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## REPORT.

Treasury Department, Washington, D. C., December 2, 1878.

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following annual report:
The ordinary revenues, from all sources, for the fiscal year ending June 30,1878 , were-
From customs............................................... $\$ 130,170,68020$
From internal revenue. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 110, 581, 62474
From sales of public lands.............................. 1,079, 74337
From tax on circulation and deposits of national


From customs' fees, fines, penalties, \&c............... 1, 046, 86436
From fees-consular, letters-patent, and lands ...... $2,056,51513$
From proceeds of sales of Government property..... 249,46988
From premium on sales of coin........................... 317,10230

From miscellaneous sources ............................. 2, 341, 109 07
Total ordinary receipts............................ 257, 763, 87870

The ordinary expenditures for the same period were-
For civil expenses ......................................... $\$ 16,551,32316$
For foreign intercourse......................................... 1,229,216 78
For Indians...................................................... 4, 629, 28028
For pensions.................................................... 27, 137,019 08
For the military establishment, including river and
harbor improvements, and arsenals..................... $32,154,14785$
For the naval establishment, including vessels, ma-
chinery, and improvements at navy yards....... 17, 365, 30137
For miscellaneous expenditures, including public
buildings, light-houses, and collecting the revenue. $35,397,16363$
For interest on the public debt.......................... 102, 500, 87465
Total ordinary expenditures................. $236,964,32680$
Leaving a surplus revenue of........................ $\$ 20,799,55190$

Which was applied as follows:
To the redemption of United States notes, \&c....... \$13, 119, 82533
To the redemption of fractional currency........... 3, 855, 36857
To the redemption of six per cent. bonds for the sinking-fund.

73,950 00
To increase of cash balance in the Treasury......... $3,750,40800$
20, 799,551 90

The amount due the sinking:fund for the year was $\$ 35,429,00180$, leaving a deficiency on this account of $\$ 14,629,44990$.

Compared with the previous fiscal year, the recéipts for 1878 have decreased $\$ 11,984,79609$, in the followiug items: in customs revenue, $\$ 785,812 \mathrm{87}$; in internal revenue, $\$ 8,048,78309$; in semi-annual tax on banks, $\$ 215,498$; in sales of Government property, $\$ 84,48508$; in profits on coinage, $\$ 1,582,476 \mathrm{75}$; and in miscellaneous items, $\$ 1,267,740$ 30. There was an increase of $\$ 748,08817$, as follows: in proceeds of sales of public lands, $\$ 103,48969$; in premium on sales of coin, $\$ 67,52152$; and in miscellaneous items, $\$ 577,07696$-making a net decrease, in the receipts from all sources for the year, of $\$ 11,236,70792$.

The decrease of revenue is principally due to the falling off in the receipts from internal revenue, which was probably caused by the agitation in Congress, for a long time, of the reduction of the tax on spirits and tobacco.

The expenditures show an increase of $\$ 7,781,72908$, as follows: in the Navy Department, $\$ 2,405,36601$, and in the interest on the public debt, $\$ 5,376,36307$, the latter of which was due to the large balance of $\$ 7,426,61981$ unpaid interest at the commencement of the year, and to the change from semi-annual to quarterly payments of interest on six per cent. bonds converted into four per cents. which would not otherwise have been made until after the close of the year. There was a decrease of $\$ 9,477,41121$, as follows: in the War Department, $\$ 4,928,58805$; in the Interior Department, $\$ 1,474,46013$; and in the civil and miscellaneous, $\$ 3,074,36303$-making a net decrease in the expenditures of $\$ 1,695,68213$.

## FISCAL YEAR 1879.

For the present fiscal year the revenue, actual and estimated, will be as follows:

| Receipts. | For the quarter ended September 30, 1878. | For the remaining three-quarters of the year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Actual. | Estimated. |
| From customs | \$38, 868, 26810 | \$94, 131, 73190 |
| From internal revenue | 28, 572, 144 46 | 86,427, 85554 |
| From sales of public lands | 260,765 63 | 789, 23437 |
| From tax on circulation and deposits of national baulss | 3, 368,51903 | 3,381,480 97 |
| From repayments of interest by Pacific Railway Companies. | 397,73710 | .952, 26290 |
| From customs' fees, fines, penalties, \&c...... | 244,833 93 | 705, 16607 |
| Fromfees-consular, letters-patent, and lands. | 508,890 76 | 1,491, 10924 |
| From proceeds of sales of Government property | 41, 12751 | 208, 87249 |
| From premitm on sales of coin | 5,441 23 | 44,558 77 |
| From profits on coinage, \&c | 71, 96831 | 1,728,031 69 |
| From miscellaneous sources | 1,060,027 37 | 1,239,972 63 |
| Total receipts...-.......................... | 73,399,723 43 | 191, 100, 27657 |

The expenditures for the same period, actual and estimated, will be-

| Expenditures. | For the quarter ended September 30, 1878. | For the remaining three-quarters of the year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Actual. | Estimated. |
| For civil and miscellaneous expenses, including public buildings, light-houses, and collecting the revenue. | \$15, 044,519 62 | \$39, 955, 48038 |
| For Indians .. | 1,750,517 25 | 3, 049, 48275 |
| For pensions ...-............................... | 7,802,465 63 | 21, 497, 53437 |
| For military establishment, including fortifications, river and harbor improvements, and arsenals | 10,258,900 87 | 28,741, 09913 |
| For naval establishment, including vessels, and machinery and improvements at navy yards <br> For interest on the public debt | $4,520,74284$ $33,967,42706$ | $\begin{aligned} & 10,479,25716 \\ & 63,032,57294 \end{aligned}$ |
| Totalordinary expenditures | $73,344,57327$ | 166,755, 42673 |

Total receipts, actual and estimated.................... $\$ 264,500,000$
Total expenditures, actual and estimated............... $240,100,000$
Leaving a balance of.................................. $24,400,000$
Applicable to the sinking-fund, which is estimated for the year at $\$ 36,954,60787$.

## FISCAL YEAR 1880.

The revenues of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, estimated upon existing laws, will be-
From customs . ......................................... $\$ 133,000,00000$
From internal revenue. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $115,000,00000$
From sales of public lands............................ . . $1,000,00000$
From tax on circulation and deposits of national banks $\quad 6,750,00000$
From repayment of interest by Pacific Railray Companies
$1,400,00000$
From customs' fees, fines, penalties, \&c.............. 1, 100, 00000
From fees-consular, letters-patent, and lands..... $2,000,00000$
From proceeds of sales of Government property.... . 250,00000
From profits on coinage, \&c.......................... $1,600,000,00$
From miscellaneous sources........................... $2,400,00000$
Total ordinary receipts....................... $264,500,00000$

The estimate of expenditures for the same period, received from the several Executive Departments, are as follows:
Legislative. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 2,983,10928$
Executive..................................................... 13, 146, 09263
Judicial...................................................... . . 391,40000
Foreign intercourse. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 1, 178, 63500
Military establishment. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $29,335,72733$
Naval establishment. . . ...................................... 14, 187, 38145
'Indian affairs . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $4,933,24420$
Pensions .................................................. 29,616, 00000
Public works:
Treasury Department. . . . . . ............................... 4, 247,546 65
War Department........................................ $\quad 7,601,78130$
Navy Department. ................................... . . $375,000.00$
Interior Department. ................................... . . 422,71794
Department of Justice.................................. . . 18, 00000
Department of Agriculture ........................... $\quad 6,50000$
Postal service ............................................... $5,907,876 \cdot 10$
Miscellaneous: .............................................. 14, 846, 800 s0
Permanent annual appropriations:
Interest on the public debt . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 95, 000, 00000
Sinking-fund . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $38,802,33 \dot{8} 26$
Refunding-customs, internal revenue, lands, \&c.. \$4, 675, 90000
Collecting revenue from customs................. 5, $800,000.00$
Miscellaneous....................................... 1,661,200 00
Total estimated expenditures, including sink-
ing-fund ...................................... 275, 137, 250.94
Or an estimated deficit of $. . . \ldots \ldots . . . . .$.

Excluding the sinking-fund, the estimated expenditures will be $\$ 236,334,912$ 68, showing a surplus of $\$ 28,165,08732$.

By direction of the President, the estimated expenditures for the next fiscal year have been based upon the appropriations made by Congress for the present fiscal year. The rule has been departed from only as to those branches of the public service belonging to Departments the heads of which deem the estimated increase indispensable, or where existing law demands a greater sum than was appropriated. Such increase is estimated for as follows:

| Legislative | \$115, 19811 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Treasury Department | 319, 68013 |
| War Department | 740,848 14 |
| Navy Department | 20,949 75 |
| Interior Department | 1,462,787 70 |
| Post Office Department | 1,685, 70138 |
| Department of Justice. | 321,340 00 |

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\$ 4,666,505.21
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Less decrease in estimates for Department of State..
Net increase
$4,554,66386$

Earnestly desirous of co-operating with Congress in the reduction of expenditures to the lowest sum consistent with the proper execution of the law, the Secretary has reduced the expenses of the customs service, during the last fiscal year, compared with the previous year, in the sum of $\$ 778,49225$, and herein recommends changes of the law which will enable him to make further reductions therein. The great body of expenditures is fixed by laws which leave no discretion to executive officers. The reduction of appropriations does not reduce expenditures when the law requires the service to be performed, or fixes the salary and number of employes. It must be accompanied by a careful
revision of the laws, reducing the objects of expenditure or the number or compensation of employés. It is believed that, by such a revision, especially of the postal laws, and by a limitation of the amount of appropriations for public works in progress, by the postponement of new works not indispensable for the public service, and by judicious scrutiny of disbursements, that the expenditures for the next fiscal year need not, in the aggregate, exceed the appropriations for the present fiscal year.

The estimate of revenue, based upon existing law, is $\$ 6,736,12130$ more than the actual revenue of the past year. This estimate can only be realized by strict and impartial enforcement of the revenue laws. This is not only a legal duty of revenue officers, but is the right of every honest tax-payer. The enforcement of the tax on spirits and tobacco has, in some places, been resisted by formidable combinations too powerful for the Department, with the forces at its command, to. overcome. The customs duties, in many cases, have been evaded by smuggling, fraud, undervaluation, and false claims for drawbacks and. damage-allowance. Some of these obstructions are incident to the execution of any tax law, but many of them may be overcome by such modifications of the laws as are hereinafter recommended.

It is manifest, from these estimates, that, however desirable it may be to reduce existing taxes, it ought not now to be doue except by supplying the reductions from other sources of revenue. Stability and certainty in the rate and subject of taxation are of great importance, and, therefore, the Secretary recommends that no change be made in them during the present session, except to convert certain ad-valorem duties, hereinafter stated, into specific duties.

## RESUMPTION OF SPECIE PAYMENTS:

The important duty imposed on this Department by the resumption act, approved January 14, 1875, has been steadily pursued during the past year. The plain purpose of the act is to secure to all interests and all classes the benefits of a sound currency, redeemable in coin, with the least possible disturbance of existing rights and contracts. Three of its provisions have been substantially carried into execution by the gradual substitution of fractional coin for fractional currency, by the free coinage of gold, aud by free banking. There remains only the completion of preparations for resumption in coin on the 1st day of January, 1879, and its maintenance thereafter upon the basis of existing law.

At the date of my annual report to Congress in December, 1877, it was deemed necessary as a preparation for resumption to accumulate
in the Treasury a coin reserve of at least forty per cent. of the amount of United States notes outstanding. At that time it was anticipated that under the provisions of the resumption act the volume of United States notes would be reduced to $\$ 300,000,000$ by the 1 st day of January, $\mathbf{1 8 7 9}$, or soon thereafter, and that a reserve in coin of $\$ 120,000,000$ would then be sufficient. Congress, however, in view of the strong popular feeling against a contraction of the currency, by the act approved May 31, 1878, forbade the retirement of any United States notes after that date, leaving the amount in circulation $\$ 346,681,016$. Upon the principle of safety upon which the Department was acting, that forty per cent. of coin was the smallest reserve upon which resumption could prudently be commenced, it became necessary to increase the coin reserve to $\$ 138,000,000$.

At the close of the year 1877 this coin reserve, in excess of coin liabilities, amounted to $\$ 63,016,05096$, of which $\$ 15,000,000$ were obtained by the sale of four and a half per cent., and $\$ 25,000,000$ by the sale of four per cent. bonds, the residue being surplus revenue. Subsequently, on the 11th day of April, 1878, the Secretary entered into a contract with certain bankers in New York and London-the parties to the previous contract of June 9, 1877, already communicated to Congress-for the sale of $\$ 50,000,000$ four and a half per cent. bonds for resumption purposes. The bonds were sold at a premium of one and a half per cent. and accrued interest, less a commission of one-half of one per cent. The contract has been fulfilled, and the net proceeds, $\$ 50,500,000$, have been paid into the Treasury in gold coin. The $\$ 5,500,000$ coin paid on the Halifas award have been replaced by the sale of that amount of four per cent. bonds sold for resumption purposes, making the aggregate amount of bonds sold for these purposes, $\$ 95,500,000$, of which $\$ 65,000,000$ were four and a half per cent. bonds, and $\$ 30,500,000$ four per cent. bonds. To this, has been added the surplus revenue from time to time. The amount of coin held in the Treasury on the 23d day of November last, in excess of coin sufficieut to pay all accrued coin liabilities, was $\$ 141,888,100$, and constitutes the coin reserve prepared for resumption purposes. This sum will be diminished somewhat on the 1st of January next by reason of the large amount of interest accruing on that day in excess of the coin revenue received meanwhile.
In anticipation of resumption, and in view of the fact that the redemption of United States notes is mandatory only at the office of the assistant treasiurer in the city of New York, it was deemed im. portant to secure the co-operation of the associated banks of that city in the ready collection of drafts on those banks and in the payment of

Treasury drafts held by them. A satisfactory arrangement has been made by whịch all drafts on the banks held by the Treasury are to be paid at the clearing-house, and all drafts on the Treasury held by them are to be paid to the clearing-house at the office of the assistant treasurer, in United States notes; and, after the 1st of January, United States notes are to be received by them as coin. This will greatly lessen the risk and labor of collections both to the Treasury and the banks.

Every step in these preparations for resumption has been accompanied with increased business and confidence. The accumulation of coin, instead of increasing its price, as was feared by many, has steadily reduced its premium in the market. The depressing and ruinous losses that followed the panic of 1873 had not diminished in 1875 , when the resumption act passed; but every measure taken in the execution or enforcement of this act has tended to lighten these losses and to reduce the premium on coin, so that now it is merely nominal. The present condition of our trade, industry, and commerce, hereafter more fully stated, our ample reserves, and the general confidence inspired in our financial condition seem to justify the opinion that we are prepared to commence and maintain resumption from and after the first day of January, A. D. 1879.

The means and manner of cloing this are left largely to the discretion of the Secretary, but, from the nature of the duty imposed, he must restore coin and bullion, when withdrawn in the process of redemption, either by the sale of bonds, or the use of the surplus revenue, or of the notes redeemed from time to time.

The power to sell any of the bonds described in the refunding act continues after as well as before resumption. Though it may not be often used, it is essential to enable this Department to meet emergencies. By its exercise it is anticipated that the Treasury at any time can readily obtain coin to reinforce the reserve already accumulated. United States notes must, however, be the chief means under existing law with. which the Department must restore coin and bullion when withdrawn in process of redemption. The notes, when redeemed, must necessarily accumulate in the Treasury until their superior use and convenience for circulation enables the Department to exchange them at par for coin or bullion.

The act of May 31, 1878, alreads referred to, provides that when United States notes are redeemed or received in the Treasury under any law, from any source whatever, and shall belong to the United States, they shall not be retired; cancelled, or destroyed, but shall be reissued and paid out again and kept in circulation.

The power to reissue United States notes was conferred by section 3579, Revised Statutes, and was not limited by the resumption act. As this, however, was questioned, Congress wisely removed the doubt.

Notes redeemed are like other notes received into the Treasury. Payments of them can be made only in consequence of appropriations made by law, or for the purchase of bullion, or for the refunding of the public debt.

The current receipts from revenue are sufficient to meet the current expenditures as well as the accruing interest on the public debt. Authority is conferred by the refunding act to redeem six per cent. bonds as they become redeemable, by the proceeds of the sale of bonds bearing a lower rate of interest. The United States notes redeemed under the resumption act are, therefore, the principal means provided for the purchase of bullion or coin with which to maintain resumption, but should only be paid out when they can be used to replace an equal amount of coin withdrawn from the resumption-fund. They may, it is true, be used for current purposes like other money, but when so used their place is filled by money received from taxes or other sources of revenue.

In daily business, no distinction need be made between moneys from whatever source received, but they may properly be applied to any of the purposes authorized by law. No doubt coin liabilities, such as interest or principal of the public debt, will be ordinarily paid and willingly received in United'States notes, but, when demanded, such payments will be made in coin; and United States notes and coin will be used in the purchase of bullion. This method has already been adopted in Colorado and North Carolina, and arrangements are being perfected to purchase bullion in this way in all the mining regions of the United States.

By the act approved June S, 187S, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to constitute any superintendent of a mint or assaryer of any assay office an assistant treasurer of the United States to receive gold coin or bullion on deposit. By the legislative appropriation bill approved June 19, 1878, the Secretary of the Treasury is authorized to issue coin-certificates in payment to depositors of bullion at the sereral mints and assay offices of the United States. These provisions, intended to secure to the producers of bullion more speedy payment, will necessarily bring into the mints and Treasury the great body of the precious metals mined in the United States, and will tend greatly to the easy and steady supply of bullion for coinage. United States notes, when at par with coin, will be readily received for bullion
instead of coin-certificates, and with great advantage and convenience to the producers.

Deposits of coin in the Treasury will, no doult, continue to be made after the 1st of January, as heretofore. Both gold and silver coin, from its weight and bulk, will naturally seek such a safe deposit, while notes redeemable in coin, from their superior convenience, will be circulated instead. After resumption the distinction between coin and United States notes should be, as far as practicable, abandoned in the current affairs of the Government; and therefore no coin-certificates should be issued except where expressly required by the provisions of law, as in the case of silver-certificates. The gold-certificates hitherto issued by virtue of the discretion conferred upon the Sccretary will not be issued after the 1st of January next. The necessity for them during a suspension of specie payments is obvious, but no longer exists when by law every United States note is, in effect, a coin-certificate. The only purpose that could be subserved by their issue hereafter would be to enable persons to convert their notes into coin-certificates, and thus contract the currency and hoard gold in the vaults of the Treasury without the inconvenience or risk of its custody. For convenience United States notes of the same denomination as the larger coin-certificates will be issued.

By existing law customs duties and the interest of the public debt are payable in coin, and a portion of the duties was specifically pledged as a special fund for the payment of the interest, thus making one provision dependent upon the other. As we cannot, with due regard to the public honor, repeal the obligation to pay coin, we ought not to impair or repeal the means provided to procure coim. When, happily, our notes are equal to coin, they will be accepted as coin, both by the public creditor and by the Government; but this acceptance should be left to the option of the respective parties, and the legar right on both sides to demand coin should be preserved inviolate.

The Secretary is of the opinion that a change of the law is not necessary to authorize this Department to receive United States notes for customs duties on and after the 1st day of January, 1879, while they are redeemable and are redeemed on demand in coin. After resumption it would seem a useless inconvenience to require payment of such duties in coin rather than in United States notes. The resumption act, by clear implication, so far modifies previous laws as to permit payments in United States notes as well as in coin. The provision for coin payments was made in the midst of war when the notes were depreciated and the public necessities required an assured revenue in
coin to support the public credit. This' alone justified the refusal by the Government to take its own notes for the taxes levied by it. It has now definitely assumed to pay these notes in coin, and this necessarily implies the receipt of these notes as coin. To refuse them is only to invite their presentation for coin. Any other construction would require the notes to be presented to the assistant treasurer in New York for coin, and if used in the purchase of bonds, to be returned to the same officer, or, if used for the payment of customs duties, to be carried to the collector of customs, who must daily deposit in the Treas. ury all money received by him. It is not to be assumed that the law requires this indirect and inconvenient process after the notes are redeemable in coin on demand of the holder. They are then at a parity with coin, and both should be received indiscriminately.

If United States notes are received for duties at the port of New York, they should be received for the same purpose in all other ports of the United States, or an unconstitutional preference would be given to that port over other ports. If this privilege is denied to the citizens of other ports, they could make such use of these notes only by transporting them to New York and transporting the coin to their homes for payment; and all this not only without benefit to the Government, but with a loss in returning the coin again to New York, where it is required for redemption purposes.

The provision in the law for redemption in New York was believed to be practical redemption in all parts of the United States. Actual redemption was confined to a single place from the necessity of maintaining only one coin reserve and where the coin could be easily accumulated and kept.

With this view of the resumption act, the Secretary will feel it to be his duty, unless Congress otherwise provides, to direct that after the 1st day of January next, and while United States notes are redeemed at the Treasury, they be received the same as coin by the officers of this Department in all payments in all parts of the United States.

If any further provision of law is deemed necessary by Congress to authorize the receipt of United States notes for customs dues or for bonds, the Secretary respectfully submits that this authority should continue only while the notes are redeemed in coin. How. ever desirable continuous resumption may be, and however confident we may feel in its maintenance, yet the experience of many nations has proven that it may be impossible in periods of great emergency. In such events the public faith demands that the customs duties shall be collected in coin and paid to the public creditors, and this pledge should never be violated or our ability to perform it endangered.

Heretofore, the Treasury, in the disbursement of currency, has paid out bills of any denomination desired. In this way the number of bills of a less denomination than five dollars is determined by the demand for them. Such would appear to be the true policy after the 1st of January. It has been urged that, with a riew to place in circulation silver coins; no bills of less than five dollars should be issued. It would seem to be more just and expedient not to force any form of money upon a public creditor, but to give him the option of the kind and denomination. The convenience of the public, in this respect; should be consulted. The only way by which moneys of different kinds and intrinsic values can be maintained in circulation at par with each other is by the ability, when one kind is in excess, to readily exchange it for the other. This principle is applicable to coin as well as to paper-money. In this way the largest amount of money of different kinds can be maintained at par, the different purposes for which each is issued making a demand for it. The refusal or neglect to maintain this species of redemption inevitably effects the exclusion from circulation of the most valuable, which, thereafter, becomes a commodity, bought and sold at a premium.

When the resumption act passed, gold was the only coin which by law was a legal tender in payment of all debts. That act contemplated resumption in gold coin only. No silver coin of full legal tender could then be lawfully issued. The only silver coin prosided was fractional coin, which was a legal tender for five dollars only. The act approved February 28, 1878, made a very important change in our coinage system. The silver dollar provided for was made a legal ten der for all debts, public and private, except where otherwise expressly stipulated in the contract. The amount of this coin issued will more properly be stated hereafter, but its effect upon the problem of resumption should be here considered.

