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.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, That the following sums be and hereby are, appropriated, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the objects hereinafter expressed, for the fiscal year ending the thirtieth of June, eighteen hundred and fifty one, namely:

LEGISLATIVE.

For compensation and mileage of Senators, members of the House of Representatives and Delegates from Territories, and expenses of the session, three hundred and thirty eight thousand dollars. And it is hereby declared that according to the true interpretation and the third section of the act entitled "An act allowing compensation to the members of the ninth and tenth sessions of the House of Representatives of the United States and to the Delegates of the Territories, and repealing all other laws on that subject," approved twenty second January, eighteen hundred and eighteen, all certificates where there be any be granted by the presiding officers of the Senate and House of Representatives respectively at the amount of compensation due to the members of their several houses, and to such Delegates, are, and ought to be deemed, held, and taken and are hereby declared to be, conclusive upon all the departments and officers of the Government of the United States.

For compensation of the officers and clerks of both Houses of Congress, forty one thousand nine hundred and thirteen dollars and twenty six cents

For six sessory, fuel, printing, and other contingent expenses of the Senate, including publishing proceedings and debates, one hundred thousand dollars.

For stationery, fuel, printing, and all other contingent expenses of the House of Representatives, one hundred and ninety two thousand seven hundred and forty nine dollars

For the purchase of books for the library of the Treasury Department, one thousand dollars

For the purchase of books for the library of the Interior Department, two thousand dollars; and the Secretary is authorized to cause to be transferred to said libraries such books as may be spared from the public collections in the library of Congress and the library of the Senate and the Clerk of the House of Representatives be authorized and required to subscribe on behalf of Congress, for two thousand copies of the Debates and Proceedings of Congress from the commencement of the first session of the present Congress, which one thousand copies of the first Congress shall be considered as subscribed for to the second session of the Fourteenth Congress part to the second session of the Fifteenth Congress, part to the second session of the Sixteenth Congress, part to the second session of the Seventeenth Congress, part to the second session of the Eighteenth Congress, part to the second session of the Nineteenth Congress, part to the second session of the Twentieth Congress, part to the 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