Appendix, for members of the Thirty-first Congress, ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be required to pay for binding said volumes in strong substantial Russian leather, backs and corners, at a price not exceeding sixty cents.

To enable the Clerk of the House of Representatives to pay for five thousand five hundred and ninety-two copies of the "Congressional Globe," and for five thousand five hundred and ninety-two copies of the Appendix, at three dollars per copy each, thirty-three thousand four hundred and eight dollars.

To enable the Librarian of Congress to subscribe for and purchase one thousand copies of the works of John Adams, second President of the United States to be published by Little and Brown in an edition of ten volumes, Provided, The cost of the same shall not exceed two dollars and twenty-five cents per volume, said volumes to be disposed of as Congress may hereafter direct, twenty-two thousand five hundred dollars.

For completing the eastern wing of the Patent Office building according to the original plan, under the direction of the Secretary of the Interior; and for defraying such expenses as may have been incurred by materials procured or labor applied towards the west wing, prior to the fifteenth of May last, and for such materials or labor as may have been since procured or applied for the security of the old building, one hundred and ten thousand dollars, to be paid out of the patent fund, if so much of said fund remains unappropriated, and if not, the excess out of any money in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

For the collection of agricultural statistics, four thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid out of the patent fund.

For the purchase of such scientific works as are necessary for the use of the Patent Office, one thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid out of the patent fund.

For compensation of Librarian, five hundred dollars, to be paid out of the patent fund.

For payment of the second and third volumes of the fifth series of the Documentary History, under contract with the Secretary of State, thirty-five thousand dollars.

For expenses in running and marking the boundary line between the United States and Mexico, marking the examinations contemplated by the sixth article of the treaty of Guadalupe Hidalgo, and paying the salaries of the officers of the commission, one hundred and thirty-five thousand dollars.

For the warden, clerk, physician, chaplain, two assistant keepers, four guards, and porter of the penitentiary of the District of Columbia, seven thousand five hundred dollars.

For three inspectors of said penitentiary, three hundred dollars.

For discharging the expense of taking the seventh enumeration of the inhabitants of the United States, one million one hundred and sixteen thousand dollars.

For the payment of a balance certified by the First Comptroller of the Treasury to be due to James D. Doty, as governor and superintendent of Indian affairs for the Territory of Wisconsin, one thousand one hundred and forty-eight dollars and nine cents.

For the payment of taxes due on the mint in Philadelphia, for which a judgment has been obtained, ten thousand dollars.

(To be continued.)

Tonolite Academy.

THIS Institution is situated in the town of Forest Grove, Tuscaloosa Plains. It is now in its infancy, yet parents and guardians desiring to send to school, may be assured not only of the healthfulness and beauty of the location, the intelligence and morality of the inhabitants, but especially that such teachers will be employed as will make the highest mental and moral improvement of the scholars, their chief object.

A spacious and noble Academy building has been erected upon a site, commanding the view of two extensive prairies, with their intervening and encircling forests, and when completed, it will furnish ample accommodations for both departments of the school.

Forest Grove is about equidistant from the towns of St. Helena, Milton, Portland, Milledgeville, Oregon City, and Lafayette.

The Spring Term of the Institution will commence.....March 12, 1851.

Summer Term.....June 11, " Fall Term.....Sept. 17, " Winter Term.....Decem. 10, " The Terms will be eleven weeks each. Tuition \$6 per term.

Board may be obtained in private families.

TEXT BOOKS USED:

The Holy Scriptures, Saunderson's Series of Readers, Porter's Rhetorical Reader, Saunderson's and Webster's Spellers, Worcester's and Webster's Dictionaries, Thompson's Arithmetics, Olney's and Smith's Geographies, Wells' Grammar, Wilson's Histories, Gray's Chemistry, Gale's Philosophy, Bullion's Latin and Greek Classics.

By order of the Board. G. H. ATKINSON, Sec'y. January 16, 1851-1114

HEAD QUARTERS 17th MILITARY DEPARTMENT, 1 FORT VANCOUVER, O. T., Oct. 31, 1850.

NOTICE is hereby given to all whom it may concern, that a Military Reservation, for and in behalf of the Government of the United States, is hereby declared, as follows: Commencing at the point where a meridian line, two miles west from the United States Flag Staff, at the Military Post near Fort Vancouver, O. T., strikes the North bank of the Columbia river, thence due North on said meridian four north, thence due East four miles thence due South to the bank of the Columbia river, thence down said bank to the place of beginning. Said reservation being subject close to the lawful claims of the Hudson Bay Company, as guaranteed under the Treaty between the United States and Great Britain, dated July seventeenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-six. All improvements made within the above described limits, by resident settlers prior to the date of this notice, will be approved by a Board of Officers, and payment recommended for the same.

W. W. LOBING, Bvt. Colonel Commanding 11th Military Department.

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New Goods.

DAILY expected by the undersigned, per Bark Francis & Louis, direct from New York to Portland, a large and

GENERAL ASSORTMENT OF GOODS suitable for this country, which they will offer on reasonable terms at wholesale and retail; consisting in part of the following, to wit:

A general assortment of Dry Goods, Groceries, Hardware, Tin-Ware, Crockery, Glass-ware, Baggage, Harness, Saddlery, Leather, Cook Stoves, Featherbeds, Furnitures, Fruits of various kinds, Drugs and Medicines, School Books and Stationery, Boots and Shoes, Ready Made Clothing