The law itself clearly shows that the silver clollar was not to supersede the gold dollar; nor did Congress propose to adopt the single standard of silver, but ouly to create a bimetallic standard of silver and gold, of equal value and equal purchasing power. Congress, therefore, limited the amount of silver dollars to be coined to not less than two millions nor more than four millions per month, but did not limit the aggregate amount nor the period of time during which this coinage should continue. The market value of the silver in the dollar, at the date of the passage of the act, was $93 \frac{1}{4}$ cents in gold coin. Now it is about 86 cents in gold coin. If it was intended by Congress to adopt the silver instead of the gold standard; the
amount provided for is totally inadequate for the purpose. Experience, not only in this country, but in European countries, has established that a certain amount of silver coin may be maintained in circulation at par with gold, though of less intrinsic bullion value! It was, no doubt, the intention of Congress to provide a coin in silver which would answer a multitude of the purposes of business life, without banishing from circulation the established gold coin of the country. To accomplish this it is indispensable either that the silver coin be limited in amount, or that its bullion value be equal to that of the gold dollar. If not, its use will be limited to domestic purposes. It cannot be exported except at its commercial value as bullion. . If issued in excess of demands for domestic purposes, it will necessarily fall in market value, and, by a well-known principle of finance, will become the sole coin standard of value. Gold will be either hoarded or exported. When two currencies, both legal, are authorized without limit, thecheaper alone will circulate. If, however, the issue of the silver dollars is limited to an amount demanded for circulation, there will be no depreciation, and their convenient use will keep them at par with gold, as fractional-silver coin, issued under the act approved Februars 21, 1853, was kept at par with gold.
The amount of such coin that can thus be maintained at par with gold cannot be fairly tested until resumption is accomplished. As yet paper-money has been depreciated, and silver dollars being receivable for customs dues, have naturally not entered into general circulation, but have returned to the Treasury in payment of such dues, and thus the only effect of the attempt of the Department to circulate them has been to diminish the gold revenue. After resumption these coins will circnlate in considerable sums for small payments. To the extent that such demand will give employment to silver dollars their use will be an aid to resumption rather than a hindrance, but if issued in excess of such demand they will at once tend to displace gold and become the sole standard, and gradually, as they increase in number, will fall to their value as bullion. Even the fear or suspicion of such an excess tends to banish gold, and, if well established, will cause a continuous drain of gold until imperative necessity will compel resumption in silver alone. The serious effects of such a radical change in our standards of value cannot be exaggerated; and its possibility will greatly disturb confidence in resumption, and may make necessary larger reserves and further sales of bonds.
The Secretary, therefore, earnestly invokes the attention of Congress to this subject, with a view that either during the present or the next
session the amount of silver dollars to be issued be limited, or their ratio to gold for coining purposes be changed.

Gold and silver have varied in value from time to time in the history of nations, and laws have been passed to meet this changing value. In our country, by the act of April 2, 1792, the ratio between them was fixed at one of gold to fifteen of silver. By the act of June 28, 1834, the ratio was changed to one of gold to sixteen of silver. For more than a century the market value of the two metals had varied between these two ratios, mainly resting at that fixed by the Latin nations, of one to fifteen and a half.

But we cannot overlook the fact that within a few years, from causes frequently discussed in Congress, a great change has occurred in the relative value of the two metals. It would seem to be expedient to recognize this controlling fact-one that no nation alone can changeby a careful readjustment of the legal ratio for coinage of one to sixteen, so as to conform to the relative market ralues of the two metals. The ratios heretofore fixed were always made with that view, and, when made, did conform as near as might be. Now, that the production and use of the two metals have greatly changed in relative value, a corresponding change must be made in the coinage ratio. There is no peculiar force or sanction in the present ratio that should make us hesitate to adopt another, when, in the markets of the world, it is proven that such ratio is not now the true one. The addition of one-tenth or one-eighth to the thickness of the silver dollar would scarcely be perceived as an inconvenience by the holder, but would inspire confidence, and add greatly to its circulation. As prices are now based on United States notes at par with gold, no disturbance of values would result from the change.

It appears from the recent conference at Paris, invited by us, that other nations will not join with us in fixing an international ratio, and that each country must adapt its laws to its own policy. The tendency of late among commercial nations is to the adoption of a single standard of gold and the issue of silver for fractional coin. We may, by ignoring this tendency, give temporarily-increased value to the stores of silver held in Germany and France until our market absorbs them, but by adopting a silver standard as nearly equal to gold as practicable, we make a market for our large production of silver, and furnish a full, honest dollar that will be hoarded, transported, or circulated, without disparagement or reproach.

It is respectfully submitted that the United States, already so largely interested in trade with all parts of the world, and becoming, by its
population, wealth, commerce, and productions, a leading member of the family of nations, should not adopt a standard of less intrinsic value than other commercial nations. Alike interested in silver and gold, as the great producing country of both, it should coin them at such a ratio and on such conditions as will secure the largest use and circulation of both metals without displacing either. Gold must necessarily be the standard of value in great transactions, from its greater relative value, but it is not capable of the division required for small transactions; while silver is indispensable for a multitude of daily wants, and is too bulky for use in the larger transactions of business, and the cost of its transportation for long distances would greatly increase the present rates of exchange. It would, therefore, seem to be the best policy for the present to limit the aggregate issue of our silver dollars, based on the ratio of sixteen to one, to such sums as can clearly be maintained at par with gold, until the price of silver in the market shall assume a definite ratio to gold, when that ratio should be adopted, and our coins made to conform to it; and the Secretary respectfully recommends that he be authorized to discontinue the coinage of the silver dollar when the amount outstanding shall exceed fifty million dollars.

The Secretary deems it proper to state that in the meantime, in the execution of the law as it now stands, he will feel it to be his duty to redeem all United States notes presented on and after January 1, next, at the office of the assistant treasurer of the United States in the city of New York, in sums of not less than fifty dollars, with either gold or silver coin, as desired by the holder, but reserving the legal option of the Government; and to pay out United States notes for all other demands on the Treasury, except when coin is demanded on coin liabilities.

It is his duty as an executive officer to frankly state his opinions, so that if he is in error Congress may prescribe such a policy as is best for the public interests.

FUNDING.
The amount of four per cent. bonds sold during the present year, prior to November 23 , is $\$ 100,270,900$, of which $\$ 94,770,900$ were sold under the refunding act approved July 14, 1870. Six per cent. bonds, commonly known as five-twenties, to an equal amount, have been redeemed, or will be redeemed as calls mature. This beneficial process was greatly retarded by the requirement of the law that subscriptions must be paid in coin, the inconvenience of obtaining which, to the great body of the people ontside of the large cities, deterred many sales.

This will not affect sales after resumption, when bonds can be pa for with United States notes. The large absorption of United States securities in the American market, by reason of their return from Earope, together with the sale of four and a half per cent. bonds for resumption purposes, tended to retard the sale of four per cent. bonds. As from the best advices, not more than $\$ 200,000,000$ of United States bonds are now held out of the country, it may be fairly anticipated that the sale of four per cent. bonds, hereafter, will largely increase.

Prior to May, 1877, United States bonds were mainly sold through an association of bankers. Experience proves that under the present plan of selling to all subscribers on terms fixed by public advertisement, though the aggregate of sales may be less, their distribution is more satisfactory. Under a popular loan the interest is paid at home, and the investment is available at all times, without loss, to meet the ueeds of the holder. This policy has been carefully fostered by other nations, and should be specially so in ours, where every citizen equally participates in the government of his country. The holding of these bonds at home, in small sums well distributed, is of great importance in enlisting popular interest in our national credit, and in encouraging habits of thrift, and such holding in the country is far more stable and less likely to disturb the market than it would be in cities or by corporations, where the bonds can be promptly sold in quantities.

The three-months' public notice required by the fourth section of the refunding act to be given to the holders of the five-twenty bonds to be redeemed, necessarily involves a loss to the Government by the payment of double interest during that time. The notice should not be given until subscriptions are made or are reasonably certain to be made. When they are made and the money is paid into the Treasury, whether it is kept there idle during the three months or deposited with national banks under existing law, the Government not only pays interest on both classes of bonds during the ninety days, but, if the sales are large, the hoarding of large sums may disturb the market. Under existing law this is unavoidable; and to mitigate it, the Secretary deemed it expedient during the last summer to make calls in anticipation of subseriptions, but this, though legal, might, in case of failure of subscriptions, embarrass the Government in paying called bonds. The long notice required by law is not necessary in the interest of the holder of the bonds, for, as the calls are made by public notice and the bonds are indicated and specified by class, date, and number, in the order of their numbers and issue, he by ordinary diligence can know beforehand when his bonds in due course will probably be called, and will not be taken by surprise.

The Secretary therefore recommends that the notice to be given for called bonds be, at his discretion, not less than ten days nor more than three months. In this way he will be able largely to avoid the payment of double interest, as well as the temporary contraction of the currency, and may fix the maturity of the call at a time when the interest of thecalled bonds becomes due and payable.

## SAVINGS.

It has been the desire of the Department to popularize the public loans and bring them within easy reach of every citizen who desires to invest his savings, whether small or great, in these securities. The popular loan of 1877 , open to all alike by public adrertisement, absorbed $\$ 75,000,000$ of four per cent. bonds, and during the present year these bonds have been sold in the same manner.

It is believed that without a change of existing law the sale of these bonds will largely increase, but it would appear advisable so to modify the law that smaller sums may be invested from time to time through popular subscriptions, and that through the post offices, or other agents of the Government, the freest opportunity may be given in all parts of the country for such investments.

The best mode suggested is, that the Department be authorized to issue certificates of deposit of the United States of the denomination of ten dollars, bearing interest at the rate of 3.65 per cent. per annum and convertible at any time within one year after their issue into the four per cent. bonds authorized by the refunding act, and to be issued only in exchange for United States notes sent to the Treasury by mail or otherwise. Such a provision of law, supported by suitable regulations, would enable any person readily, without cost or risk, to convert his money into an interest-bearing security of the United States, and the money so received could be applied to the redemption of six per cent. bonds. The Secretary therefore recommends the prompt passage of such a law.

## PUBLIC MONEYS.

The monetary transactions of the Government have been conducted without loss through the offices of the Treasurer, ten assistant treasurers, one depositary, and one hundred and nincteen national-bank depositaries, exclusive of those designated to receive only loan subscriptions.

Of the entire receipts of the Government, during the vear, there was cleposited in national-bank clepositories the amount of $\$ 99,781,05348$.

Deposits received by the bank depositaries are secured by a pledge of United States bonds held by the Treasurer, and are paid out, from time to time, as the convenience of the public service may require, or transferred by the bank, withont expense to the Government, to an independent-treasury office.
By an act approved March $3,1 \dot{S} 57$, public disbursing officers were required to place all public funds, intrusted to them for disbursement, on deposit with a public depositary, and to draw for the same only in favor of the persons to whom payment was to be made, excepting that they might check in their own names when the payments did not exceed twenty dollars.

The enforcement of this provision, according to its letter, was found impracticable, and the attention of Congress was called to it in the annual reports of the Secretary for 1857 and 1858 , with a recommendation for its modification.

No action in the matter appears to have been taken by Congress until the act of June 14, 1866, reproduced as section 3620; Revised Statutes, was passed. This appeared to supersede ihe act of 1857 , in removing the restrictions as to the method in which the money was to be drawn, but by an act approved February 27,1877 , section 3620 has been amended by requiring the checks to be drawn only in favor of the persons to whom payments are to be made.

The object which the law evidently seeks to accomplish meets the entire approval of the Department, but to carry its provisions into effect would require paymasters in the army to draw their checks in favor of the soldiers to be paid, by name, and paymasters on naval vessels, even during absences for years from the United States, to pay the officers and men only by drawing checks, in their favor, on depositaries in the United States.

The same embarrassment extends to all public disbursements, and the attention of Congress is called to the matter, with the recommendation that the section be so amended that disbursements may be made under regulations to be prescribed by the Secretary of the Treasury.

## NATIONAL BANKS.

The report of the Comptroller of the Currency presents full and interesting information as to the national banks. The number in existence on October 1 was 2,053. The amount of their circulating-notes outstanding, including those in liquidation, was $\$ 323,147,719$; the capital invested was $\$ 466,147,436$; the surplus fund and profits were $\$ 157,833,993$; the loans and discounts were $\$ 830,521,542$.

This system of banks, though of recent growth and adopted as an experiment amid the necessities developed by the civil war, has, under wise management, become the most important business agency in the country. Though still under trial and subject at all times to the discretion of Congress to discontinue and limit its existence and operations, it may be fairly claimed, as already established by experiment, that the system possesses certain advantages over any other heretofore existing in this country, and possible only with a national system.

First. The security of the bill-holder from loss through failure of the bank.

Second. The rapidity and certainty of the detection and prevention of counterfeiting, from the fact that the notes are engraved, printed, and redeemed at the Treasury Department.

Third. The frequent and careful examination of the banks, and the publication of the detailed statements of their condition.

Fourth. Uniformity and free circulation of the notes throughout the United States, without respect to the place of their issue.

Fifth. The admirable provisions by which failing banks are placed in liquidation, and their assets cheaply and promptly applied to the payment of creditors.

These and other advantages, derived to the public from a national system of banks over a State system, seem to be fully demonstrated, and, though irksome and apparently hard to the banks, are a benefit and security to the stockholders and a safeguard to the public.

The only franchise conferred by this system, that cannot be freely enjoyed by private bankers under State law, is the power to issue circulating-notes. This, it is couceded, is a franchise conferred by the Government, but it is not in the nature of a monopoly. It may be exercised by any five persons who have the means, and will comply with the law.

Whether the power to issue circulating-notes should be granted to private corporations or be exercised only by the Government, is purely a question of public policy and public interest. In behalf of a circulation issued by the Governmeut, it is claimed that interest is saved to the public on the full amount of the notes issued. To this it is replied that the issue of such notes necessarily involves their redemption in coin, and this can be secured only by coin reserves and the ordinary machinery of banks. If the bauks issue notes they expect to derive a profit from their loan, but this profit is diminished by the burden of redemption, by the large tases imposed upon the franchise, and by the risk always incideut to the issue of circulating-
notes. These are considerations which will, no doubt, enter into the question of the permanency of the national-banking system; but as the banks of this system are each organized under the law for twenty jears, and none of them expire until June, 1883 , it is respectfully submitted that it is good policy to continue the experiment until that date, when the public mind will be better prepared to consider the questions involved.

## COINS AND COINAGE.

The annual report of the Director of the Mint exhibits in detail the operations of the several mints and assay offices, and also presents interesting information relative to the production of gold and silver in the United States, the estimated amount of gold and silver coin and bullion in the country, the depreciation of silver, the position of the. American trade-dollar in the Oriental trade, and other subjects connected directly or indirectly with the coinage.
The value of the gold coinage executed during the
last fiscal year was........................................... $\$ 52,79 \mathrm{~S}, 98000$
Of trade-dollars .............................................. $11,378,01000$
Of standard-silver dollars.............................. $8,573,50000$
Of fractional-silver coin.... ........................... $\quad$. 339,31550
And of minor coin.......................................... $\quad 30,69400$
A total coinage of.................................. 81,120,499 50

In addition to the coinage, fine and unparted bars were prepared for depositors in the amount of $\$ 12,501,92623$ in gold, and $\$ 11,854,38587$ in silver.

It is manifest, from the proven capacity of the several mints, that our coinage facilities are ample for all purposes.

The present production of bullion from the mines of the United States appears to approximate one hundred million dollars in value. All the gold bullion produced in the country contains more or less silver, and the greater portion of the silver bullion from our miues contains a percentage of gold, making it difficult to determine with accuracy the proportion of each. It is safe, however, to state that the production, of the two metals, calculated at their coining-rates, is nearly equal.

During the year 1877 'and the first few months of the present year, trade-dollars, to the amount of probably four million pieces, were placed in circulation in the States east of the Rocky Mountains, with
a full knowledge on the part of the parties engaged in the business that the coin was not a legal tender.

This coin is in no sense money of the United States which the Government is bound to redeem or care for. The Government stamp upon it is to certify to its weight and fineness for the convenience of dealers in silver bullion. It is precisely like any.other silver bullion assayed at any assay office or mint. The limited legal-tender quality originally given to it was taken away before any of the coins were put into domestic circulation, and it should not now be given any value or attribute at the expense of the public that is not incident to any other silver bullion. The Government has received no benefit from this coinage, and has neither received it nor paid it out. The whole connection of the Government with this bullion was to perform the mechanical work of assaying and dividing it into convenient form for the merchant, at his cost, and for his benefit, for exportation only.

Recent advices from our Minister to China indicate that a considerable anount of trade-dollars is now being hoarded in that empire, and will be returned to $u s$ if a discrimination is made in their favor over other bullion. No distinction can be made between trade-dollars in the United States and those out of the United States; but, if redeemed at all, they must all be redeemed alike. The bullion in $35,853,360$ trade-dollars outstanding can now be purchased from our miners for $\$ 31,256,050$. It would be a manifest injustice to deprive them of our market for their bullion, in order to discriminate in favor of bullion coined for exportation and held chiefly in foreign countries.

At times the fractional coins of the United States accumulate at certain places and are wanted at others. It is recommended that this Department be authorized to redeem them in United States notes when presented in sums of one hundred dollars, or any multiple thereof, at the mint at Philadelphia, where they can be recoined, if necessary, and distributed.

The amount of gold coin and bullion in the country September 30, is estimated by the Director at $\$ 259,353,390$, and of silver coin and bullion at $\$ 99,090,557$-a total of $\$ 35 S, 443,947$.

The estimating of the production of the precions metals in this country, and of the amount of coin and bullion, is a matter attended with great difficulties, and the estimates can only be regarded as approximately correct, though they have been compiled from the best: attainable sources.

By reason of the acts authorizing this Department to purchase gold and silver bullion at the several mints and assay offices, its trans-
portation is thrown upon the Government. The great body of the bullion accumulates in San Francisco and Carson, and the chief transportation is from those places to New York. Efforts were made to secure favorable rates, but the lowest offer was three-tenths of one per cent. for gold and one and two-tenths per cent. for silver, which was deemed to be excessive. Silver coin and bullion can be transported with but little risk, while at the rate proposed for transporting a car containing $\$ 250,000$, or about eight tons, the cost would be $\$ 3,000$. The chief cost is in the transportation over the Central and Union Pacific Railroads, both largely indebted to the United States. It is respectfully submitted that the rate over these roads be prescribed by Congress, and that the proceeds form part of the sinking-fund of said railroads, provided by lar.

## BUREAU OF ENGRAVING AND PRINIING.

At the close of the last fiscal year there was an unexpended balance of $\$ 652,83617$ of the appropriation for labor and other expenses of this bureau. Of this amount, in accordance with the act approved June 20, 1878 , the sum of $\$ 327,53650$ will be expended in the purchase of a site for and the erection of a fire-proof building for the bureau, the work on which is now progressing satisfactorily, and will probably be completed during the fall of 1879 . It is assumed, from the action of Congress at its last session, that it holds that the engraving and printing of the public securities can be more cheaply, perfectly, and safely done in this bureau than in private establishments, and the Secretary has, therefore, directed that all work of this description, except certain proprietary stamps, shall be done therein. The cost of the work is less than one-half the prices previously paid.

After careful inquiry, it has been ascertained that the prices paid for the paper used for public securities are greatly in excess of its cost, and proposals have been invited for the manufacture of a suitable paper, of a distinctive character, for this purpose, no action upon which has yet been taken.
disbursements of the commissioners of the district of columbia.

The act of Congress of last session providing a permanent form ot government for the District of Columbia, committed Congress to an appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, and for future years, so long as said act should remain in force, of one-half of the expenses for the government of said District, as estimates therefor should
be approved by Congress. It also provided that all taxes collected should be paid into the Treasury of the United States, and that they, as well as the appropriations to be made by Congress, should be disbursed for the expenses of said District on itemized vouchers, andited and approved by the auditor of the District, and certified by said commissioners, or a majority of them; and that the accounts of said commissioners, and the tax-collectors, and all other officers required to account, should be settled and adjusted by the accounting officers of the Treasury Department of the United States.

A provision was, however, enacted that the interest on the 3.65 bonds of othe District should be paid by the Secretary of the Treasury and credited as a part of the appropriation for the year, by the United States, towards the District's expenses.
The act was approved June 11, 1878, and the approral was consequently too near the end of the session of Congress to have estimates prepared for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, in conformity to the provisions of said act.
The commissioners of the District had, however, on the 21st of January, 1878, submitted estimates to Congress, amended afterwards by them on the 4th of June of that year, for the general expenses of the District for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879, and Congress, by the sundry civil act, approved Juine 20, 1878, appropriated, for the general expenses of the District, one million tro hundred and fifty thousand dollars, to be disbursed by the commissioners for the purposes set forth in said last-named estimates; and the Secretary of the Treasury was authorized to advance, from time to time, to said commissioners, from the money thus appropriated, snch sums as, in his judgment, might be necessary to carry on the government of the District, including accruing interest on bonds.
It has been held by the accounting officers that these acts are to be construed together as parts of one scheme of legislation. It will be perceived that the disbursements made by the commissioners are to be regulated and limited by estimates approved by Congress; that accounts are to be kept by the commissioners of the District, independent of those kept by the tax-collector and other officers.
It has also been held that all disbursements for the expenses of the District, except where otherwise particularly specified, are to be made by the commissioners; that these disbursements are to be regulated and limited by estimates approved by Congress; that an accurate account is to be kept by the commissioners of receipts and disbursements that they are to be made upon vouchers, audited and
approved by the auditor of the District, and certified by at least two commissioners; that the accounts of the commissioners, with the original vouchers for disbursements, are to be submitted to the accounting officers of the Treasury Department of the United States for settlement and adjustment; and that advances for the payment of the current expenses of the District are to be made to the commissioners, from time to time, by the Secretary of the Treasury, as he shall approve requisitious made by them.
This construction has been adopted after a careful examination of the acts, and will be continued unless Congress shall siguify its disapproval by additioual legislation.

CLADIS.
The attention of Congress is again called to the necessity of some legislation as to the adjudication of claims which are now within the jurisdiction of this Department.

While the Department is well organized for the investigation of accounts accruing in the ordinary course of current business, it is not adapted to the examination of old and disputed claims of a different character.

For the proper investigation of such claims the methods adopted in all our courts for ascertaining the truth, are undoubtedly the best. For this purpose a tribunal, which will require the best evidence of which the nature of the case will admit, the production of original papers rather than pretended copies, the sworn statement of the witness himself to facts in his own knowledge and not the hearsay of third parties, the examination and cross-examination of the witness, not his ex parte statement privately taken, a public hearing, and a public record of proceedings open to inspection, is essential.
These are some of the safeguards which the experience of the wisest legislators has placed around the judicial investigation of questions. of law and fact.
It is evident that this Department cannot furnish these safeguards; and a provision of law which will relieve the Department of all important disputed questions of law and fact is recommended. The Court of Claims is a tribunal well qualified for such jurisdiction. It has the prestige of a court of justice; its judges are appointed for life, and transact their business deliberately, systematically, and publicly. They are governed by the ordinary rules of law, and their decisions are of record, with an appeal in proper cases to the Supreme Court of the United States.

In this connection, your attention is invited to the importance of providing some limitation of time within which claims against individuals and against the Government shall be prosecuted, or, for want of such prosecution, be forever barred. Such limitations, which form part of the codes of all civilized nations, rest partly upon the theory that the public peace demands an end of litigation, but mainly upon the well-fonnded assumption that a delay beyond a reasonable time to prosecute a claim, furnishes a presumption that it is unfounded.

Even as to real estate, an acquiescence in a known adverse possession for twenty years, in most of our States furnishes a conclusive bar to the claim of any person out of possession. The limitation of six years after the claim against the Government first accrues, established by law in the Court of Claims, seems to be reasonable.

With regard to the claims in favor of the Government, especially against those who have executed bonds as sureties, it seems just that some provision should be made for the protection of the defendants. Cases frequently arise where suits are brought against a surety upon a bond, upon the revision of some account which has been apparently fiually settled for many years, where the principal and other sureties have died or are insolvent, and where the Government should have enforced its claim while they were alive and solvent. In such cases the only relief which the Secretary can extend is under the general law authorizing compromises, a remedy subject to much doubt and embarrassment.

All legislation upon this subject should look to the quieting of old claims, whether against or in favor of the Government. A decision, made as final by the accounting officers or by the Secretary or other officer of this Department having jurisdiction, should be regarded as final, both in the Department and in all other tribunals; and all propositions providing for the revision, in the Court of Claims or elsewhere, of such decisions, are opposed to the true principles of legislation.

## DUTIES ON IMPORTS.

The embarrassments alluded to in the last annual report in regard to the collection of duties on sugar have not ceased. Seizures have been made of cargoes of sugar claimed to be artificially colored for the purpose of reducing the duties at the custom-house, and a suit involving one of these cases was tried at Baltimore at great expense to the Government and to the importers, and was recently concluded, the verdict being that the sugars were artificially colored after the process of manufacture was completed, but that it was not proven that the
importer of the sugars had a knowledge thereof at the time of making entry. Though the claim of the Government, that the sugars had been artificially colored for the purpose of defrauding the revenue, is maintained, it is powerless, under the anti-moiety act of June 22, 1874, to euforce fines, penalties, aud forfeitures, against persons or property, unless there is proof of guilty knowledge of frand.
It is deemed imperative that some change in the mode of collecting duties on sugar should be had, and it is preferred, as stated in the last report, that the duty should be at one rate on all sugars, up to a point which will exclude temptation either to color sugar for the purpose of reducing the duty, or to commit fraud by means of sampling and classitication. The duties now are, to a large extent, dependent upon the fidelity of the sampler, one of the lowest-paid officers in the public service.
In the event that duties upon sugars are made dependent to any considerable exteut upon color by, the Dutch standard, it is recommended that authority be given to this Department to ascertain the true saccharine strength of imported sugars by means of the polariscope, and that the relations between the color of sugars and their saccharine strength be definitely prescribed by Congress.
In this connection the attention of Congress is called to the operations of the reciprocity treaty between Hawaii and the United States, concluded January 30, 1875. The value of goods shipped from the United States to Hawaii for the year ended December 31, 1875, (the year before the treaty went into operation,) was \$947, 260
And for the year ended December 31, $1877 \ldots \ldots . . . . .$. . 1, 762, 805
Excess in 1877 over 1875
815,545
The duties surrendered by virtue of the treaty on goods inported into the United States for the year ended Decem-
ber 31, 1877, were.
831, 206
Difference between duties remitted by the United States in
$187 \dot{7}$, and value of excess of imports in 1877 over $1875 \ldots$... 15,661
So that we have surrendered duties in an amount greater than the entire excess of exports in 1877 over those of 1875.

Of the duties thus surrendered in $1877, \$ 716,732$ was on sugars alone. The advantages have thus far not been reciprocal, but, as has been shown, have been largely in favor of Hawaii, and it is probable that the benefits in favor of Hawaii will increase largely.

While not recommending a general revision of the tariff at the present time, it is deemed important that upon some articles the ad-valorem
duties now assessed should be converted into specific duties. As a rule specific duties are to be preferred to either ad-valorem or compound rates, and, in any future revision of the tariff, it is hoped that Congress will give preference to this system of imposing duties, as far as practicable. The argument in favor of specific duties applies with great force to kid gloves, concerning the value of which, under the present ad-valorem duties, serious differences of opinion have occurred between the importers and the Government during the past year, which hare led to protracted delays in the ascertainment of the dutiable value, and consequent injury to the mercantile community.

While it may not be practicable to frame a specific duty which would be entirely equitable upon all classes of leather gloves, it is believed that such specific rates of duts can be levied, as, while yielding as much revenue as the present rate based upon the market value, will make a just distinction between the higher and lower grades of glores, and avoid the uncertainty and contention produced by the present duty.

The subject of specific duties upon silk picce-goods is also commended to the consideration of Congress. The efforts of the Department to collect duties on silks upon such a basis of value as shall meet the demands of the present law, have not been attended in all cases with success. The law contemplates the assessment of duty on the market value or wholesale price, and presupposes a price at which any person in the ordinary course of trade may purchase the goods. European manufacturers of silks consigu their goods to agents in this country for sale and no sales for shipment to the United States are made in the open foreign market of such goods. Consequently there is no basis upon which their dutiable value can be ascertained.

It is believed that invoices of goods consigned to the United States for sale are as a rule undervalued, and that by such consignments the trade in silks and kid gloves is kept within the control of a sunall number of commission merchants, while the mass of American importers are excluded therefrom. This failty system has had the effect, if not so designed, largely to defraud the revenue, and to enable the few who control the business to invoice their goods at the lowest rates and to command the highest rates from purchasers.
The adoption of specific duties would place the importer who purchases in the foreign market, and the manufacturer who ships his goods on consigument, upon an equal footing at the custom-house, and obviate the difficulties in collecting the revenue on this class of goods.
Examinations made during the past year by the officers of this Department, have led to the conviction that the present provisions of
law allowing abatements of duties on account of damage to imported merchandise on the voyage of importation, are neither, upon the whole, equitable to the importer, nor just to the Government. The extent of such damage on many classes of goods can only be conjectured; and it has been alleged that larger allowances have been made at some ports than at others, on goods of the same class, which occupy about the same time in transit from the foreign market.

The repeal of all laws allowing damage upon the voyage of importation, would place all persons upon an equal footing, as loss by damage can be guarded against by prior insurance. There is reason to believe that the larger importing-houses of the United States would gladly favor such a measure, and its adoption is therefore recommended.

The continued experience of this Department, during the past year, has justified the recommendation made in the last report in favor of such a change in the law as will offer increased inducements to parties who may be able to secure a knowledge of frauds upon the customs revenue, to bring it to the attention of the custons officers.

The pecuniary inducements which this Department has been able to offer, under existing laws, have not been sufficient to induce parties to make active efforts to search out such frauds, and bring the offenders to punishment. The Secretary does not recommend a return to the system which prevailed prior to the passage of the so-called anti-moiety act of June 22, 1874, so far as that system conferred large emoluments upon officers of the Goverument, but he is satisfied that additional legislation is necessary in order to place within the control of this Department the machinery necessary to develop proof of frauds, which under any system of customs duties are likely to arise.

There appears to be a necessity for the adoption of some measure by Congress to secure greater efficieucy and uniformity in appraisements of imported merchandise.

Under the present system, each local appraiser is iudependent, and has no knowledge of the action taken by appraisers at other ports upon the articles which he is called upon to appraise. It thus occurs that the values found at the various ports are not at all times uniform upon the same class of goods. It is also a matter of frequent occurrence that merchandise is classified under one rate of duty at one port, while at other ports it is entered by a different name, and subjected to a different rate of duty. A bill will be prepared and submitted to the proper committee of Congress to remedy this and other defects in the present machinery for collecting the customs revenue.

Every possible effort has been made during the past year to reduce
the expenses of collecting the revenue from customs, with the result already stated. There are many customs districts, however, which might be abolished, and in which the interests of the Government could be well protected by subordinate officers conuected with the more important districts in the same region of country, and with considerable saving of expense.

Under section 253 of the Revised Statutes, the Secretary of the Treasury may discontinue any port of delivery, the revenue received at which does not amount to the sum of $\$ 10,000$ a year. It is recommended that authority be given, also, to abolish ports of entry where the receipts do not amount to the sum specified, placing subordinate officers, if necessary, at such ports, to be attached to other collection districts; or to consolidate two or more districts, should it be found desirable.

Attention is called to the report of the chief of the special agents, showing the nature and character of the duties performed by them during the past year. The importance of this service is manifested in the economy and efficiency produced by the efforts of these agents, who, being generally familiar with the customs service, are able to discorer and check irregularities, and to detect and prevent frauds.

## EXPORTS AND IMPORTS.

The gold values of the exports of merchandise from the United States, and imports of merchandise into the United States, during the last fiscal year, as appears from returns made to, and compiled by, the Burean of Statistics, are as follows:
Exports of domestic merchandise. .................... \$680, 709, 268
Exports of foreign merchandise. ...................... 14, 156,498
Total exports of merchaudise............... 694, 865, 766
Imports of merchandise .... ............................. 437, 051,532
Excess of exports over imports of merchandise..... $257,814,234$

Compared with the previous year, the importations are less by $\$ 14,271,594$, and the exportations greater by $\$ 92,390,546$.
The annual average of the excess of imports over exports of merchandise, for the ten years ended June 30,1873 , was $\$ 104,706,922$; but, during the last three years there has been an excess of exports over imports as follows: in 1876, $\$ 79,643,481$; in 1877, $\$ 151,152,094$; and in 1878, \$257,814,234.

The total amount of exports and imports of specie and bullion, during the last fiscal year, has been as follows:
Exports of specie and bullion
\$33, 740, 125
Imports of specie and bullion $29,821,314$

Excess of exports over imports...........................3,918, 811

The importation of specie and bullion was less than for the preceding year by $\$ 10,953,100$, and the exportation less than for the preceding year by $\$ 22,422,112$.

The excess of such exports over imports has decreased from $\$ 71,231,425$ in 1.875 , to $\$ 3,918,811$ in 1878 , as above stated.

The excess of exports over imports of merchandise during the first four months of the current fiscal year amounted to $\$ 81,415,477$, and during the corresponding months of the last fiscal year to only $\$ 34,295,076$.

During the first four months of the last fiscal year there mas an excess of exports over imports of coin and bullion amounting to $\$ 3,430,787$, whereas, during the first four months of the current fiscal year, there has been an excess of imports over exports of coin and bullion amounting to $\$ 3,355, \$ 82$, making a change in this respect of $\$ 6,786,669$.

The total gold value of exports of domestic merchandise, from the United States, has increased from $\$ 269,389,900$ in 1868 , to $\$ 680,709,268$ in 1878 -an increase of 153 per cent.

With one or two unimportant exceptions, the United States stands alone anong the commercial nations of the globe, with respect to the excess of exports over imports.

The increase in our exports consisted mainly of breadstuffs, prorisions, agricultural implements, iron and manufactures of iron, copper and manufactures of copper, manufactures of cotton, leather and manufactures of leather, and petroleum.

The exportation of the manufactured articles referred to, increased from $\$ 14,287,486$ in 1868 , to $\$ 37,250,882$ in 1878.

Many highly-wrought products of American manufacture, preriously exported in very small quantities, or not at all, now find profitable markets in foreigu countries, and certain of these commodities are now being exported to countries from which, a few years ago, they were largely imported into the United States.

Many branches of industry are now feeling the quickening influences of a foreign demand, and the possibility of successfully competing in the markets of the world with some of our older commercial and
manufacturing rivals, is a source of the highest encouragement and of confidence in the future.
Of the exports of domestic merchandise, during the year, the products of agriculture comprised 77 per cent., and exceeded the entire value of our imports of all classes of merchandise from foreign countries.

The exports of these products have risen from $\$ 368,852,972$ in 1872, to $\$ 536,039,951$ in 1878 , and the capacity for their further increase would seem to be limited only by the demand therefor.

In connection with the increase of our exports; attention is invited to the decrease of our imports of merchandise from $\$ 642,136,210$ for 1873, when they reached their maximum, to $\$ 437,051,532$ for $1878-$ a decrease of $\$ 205,084,678$.
This decrease of imports consisted chiefly of manufactures of cotton, flax, and silk, of wool and mauufactures of wool, and of iron and steel and manufactures thereof.

Of the latter, the importation of railroad-bars of iron and steel, decreased from 595,321 tons, in 1872, to 12 tons, in 1878; but their product in the United States increased from $2,958,141$ tons, during the five years from 1867 to 1871 , to $4,056,340$ tons, during the five years from 1873 to 1877 , and from this product has been supplied the demand for such bars necessary for the extension and renewal of railroads, of which there are in operation seventy-nine thousand miles.

## ALASKA.

Amicable relations have, generally, been sustained between the Indians and whites in the Territory of Alaska during the past year. Some outrages have, however, occurred, and the collector of customs at Sitka states that bloody outbreaks may be apprehended at any time in consequence of the means now existing for producing intoxicating liquor, and from the lack of any organized government in the Territory.
It is recommended that authority be conferred upon this Department to prevent the shipment to that Territory of molasses, or other articles from which intoxicating liquors are ordinarily made. The condition of affairs there also demands the establishment of some form of government competent to restrain disorder, and insure the safety of the inhabitants. No expensive system is necessary; but the estalylishment of some supreme authority for the Territory would tend to encourage immigration, and insure protection to those who may go there. At present, the only officers exercising any authority on the main-land
are the collector of customs at Sitka, and his subordinates, and their authority is confined to the execution of the customs laws. There is but little customs business transacted in the Territory, and it is possible that the additional authority necessary might be wisely conferred upon these officers.
The Alaska Commercial Company, under its lease of the seal islands, has takeu during the present season the maximum number of one hundred thousand skins allowed by law, upon which the tax due the Government is $\$ 262,500$, which, with the reutal of $\$ 55,000$, will make a total revenue of $\$ 317,500$ derived from that source. The Alaska Commercial Company appears to have faithfully complied with all the couditions of its contract with the Government.

## INTERNAL REVENUE.

The receipts from the several sources of tasation under the internalrevenue laws for the fiscal years ended, respectively, June 30, 1877, and June 30, 1878, are shown in the following tabular statement:

| Sources. | 1877. | 1878. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Spirits | \$57, 469,429 72 | \$50, 420, 81580 |  | \$7,048,613 92 |
| TTobaeco | 41, 106, 54692 | 40, 091, 75467 |  | 1,014, 79225 |
| Fermented liquors. | $9,480,78917$ 3 | 9, 937, 05178 | \$456,262 61 |  |
| Banks and banlers | 3, 829, 419,999 41 | 3, 492, 34631,85 |  | $\begin{array}{r}337,697 \\ 73,991 \\ \hline 86\end{array}$ |
| Adhesive stamps | . $6,450,42915$ | 6,380,405 13 |  | 70,024 02 |
| Back taxes under repealed lawṣ | 238,260 55 | 429,658 71 | 191,398 16 |  |
| Total | 118, 995, 18425 | 111, 097, 72549 | 647, 66077 | 8,545, 11953 |

The amount of collections exhibited in the foregoing table includes commissions on sales of stamps, paid in kind, as well as certain sums collected, but not deposited during their respective fiscal years. An apparent discrepancy is thus caused between the amounts of collections given in the table and those shown by the covering-warrants of the Treasury.
By comparing the internal revenue for the fiscal year terminated in June last, with that for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1877, it will be seen that there has been a decrease during the past year of nearly eight millions of dollars, and that of this amount upwards of seven millions arose in the collections on spirits, owing to causes which have been already ad rerted to.

The needs of the public service require that no reduction of internalrevenue tases be made. The commodities from which the internal revenue is mostly collected, namely, spirits, tobacco, fermented liquors, and stamps, are those which properly hear the burden of the tax; and the present rates are, in the main, equitable and satisfactory; and to them the trade in those commodities has become adjusted. Any change in these rates, or agitation of change, disturbs the course of business, and is prejudicial both to dealers and the revenue. Stability in the rates of taxation is, in view of the present condition of the country, especially desirable.
The number of collectors is, at present, one hundred and twentysix, (126.)

## COMMERCE AND NAVIGATION.

The total tonnage of vessels of the United States is $4,212,764$ tons, a decrease of 29,836 tons from that of the fiscal year ended June 30 , 1877. The following table exhibits the total tonnage for the last two years:

|  | - 1877. |  | 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Vessels. | Tons. | Vessels. | Tons. |
| Registered, encaged in foreign trade | 2,988 | 1,611, 193 | 3,037 | 1,629, 047 |
| Enrolled and licensed, engaged in domestic commerce | 22, 398 | 2,631,407 | 22,227 | 2, 583, 717 |
| Total.. | 25, 386 | 4,242, 600 | 25,264 | 4, 212, 764 |

The decrease in the total tonnage is exhibited in the following table:

| Increase. | No. | Tons. | Decrease. | No. | Tons. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Vessels built. | 1,258 | 235, 504 | Sold to foreigners. | 138 | 43, 607 |
| Wrecked and rebuilt. | 1 | 185 | Lost at sea ............... | 760 | 165, 547 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Balance-(Absolute de- } \\ \text { creasc)............................. } \end{gathered}$ |  |  | Abandoned ......... . . . . . | 463 | 56, 195 |
|  | 122 | 29,836 | Loss by readmeasurement and vessels not documented............. | 20 | 176 |
|  | 1;381 | 265, 525 |  | 1,381 | 265, 525 |

The tonnage of vessels built is about 33 per cent. in excess of that of last jear.

By reference to the foregoing table, it will be seen that the excess of the losses of tonnage by wrecks, sales to foreigners, and other causes,
over the gains by building, amounts to 29,836 tons. On the other hand, the increase of tonnage in vessels built is about 30 per cent. over that of last year. But the number of vessels built includes only such as have been documented, and does not embrace vessels built and sold to foreigners without registration.

The vessels built during the year ended June 30, 1878, are classed as follows:

|  | Number. | Tonnage. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sail-vessels | 532 | 106, 066.51 |
| Steam-vessels | 334 | 81, 859.60 |
| Enrolled canal-boats | 19 | 1,908.50 |
| Barges | 373 | 45,668.96 |

The discrimination between boats and barges, not propelled by sail or steam, which arises from the operation of the act of April 18, 1874, still continues to exist, to the great embarrassment of the Department. Under the construction which it has been considered necessary to give to this statute, one class of barges, that are partially employed in the internal waters of a State, is exempt from enrolment and license, while other vessels of similar structure, employed exclusively on the navigable waters of the United States, are required to be enrolled and licensed.

This discrimination is pernicious, and should not be permitted to exist. But I see no practical remedy for it other than by restricting the issue of enrolments and licenses to vessels propelled by sail or steam. A bill to that effect has already received the favorable consideration of one branch of Congress.

The total number of entries of vessels into ports of the United States from foreign countries, as returned by the Bureau of Statistics, during the year ended June 30, 1878, was 30,796; of these entries, 10,594 were of American vessels; the total number of clearances foreign, during the same time, was 31,364 ; of this number, 10,872 were clearances of American vessels. Of the total tonnage thus entered, about 25 per cent. was American and 75 per cent. foreign; of the total number of clearances foreign, about 26 per cent. was American, and 74 per cent. foreign.

## STEAMBOAT INSPECTION.

During the past year, there have been inspected 4,137 steam-vessels, of an aggregate tonnage of $1,017,432.03$ tons, and licenses have been issued to 14,489 officers.

The total receipts from the inspection of vessels and licensing of officers amounted to $\$ 272,70385$, and the total disbursements for sala-
ries and travelling and other expenses were $\$ 216,24965$, leaving a surplus unexpended of $\$ 56,45420$.

## REVENUE MARINE.

The thirty-seven vessels of the Revenue Marine have cruised during the year an aggregate of 238,505 miles, and their officers have boarded and examined 31,096 vessels, of which 2,009 were found to have violated the law in some particular, and, accordingly, were reported to the proper authorities or seized. One hundred and ninety-two vessels wrecked or in distress, with an aggregate of nine hundred and twenty-six per. sons on board, have been assisted. The estimated value of property saved, consisting of these vessels and their cargoes, is about $\$ 1,700,000$. One hundred and forty-two persons have been saved from drowning.

The expenses of the service for the last fiscal year were $\$ 844,00170$.
Under the law passed at the last session of Congress, fifteen officers of the Revenue Marine have been detailed for duty in connection with the Life-saving Service. In addition to these services such officers are required, whenever practicable, to perform their regular duties.

Special services have been rendered by the vessels of the Revenue Marine in assisting the United States Commissioner of Fish and Fishcries in the prosecution of his labors; in placing buoys and transporting supplies on the Pacific coast for the light-house establishment; in aiding the officers of the Government to recover timber wrongfully taken from the public reservations; and in conveying to the lifesaving stations their supplies and outfits.

To maintain the public peace on the main-land and enforce the laws and regulations relative to the seal-fisheries and sea-otter huntinggrounds, two revenue steamers were detailed to cruise in the Alaska region the past season. One of them, the "Richard Rush," remained during the season in the region of the seal islands. The reports received from the commanders of these vessels show that their presence is effective in accomplishing the object sought. Mining operations upon the Stikene river are reported as active, and to have attracted to that locality a large number of miners.

The revenue-cutters which can be made available for service in Alaskan waters were not designed originally for such long voyages as this work requires, and are not well adapted to this cruising. Should Congress deem it advisable to continue such service, a ressel specially designed to perform the duty should be provided.

A few of the older vessels of the Revenue Marine will soon need exensive repairs. Some of them are provided with machinery of the old
patterns, and are expensive in the consumption of fuel. It is believed that to replace them with new vessels, of improved design, would be true economy.

The recommendation, contained in the last annual report, for an appropriation of $\$ 25,000$ to provide a new vessel for use in the shoal waters upon the Gulf coast, between Lake Pontchartrain and Mobile bay, is renewed.

## LIFE-SAVING SERVICE.

The report of the General Superintendent of this service exhibits the usual gratifyiug results.

The statistics of the past year show that the cases of disaster have been more numerous and severe than during any year of the existence of the service. The number of disasters to vessels reported by the superintendents of the several districts during the fiscal year, is one hundred and sixty-nine. These vessels had on board one thousand six hundred and eleven persons, of whom two hundred and twenty-one were lost. Of this latter number, one hundred and eightythree perished at the wrecks of the Huron and Metropolis. Three hundred and ninety shipwrecked persons were cared for at the stations, eight hundred and eighteen days of succor being afforded them. The value of property involved was $\$ 2,622,335$, of which $\$ 1,094,975$ was saved, and $\$ 1,527,360$ lost, there having been fifty-nine instances of the total loss of vessels and cargoes. Five of the fatal disasters reported, occurred at seasons when the appropriations did not admit of the stations being open for service, and two at such distances from the stations as to prevent early and efficient assistanceconditions which had repeatedly been pointed out by the officer immediately in charge of the establishment, as defects calling for remedy, and likely to involve calamitous consequences. If allowance is made for the partial failure to save life in these cases, the mortuary record is smaller in proportion to the number of disasters and the number of lives imperilled than in any previous year since the enlargement of the field of the operations of the establishment under the legislation of 1874 . In the seven disasters referred to, one hundred and ninety-seven persous perished, leaving the loss of life where the efforts of the service were not thus trammelled at twenty-four. The report of the General Superintendent gives in detail the circumstances attending the loss of all the lives referred to.

Since the passage of the act of June 18,1878 , providing for the extension and development of the service, measmres for carrying into
effect this legislation have been pursued as rapidly as possible. Thirteen new statious have been erected, and most of them manned for service, upon the coasts of North Carolina and Virginia, and three upon the coasts of Delaware and Maryland, at points especially needing this protection.. Sites have been selected for all the stations designated by the act on the sea and lake-coasts, with one exception, and titles for these have been secured except in one.instance. The establishment of the coutemplated stations upon the Gulf coast has been delayed by the prevalence of yellow fever at the South; but steps have been taken for the commencement of work early in the spring upon these, and the other stations authorized. The organization of the life-boat service upon the lakes has been placed upon a better footing than before, and this, together with the earlier opening of the stations for service at all points, has had the effect of saving many lives during the late autumnal storms, which would other. wise have been lost.
A corps of efficient keepers has been secured under the operation of the provision for the increase of their compensation, and they have been duly clothed with the powers of inspectors of customs, and have received such instructions as will enable them to perform satisfactorily their added duties in regard to the protection of the revenue and of private property. The recent examinations of the keepers and crews show that the detail of revenue-marine officers as assistant inspectors in the several districts, has resulted in their improvement in personnel and discipline.
The great good which this service has accomplished in recent years, and the marked progress which it is making, amply justify this extension of its powers and resources, and promise still greater usefuluess in the future, corresponding to the aid it may receive from fostering legislation.

## LTGHT-EOUSE ES'IABLISHMENT.

During the last fiscal year, eight new light-houses, one hundred and fifty-one river-lights, one fog-signal, fifty-one day-beacons, and fortyseven buoys have been established, and one light-house, sixty-four river-lights, and two light-ships have been discontinued.

The total at the close of the year was six hundred and sixty lighthouses, six hundred and thirty river-lights, twenty-two light-ships, fifty-five steam fog-signals, four hundred and seventy-one day-beacons, and three thousand and two buoys.
The board has commenced using the mineral oil in the smaller lights on the New England coast, and by the end of the year it is expected
that this oil will be used in all the lights of the fourth, fifth, and sixth orders located on land.
The Fowey Racks light-house has been completed, and is now in operation. It gives the anticipated protection to shipping in the more dangerous part of the Florida reefs. When the light-house for American Shoal is completed, these reefs will be thoroughly lighted.
The lights on the western rivers give great satisfaction to all interested in the river commerce. They are economically and thoroughly kept. A new lantern has been introduced which protects the light from wind and rain, and at the same time lessens the obscuration.
The lighting of these rivers has now fairly passed through the stage of experiment, and may be considered as forming a part of the lighthouse system.
The Department, as well as the whole scientific world, has suffered a great loss by the death, during the past year, of Prof. Joseph Henry, chairman of the board. Rear-Admiral John Rodgers has been selected to fill the chair thus vacated.

## COAST SURVEY.

An abstract of the report of the Superintendent, for the present year, shows that the work in its several branches lias been advanced at upwards of one hundred localities on the Atlantic, Gulf of Mexico, and Pacific coast of the United States, and at geodetic points on land.
The results of this important national survey include, amongst many intricate details, the accurate marking on charts of the dangers that besct navigation, and of the souudings generally in our sea approaches, of all light-houses, bưoys, sea-marks, and life-saving stations in true position, and the variation of the compass; and the giving of exact information respecting tides and currents, and of the position and aspect from the sea of objects that serve as aids to the mariner. Information respecting the variation of the compass, like all marine features represented on the charts, depends greatly upon field-work. The determination of the curves of equal compass variation for the use of mariners along the coast, cau be well ascertained only by a combination of the results obtained by obserrations at sea and at stations in the interior of the country. So, also, coast lines for charts of considerable extent can be correctly traced only from inland points precisely known in relation to each other; and of these upwards of sixteen thousand have been finally determined in latitude and longitude. For present and future uses the positions are marked in the ground, and the locality of each is described in the records of the surrey.

It will be readily seen that work for the coast development serves very important purposes in the interior. From that.quarter calls are frequent for exact geographical positions on which future State surveys may be founded.

Much of the field-work involves computation requiring in the office the highest mathematical ability. From long-continued series the daily tides are computed at the office, and published a year in advance. In each year data of special importance for public uses are supplied from the computing division.

The coast topography, as far as completed, has been mapped on a scale sufficient for any purpose, not only of navigation, but for nearly all cases of engineering, and is represented by fourteen hundred and sixty sheets. The soundings are contained ou thirteen hundred and eighty sheets. Many of the topographical and hydrographic sheets are yearly in request when local or harbor improvements are under consideration.

As heretofore, close relations are maintained between this and other branches of the public service; especially with the Navy, the Engineer department, and the Light-house Board.

The Coast-Survey office is the depository of the standard weights and measures of the United States. Copies there constructed have been supplied to many, and are being supplied to others, of the States; and Territories, and to the custom-houses, as rapidly as the appropriation for the purpose will permit. The comparisons are made with the originals by methods which meet every requirement for exactness:

## THE MARINE-HOSPITAL SERVICE.

The Surgeon-General of the Marine-hospital Service reports 18,223 sick and disabled seamen cared for during the year ended June 30, 1878-the number exceeding by 1,415 the largest number relieved in any previous year. As in the preceding year, there was again a small surplus of receipts over expenditures, as shown by the statement of the Register of the Treasury, the receipts covered into the Treasury being ....................................................... $\$ 369,67867$ And the expenditures........................................ 365, 29290 . Leaving unexpended............................... 4,385 77

On the basis of expenditures as here stated, the average per capita cost of the relief furnished was $\$ 2004$, which is less by $\$ 418$ than the lowest average cost for any previous year, and $\$ 1837$ less than the
average for 1870. At the same time the character of the relief furnished has steadily improved.

The national quarantine act, with the execution of which the SurgeonGeneral is charged, was passed so late in the last session of Congress that the appropriation necessary to carry out its provisions could not be made. Notwithstanding this fact, everything has been done under the act which could be accomplished without the expenditure of money.

By the aid of voluntary contributions, an investigation as to the cause of the yellow-fever epidemic of 1878 has been undertaken, under the direction of the Surgeon-General, by a commission of experts, whose report will be submitted to Congress. The attention of Congress is called to the expediency of requiring, by law, an examination of the officers of this service as a requisite to their appointment. The Secretary renews the recommendation several times made to that effect.

The metric system of weights and measures has been adopted for medical and pharmaceutical purposes in the service during the year. No embarrassment has resulted from its adoption.

## PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

The report of the Supervising Architect shows a satisfactory progress in the constraction of the public buildings. During the year, four buildings have been commenced, seven have been practically completed, and five others are so far advanced that they will be completed by spring-some of these latter considerably within the estimates and appropriations made therefor. In addition to the work of construction, necessary repairs have been made upon various public buildings under control of this Department, of which there are one hundred and thirty-four besides those in course of erection. Large vaults are being constructed for the storage of silver dollars at the sub-treasuries in New York, Philadelphia, and San Francisco, the aggregate cost of which will be about $\$ 65,000$.

The details pertaining to the rental of buildings and rooms for offcers of customs, supervising and local inspectors of steam-vessels, and assistant treasurers, are under charge of the Supervising Architect, and he reports that the number of buildings and portions of buildings rented for these purposes is one hundred and eighty-eight, the aggregate rental of which is $\$ 149,878$ per annum.

## OFFICIAL SERVICE.

In closing his annual report, the Secretary deems it proper to cal attention to the great variety of jurisdiction imposed by law upon the

Treasury Department. Since its organization, by act approved September 2, 1789, it has been placed in charge of the commerce and navigation of the country; of a revenue marine, consisting of thirty-seven steam and sailing-vessels, engaged in the prevention of smuggling and the assistance of distressed and wrecked vessels; of the engraving, printing, and redemption of United States notes; of the collection of commercial and other statistics; and of the construction and custody of public buildings. It has also the exclusive supervision of the National Banks, of the Light-house Establishment, the Coast Survey, the Life-saving Service, and the Marine-hospital Service-together constituting a diversity of duties requiring the highest skill, learning, fidelity, and enterprise on the part of its officers. The laws relative to these matters have been supplemented by regulations and decisions, and all combined form an admirable system for the administration of the business of the Department. It will, accordingly, be seen that the collection and disbursement of public revenues, and the settlement of the accounts therefor, constitute a small part of the work of the Department, and it would seem proper that the persons performing duties so varied and important, should have a tenure of office terminable only for cause, as is the case in the army and navy, and that provision be made for increased pay as a reward for long-continued and faithful service.

The general conduct of the officers of this Department has been exemplary, and probably no service presents a better record of responsible trusts faithfully and honestly discharged.

The several reports of the heads of bureaus and divisions are herewith respectfully submitted.

JOHN SHERMAN, Secretary of the Treasury.

Hon. Samuel J. Randall; Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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## TABLES ACCOMPANYING THE REPORT.

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Table B.-Statement of the net disb:arsements (by warrants) during the fiscal year emded Jине 30, 1878.

CIVIL.

| Congress | \$5, 998, 81995 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Execntive | 5, 810, 17381 |
| Judiciary | 3, 353, 22478 |
| Government of Territories. | 186, 04590 |
| Subtreasmios | 333, 92246 |
| Pablic land-ofices | 500, 05215 |
| Inspection of steam vessels. | 216, 2496 |
| Mint and assay-otrices | 152, 83446 |

FOREIGN INTERCOURSE.


Total.foreign intercourse
$1,229,21678$

## misceltaneous.

Mint establishment
1, 017, 50922
560,753 68
Coast Survey
Light-Eonse establishment
1, 401,365 52 792,525 96


11, $939 \cdot 24$
11, 34413
2, 577, 23165
351, 29540
285, 07249
$5,826,97432$
3, 719, 58278
365,774 88
20, 72021
3, 281), 16222
90,43996
439, $745 \quad 54$








Baiding revenue-cutters.
Life-saving service.
Custom-houses, conthouses, post-ofices, \&e
Fumitare, fuel, \&e., for public buildings uuler Treasury Department. .
Repairs and preservation of buildings muder Trensuy Departmont.
Collecting customs revenue
Debentrue and drawbacks under customs laws.
Marine-hospital establishment
Compensation in lieu of moieties
Assessing and collecting internal revenue
Punishing violations of intemalrevenuo laws.

Tnternal-revenue stamps, papers, and dies

Supprossing counterfeiting find fraxd.
49, 655 69

Amuual repairs of the Capitol.............
64,000
182,133
70

Columbian Institute for Deaf and Dumb . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 120, 02402
Govermment Hospital for the Insume. 159,58048
Charitable iustitutions in Washiuton. 102,312 06
Metropolitan Police.
102,31206
150,52300

Siurvey of public lamds... 421, 74420
Repayments for lands erroneonsly sold. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 51,87702
Five per cent. finds, \&c., to States .................................................. 10, 08297
Payments under relicf acts ..................................
16, 51579

- Expenses of board of health of District of Columbia.................................................... 67000

Southen Claims Commission . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 46, 800 00
Reissuing of national curreney. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 334,54213
Postage.
37.1, 49171

Expenses of District of Colnmbia 359,18797
Interest on 3.65 bonds of District of Columbia. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 501,60763
Expenses of Buroan of Engravingr and Printing................................ 271,68964

Table B.-Statement of the net disbursements (by warrants), fo. - Continued.

| Purchase and management of Lonisville and Portland Canal | \$71, 91000 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Fanlts, sates, and locks for public buildings | 25, 06700 |
| Surithsonian Institation | 66,341 00 |
| Indennity for swamp land | 11, 09179 |
| International cxhibition | 3,330 72 |
| Department of Agriculture | 100, 29947 |
| Propasation, \&c., of food.fishes | 71, 80000 |
| Collectiug statistics relatiug to com | 11, 99026 |
| Patent Office | 179,679 18 |
| Geological survey of Territories | 97, 99875 |
| Deposits by individuals for surveys of public lands | 60, 05849 |
| Expenscs of Treasury investigating committee | 13, 15950 |
| Defending snits and clains for seizure of contraband and abaudoned property. | 27,936 97 |
| Miscellaneous items | 28,414 56 |

## Total miscollaneous

INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

| Indians | 4, 629, 28028 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Pensions | 27, 137, 01908 |

Total Interior Department.

## militally lestablighment.

| Pay Department | 10,689,355 86 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Comnissary Departinent | 2, 663, 99204 |
| Quartermaster's Depastment | 11, 483, 04670 |
| Ordnance Department | 1, 060, 98232 |
| Medical Department. | 341, 62446 |
| Military Academy | $59,801.48$ |
| Expenses of recruiting | 51,077 69 |
| Contingencies | 28, 13172 |
| Signal Service | 31.0, 4021.1 |
| Expenses of military convicts | 50,924 64 |
| Reimbursing States for laising vohmteers | 99, 77606 |
| Claims of loyal citizens for supplies | 1, 80300 |
| Payments under relief acts. | 2, 48303 |
| Foits and fortifications | -162, 14216 |
| Improvements of rivers and harbors | 3, 732, 21214 |
| Publishing of the official records of the rebellion | 25,000 00 |
| Exploration and survey of the Territories west of meridian | 37, 00000 |
| Forses and other property lost in service | 1, 32874 |
| Support of Soldiers' Hone | 122, 0521.2 |
| Support of National Home for Disabled Volunteers | 867, 19840 |
| Clatims for quartermasters' and commissary stores | 301, 77276 |
| Survey of Umion and Central Pacific railvays | 22,49768 |
| Construction of military posts | 49,999 66 |
| Miscellaneous | 7,483 38 |
| Less excess of repa | $32,172,088 \quad 10$ |

Total military establishment.
$32,154,14785$

## naval establishment.

| Pay and contingencies of the Navy | 8,795, 42764 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Marine Corps . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 821, 22562 |
| Navigation | 378, 87440 |
| Orduance. | 295, 01207 |
| Provisions and Clothing | 1, 1.07, 54655 |
| Medicine and Surgery | 78,351 36 |
| Equipment and Reoruiting | 770,611 43 |
| Construction and Repair. | 2,364, 74087 |
| Steam-Engineering . | 2, 002, 01446 |
| Yards and Docks.. | 972, 97513 |
| Payments under relief acts | 16,057 44 |
| Frection of the naval monument. | 16,695 67 |
| Relief of sufferers by wreck of Un | 62, 65029 |
| Navy pension fund.. | 75,800 1.2 |
| Miscellancous. | 32,908 74 |
|  | 17,790, 89179 |
| Less excess of repayments | 425, 59042 |



TABLE C.-SLatement of the issue and redemption of loans and Treasury notes (by warvants) for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

| Character of loans. | Issues. | Redemptions. | Excess of i.ssues. | Excess of redemptions. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Old deht-interest account |  | \$244 33 |  | \$244 33 |
| Coin-certificates, act of March 3, 1863 | \$50, 342, 40000 | 47, 548, 00000 | \$2, 794, 40000 |  |
| Leqal tender notes, act of Tebrmary 25 , 1862, July 11, 1862, Jthuary 7, and | 67,275, 951 00 | 80, 359, 26700 |  | 13,083, 31600 |
| Fractional curaency, acte of July 17, 1862, March 3, 1863, and June 30, 1864 . | 07, 275, 5 ( 00 | $3,855,36857$ |  | 3, 855, 36857 |
| Certificates of deposit, act of June 8 , 1872 | 86,650, 00000 | 94, 855, 00000 |  | 8, 20\%, 00000 |
| Old demand notes, acts of July 17 and August 5, 1861, and July 12, $1.862 .$. |  | 1,665 00 |  | ], 660 00 0 |
| One-year notes of 1863, act of Mareh 3 , 1863 |  | 3,890 00 |  | 3, 89000 |
| Two-year notes of 1863, act of March 3, 1863 |  | J., 35000 |  | 1,350 00 |
| Compound-interest notes, acts of March 3, 1863, and June 30,1864 |  | 21,710 00 |  | 21,710 00 |
| Seren.thirties of 1864 and 1865 , acts of June 30, 1864, and March 3, 1865 ... |  | 7,400.00 |  | 7, 40000 |
| Fire-twenties of 1862, act of Felruary $25,1862 .$ |  | 131, 65000 |  | 181,650 00 |
| Tive-twenties of June, 1.864 , act of June 30, 1864 |  | 111, 65000 |  | 111, 65000 |
| Five-twenties of 1805, act of March 3, 1865 |  | 34, 984, 55000 |  | 34, 984,550 00 |
| Cousols of 1865, aet of Masch 3, 3.565 |  | 91, 830, 75000 |  | 91, 830, 75000 |
| Consols of 1807, act of March 3, 1.805 . | 25000 | 5,700 00 |  | 5, 450 00 |
| Comsgls of 1808, act of Marck $3,1.865$. |  | 8,500 00 |  | 8,500 00 |
| 'Ireasury notes of 1857, act of Decenber 831857 |  | 10000 |  | 10000 |
| Seven-thirties of 1861, act of July 17, 1861 |  | 5000 |  | 5000 |
| Bonnty-laud scrip, act of February 11, 1847 |  | 10000 |  | 10060 |
| Funded lonn of 1891, acts of July 14, 1870, July 20, 1871, and January 14, 1875 | 100, 000, 00000 |  | 100,000, 00000 |  |
| Fanded loan of 1.907, acts of July 14., 1.870, July 20, 1871, and Jamuary 14, 1875 | 98,850,000 00 |  | 98, 850,000 00 |  |
| Sil ver-certificates, net of Fobuary 28, 1878 | 1,462, 60000 |  | 1, 462, 60000 |  |
| Total | 404, 581, 20100 | 353, 676, 94490 | 203, 107, 00000 | 152, 202,743 90 |
| Excess of issmes |  |  | 203, 107, 00000 |  |
| Excess of redemptions |  |  | 152, 202, 74390 | - |
| Net excess of issues charged in receipts and expenditures... |  |  | 50, 904, 25610 |  |

Table D.-Statement of the net receipts and disbursements (by warvants) for the quarter eauded September 30, 1878.

| necripts. |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Custons | \$38, 868, 20810 |
| Sales of public lands | 260, 76563 |
| Internal revenues | 28,572, 14446 |
| Tax on circulation, deposits, \&c., of national banks | 3, 368, 51. 03 |
| Repayment of interest by lacifce Railway Companies | 397, 73710 |
| Customs, fces, fines, penalties, and forfeitures | 244, 83393 |
| Consular, letters-patent, homestead, and land fees | 508, 89076 |
| Proceeds of sales of govermment property | 41, 12751 |
| Premium on sales of coin . . . . . . . . . . | 5,441. 23 |
| Profits ou coinage | 71, 968 31 |
| Miscellaneous | 1, 060, 027.37 |
| Total net ordinary receipts. | 73, 399, 72343 |
| Issues of loans in excess of redemptions | 27, 005, $5433 \mathrm{3I}$ |
| Balance in Treasury Jume 30, 1878. | 258, 489, 80897 |
| Total. | 358, 895, 07571 |
| dibibustaments. |  |
| Customis | 4, 667, 60836 |
| Intermal revemue | 989, 08815 |
| Diplonatic service | 483, 09287 |
| Judiciary | 889, 83690 |
| Tuterior (civil) | 882, 30808 |
| Treasury proper | 7, 049,095 62 |
| Qnarterly salaries | 83, 48964 |
| Total ciril and miscellaneous. | 1.5, 044, 5.1 .962 |
| Tndians. | 1,750,517 25 |
| Pensions | 7, 802, 46563 |
| Military establishment | 10, 258, 90087 |
| Naral establishment | 4,520, 74284 |
| Interest on public debt. | 33, 967, 42706 |
| Total net ordinary disbursements | 73, 344, 57327 |
| Balance in the Treasury September 30, 1878 | 285, 550, 50244 |
| Cotal. | 358, 895, 07571 |

Table E.-Statemont of outstanding principal of the public debt of the United States on the 1 st of January of each year from 1791 to 1313, inclusive, and on the 1st of July of each year from 1844 to 1878, inchusive.


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Table E.—Statement of outstanding principal of the publio debt, se.-Continued.

|  | Pear. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July 1, 1869. |  | \$2, 588, 452, 21394 |
| 1870. |  | 2, 480, 672,42781 |
| 1871. |  | 2,353, 211,332 32 |
| 1872. |  | 2, 253,251,328 78 |
| 1873. |  | *2, 234, 482, 90320 |
| 1874. |  | *2, 251, 690, 468843 |
| 1875. |  | * 2 , 232, 284, 53195 |
| 1876. |  | *2, 180, 305, 06715 |
| 1877. |  | *2, 205, 301, 39210 |
| 1878. |  | *2, 256, 205, 89253 |


#### Abstract

* In the amount here stated as the outstanding principal of the publie debt are included the certificates of deposit ontstanding on the 30th of June, issued under act of June 8, 1872, amounting to $\$ 31,730,000$, in $1873 ; \$ 58,760,000$, in $1874 ; \$ 58,415000$, in $1875 ; \$ 32,840,000$, in $1876 ; \$ 54,960,000$ in 1877, and $\$ 46,755,000$, iu 1878 , for which a like amonnt in United States notes was on special dejosit in the Treasury for their redemption, and alded to the cash balance in the Treasury. Ihese certificates, as a mattel: of accounts, are treated as a part of the public debt, but, being offset by notes held on deposit for their redemption, should proporky be deducted from the principal of the public debt in making comparison


 with former years.Statoment of the principal of the public debt, including acerued interest thereon, less cash in the Treasury on the 1st day of July of each year, from July 1, 1869, to July 1, 1878, compiled from the published monthly debt-statements of those dates.

| Year. | Outstanding principal. | Accrued interest. | Cash in the Treasury. | Debt less cash in the Treasury. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July 1, 1869. | *\$2, 597, 722, 98337 | \$47, 447, 31079 | \$156, 167, 81358 | \$2, 489, 002, 48058 |
| 1.870. | -2, 601, 675, 12783 | 50, 607, 55052 | 265, 924, 08461 | 2, 386, 358, 50974 |
| 1871 | 2,353, 211, 33232 | 45, 036, 76623 | 106, 217, 26365 | 2, 292, 030, 83490 |
| 1872 | 2, 253, 251, 32878 | 41, 705, 81327 | 103, 470, 79843 | 2, 191, 486, 34362 |
| 1873 | 2, $2344,482,99320$ | 42, 356, 65282 | 129, 020, 93245 | 2, 147, 81.8, 71357. |
| 1874 | 2, 251, 690, 46843 | 38, 939, 08747 | 147, 541, 31474 | 2, 143, 088, 24116 |
| 1875 | 2, 232, 284, 53195 | 38, 647,556 19 | 142, 243,361 82 | 2, 128, 688, 72632 |
| 1.876 | 2, 180, 395, 06715 | 38, 514, 00454 | 119, 469, 72670 | $2,099,439,34439$ |
| 1877. | 2, 205, 301, 39210 | 40, 882, 79189 | 1.86, 025, 96073 | $2,060,158,22326$ |
| 1878. | 2, 256, 205, 89253 | 36, 404, 55137 | 256, 823, 61208 | 2, 035, 786, 83182 |

* It will be noticed that there is a difference in the amoments represented by these two statements as the prineipal of the debt July 1, 1869, and July 1, 1870. This difterence is explained thus: In the principal of the debt as shown by the monthly debt-statements of those dates, the bonds purchased for tho sinking-fund and paid for from money in the Treasury, wero included as a part of the outstanding debt and were also treated in the cash as a cash item, or asset, for the reason that at that time there was no authority of law for deducting them from the outstanding debt. Congress, by the sixth section of the act of July 14, 1870, direeted that these bonds should be canceled and destroyed and dedncted from the anount of each class of the outstanding debt to which they respectively belonged, and such dednctions were accordingly made on the books of the department and in the table of the debt in the annual report.

TABLE 13:-Statsment of the reseipts of the Onited States from March 4, 1739, to June

| ت犬 | Balance in the Treasury at commence. ment of year. | Customs. | Intemal reve. nue. | Direct tax. | Public lands. | Miscellaneous. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1797 |  | \$4, 399, 47309 |  |  |  | \$10,478 10 |
| 1792 | \$973, 90575 | 3, 443, 07085 | \$208,942 81. |  |  | 9,918 65 |
| 1793 | 783, 44461 | 4, 255, 30656 | 337, 70570 |  |  | 21., 41.088 |
| 1.794 | 753, 661. 69 | 4, 801, 06598 | 274, 089 62 |  |  | 58, 27797 |
| 1795 | 1, 151,924 17 | 5, 588,461 26 | 337, 75536 |  |  | 28,317 97 |
| 1796 | 516, 44261 | 6, 567, 987 94 | 475, 28960 |  | \$4, 83613 | 1, 169, 41.598 |
| 1797 | 888,995 42 | 7, 549, 64965 | 575, 497 4, |  | 83,54060 | 399,13929 |
| 1798 | 1, 021, 89904 | 7, 106,061. 98 | 644, 35795 |  | 11, 96311 | 58,192 81 |
| 1799 | $617,451: 43$ | 6, 610, 44931. | 779, 1.3644 |  |  | 86, 18756 |
| 1800 | $2,161,86777$ | 9, 080, 932 73 | 809, 396 | \$734, 22397 | 44375 | 152,712 10 |
| 1801. | 2, 623,317 99 | 10, 750, 77898 | 1, 048,083 43 | 534,34338 | ].67, 72606 | $345,6491.5$ |
| 1802 | 3, 295, 391. 00 | 12, 438, 23574 | (621, 89889 | 206, 56544 | ].88, 62882 | 1,500,505 86 |
| 1.813 | 5, 020, 69764 | 10, 479, 41761 | 215, 17969 | 71, 87920 | 165, 67569 | 131, 94544 |
| 1804 | $4,825,81.160$ | 11, 098,56533 | 50, 94.129 | 50, 7.9844 | 487, 52679 | 139, 07553 |
| 1.805 | 4, 037, 00526 | 12, 936, 48704 | 21, 7471.5 | 2]., 88291 | 540, 19880 | 40,382 30 |
| 1806 | 3, 999,388 99 | 1.4, 667, 698.17 | $20,101.45$ | 55, 76386 | 765,24573 | 51, 12.2]. 86 |
| 1807 | 4,238, 12380 | $15,845,521$. | 13,051 40 | 34, 73256 | 466, 16327 | 38,550 42 |
| 1808 | 9, 643, 85007 | 16, 363,50058 | $8,190 \quad 23$ | 19, 1.59 ¢ 1 | 647, 93906 | 21, 82285 |
| J. 809 | 9, 941, 80996 | 7, 257, 506 62 | 4,034 29 | 7, 51.731. | 442, 252 33 | 62, 16257 |
| 1.810 | 3, 848, 05078 | 8, 583, 30931 | 7,430 63 | 12,448 68 | 696, 54882 | 84,47684 |
| 1.811 | 2, 672, 27657 | 13, 313, 22273 | 2, 29595 | 7, 66066 | 1,040,237 53 | 59, 211122 |
| 1812 | 3, 502, 305 80 | 8,958, 77753 | 4,903060 | 85922 | 710, 42778 | 126, 16517 |
| 1813 | 3, 862, 21.741 | 13, 234, 62325 | 4,755 04 | 3, 805 52 | 835,65514 | 271,571 00 |
| 1814 | 5, 196,542 00 | $5,908,77208$ | 1, 662, 984.82 | 2, 219, 49736 | $1,135,97109$ | 164,399 81 |
| 1.815 | ]. 727, 84868 | 7, 282,942 22 | 4, 678, 05907 | 2, 162, 67341 | ]., 287, 95928 | 285,282 84 |
| 1816 | 13, 100, 39288 | 36, 306,87488 | $5,124,70831$. | 4, 253, 085 | ], 717, 98508 | 273,782 35 |
| 1817 | 22, 038, 51.919 | 26, 283, 34849 | 2, 678, 10077 | 1,834, 18704 | ]., 991, 22600 | 109,761 08 |
| 1818 | 14, 989, 46548 | 17, 176, 38500 | 953, 27020 | 264, 33336 | 2, 606,504 77 | 57,617 71 |
| 181.9 | 1, 478, 52674 | 20, 283, 60876 | 229, 59363 | 83,650 78 | 3, 274, 42278 | 57, 09842 |
| 1820 | 2, 079, 99238 | 15,005, 61215 | 106, 26053 | 31.,586 82 | 1, 635, 8716.1 | 61, 33844 |
| 1821 | 1, 198, 46121 | 13, 004, 44715 | 69, 02763 | 29,349 05 | 1, 21.2, 96646 | 152,58943 |
| 1822 | 1, 681,592 24 | 17, 589, 761.94 | 67, 66571. | 20,961 56 | 1, 803, 581.54 | 452, 95719 |
| 1823 | $4,237,42755$ | 19, 088, 43344 | 34, 24217 | 10,337 71 | 916, 52310 | 141, 12984 |
| 1824 | 9, 463, 9228.1 | 17, 878, 32571. | 34, 66337 | 6, 201. 96 | 984, 41.81 .5 | 127, 60360 |
| 1825 | 1,946,597 1.3 | $20,098,71.345$ | 25, 771.35 | 2,330 85 | 1,216, 09056 | 130, 451. 81. |
| 1826 | 5,201, 650 43 | 23, 341,38177 | 21,589 93 | 6, 63876 | 1, 393,785 09 | 94, 58866 |
| 1827 | 6, 358, 68618 | 19,712, 28329 | 19,885 68 | 2,626 90 | 1, 495, 84526 | 1,315,722 83 |
| 1828 | 6, 668, 2861.0 | 23, 205, 52364 | 17, 45.154 | 2, 21.881 | 1, 01.8, 30875 | 65,12649 |
| 1829 | $5,972,43581$ | 22, 651,965 91. | 14, 50274 | 11,335 05 | ], 517, 17513 | 112, 64855 |
| 1.830 | 5, 755, 70479 | 21, 922, 391. 39 | 12, 1.60 62 | 1.6, 98059 | 2, 329, 35614 | 73,22777 |
| 1831 | 6, 014, 58975 | 24, 224, 44177 | 6,933 51 | 10,506 01 | 3,210, 81548 | 584, 22405 |
| 1832 | 4, 502, 914.45 | 28, 465, 23724 | 11,630 65 | 6, 79113 | 2, 623, 38103 | 270,410 01 |
| 1833 | 2, 011, 77755 | 29, 032, 50891 | 2,75900 | 39412 | 3,967, 68255 | 470,096 67 |
| 1834 | 11., 702, 90531 | 16, 214, 9571.5 | 4,1,9609 | 1980 | 4, 857, 60069 | 480, 8.2332 |
| 1885 | 8, 892, 85842 | 19, 3991, 310 59 | 10,459 48 | 4, 26333 | 14, 757, 60075 | 759,972 13 |
| 1836 | 26, 749, 803 96 | 23, 409, 94053 | 37000 | 72879 | 24, 877, 17986 | 2, 245, 90223 |
| 1837 | 46, 708, 43600 | 11, 169, 29039 | 5,493 84 | 1. 68770 | $6,776,23052$ | 7,001,444 59 |
| 1838 | 37, 327, 25269 | 16, 158, 80036 | 2, 46727 |  | $3,730,94566$ | 6,410,348 45 |
| 1839 | 36, 891, 19694 | 23, 137, 92481 | 2, 55332 | 75522 | 7, 361, 57640 | 979,939 86 |
| 1840 | 33, 1.57, 50368 | 13, 499, 50217 | 1,682 25 |  | 3, 411, 81863 | 2, 567, 1.1228 |
| 1841 | 29, 968, 16346 | 14, 487, 21674 | 8, 26.136 |  | 1, 365, 62742 | 1,004,054 75 |
| 1842 | 28, (i85, 111. 08 | 18, 187, 90876 | 49500 |  | 1, 335,79752 | 451, 99597 |
| 1843* | 30, 521, 979 44 | 7, 046, 8439.1 | 1.0325 |  | 898, 15818 | 285, 89592 |
| 1844 | 39, 186, 28474 | 26, 183, 57094 | 1, 77734 |  | 2, 059, 93980 | 1,075,41970 |
| 1845 | 36, 742, 82962 | 27, 528, 11270 | 3, 51712 |  | 2, 077,022 30 | 361; 45368 |
| 1846 | 36, 194, 27481 | 26,712, 66787 | 2,897 26 |  | 2, 694, 45248 | 289, 95013 |
| 1847 | 38, 261, 95965 | 23, 747, 86466 | 37500 |  | 2, 498, 35520 | 220, 80830 |
| 1848 | 33, 079, 27643 | 31, 737, 07096 | 37500 |  | 3, 328,642 56 | 612, 61.069 |
| 1849 | 29, 416, 61.245 | 28, 346, 73882 |  |  | 1,688,959 55 | 685, 37913 |
| 1850 | 32, 827, 08269 | 39, 668, 68642 |  |  | 1, 859, 89425 | 2, 064,308 21 |
| 1.851 | 35, 871, 758 31 | $49,017,56792$ |  |  | 2,352,305 30 | $1,185,166111$ |
| 1852 | $40,158,353$ <br> $43,338,860$ <br> 1 | $47,339,32632$ $58,981,865$ 52 |  |  |  | 464, 24940 |
| 1854 | 50, 261, 90109 | 64, 224, 19027 |  |  | 8, 470,798 39 | 1, 105 , 358274 |
| 1855 | 48, 591, 073 41 | 53, 029, 79421 |  |  | 11, 497, 04907 | 827, 731. 40 |
| 1850 | 47, 777, 672 1.3 | 64, 022, 86350 |  |  | 8, 917,644 93 | $1,116,19081$ |
| 1857 | 49, 108, 22980 | $63,875,90505$ |  |  | 3, 829, 48664 | 1, 259, 92088 |
| 1858 | 46, 802,85500 | 41, 789, 620.96 |  |  | 3, 513, 71587 | 1, 352,02913 |
| 1859 | 35, 113, 334 22 | 49, 565, 82438 |  |  | 1,750,687 30 | 1., 454, 59624 |
| 1860 | 33, 198, 24860 | 53, 1.87, 511.87 |  |  | 1, 778, 55771 | 1, 088, 53025 |
| 1.861 | 32, 979, 23078 | 39, 582, 125 64 |  |  | 870, 63854 | 1, 023,515 31 |
| 1862 | 30, 963, 85783 | $49,056,39762$ |  | 1,795, 33173 | 1.52, 20377 | 915, 32797 |
| 1.863 | $46,965,30487$ | 69, 059, 64240 | 37, 640, 787 95 | 1, 485, 10361 | 1.67, 6171.7 | 3,741,794 38 |
| 1864 | 36, 523, 04633 | 102, 31.6, 1.5299 | 1.09, 741, 13410 | 1,475,64896 | 588, 33329 | 30, 291, 70180 |
| 1865 | 134, 433, 73844 | $84,928,26060$ | 200, 484, 21525 | 1,200,573 03 | 996, 55331 | 25, 441, 55600 |

* For the hall-year from Jau

30, 1378, by calendar years to 1843 and by fiscal years (ended June 30) from that time.

| $\underset{y}{E}$ | Divideuds. | Net ordinary receipts. | Interest. | Premiums. | Receiptis from loans and Treasury notes. | Gross receipts. | Unavail. able. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1791 |  | \$4,409, 951 19 |  |  | \$361, 39134 | \$4, 771, 34258 |  |
| 1792 | \$8, 02800 | $3,669,96031$ |  |  | $5,1.02,49845$ | 8,772, 45876 |  |
| 1793 | 38,500 00 | 4, 652, 9231.4 |  |  | 1., 797, 27200. | $6,450,19515$ |  |
| 1794 | 393,472 00 | 5, 431, 90487 |  |  | 4, 007, 95078 | 9, 439, 85565 |  |
| 1795 | 160,000 00 | $6,114,53459$ | \$4, 80000 |  | $3,396,42400$ | 9,515, 75859 |  |
| 1796 | 160, 00000 | $8,377,52965$ | 42,80000 |  | 320, 00000 | 8,740,329 65 |  |
| 1797 | 80,96000 | $8,688,78098$ |  |  | 70,000 00 | 8,758,780 99 |  |
| 1798 | 79,920 00 | 7,900, 49580 | 78,675 00 |  | 200, 00000 | $8,179,170 \$ 0$ |  |
| 1799 | 71,040 00 | $7,546,81.331$. |  |  | $5,000,00000$ | 12, 546, 81331 |  |
| 1800 | 71, 04000 | $10,848,74910$ |  |  | 1,565, 22924 | 12, 41,3, 97834 |  |
| 1801 | 88,80000 | 12,985, 38095 | $10,125.00$ |  |  | 12, 945, 45595 |  |
| 1802 | 39,96000 | $14,995,79395$ |  |  |  | 14, 995, 793395 |  |
| 1803 |  | 1.1,064, 09763 |  |  |  | 11,064, 09763 |  |
| 1804 |  | 11., 826, 30788 |  |  |  | 11, 826,307 38 |  |
| 1805 |  | 13, 560, 693 20 |  |  |  | 13,560, 693. 20 |  |
| 1806 |  | 15, 559,93107 |  |  |  | 15, 550, 98107 |  |
| 1807 |  | 16, 398, 01926 |  |  |  | 16, 398, 01926 |  |
| 1808 |  | 17,060, 661 93 |  |  |  | 17,060, 661. 08 |  |
| 1809 |  | 7,773, 47312 |  |  |  | 7,773,473 12 |  |
| 1810 |  | 9,384, 21428 |  |  | 2,750,000 00 | 12, 134, $214 \times 8$ |  |
| 1811 |  | $14,422,63409$ |  |  |  | 14, 429, 68409 |  |
| 1812 |  | 9, 801, 1.5276 |  |  | 12, 837,900 00 | 22, 639, 133276 |  |
| 1.813 |  | 14, 340,40985 | 30000 |  | $26,184,18500$ | $40,534,84495$ |  |
| 1814 |  | 11, 181, 02516 | 8579 |  | 23, 377, 82600 | 34, 559, 53695 |  |
| 18.5 |  | 15, 696, 91688 | 11,54174 | \$32, 10764 | $35,220,67240$ | 50,961, 23760 |  |
| 1816 |  | 47, 676, 985 66 | 68, 6651.6 | 68609 | 9, 425, 08491. | 57, 171, 421. 82 |  |
| 1817 | 202, 42630 | 33, 099, 04974 | 267,81914 |  | 466, 72345 | 86, 833, 59233 |  |
| 1818 | 525,000 00 | 21, 585, 17104 | 41262 |  | 8,35300 | 21, 593, 93666 |  |
| 1819 | 675, 00000 | 24, 608, 37437 |  |  | 2,29100 | 24, 605, 66537 |  |
| 1820 | 1,000,000 00 | 17, 840, 66950 |  | 40,000 00 | 3, 000, 8241.3 | $20,881 ., 49368$ |  |
| 1821 | 105, 00000 | 14,573, 37972 |  |  | $5,000,32400$ | 19,573,703 72 |  |
| 1822 | 297, 50000 | 20, 232, 427.94 |  |  |  | $20,232,42794$ |  |
| 1823 | 350, 00000 | 20, 540, 66626 |  |  |  | 20, 540,666 26 |  |
| 1824 | 350,00000 | 19,381, 21279 |  |  | 5,000,000 00 | 24, 381, 2. 2.79 |  |
| 1825 | 367,50000 | 21, 840, 85802 |  |  | $5,000,00000$ | 26, 840, 85802 |  |
| 1826 | 402,500 00 | $25,260,43421$ |  |  |  | $25,260,43421$. |  |
| 1827 | 420, 00000 | 22, 966,30896 |  |  |  | 22, 966, 36396 |  |
| 1828 | 455,00000 | $24,763,62923$ |  |  |  | 24,763, 62923 |  |
| 1829 | 490,000 00 | 24, 827, 62738 |  |  |  | 24, 827, 62738 |  |
| 1830 | 490, 00090 | 24, 844, 1165.1. |  |  |  | 24, 844, 11651 |  |
| 1831 | 490, 00000 | 28, 526, 82088 |  |  |  | 2S, 526,82082 |  |
| 1832 | 490, 00000 | 31, 867, 450 66 |  |  |  | 31, 867, 45066 | \$1,889 50 |
| 1835 | - 474,98500 | 33, 948,42625 |  |  |  | 33, 948,426 25 |  |
| 1834 | 234, 34950 | 21, 791, 9355 |  |  |  | 21, 79]. 93555 |  |
| 1835 | 506,480 82 | 35,430, 08710 |  |  |  | 35, 430, 087 l .0 |  |
| 1836 | 292, 67467 | 50, 826, 79608 |  |  |  | 50, 826,780 08 |  |
| 1837 |  | $24,954,15304$ |  |  | 2, $9922,9803.5$ | 27, 947,14219 | 63,28835 |
| 1838 |  | 26,302, 56174 |  |  | 12, 71.6, 82086 | 39, 019, 38260 |  |
| 1839 |  | 31, 482, 74963. |  |  | 3, 857, 27621. | $35,340,02582$ | 458,762 93 |
| 1840 |  | 19, 480, 11533 |  |  | 5,589, 54751 | 25, 069, 665284 | 37,469 25 |
| 1841 |  | 16, 800, 16027 |  |  | 13, 659, 31738 | 30, 519, 47765 |  |
| 1848 |  | 19, 976, 19745 |  |  | 14, 808,73564 | 34, 784, 93289 | 11, 18800 |
| 1843 |  | 8, 281, 00126 |  | 71, 700 88 | 12, 479, 70836 | $20,782,41045$ |  |
| 1844 |  | 29, 320,70778 |  | 60660 | 1,877, 18135 | 31, 198,55573 |  |
| 1845 |  | 29, 970, 105 80 |  |  |  | 29, 970, 10580 | 28,251 90 |
| 1846 |  | 29, 690, 967 74 |  |  |  | 29, 699, 96774 |  |
| 1847 |  | $26,467,40316$ |  | 28, 36591 | 28, 872, 39945 | 55, 368, 16852 | 30,000 00 |
| 1848 |  | 35, 698, 60921 |  | 37, 08000 | 21, 256,70000 | 56, 992, 47927 |  |
| 1849 |  | 30,721, 07750 |  | 487, 06548 | 28, 588, 75000 | 59, 790, 80298 |  |
| 1850 |  | 43, 592, 88888 |  | 10,550 00 | ' $4,045,95000$ | 47, 649, 38888 |  |
| 1851. |  | 52, 555, 03933 |  | 4,264 92 | 203,400 00 | 52, 762, 70425 |  |
| 1852 |  | $49,846,81560$ |  |  | 46,300 00 | 49, 893, 11560 |  |
| 1858 |  | 61, 587, 03168 |  | 2250 | 16,350 00 | 61, 608, 40418 | 103, 30137 |
| 1854 |  | 73, 800, 34140 |  |  | 2,001.67 | 78, 802, 343007 |  |
| 1855 |  | $65,350,57468$ |  |  | 80000 | $65,351,37468$ |  |
| 1856 |  | 74, 056̧, 69924 |  |  | 20000 | 74, 056, 899224 |  |
| 1857 |  | 68,965, 31257 |  |  | 3,900.00 | 68, 960, 21257 |  |
| 1858 |  | 46, $6 \mathbf{6 5 5}, 36596$ |  |  | 23, 717, 30000 | 70,372, 06596 |  |
| 1859 |  | 52,777, 10792 |  | 709,357 72 | 28, 287,500 00 | $81,773,96564$ | 15,408 34 |
| 1860 |  | 56, 054,509 88 |  | 10, 00800 | 20,776, 800 00 | 76, 841, 40783 |  |
| 1861 |  | 41, 476, 29949 |  | 38,63090 | 41, 861, 70974 | 83, 371, 64013 |  |
| 1862 |  | 51, 919, 26109 |  | 68, 40000 | 529, 692, 46050 | 581, 680,12159 | $\text { 11. } 11081$ |
| 1868 |  | 112, 094, 94551 |  | 602, 34544 | -776, 685, 361 57 | 889, 379, 65252 |  |
| 1864 |  | 243, 412, 97120 |  | 21, 174, 1.0101 | 1., 128, 878, 94536 | 1, 393, 461., 01757 | 9,21040 |
| 1865 |  | 322, 031, 1.58191 |  | 11, 683,446 89: | $1,472,224,74085$ | 1. 805, 939, 34593 | 6,085 11 |

uary 1, 1843, to June $30,1843$.

Table F.-Stateneent of the receipts of the Tnited States

| 范 | Balance in the 'reasury at eommence ment of year | Customs. | Internal revenue. | Direct tax. | Public lands. | Mis cellaneous. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1.866 | \$33, 933, 65789 | \$1.79, 046, 65.158 | \$309, 226, 81342 | \$1, 974, 75412 | \$665, 03103 | \$29, 030, 31423 |
| 1867 | 160, 817, 09973 | 176, 417, 81088 | 266, 027, 53743 | 4, 200, 23370 | 1,163,575 76 | 15, 037, 52215 |
| 1.868 | 198, 076, 53709 | 1.64, 464, 59956 | 191, 087 , 58941. | 1,788, 14585 | 1,348,715 41 | 17, 745, 40359 |
| 1.869 | 158, 936, 08287 | 180, 048, 42663 | 158, 356, 460 86 | 765, 68561 | 4, 020, 34434 | 13, 997, 3388 |
| 1870 | 183, 781, 98576 | 194, 538,374 44 | 184, 899, 75649 | 229, 10288 | 3, 350, 48176 | 12, 942, 11830 |
| 1871 | 177, 604, 116 51 | 206, 370,40805 | 143, 098, 1533 '63 | 580,355 37 | 2,388, 64668 | 22, 093, 54121 |
| 1872 | 138, 0.19, 12215 | 216,370, 28677 | 1.30, 642, 17772 |  | 2, 575, 7141.9 | 15, 106, 05123 |
| 1873 | 134, 666, 00185 | 188, 089, 522 70 | 113, 729, 314.14 | 315, 25451 | 2, 882, 31238 | 17, 161, 27005 |
| 1874 | 159, 293, 67341 | 163, 103, 83369 | 102, 409, 78490 |  | 1, 852, 42893 | 32, 575, 04332 |
| 1875 | 178, 833, 33954 | 157, 167, 722 35 | 110, 007, 49358 |  | 1, 413, 64017 | 15, 431, 91531 |
| 1.876 | 172, 804, 061.32 | 1.48, 071, 98461. | 116, 700, 73203 | 93,798 80 | 1, 129,466 95 | 24, 070, 602 31 |
| 1877 | 1.49, 909, 37721 | 130, 956,493 07 | 118, 630, 40783 |  | 976. 25368 | 30, 437, 48742 |
| 1.878 | 214, 887, 64588 | 130, 170, 68020 | 1.10, 581, 62474 |  | 1, 079, 74337 | 15, 61.4, 72809 |
|  |  | 4, 115, 191, 31410 | 2, 434, 521, 99627 | 27, 648, 72573 | 203, 623, 03175 | 370, 864, 13752 |

* Amounts heretofore orodited to the Treasurer as una
from Maroll 4, 1789, to June 30, 1878, fo. -Continued.

| $\begin{gathered} \dot{g} \\ \stackrel{y}{8} \end{gathered}$ | Dividends. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Net ordinary } \\ & \text { receipts. } \end{aligned}$ | Interest. | Premiums. | Receipts from loans and Treasury notes. | Gross receipts. | Unevailable. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1886 |  | \$519, 949.56438 |  | \$38,083, 05568 | \$712, 851, 55305 | 1,270, 884, 17311 | \$172, 09429 |
| 1867 |  | 462, 846, 679 92 |  | 27, 787, $33035 \mid$ | 640, 426, 91029 | 1,131, 060, 92056 | $\frac{721,82793}{3,675,01819}$ |
| 1868 |  | 376, 434, 45382 |  | 29, 203, 62950 | 625, 111, 43320 | 1, 030, 749, $516{ }^{52}$ |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1869 \\ & 1870 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 357,188,256 \\ & 395,959,833 \\ & 87 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 13,755,491 \quad 12 \\ & 15,295,643 \\ & 76 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 238,678,081 \\ & 285,474,496 \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 609; 621, 82827 $696,729,97363$ | *2,070 73 |
| 1871 |  | 374, 431, 1.0494 |  | 8, 892, 83993 | 268, 768,53347 | 652, 092, 46836 | $\times 3,39618$ |
| 1872 |  | 364, 394, 22991 |  | 9,412,637 65 | 305, 047, 05400 | 679, 153, 92156 | *18, 22835 |
| 1873 |  | 322, 177, 67378 |  | 11, 560, 53089 | 214, 931, 01700 | 548, 669, 221 67 | *3, 04780 |
| 1874 |  | 299, 941,09084 |  | 5, 037, 66: 22 | 439, 272, 53546 | 744, 251, 29152 | 12,691 40 |
| 1875 |  | 284, 020, 771.41 |  | 3, 979, 27969 | 387, 971, 55600 | 675, 971, 60710 |  |
| 1876 |  | 290, 066, 58470 |  | 4, 029,280 58 | 397, 455, 80800 | 6911,551, 67328 |  |
| 1877 |  | 281,000, 64200 |  | 405,776 58 | 348, 871, 74900 | 630, 278, 16758 |  |
| 1.878 |  | 257, 446, 77640 |  | 317, 10230 | 404, 581, 201.00 | 662, 345, 07970 |  |
|  | 9, 720, 136 29 | 7, 161, 569, 34166 | 485, 22445 | 202, 754, 063209 | 9, 592, 671,961 84 | $1.6,957,480,59115$ | $2,661,86653$ |

vailable; and since recovered and charged to his account.

Table G.--Statement of the expenditures of the United States from March 4, 1789, to June


* For the half.year from Jan

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30, 1878, by calendar years to 1843 and by fiscal years (ended June 30) from that time.

| Fonr. | Net ordinary expenditures. | Premiums. | Interest. | Public debt. | Gross expendi- tures. | Balance in Treasury at the end of the year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1791 | \$1. 91.9, 58952 |  | \$.1, 177, 86303 | \$699, 08423 | \$3, 797, 43678 | \$973, 90575 |
| 1792 | $5,896,25847$ |  | 2, 373, 611. 28 | 693, 05025 | 8,962, 92000 | 783, 44451 |
| 1793 | 1, 749, 07073 |  | 2, 097, 85917 | 2, 633,048 07 | $6,479,97797$ | 753, 66169 |
| 1794 | 3, 545, 29900 |  | 2,752,523 04 | 2,743,771 131 | $9,041,59317$ | 1, 151, 92417 |
| 1795 | $4,362,54172$ |  | 2, 947, 05906 | 2, 841, 63937 | 10, 151, 24015 | 51.6, 44261 |
| 1796 | 2,551, 3081.5 |  | 3, 239, 34768 | 2, 577, 12601 | 8,367, 77684 | 888, 99542 |
| 1797 | $2,836,11052$ |  | 3,172, 51673 | 2, 617, 25012 | $8{ }_{6} 625,87737$ | 1, 021, 89904 |
| 1798 | 4, 651, 71042 |  | 2, 955,87590 | 976,032 09 | $8,583,61841$ | 617, 45143 |
| 1799 | $6,480,16672$ |  | $2,815,65141$ | 1,706, 57884 | 11., 002, 39697 | 2, 1.61, 86777 |
| 1800 | $7,411,36997$ |  | 3, 402, 60104 | 1, 138,563 11 | 11, 952, 53412 | 2,623,311199 |
| 1807. | 4, 981, 66990 |  | $4,411.83006$ | 2, 879, 87698 | 12, 273, 37694 | 3, 295, 39100 |
| 1802 | 3, 737, 079 914 |  | $4,239,1721.6$ | $5,294,28524$ | 13, 270, 48731 | 5, 020, 69764 |
| 1803 | $4,002,82424$. |  | 3, 949, 46236 | 3, 306, 69707 | 11, 258, 98367 | 4, 825, 81160 |
| 1804 | 4, 452, 85891 |  | 4, 185, 04874 | 3, 977, 20607 | 12, $615,11.372$ | 4, 037, 00526 |
| 1805 | 6,357, 23462 |  | 2, 657, 11422 | 4,583, 960 68 | 13, 598, 30947 | 3, 990, 38899 |
| 1806 | 6, 080, 20936 |  | 3,368, 96886 | $5,572,01864$ | 15, 021, 19626 | $4,538,12380$ |
| 1807 | 4, 984, 57289 |  | 3, 369, 57848 | 2, 938,14162 | 11. 292, 29299 | 9, 643, 85007 |
| 1808 | 6,504, 33885 |  | 2,557, 074 23 | 7, 701, 28896 | 16, 762, 70204 | 9, 941, 80996 |
| 1809 | 7, 414, 67214 |  | 2, 860, 07490 | 3,586, 47926 | 13, 867, 22630 | 3, 848, 05678 |
| 1810 | 5, 311, 082 28 |  | $3,163,67.109$ | 4, 835, 24112 | 13, 309, 99449 | 2, 672, 27657 |
| 181. | $5,592,60486$ |  | 2, 585,435 57 | $5,414,56443$ | 13, 592, 60486 | 3,502, 30580 |
| 1812 | 17, 829, 49870 |  | 2,451, 27257 | 1., 998,34988 | 22, 279, 12215 | 3,862, 21741 |
| 1813 | $28,082,39692$ |  | 3, 599,455 22 | 7, 508, 66822 | $39,190,52036$ | 5, 196, 54200 |
| 1.814 | 30, 127, 68638 |  | 4, 593, 239 04 | 3,307, 30490 | 38, 028, 230082 | 1, 727, 84863 |
| 1815 | 26, 953, 57100 |  | 5, 990,090 24. | 6, 688, 88211. | 39, 582, 49385 | 18, 106, 59288 |
| 1816 | 23, 373, 43258 |  | 7, 822, 92334 | 17, 048, 13959 | 48, 244, 495 51. | 22, 033, 51919 |
| 1817 | $15,454,60992$ |  | 4,536, 28255 | $20,886,75357$ | 40, 877, 64604 | 14, 989, 46548 |
| 1818 | 13,808, 67378 |  | 6,209, 95403 | 15, 086, 24759 | $35,104,87540$ | 1, 478,526 74 |
| 1819 | 16,300, 27344 |  | $5,211,73056$ | 2, 492, 19573 | 24, 004, 19973 | 2, 079, 99238 |
| 1820 | $13,134,53057$ |  | $5,151,00432$ | 3, 477,489 96 | 21, 763, 02485 | 1, 198, 46121 |
| 1821 | 10,723, 47907 |  | $5,126,07379$ | 3, 241, 01983 | 19, 090, 572 69 | 1., 681, 59224 |
| 1822 | $9.827,64351$ |  | $5,172,78879$ | 2, 676, 16038 | 17, 676,59263 | 4, 237, 427 55 |
| 1893 | $9,784,15459$ |  | 4, 922, 47540 | 607, 54.101. | 15, 314, 17100 | 9, 463, 92281 |
| 1824 | 15, 330, 14471. |  | $4,943,557$ 93 | 11, 624, 83583 | 31, 898, 538847 | 1,946, 59713 |
| 1825 | 11, 490, 45994 |  | 4, 366, 75740 | 7, 728, 58738 | $23,585,80472$ | 5, 201, 65043 |
| 1826 | 13, 062, 31627 |  | 3, 975, 54295 | 7, 065, 53924 | $24,103,39846$ | 6, 358, 68618 |
| 1827 | 12, 653, 09565 |  | 3,486,071 51. | 6, 517, 59688 | 22, 650, 76404 | $6,668,28610$ |
| 1828 | 13, 296, 04145 |  | 3, 098, 80060 | 0, 064, 03747 | $25.459,47952$ | $5,972,43581$ |
| 1829 | 12, 641, 21040 |  | 2,542, 84323 | $9,860,30477$ | $25,044,35840$ | $5,755,70479$ |
| 1830 | 13, 229, 53333 |  | L, 91.2574 .93 | $9,443,17329$ | 24, 585, 28.155 | 6, 014, 53975 |
| 1831 | 13, 864, 067990 |  | 1., 379,748 74 | 14, 800, 62948 | 30, 038, 44612 | 4, 502, 91445 |
| 1832 | 16, 516, 38877 |  | 772, 56150 | 17, 067, 74779 | 34, 356, 698000 | 2, 011, 77755 |
| 1838 | 22, 713, 75511 |  | 303, 79687 | 1, 239, 74651 | $24,257,29849$ | 11, 702, 90531 |
| 1834: | 18, 425, 41725 |  | 202, 15298 | $5,974,41221$. | 24, 601, 98244 | 8, 892, 85842 |
| 1835 | 17, 51.4, 95028 |  | 57, 863, 08 | 32820 | 17, 573, 1.4156 | 26, 749, 80396 |
| 1836 | 30, 868, 164 04 |  |  |  | 30, 868, 16404 | $46,708,43600$ |
| 1.837 | 37, 243, 21424 |  |  | 21., 82291 | $37,265,03715$ | 37, 327, 25260 |
| 1838 | 33, 849, 71808 |  | 14, 99648 | 5, 590, $723 \quad 79$ | $39,455,43835$ | 36, 891, 19694 |
| 1839 | 26, 496, 94873 |  | 399, 88389 | 10, 71.8, 15353 | $37,614,93615$ | 33, 1.57,503 68 |
| 1840 | $24,139,92011$ |  | 174, 598.08 | 3, 912, 01.562 | 28, 226, 53381 | 29, 963, 16346 |
| 1841 | 26, 1.96, 84029 |  | 284, 977 55 | 5, 315, 7121.9 | 31, 797, 530031 | 28, 685, 11108 |
| 1842 | 24, 361, 33650 |  | 773,54985 | 7, 801, 99009 | 32, 936, 87653 | 30, 521, 97944 |
| 1843 | 11, 2556,50860 |  | 523, 58391. | 338, 01264 | 12, 118, 10515 | 39, 186,28474 |
| 1844 | $20,650,10801$ |  | 1,833, 45213 | 11, 158, 450 71. | 33, 642, 01085 | $36,742,82962$ |
| 1845 | 21, 895, 36961 | \$18, 23143 | 1, 040, 4581.8 | $7,536,34949$ | 30, 490, 40871 | 36, 194, 27481 |
| 1846 | $26,418,45959$ |  | 842, 72387 | 371, 100 04 | 27, 632, 28290 | 38, 261, 95965 |
| 1847 | 53, 801, 569 37 |  | 1, 119, 21472 | 5, 600, 06765 | $60,520,85174$ | $33,079,27643$ |
| 1848 | 45, 227, 454 77 |  | 2,390, 76588 | 13, 036, 92254 | $60,655,14319$ | 29, 41.6,612 45 |
| 1849 | 39, 933, 54261 | 82, 86581 | 3,565, 53578 | 12, 804, 47854 | $56,386,42274$ | 32, 827, 08269 |
| 1850 | 37, 165, 99009 |  | 3,782, 39303 | 3, 656, 3351.4 | $44,604,718 \cdot 26$ | 35, 871, 75331 |
| 1851 | $44,054,71706$ | 69,71319 | 3, 696, 76075 | 654, 91.271 | $48,476,10431$ | $40,158,35825$ |
| 1852 | 40, 389, 95456 | 170, 06342 | 4, 000, 29780 | 2, 152, 29305 | 46, 712, 60883 | $43,338,86002$ |
| 1853 | $44,078,15635$ | 420, 49864 | 3, 665, 83274 | 6, 41.2, 57401 | 54, 577, 06174 | 50, 261, 90109 |
| 1854 | 51, 967, 528 42 | 2, 877, 81869 | 3, 070, 92669 | 17, 556, 89695 | $75,473,17075$ | 48, 591, 07341 |
| 1855 | 56, 316, 19772 | 872,04739 | 2, 31.4, 46499 | 6, 662, 06580 | 66, 1.64, 77596 | 47, 777, 672 13 |
| 1856 | 06,772,527 64 | 385, 37290 | $1,953,82237$ | 3, 614,618 66 | 72, 726, 541. 57 | 49, 108, 22980 |
| 1857 | 80, 041, 14370 | 363, 57239 | 1,593, 265823 | 3, 276, 60605 | 71, 274, 58737 | 46, 802, 85500 |
| 1858 | $72,330,43717$ | 574,443 08 | 1, 652, 055 | 7,505,250 82 | 82, 062, 18674 | $35,113,33422$ |
| 1859 | $66,355,95007$. |  | 2, 637,649 70 | 14, 685, 04315 | 83, 678, 64292 | 33, 193, 24860 |
| 1860 | 60, 056, 754 71. |  | $3,144,12094$ | 13, 854, 25000 | $77,055,12565$ | 32, 979, 530.78 |
| 1891 | 62, 616, 05578 |  | $4,034,1.5730$ | $18,737,10000$ | 85, 387, 31308 | 30, 963, 85783 |
| 1862 | $4.56,379,89681$ |  | 13, 190, 34484 | 96, 097, 32209 | 565, 667, 563 74 | 46, 965, 30487 |
| 1863 | $694,004,57556$ |  | 24, 729, 70062 | 1.81, 081, 63507 | 899, 815, 911. 25 | 36, 523, 046 13 |
| 1864 | 811, 283, 67914 |  | 53, 685, 42169 | 430, 572, 01403 | 1, 295, 541, 114 861 | 134, 433,738 44 |

nary 1, 1843, to June 30, 1843.

Table G:-Statement of the expenditures of the United

| Fear | War. | Nary. | Indians. | Pensions. | Miscellaneouts. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 18651866 | \$1, 030, 690, 40006 | \$123, 617, 43407 | \$5, 059, 360 71 | \$16, 347, 62134 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 42,989,38310 \\ 40,613,11417 \end{array}$ |
|  | 283, 154, 67606 | $43,285,66200$ | 3, 295, 72932 | 15, 605, 54988 |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{r}3,568,638,312 \\ * 3,621,750 \\ \hline 8\end{array}$ | 717, 5551,81639 | 103, $369,21.142$ | $119,607,656$ $* 9,737$ $* 97$ | $\begin{array}{r} 643,604,55433 \\ +718,76952 \end{array}$ |
|  | 3, 572, 260, 09235 | 717, 629, 80856 | 103, 422, 49803 | 119, 61.7, 39388 | 644, 323, 32385 <br> 51, 110, 22372 |
| 1867 | 95, 224, 41563 | 31, 034, 011104 | 4, 642,531 77 | 20, 936,551 71 |  |
| 1868 | ].23, 240,648 62 | 25, 775, 50272 | 4, 100,682 32 | 23, 782, 38678 | $53,009,56767$ |
| 1869 | 78, 501, 99061 | 20,000,757 97 | 7, 042, 92306 | 28, 476, 62178 | 56, 474, 06153 |
| 1870 | 57, 655, 67540 | 21. 780,22987 | 3, 407, 93815 | 28, 340, 202 17 | 53, 237, 46156 |
| 1871 | 35, 799, 991. 82 | 19, 431, 02721 | $7,426,99744$ | 34, 443, 89488 | 60, 481, 91.623 |
| 1872 | 35, 372, 15720 | 21, 249, 80999 | - 7,061,72882 | 28, 533,40276 | $60,984,75742$ <br> $73,328,110$ <br> 66 |
| 1873 | $46,323,13831$ | $23,526,25679$ | - 7,951, 70488 | 29, 359, 42686 |  |
| 1874 | $42,313,92722$ | 30, 932, 58742 | 6, 692,462 09 | 29, 038, 41466 | $85,141,59361$ |
| 1875 | 41, 120, 64598 | 21, 497, 62627 | 8,384, 65682 | 29, 456, 21622 | 71, 070, 70298 |
| 1876 | 38, 070, 88864 | 18,903, 30982 | $5,966,55817$ | 28, 257,39569 | $\begin{aligned} & 73,599,661 \quad 04 \\ & 58,926,532 \quad 53 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1877 | 37, 082, 73590 | 14, 959, 935 30 | 5, 277, 00722 | 27, 963, 75227 |  |
| 1878 | $32,154,14785$ | 17, 365, 30137 | 4, 629, 28028 | 27, 137, 01908 | 53, 177, 703 57 |
|  | $4,235,126,45553$ | 984, 146, 16439 | 176, 006, 96905 | 455, 342, 67874 | 1, 394, 865, 91577 |

Nore. - This statoment is made from warrants paid by the Treasurer up to Jone 30, 1866. The out in the Troasury June 30,1878 , by this statement is $\$ 286,591,453.88$, from which should be deducted $\$ 258,489,808.97$.

States from March 4, 1789, to June 30, 1878—Continued.

| Year. | Net ordinary expenditures. | Premiums. | Interest. | Public debt. | Gross expendi- tures. | Balance in Treasury at the end of the year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{aligned} & 1865 \\ & 1866 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 90 |  | $\left\|\begin{array}{r} \$ 1,906,433,331.37 \\ 1,139,344,081 \\ \hline 8,037,749,17638 \\ * 4,484,550 \end{array}\right\|$ |  |
|  | 385, 954, 731 | 58, 47651 | 133, 067, 62491 | 620, 263, 24910 |  |  |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} 5,152,771,5504 \\ \stackrel{4}{4}, 481,566 \\ 48 \end{array}$ | 7,611, 00356 | $\begin{array}{rl} 502,689,519 & 27 \\ * 2,888 & 48 \end{array}$ | $\left\lvert\, \begin{array}{r} 2,374,677,103.12 \\ \times 100 \\ 31 \end{array}\right.$ |  |  |
|  | 5, 1.57, 253, 11667 | 7,611, 00356 | $502,692,407$ <br> $143,781,591$ <br> 591 <br> 181 |  | $8,042,233,73141$ $1,093,079,65527$ <br> 1, 069, 889, $970 \quad 74$ | 1.60, 817, 09973 |
| 1867 | 202, 947, 73387 | 10, 813, 34938 |  |  | 1760, 817, 09973 |  |
| 1868 | 229, 915, 08811. | 7, 001, 15104 |  | 692,$549 ; 68588$261,$912 ; 71831$ |  | 4 $1588,936,08287$ |
| 1869 | 190, 496, 35495 | 1, 674, 68005 |  |  |  |  | $1,069,889,97074]$ |
| 1870 | 164, 427, 50715 | 15, 996, 555 60 |  | - $393,254,282131$ |  | 177, 604,11651 |
| 1871 | 157, 583, 82758 | 9, 016, 79474 |  |  | 691, 680, 8588901 | 138, 019, 32215 |
| 1872 | 153, 201, 85619 | 6, 958, 26676 |  | - 405,$007 ; 307$ \% 54 | - $682,525,27021.11$ | 21.134, 666, 00 |
| 1873 | 180, 488, 63690 | 5, 105, 91999 |  |  |  | 159, 293, 673 |
| 1874 | 194, 118, 98500 | 1, 395, 07355 | 104, 750,688 44 | $233,699,35258$ $422,065,060,23$ | $724,698,933$$682,000,885$39 |  |
| 1875 | 171, 529, 84827 |  | 103, 098, $5445748107,377,49248$ |  |  |  |  |
| 1876 | 164, 857, 81336 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 100,243,27123 \\ 97,224,511 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 449,345,27280 \\ & 323,965,424 \\ & \hline 05 \end{aligned}$ |  | 149, 909, 37721 |
| 1877 | 144, 209, 96328 |  |  |  |  | , |
| 1878 | 134, 463, 45215 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 97,124,51158 \\ 102,500,87465 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 323,965,424 \\ & 353,676,944 \\ & 90 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 565,299,89891 \\ & 590,641,27170 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  | 7, 245, 488, 18348 | 65, 572, 79467 | $1,904,594,89750,7,452,571,39509$ |  | 16, 668, 227, 270 |  |

warrants.
standing warrants are then added, and the statement is by warrants issued from that date. The balance the amount deposited with the States, $\$ 28,101,644.91$, loaving the net available balance June 30,1878 ,

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Table H.-Statement \&howing the condition of the sinking-fund from its institution in May, 1869, to and inoluding June 30, 1878.
Dr. THE SECRETARY OF THE TREASURY IN ACCOUNT WITH SINKNNG-FUND.

Cr.
July 1, 1868

June 30, 1869
To $\frac{1}{4}$ of 1 per cent. on the principal of the public debt, be. ing for the three mouths from April 1 to June 30, $1868^{\circ}$ To public delt purchosed during fiscal year 1869 on this
 Balance to pew account.

July 1,1869
June 30, 1870
To 1 per cent. on the principal of the public debt on June 30, 1869, $\$ 2,588$ 452, 213.94 To interest on $\$ 8,691,000$, amonnt of redemption in 1869 debt purchased during fiscal jear 1870 on this account.

July 1, 1870
June 30, 1871
To balance from last year.
Tol per ceut. on the principal of the public debt on June 30, 1870, \$2, 480, $672,427.81$
To ivterest on redemption of $1869, \$ 8,691,000$ To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28,151,900$ To interest on $\$ 29,936,250$, amount of principal of public debt purchased during fiscal year 1871 on this account

To balance from last year
To 1 per cent. on the principal of tho public debt on June 30, 1871, \$2,353,211,332.32
To iuterest on redemptiou of $1869, \$ 8,691,000$
To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28,151,900$
To interest on rederuption of 1871, $\$ 29,936,250$
To interest on redemption of $\$ 32618,450$ amount of...... cipal of public debt purchased dur a cipal of public dobt purchased during fiscal year 1872 To balance to new aecount.

$\qquad$

By amount of prineipal purchased, $\$ 8,691,000$, including , 000 donation, estimated in gold
By accrued interest on the amount of purchases in 1869
196, 59000
196,590
672,02023
7,397, 82986

1,254, 89700
27, 660, 87914

744, $711^{\circ} 80$
24, 806, 72428 ,521,460 00 $1,689,11400$
$\qquad$ 29, 319, 274 58

257, 474 32
23, 532, 11332
521, 46000 1, 689, 11400 1, 796, 17500

2, 050, $325 \quad 50$
2, 059, 32550 $\frac{2,823,89146}{32,679,55360}$
$\square$

672,020 23
$25,893,14357$ 351,00354 744,71180 27, 660, 87914

28, 694, 01773 367, 78253 257,47432 257, 14
$29,319,274 \dot{5} 8$
島

32, 248, 64522 430,90838
By amountof pincipal purchased, $\$ 28,151,900$, estimated in gold.
By accrued interest on account of pnrchases in 1870. By balance to new iccount
$\qquad$
ted in gold ..................................................... By balance to new account. .
June 30, 1871

Sune 30, 1872
By amount of principal purchased, $\$ 32,618,450$, estimat ed in gold.
By accrued interest on account of purchases in 1872...

July $\quad 1,187$
June 30, 1873
To 1 per cent. on the principal of the pulblic debt on June 2, $\$ 2,253,251,328.78$
To iuterest on redemption of $1869, \$ 8,691,000$ To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28,151,900$ To interest on redemption of $1871, \$ 29,936,250$ To interest on redemption of $\$ 28,678,000$, aunonnt of prin. cipal of public debt purchased during fiscal year 1873 on this account
To balance to new account . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .

July 1, 1873
To 1 per cent. on the principal of the public deht on June 30, $1873, \$ 2,234,482,993.20$
To mterest on redemption of $1869, \$ 8,691,000$
To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28,151,900$ To intcrest on rederuption of $1871, \$ 29,936,250$ To interest on redemption of $1872, \$ 32,618,450$ To interest on redemption of 12036450 amount of pinal of public debt purohesed during fiscal yer. 187 on this account .

July $1,187 \pm$
June 30, 1875
To 1 per cent. on the principal of the pullic debt on June $30,1874, \$ 2,251,690,468.43$
To interest on redemption of $1869, \$ 8,691,000$ To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28,151,900$ To interest on redemption of 1871, \$29,936,250 To interest on redemption of $1872, \$ 32,618,450$ To interest on redemption of $1873, \$ 28,678,000$ To interest on redemption of $1874, \$ 12,936,450 \ldots \ldots . .$. cipal of public debt "paid" during fiscal year 1875 on this account

22, 532, 51329
22, 532, 5.13 29 521,46000 1, 796, 17500 $1,957,10700$

1,725,881 50
31, 673, 83974
By balance from last vear
By amount of principal purchased, $\$ 28,678,000$, estimaBy accrued interest on account of purchases in 1873...

2, 823, 89146
$28,457,562,83$

31, 673, 8397

1, 451,588 95
12, 872, 85074 222, 586 $16,305,42196$

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ted in gold.
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By amount of pincipal purchased, $\$ 12,936,450$, estima
By accrucd interest on acconnt of purchases in $1874 .$. By balance.

$$
\begin{array}{r}
22,349,829 \\
521,460 \\
1,689,11400 \\
1,796,175 \\
00 \\
1,957,107 \\
1,720,680 \\
1,700
\end{array}
$$

$\square$
30, 852, 44793

Table H:- Štatement shôoung the cond̈tion of the sinting-fund, gec-Continued.

July 1, 1875
June 30, 1876
To 1 per cent. on the principal of the public debtion June 30, $1875, \$ 2,232,284,531.95$.
To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 8,691,000$ To interest on redemption of $1871, \$ 29,936,250$ To interest on redemption of $1872 ; \$ 32,618,450$ To interest on zedermption of $1873, \$ 28,678,000$ To interest on redemption of $1874, \$ 12,936,450$ To interest ou redemption of $1875, \$ 25,170,400$ To interest on redenption of $\$ 32,183,488.09$, amount of principal of public debt "paid" daring fiscal year

To l per cent. on the principal of the public debt on June $30,1876, \$ 2,180,395,067.15$
To interest on redemption of $1869, \$ 8,691,000 \ldots \ldots .$. To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28,151,900$ To interest on redemption of 1871, $\$ 29,936,250$ To interest on redemption of 1872, \$32,618,450 To interest on redemption of $1873, \$ 28.678,000$ To interest on rederuption of $1874, \$ 12,936,450$ To interest on redemption of $1875, \$ 25,170,400$.. To interest on redemption of $1876, \$ 32,183,488.03$ To interest on redemption of $\$ 24,498,910.05$, amount of principal of public debt "paid" during fiscal year 1877 on this account ...

To 1 per cent. on the principal of the public debt on June 30, 1877, \$2, 205,301,392. 10
To interest on redemption of $1869, \$ 8,691,000 \ldots . .$. To interest on redemption of $1870, \$ 28.151,900$ To interest on redemption of $1.871,929,936,250$ To interest on redentption of $1872, \$ 32,618,450$ To interest on redemption of $1873, \$ 28,678,000$ To interest on redemption of $1874,12,936,450$ To interest on redernption of $1876, \$ 32,183,488$ To interest on redemption of $1877, \$ 24,498,910,05$ To interest on redemption of $\$ 17,012,634.57$, amonnt of principal of public debt "paid" during fiscal year 1878 on this account.
July 1, 1877
Jwe 30, 1878

June 30, 1876
\$22, 322, 84532 521,46000 $1,689,11400$ $1,796,17500$ 1, 957,10700 $1,720,68000$ ,776,08700 1,510,224 00

1, 291, 08350
33, 584, 77582
21, 803, 95067
521,46000
1, 689,11400 1, 796, 17500 $1,957,10700$ $1,720,68000$ -776, 08700 1,510, 22400 1, 931,00928

24, 02625 33; 729, 83320

22, 053, 01392
-521, 46000
$1,689,11400$ 1, 79617500 1, 957, 10700 1, 720, 68000 1.510,22400 1,510, 22400 $1,469,93460$ 4,19700
$35,429,00180$

By amount of principal redeemed, estimated in gold
By accrued interest on account of redemption in 1876. By accrued interest on account of redemption in 1876. By amount of legal-tenders redeemed By amount of certificates of indebtedness redeemed By balance. .
$\$ 18,444,05000$ 257, 51791 7,062,142 09 5, 999,29600 678, 00000 1, 143, 76982

Table I.—Statement showing the purchases of bonds on account of the sinking-fund during each fiscal year from its institution in May, 1869, to and including June 30, 1878.

| Year ended- | Princtpal re. deemed. | Premium paid. | Netcost in curreacy. | Net cost estimated in gold. | Interest due at close of fiscal year. | Accrued interest paid in coin. | Balance of interest due at close of fiscal year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| June 30, 1869. |  |  |  | - |  |  |  |
| Tipe-twenties of 1562 | \$1, 621, 00000 | \$253, 82284 | \$1, 874, 82284 | \$1, 349, 97002 | \$16, 21000 | \$7, 384.60 | \$8,825 40 |
| Five-twenties of March 1864 | 70,000 00 | 11., 72500 | 81, 72500 | 57,552 82 | 70000 | 21863 | 48137 |
| Five-twentics of June, 1864 | 1, 051,00000 | 161,946 45 | 1, 212,946 45 | 873,20561 | 10,51000 | 1,470 42 | 9, 03958 |
| Tivertwenties of 1865 | 460,00000 | 74, 96000 | 539, 96900 | 387, 56628 | 4, 65000 | 2, 68354 | 1,966 46 |
| Cousols, 1865. | 461, 00000. | 73, 73680 | 534,73680 | 387, 90326 | 13, 83000 | 42904 | 13,400 96 |
| Consols, 1867 | 4, 718, $00000{ }^{\circ}$ | 749,20808 | 5, 467, 20808 | 3, 948, 58611 | 141, 54000 | 116, 03235 | 25,50765 |
| Consols, 1868. | 305, 00000 | 49,442 50 | 354, 44250 | 256, 65320 | 9, 15000 | 8,17398 | 97602 |
| Total | 8, 691, 00000 | 1, 374, 85067 | 10, 065, 85067 | 7, 261, 43730 | 196,590 00 | 136,392 56 | 60,197 44 |
| June 30, 1870. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fivetrrenties of 1862 | 3, 542, 05000 | 493, 47942 | 4, 035, 52942 | 3, 263, 09951 | 160, 91950 | 45, 99449 | 114,925 01 |
| dive-twenties of March, 1864 | 85,00000 | 15,74287 | 100,74287 | 75, 65854 | 5,35000 | 1,080 99 | 4, 26901 |
| Five-twenties of Tune, 1864 | 3, 971,400 00 | 506, 18991 | 4, 477, 58991 | 3, 647, $628 \quad 29$ | 165, 83400 | 49, 94600 | 115, 88800 |
| Five-twenties of 1865.... | 2, 790, 25000 | 361, 73543 | 3, 151, 98543 | 2, 606, 63620 | 105, 25750 | 37, 11353 | 68, 14397 |
| Consols, $1865 .: \ldots$ | 11, 532, 15000 | 1, 454,778 37 | 12, 986, 92837 | 10,681, 73697 | 495,42150 | 145,518 29 | 349, 90321 |
| Consols, 1867. | $5,882,55000$ | 861, 76373 | 6, 74, 31373 | 5, 309, 81090 | 302,734 50 | 66, 11151 | 236, 62299 |
| Consols, 1868. | 348, 50000 | 53,363 95 | 401, 86395 | 308, 57316 | 19,380 00 | 5,23873 | 14, 14127 |
| Total. | 28, 151, 90000 | 3, 747,053 68 | 31, 898, 95368 | $25,893,14357$ | 1, 254, 89700 | 351,00354 | 903,893 46 |
| . June 30, 1871. |  |  |  |  | , |  |  |
| Tive twenties of 1862 | 2, 792,950 00 | 227, 60756 | 3, 020,55756 | 2, 680, 20905 | 145,975 00 | 36,657 80 | 109,31720 |
| Five-twenties of March, 1864 | 29,500 00 | 2, 27720 | 31, 77720 | 28, 59088 | 1,240 00 | 38835 | 85165 |
| Five-twenties of June, 1804 | 3, 967, 35000 | 340,529 63 | 4,307, 87963 | $3,847,18242$ | 201, 37500 | 51, 70346 | 149, 67154 |
| Five-twenties of 1865. | 6, 768, 60000 | 574,923 00 | 7, 343, 52300 | $6,525,23142$ | 331, 93350 | 92, 25958 | 239,63 92 |
| Consols, 1865 | 10, 222, 20000 | 850,94979 | 11, 073, 14979 | 9,762,387 78 | 522, 11700 | 109,455 28 | 412, $6617 \overline{2}$ |
| Consols, 1867 | 6, 103,050 00 | 541, 559.41 | 6, 644, 60941 | 5,800, 61837 | 35.1, 52800 | 76,745 93 | 274, 78207 |
| Consols, 1868. | 52, 60000 | 4,784 61 | 57,384 61 | 49, 79782 | 3, 09600 | 57213 | 2,523 87 |
| Total. | 29, 936, 25000 | 2,542,631 20 | 32, 478, 88120 | 28, 694, 01773 | 1, 557, 26450 | 367, 78253 | 1, 189,481 97 |

Table I.-Statement showhy the purehascs of bonds on account of the sheting-fund, fc.-Continued.


## June 30, 1876.


Total.

## JUNE 30, 1877.

Five-twenties of 1862
Five-twentics of June, 1864 $\qquad$
Five-twenties of 1865 .
Consols, 1865
Consols, 1860
Total $\qquad$

## June 30, 1878.

Five-twenties of 1862
Five-twenties of Jume, 1864 $\qquad$
Five-twenties of 1865
Consols, 1865
Consols, 1867
Consols, 1868
Total.
Grand total


Tabie K.-Statement of the outztanding prlnclpal of the public debt of the United States, June 30, 1878.

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Length of } \\ \text { loan. } \end{gathered}$ | When redeem. able. | Rates of in. terest. | $\left\lvert\, \begin{gathered} \text { Price } \\ \text { at which } \\ \text { sold. } \end{gathered}\right.$ | Amountaathor ized. | Amount issued. | Amount out- |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| old debt. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Unclaimed dividends apon debt created prior to 1800, and the principal and interest of the outstanding debt created during the war of 1812, and up to 1837. (For detailed information in regard to carlier loans see Finance Report for 1876.) | .............. | On demand ... | 5 and 6 per cent. |  |  |  | \$57, 66500 |
| treasury fotes prior to 1840. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The acts of October 12, 1837 ( 5 Statates, 201); May 21, 1838 ( 5 Statutes, 228); March 31, 1840 (5 Statates, 370); February 15, 1841 ( 5 Statutes, 411); January 31, 1842 ( 5 Statates, 469); August 31, 1842 ( 5 Statutes, 581); and March 3, 1843 ( 5 Statutes, 614), authonized the issue of Treasury notes in various amounts, and with interest at rates named therein, from 1 mill to 6 per centum par anum. | 1 and 2 years. | 1 and 2 years from date. | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \text { mill to }{ }_{\text {per cent. }}^{6} \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | Par.... |  |  | 82, 52535 |
| treasury notes of 1846. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The act of July 22, 1846 ( 9 Statutes, 39), authorized the issue of Treas ury notes in such sums as the exigencies of the govermment might requipe, the amonnt outstanding at any one time not to exceed $\$ 10,000,000$, to bear interest at not exoeeding 6 per centum per annum, redeemable one year from date. These notes were seceivable in payment of all debts due the Whited States, jucluding customs-duties. | 1 year....... | One year from date. | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} 1 \text { mill and } \\ 5 \quad 2.5 \\ \text { cent. } \end{array}$ | Par..... | \$10, 000, 00000 | \$7, 687, 80000 | 6,000 00 |
| mexican andenaty. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| A proviso in the civil and diplomatic appropriation act of August 10 , 1846 ( 9 Statutes, 94 ), anthorized the payment of the principal and interest of the fourth and fifth installments of the Mexican indemmities due April and $J$ nuly, 1844 , by the issue of stock, with interest at 5 per centum, payable in five years. | 5 years...... | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Apriland July, } \\ & 1849 \text {, } \end{aligned}$ | 5 per cent... | Par ..... | 350,000 00 | 303,573 92 | 1,104 91 |
| treasury notes of 1847. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| The act of January 28, 1847 ( 9 Statutes, 118), anthorized the issne of $\$ 23,000,000$ Treasury notes, with interest at not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, or the issue of stock for any portion of the anount, with | 1 and 2 yeare. | After 60 days' notice. | 52.5 and 6 per cent. per cent | Par..... | 23, 000, 00000 | \% 20 , 122, 10000 | 95000 |
| interest at 6 per centam per amum. The Treasury notes under this act were redeemable att the expiration of one or two years; and the |  |  |  |  |  |  | . |
| interest was to cease at the expiration of sixty lays' notice. These |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $F R$ notes tyere receivable in payment of all debts due the United States; |  | * |  |  |  |  |  |

The act of January 28, 1847 ( 9 Statintes, 118), authorized the issue of $\$ 23,000,000$ Treasury notes, with interest at not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, or the issue of stock for auy portion of the amount, with jesterestat 6 per cent. per annum, reimbursable after vecember 31, 1867. Section 14 authorized the conversiou of Treasury notes under this or any preceding act into like stock, which acconuts for the apparent overissue.

## BOUNTY-LAND SCRIP.

The 9 th section of the act of February 11, 1847 ( $9 \mathrm{Statates}, 125$ ), authorized the issue of land-warrants to soldiers of the Mexican war, or scrip, at the option of the soldiers, to bear 6 per centuu interest pei anum, redeemable at the pleasure of the government by notice from the Treasury Department. Interest ceased July 1 , 1849 .

> TEXAN LNDEMNTTY STOCK.

The act of September 9, 1850 ( 9 Statutes, 447), authorized the issue of \$10,000,000 stock, with interest at 5 per centum per anmum, to the State of Texas, in satisfaction of all claims against the United States atis ing out of the aunexation of the said State. I'he stock was to be redeemable at the end of fourteen years.

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\text { Treasuri notes of } 1857 .
$$

The act of December 23, 1857 (11 Statutes, 257), authorized the issue of $\$ 20,000,000$ in Treasury notes, $\$ 6,000,000$ with interest at not exceed$n g 6$ per centrum per anuum, and the remainder with interest at the owest rates offered by bidders, but not exceeding 6 per centump per
anuun. These notes were redeemable at the expiration of one year and interest was to cease at the expiration of sixty days' notice after maturity. They were receivable in payment of all debts due the United States, including customs-duties.

$$
\text { LOAN OF } 1858 .
$$

The act of June 14, 1858 (11 Statutes, 365), anthorized a loan of $\$ 20,000,000$, with interest at not exceeding 5 per centum per annum and redeemable any time after January $1,1874$.

$$
\text { LOAN OF } 1860
$$

The act of June 22, 1860. (12 Statutes, 79), authorized a loan of $\$ 21,000,000$ (to be used in redemption of 'rreasury notes), with interest at not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, redeemable in not less than ter nor more than twenty years.

* Including re-issues.


Table K.-Statement of loans made by the United States, fo.-Continued.


$$
\text { LOAN OF FEBRUARY, } 1861 \text { (1881s). }
$$

The act of February 8, 1861 (12 Statutes, 129), authorized a loan of $\$ 25,000,000$ with interest at not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, reimbursable in not less than ten nor more than tweuty years fromi the date of the act.

## treasury notes of 1861.

The aet of March 2, 1861 (12 Statutes, 178), authorized a loan of $\$ 10,000,000$, with interest at not exceeding 6 per centum per annum, redeemable on three months' notice after July 1,1871 , and payable July 1, 1881. If proposals for the loan were not satisfactory, authority was given to issue the whole amount in Treasury notes, with interest at not exceerling 6 per centum per annum. The same act gave authority to substitute Treasury notes for the whole or any part of loans anthorized at the time of the passage of this act. These notes were to be received in payment of all debts due the United States, including er stoms-duties, and were redeemable at any time within two years from the date of the act.

## oregon war debt.

The act of March 2, 1861 (12 Statutes, 198), appropriated $\$ 2,800,000$ for the payment of expenses incurred by the Territorics of Washington and Oregon in the suppression of Indian hostilities in the years 1855 and 1856. Section 4 of the act, anthorized the payment of these elaims in bonds redeemable in twenty years, with interest at 6 per centum per annum.

$$
\text { LOAN OF JULT AND AUGUST, } 1861 \text { (1881s). }
$$

The act of July 17, 1861 (12 Statates, 259), authorized the issue of $\$ 250,000,000$ bonds, with interest at not exceeding 7 per centum per ( 12 Statutes, 313 ), anthorized the issue of bonds, with interest at 6 per centum per anmmm, payable after twenty years from date, in per centum per amnm, payable after twenty years from date, in of such bonds were to be issucd for a sum less than $\$ 500$, and the Digitized for F. of such bonds were to be issucd tor a sum less than $\$ 500$, and the http://fraser.stl notes issyed muder the above act of July 17. The amount issued in exchange for 7.30s was $\$ 139,321,350$.

The act of July 17, 1861 (12 Statutes, 259), authorized the issue of $\$ 50,000,000$ Treasury notes, not bearing interest, of a less denomination than fifty dollars and not less than teu dollars, and payable on demand by the assistant treasurers at Philadelphia, New York, or
Boston. The aet of Angust 5, 1861 ( 12 Statutes, 313 ), anthotized the issue of these notes in denomination of five dollars; it also added the assistant treasurer at Saint Lonis and the designated depositary at Cinciunati to the places where these notes were made payable. The act of February 12, 1862 (12 Statutes, 338), increased the amount of demánd notes authorized $\$ 10,000,000$.

## SEVEN-THIRTIES OF 1861

The act of July 17, 1861 ( 12 Statutes, 259), authorized a loan of $\$ 250,000,000$ part of which was to be in Treasury notes, with interest at $7 \frac{3}{10}$ per centum por annom, payable three years after date.

$$
\text { FIVE-T WENTIES OF } 1862
$$

The aot of February 25, 1862 (12 Statutes, 345), authorized a loan of $\$ 500,000,000$ for the murpose of funding the Treasury notes and Hloating debt of the United States, and the issue of bouds therefor, with interest at 6 . per ceutum per anum. These bonds were redeemable after five and payable trenty years from date. The act of March 3,1864 (13 Statutes, 13), anthorized an additional issue of $\$ 11,000,000$ of bonds to persons who subseribed for the loan on or before January 21, 1864 . The act of January 28, 1865 (13 Statates, 425 ), authorized an addlitional issue of $\$ 4,000,000$ of these bouds and their sale in the United States or Europe.

## IdEGAL-TENDER NOTUS

The act of February 25, 1862 (12 Statutes, 345), anthorized the issue of $\$ 150,000,000$ United States notes, notbearing interest payable to bearor, at the Treasury of the Uuited States, and of such denominations, not less than five chollars, as the Secretary of the Treasury uight deen ex. pedient, $\$ 50,000,000$ to be in heu of demand-notes authonized by the act of July 17, 1861; these notes to be a legal teuder. The act of July 11, 1862 ( 12 Statutes, 532 ), authorized an additional issue of $\$ 150,000,000$ Unitod States Treasury notes, of sucb denominations as the Secretary of the Treasury might deent expediout, but no such note should be for a fractional part of a dollar; and not more than $\$ 35,000,000$ of a The act of March 3, 1863 (12 Statutes, 710), authorized an additional issue of $\$ 150,000,000$ United States notes, payable to bearer of such denominations, not less than one dollar; as the Secretary of the Treasury might prescribe; which notes were made a legral tender. The same act limited the time at which Treasury notes might be exchanged for United States bouds to July 1, 1863. The amount of notes authorized by this act were to beinhen of $\$ 100,000,000$ authorized by the resolution of January 17, 1863 (12 Statutes, 822).

* $\$ 50,000,0006$ per cent. stock issued at a discount of $\$ 5,338,768.09$, being oquivalent to 7 pèr cent:
$\dagger$ Highest amount outstanding January 30, 1864.

Table K.-Statement of loans made by the United States, fre.-Continued.


## LOAN OF 1863

The act of March 3, 1863 (12 Statutes, 709), authorized a loan of $\$ 900,000,000$, and the issue of bonds, with interest at not exceeding 6 per centuru per annum, and redeemable in not less than ten nor more Jume 30,1864 ( 13 Statutes, 219 ), repeals so much of the preceding act as limits the anthority thereunder to the current fiscal year, and also repeals the authority altogether except as relates to $\$ 75,000,000$ of bonds already advertised for.

## one-year notes of 1863.

The act of March 3, 1863, (12 Statates, 710,) authorizell the issue of $\$ 400,000,000$ Treasury notes, with interest at not exceeding 6 per centun per annum, reatenable mot more than the years, principal aud interest payable in lawfal money, to be a legal tender for
their face value.

$$
\text { Two-year notes of } 1863 .
$$

Tbe act of March 3, 1863 (12 Statutes, 710,) anthorized the issue of $\$ 400,000,000$ I'reasury notes, with interest at not exceceling. 6 per centum per amom, redeemable in not more than three years, principal and interest payable in lawfal money, to be a legal tender for their face value
cony-certipicates.

The fifth section of the act of March 3, 1863 (12 Statutes, 711), authorized the deposit of gold coin and bullion with the Treasurer or any assistant treasurer, in sums not less than $\$ 20$, and the issue of certi-
ficates therefor in denominations the same as United States notes. also authorized the issue of these certificates in payment of interest on the public debt. It limits the amonut of them to not more than 20 per centum of the amount of coin and bullion in the Treasury, and directs their receipt in payment for duties on imports.

## COMPOUND-INTEREST NOTES.

The act of March 3, 1863 (12 Statutes, 709), authorized the issne of $\$ 400,000,000$ Treasury notes, with interest at not execediug 6 per centum per annum, in lawfol money, payable not more than three jears from date, and to be a legad tendel for their face value. The $\$ 200,000,000$ 'reasury notes, of any denomination not less than $\$ 10$, payable not more than three rears from date, or redeemable at any payable not more than three years from date, or redeemable at any payable in lawful money at maturity, and made them a legal tender for their face value to the same extent as United States notes; $\$ 177,045,770$ of the amount issued was in redemption of 5 per cent. motes.

Table K.-Statement of loans made by the United Stetes, fo.-Continued.

ing 6 per centum per annum when in coin or $7 \frac{3}{3}$ per centram per annum when in currency. In addition to the ampunt of bonds anthorized by this act, anthority was also given to convert Treasury it. The act of April 12, 1866 ( 14 Statates, 31 ), construed the above act to anthorize the Secretary of the Treasury to receive any obligations of the United States, whether beariug interest or not, in exchange tor any bonds zaithorized by it, or to sell any of such bonds, provided the public debt is not increased thereby.

## CONSOLS OF 1865.

The act of March 3, 1865 (13 Statutes, 468), anthorized the issue of $\$ 600,000,000$ of bouds or Treasury notes, in addition to amounts previonsly authorized; the bonds to be for not. less than $\$ 50$, payable not more than forty yeirs trom date of issue or after any period not less than five years, interest payable semi-annually, at not exceeding 6 per centum per annum when in coin, or $7 \frac{3}{10}$ per centum per annum when in currency. In addition to the amount of bonds authorized by this act, authority was also given to convert Treasury notes or other interest-bearing obligations into bonds anthorized by it. nuthorize the Sccretary of the Treasury to receive any obligations authorize the Secretary of the reasury to receive any obngations for any bonds authorized by it, or to sell any of such bonds, provided the public debt is not increased thereby.

## CONSOLS ON 1867.

The act of March 3, $186 \overline{3}$ (13 Statutes, 468), authorized the issue of $\$ 600,000,000$ of bonds or Treasury notes, in addition to amounts previously authorized; the bonds to be for not less than $\$ 50$, payable not more than forty years from date of issue or after any period not less than fiye ycars; interest payable semi-anmally, at not exceeding 6 per centum per amum when in coin, or $7 \frac{3}{10}$ per centum per nnnum when in currency. In adklition to the amount of bonds aunotes or other interest-bearing obligations into bonds authorized by it. The act of April 12, 1866 (14 Statutes, 31), construed the above act to authorize the Secretary of the Treasury to reccive any obligations of the United States, whether bearing interest or not, in exchange for any bonds authorized by it, or to sell any of such bonds, provided the public debt is not increased thereby.

## consols of 1868

The act of March 3, 1865 (13 Statutes, 468), authorized the issue of $\$ 600,000,000$ of bonds or Treasury notes, in addition to anounts prevot more than forty the bonds to be for not less than $\$ 50$, payable not less than five years; interest payable semi-annually at not exceeding 6 per centum per anuum when in coin, or $7 \frac{3}{3}$ per centum per annum when in currency. In addition to the amount of bonds


Table K.-Statement of loans made by the United States, \&r.-Continued.


[^0] Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis
of the Treasury to use any surplus revenues from time to time in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and to issue, sell, dispose of, at for the redemption of fractional currency in silver coins of the denominations of ten, twenty-five, and fifty cents, of standard value. Treasury to issue bonds of this loan to James B. Eads or bis legal representatives in payment at par of the warrants of the Secretary of War for the construction of jetties aud auxiliary works to maintain a wide and deep channel between the South Pass of the Missis. sippi River and the Gulf of Mexico, unless Congress shall have pre viously provided for the payment of the same by the necessary appro. priatiou of money.

FOUR-AND-ONB-HALF-PER-CENT. FUNDED LOAN OF 1891
The act of July 14, 1870 (16 Statutes, 272), anthorizes the issue of $\$ 300,000,000$ at $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per centum, payable in coin of the present stand. ard value, at the pleasure of the United States Govermment, after
fifteen years; these bonds to be exempt fiom the payment of all fifteen years; these bonds to be exempt irom the payment of ant form hy or under State, municipal, or local authority. Bonds and coupons payable at the Treasury of the United States. This act not to authorize an increase of the bonded debt of the United States. Bonds to be sold at not less than par in coin, and the proceeds to be applied to the redemption of outstanding 5.20 s , or to he exclianged for said $5-20 \mathrm{~s}$, par for par. Payment of these bonds, when due, to be made in order of dates and numbers, beginning with each class last dated and numbered. Interest to cease at the end of three months fom notice of 399), which anthorized the increase of $\tilde{y}$ per , 1 bunds to $\$ 500,000,000$, the amonnt of the 4 per cents were re duced to $\$ 200,000,000$.
The act of January 14,1875 (18 Statutes, 296), anthorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to use any surplos revenues from time to time in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, and to issue, sell, dispose of at not less than par, in coin, bouds of this loan, for the purpose of redeeming, on and after January 1, 1879, in com, at the office of the assistant treasurer of the United States in New York, the outstaud. ing United States legal-tender notes when presented in sums of not less than fifty dollars.

FOUR-PER-CENI', FUNDED LOAN OF 1907.
The act of July 14, 1870 (16 Statntes, 272), authorizes the issue of $\$ 1,000,000,000$ at, 4 per centum, payable in coin of the present stauclard
value, at the pleasure of the United States Govermment after thirty value, at the pleasure of the Umited States Govermment after thirty years; these bonds oo exempt from the payment of all taxes or or uuder State, municipal, or local quthority. Bonds and coupons payable at the Treasury of the United States. This act not to authorize an increase of the bonded deht of the United States. Bonds to be sold at not less than par in coin, and the proceeds to be applied to the redemption of outstanding 5.20 s , or to be exchanged for said


Table K.—Statement of loans made by the United States, fo.-Continued.


FOUR-PER-CENT FUNDED LOAN OF 1907-Continued.
$5-20 s$, par for par. Payment of these bouds, when due, to be made in order of datos and numbers, beginuing with each class last dated and numbered. Interest to cease at the end of three months from notice of intention to redeem.
The act of January 14, 1875 (18 Statutes, 296), authorizes the Secretary of the Treasury to use any surplus revenues from time to time in the Freasury not otherwise appropriated, and to isstue, sell, dispose of at not less than par, in coin, bouds of this loan, for the purpose of redeeming, on and after January ]., 1879, in coin, at the oftice of the assistant treasurev of the United States in New York, the outstanding Uniterl States legal-tender notes when presented in sums of not less than fifty dollars

CERTIFICATES OF DEPOSIT.
The act of June 8, 1872 (17 Statutes, 336), authorizes the deposit of United States notes without interest by banking associations in sums United States uotes without interest by banking associations in sums nations of not less than $\$ 5,000$; which certificates shall be payable on demand in United States notes at the place where the deposits were made. It provides that the notes so deposited in the Treasury shall not be counted as a part of the legal reserve, but that the cer tificates issued therefor may be held and. counted by tbe national banks as part of their legal reserve, and may be accepted in the settlement of clearing-house balances at the places where the deposits therefor were made, and that the United States notes for which such certicates were issued, or other United States notes of nke amount, ha red the redemption of such certificates.

## silver certificates.

The aet of February 28, 1878 ( 20 Statutes, 26, sec. 3), provides that any holder of the coin authorized by this act may deposit the same witi the Treasurer or any assistant treasurer of the United States, in sums not less than ten dollars, and receive therefor certificates of not ess than ten dollars each, corresponding with the denominations of the United States notes. The conn deposited for or representing the celtificates shall be retained in the Treasury for the payment of the sume on demand. Said eertificates shall be receivable for customs, taxes, and all publie dues, and, when so received, mas be reissued. taxes, an


Table L.-Statement of $30-y e a r-6$ per cent. bonds (interest payable Jonuary and Juty) issued to the several racufo rantway companves under the acts of Juty
1, 1862 (12 Statutes, 492), and July 2, 1864 (13 Statutes, 359).

| Railway companies. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Su!̣purqsqno } \\ \text { sproq jo qunouv } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On January 1, 1876 : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Central Pacific | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 25,885,120 \\ 6,303 \\ 6000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\$ 11,027,697$ $3,103,893.09$ | $\$ 776,55360$ 189,090 | \$11, 804, 25127 | \$1,191, 76586 | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 10,612,485 \\ 1,852,318 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | \$2, 712, 527 92 | \$13, 325, 01333 |
| Union Pacific | 27,236,51200 | 11, 884, 32465 | 817, 09596 | 12, 701, 42001 | 3,943,715 65 | 8, 757, 70436 | 2, 170.415 23 | 2, $10,928,11959$ |
| Central Branch Union Pacific | 1,600, 00000 | 781, 80826 | 48,000 00 | 829,808 26 | 44, 408, 05 | 785, 40021 | 230,955 19 | 1, 016, 35540 |
| Western Pacific | 1,970,560 00 | 722, 38014 | 59, 11680 | 781, 49694 | 9, 36700 | 772, 12994 | 163, 06989 | 935, 19983 |
| Sioux City and Pacitic. | 1, 628,320 00 | 682, 70389 | 48,849 60 | 731,553 49 | 39,005 96 | 692,547 53 | 174,873 65 | 867,421 18 |
|  | 64, 623,512 00 | 28, 202, 80770 | 1,938, 70536 | 30, 14I, 51306 | 6, 668, 92736 | 23,472, 58570 | 5, 907,688 87 | $29,380,27457$ |
| On July 1, 1876 : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Kansas Pacitic | 6,303, 00000 | 3, 292,983 09 | J89, 09000 | 3, 482, 07309 | 1, 448,32739 | 2, 033, 74570 | 525, 02.179 | 2, 558, 76749 |
| Onion Pacific | 27,236,512 00 | 12, 701, 42001. | 817, 09536 | 13,518, 51537 | 4, 079, 704,77 | 9, 438, 81060 | 2, 496,152 67 | 11, 934, 96327 |
| Central Branch Union Pacific | 1, 600,000 00 | 829, 80826 | 48, 00000 | 877, 80826 | 44, 408 05 | 833,400 21 | 261, 44584 | 1,094, 84605 |
| Westeru Pacific. | I, 970, 56000 | 781, 49694 | 59,11680 | 840,613 74 | 9, 36700 | 831, 24674 | 191, 12589 | 1,022,372 63 |
| Sioux City ${ }^{\text {and Pacific }}$ | 1, 628, 32000 | 731, 55349 | 48,849 60 | 780, 40309 | 39, 47028 | 740, 93281 | 200, 89352 | 941, 82633 |
|  | 64, 623, 51200 | 30, 141, 51306 | 1, 938, 70536 | 32,080, 21842 | 6, 852, 49125 | 25, 227, 72717 | 6,786, 71609 | 32, 014, 44326 |
| On January 1, 1877: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Central Pacific | 25, 885, 12000 | 12,580, 80487 | 776, 55360 | $13,357,35847$ | 1, 268, 67212 | 12, 088, 68635 | 3, 544, 98177 | 15, 633, 66812 |
| Kansas Parific | 6,303, 00000 | 3, 482, 07309 | 189, 09000 | 3, 671,163 09 | 1, 515, 11849 | 2, $1.55,44460$ | 601, 02662 | 2, 756,471 22 |
| Uuion Pacific | 27, 236,512 00 | 13, 51.8, 51537 | 817, 09536 | 14, 335, 61073 | 4, 126,871 52 | 10, 208, 7392.1 | 2, 853, 34513 | 1.3, 062, 084 |
| Central Branch Union Pacific | 1, 600,000 00 | $877,308 \pm 6$ | 48,00000 | 925, 80826 | 44, 40805 | 881, 40021 | 294, 291 22 | 1, 175, 69143 |
| Western Pacifio | 1,970,560 00 | 840,613 74 | 59,11680 48,84960 | 899, 73054 | 9,36700 | 890, 363354 | 321, 79708 | 1, 112, 16062 |
| Sioux City and Pacilic. | 1, 628, 32000 | 780, 40309 | 48,849 60 | 829, 25269 | 39, 47028 | 789, 78241 | 229, 14830 | 1, 018, 93071 |
|  | 64, 623,512 00 | 32, 080, 21842 | 1., 938, 70536 | 34, 018, 92378 | 7,004,507 46 | 27, 014, 416 32 | 7, 744, 590 12 | 34, 759, 00644 |

Table L．—Statement of $30-y e a r$ per cenl．bouds（mimerest payable January and July）issued to the soveral Pacific railu：ay companies，fo．Condinued．

| Railway companies． | 等 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Central Paly 1， 1877 ： | \＄25，885， 12000 | \＄13，357， 35847 | \＄776，553 60 | \＄14，133， 91207 | \＄2，065， 32401 | \＄12，068， 58806 | 4，004， 00332 | \＄16，072， 59138 |
| Kansas Pacific | 6，303， 00000 | 4，671， 16309 | 189， 09000 | 3，860，253 09 | 1，531， 68006 | 2，328，573 03 | 683， 50794 | 3，01\％，080 97 |
| Union Pacific | 27，236， 51.200 | 14，335， 61073 | 817， 09536 | $15,152,70609$ | 4，787， 04167 | 10，365， 66442 | 3，237， 45677 | 13，603， 12119 |
| Central B anch Union Pacific | 1， 600,00000 | 935,80826 | 48， 00000 | 973， 80826 | 58,49835 | 915， 30991 | 329，369 47 | 1，244， 67938 |
| Westeru Pacific．． | 1，970，560 00 | 899， 73054 | 59,11680 | 958,84734 | 9， 36700 | 949， 48034 | 255， 16191 | 1，204， 64225 |
| Sioux City and Pacitic | 1，628， 32000 | 829， 25269 | 48， 84960 | 878，102 29 | 62， 57880 | 815， 52349 | 259，414 61 | 1，074， 938.10 |
|  | 64，623， 51200 | 34，018， 92378 | 1，938， 70536 | 35，957，629 14 | 8，514，489 89 | 27，443， 13925 | 8，768， 91402 | $36,212,05327$ |
| On Jannary 1，1878： <br> Central Pacific | 25，885， 12000 | 14，133， 91207 | 776，553 60 | 14，910， 46567 | 2，198，960 71 | 12，711， 50496 | 4，484， 14029 | 17，195， 64525 |
| Kansas Pacitic | 6，303， 00000 | 3，860， 25309 | 187， 09000 | 4，049， 34309 | 1，532， 35007 | 2，516， 993302 | 773， 86685 | 3，290， 85987 |
| Union Pacific | 27，236， 51200 | 15，152， 70609 | 817， 09536 | 15，909， 80145 | 5，134， 10384 | 10，835， 69761 | 3，641，300 88 | 14，476，998 49 |
| Central Branch Union Pacific | 1，600， 00000 | 973， 80826 | 48,00000 | 1，021， 80826 | 62，998 35 | 958，809 91 | 366， 64104 | 1，325， 45095 |
| Western Pacific | 1，970，560 00 | 958， 84734 | 59， 11680 | 1，017，964 14 | 9， 36700 | 1，008， 59714 | 291， 30117 | 1， 299,89831 |
| Stoux City and Pacific | 1，628，320 00 | 878，102 29 | 48，849 60 | 926， 95189 | 68，409 65 | 858，542 24 | 291， 57523 | 1，150， 11747 |
|  | 64，623， 51200 | 35，057， 62914 | 1，938， 70536 | 37，896， 33450 | $9,006,18962$ | 28，890， 14488 | $9,848,82546$ | 38，738，970 34 |
| On July 1，1878： <br> Central Pacific．．．． | 25，885， 12000 | 14，910，465 67 | 776，553 60 | 15，687， 01927 | 2，343，659 54 | 13，343， 35973 | 4，998， 31150 | 18，341， 67129 |
| Kansas Pacific | 6，303， 00000 | 4，049， 34309 | 189209000 | 4，238，433 09 | 1，532， 53042 | 2，705， 90267 | 872， 58909 | 3，578， 49176 |
| Union Pacific | 27，236， 51200 | $15 ; 969,801.45$ | 817， 09536 | 16，786， 89681 | $5,852,87095$ | 10， 934,02586 | 4，072， 65457 | 15，006， 68043 |
| Central Branch Union Pacific | 1，600， 00000 | 1，021， 80826 | 48，000 00 | 1，069， 00826 | 67， 49835 | 1，002， 30991. | 406，347 61 | 1，408，65752 |
| Western Pacific． | 1，970，560 00 | 1，017， 96414 | 59， 11680 | 1，077， 08094 | 9， 36700 | 1，067， 71394 | 330， 29811 | 1，398， 01205 |
| Sioux City and Pacific． | 1，628， 32000 | 926，951 89 | 48，849 60 | 975,80149 | 75，51799 | 900， 28350 | 326，013 09 | 1，226， 29659 |
|  | 64，623， 51200 | 37，896， 33450 | 1，938， 70536 | 39，835， 03986 | $9,881,44425$ | 29，953，595 61 | 11，096， 21403 | $40,959,80964$ |

Pable M.-Returns, by judgment of the United States Court of Claims, of proceeds of property seized as captwred or abandoned, under the aot of March 12, "1833, paid from July 1, 1877, to June 30, 1878.

| Dato. | To whom paid. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| September 5, 1877. | Wylly Woodbridge | \$22, 94139 |
| Soptember 5, 1877. | Cyrthia H. Brown. | 8,58500 |
| Soptember 10, 1877. | Ficke Wehnoann .. | 78198 |
| September 10, 1877. | George Ross. | 4,33188 |
|  | Total | 36,640 25 |

Table N.—Julgments of the Onited States Court of Claims for proceeds of property seizeat as captiored or abandoned, under the act of Maroh 12, 1803, rendered, but mot paid, durimy the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

| Date of judgment. | Name of claimant. | Amount awarded. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| April 8, 1878 | Elizabeth A. Meriwether. | \$3,496 26 |
| May 1.4, 1878 | Peter Burke. | 8, 05000 |
| May 27, 1878 | Fdwand J. Quigley | 1350 66 |
| May $27,1878$. | James Levy ...... | 1,042 64 |
|  | Total. | 12,939 56 |

Table 0.-Receipts and disbursements of United States assistant treasurers, and designated depositary at Tucson, Ariz̈., during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

## BALTIMORE.


RECEII'TS.

| On account of castoms. | \$2, 822, 985 77 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On account of intermal revenme | 246, 16486 |  |
| On ascount of currency redemption | 137,67134 |  |
| On account of currency withleld in lieu of standard silver silver coin | 175,508 00 |  |
| On account of semi-amnual daty. . . . . . | 73, 35810 |  |
| On account of certificates, act June 8, 1872. | 7, 075, 00000 |  |
| On account of Post-Otice Departmbit. . . . . | 199, 96793 |  |
| On account of transfers | $6,179,89001$ | . |
| On accomnt of patent fees | 17000 |  |
| On acconnt of disbursing officers. | $2,344,10020$ | - |
| On account of 4 per cent. consols and interest | 166, 27477 | - |
| On account of interest in coin. . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 735, 26425 |  |
| On account of interest in curvency | 137, 40000 |  |
| On account of miscellaneons . . . . . | 205,075 84 | 20,498,831 07 |
|  |  | 24, 046, 106 ¢4 |
| disbursements. |  | ; |
| On account of Treasury drafts . | $4,171,93004$ |  |
| On account of Post-Office drasts. | 196, 23584 | . |
| On account of disbursing accounts | 2, 398, 32303 |  |
| Ou account of standard silver dollars and silver coin | 175,508 00 |  |
| On account of interest in coin. | 1, 315, 81710 |  |
| On accoumt of interest in currency | 109, 47000 |  |
| Ou account of transfers . . . . . . . . . | 4, 698, 92395 |  |
| On account of certificates of deposit, act Jume 8, 1872. | 7, 295,000 00 |  |
| On account of currency redemption.. | 137,85175 | 20,499, 059 i] |

Table O.—Receipt; and disbursements, g'c.-Continued.
BOSTON.

RECEIDTS.

| On ${ }^{-}$account of customs | \$13, 488, 01358 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On account of semi amonual diby | 839, 61511 |
| On account of certificates, act June 8, 1872 | $10,865,00000$ |
| Onflaccount of Post-Oftice Department. | 570, 7651.2 |
| On account of transfers. | 22, 102, 42828 |
| On account of patent fees | 9.25085 |
| On account of rlisbursing ofticers | $35,745+00260$ |
| On accomnt of interest iu coin | 7, 384, 91913 |
| On account of interest in cumrency | 451., 32072 |
| On account of misceltaneons | J, 764, 82739 |

MISBLRSEMEATS.

| On account of Ireasury dratts | ].8, 464, 54858 | . |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On afjcount of Post-Office drafts | 557, 71703 |  |
| On account of disbursing accomuts | 36, 441, 00391. |  |
| On account of interest in coin. | 10, 460, 37864 |  |
| On acconnt of interest in currency | 451, 20072 |  |
| On account of transfers.......... | 16, 404, 64275 |  |
| On account of certifioates of deposit, act Juue 8, 1872 | 11, 090, 00000 |  |
| On account of fractional currency redeemed | 319, 71254 | 94,189204 |
| Palance June 30, 1878 |  | 9, 928,407 |

CHDCAGO.

RECEITTS.


## DISBURSEMEATS.

| On account of Treasury drafts |  | 10,758, 201. 78 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ou account of Post-Office drafts |  | 1, 014, 47722 |
| On account of disbursing accounts. |  | 8, 242,695 90 |
| On account of payments on registered interest, currency, not reimbursed | \$3,330 00 |  |
| On account of payments ou registered interest, coin, not reimbursed | 32,336 00 |  |
| On account of gold sales |  | $\begin{array}{r} 3 \overline{5}, 66600 \\ 1,169,69291 \end{array}$ |
| On account of interest in coin |  | 150,575 42 |
| On acconnt of interest iu currency |  | 3, 33000 |
| On account of trausfers. |  | 10, 27.1, 87108 |
| On account of certificates of deposit, act June 8, 1872. |  | 2,375,000 00 |

Balance June 30, 1878.

Table O.-Receipts and disbursemente, \&re-Contimued.
CINCINNATI.
Balance June 30, 1878
$\$ 2,115,52932$

RECEIPTS.

| a accoment of customs | \$430,300 22 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On account of internal revenae | 374, 84756 |
| On aecount of sate of 4 per cent. consols | 1,082, 66423 |
| On account of gold-notes. | 600,000 00 |
| On account of certificates, act June 8, 1872 | 1,330,000 00 |
| On account of Post-Ottice Department | 404, 32309 |
| On account of transfers | 9, 632, 72010 |
| Oun account of patent fees | 4, 46165 |
| On account of disbursing officers | 1, 255, 25004 |
| On account of interest in coin | 1, 510,067.54 |
| On accomnt of interest in currency | 42000 |
| On accomit of miscellaneous | 151,668 01 |

2, 5663, 15070
385, 3236.1
1, 290,89135
1, 509, 01804
27000
9, 346, 07696
1, 615, 00000
143, 64887

## NEW ORLEANS.

Bolance June 30, 1877
RECEIPTS.


Table O.-Receipts and disbursements, \&ic.-Continued.
NEW YORK.
Balance June 30, 1877. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$141, 312,006 71

## RECEIPTS.


$730,673,23118$
$871,985,23783$

## DISPURSEMENTS.

| On acconnt of Treasury drafts | 292, 867, 39252 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On account of Post-Ottice draft | 7, 227, 02306 |
| On account of disbursing accounts | 264, 338, 24684 |
| On account of bullion account, superinteudent of ass | 13,444, 57954 |
| On account of intercst in coin | 65, 823, 88374 |
| On account of interestin curren | $3,548,45920$ |
| On account of cer tificates of doposit, act June 8, 18 | 53, 095, 00000 |
| Ou account of fractional currency redcemed in silver. | 372, 00000 |
| On acconnt of fractional currenoy redeemed in notes | 138,400 00 |

Balance June 30, 1878.

## PEILADELPHTA.

Balance June 30, 1877.

## RECEIPTS.

| On account of costoms | \$6, 729, 20681 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On account of interndircvonue | 495, 14884 |
| On account of gold-notes | 2, 100, 00000 |
| On account of certificates, act Jume 8, 1872 | 12, 925, 00000 |
| On account of Post-Olfico Department | 616, 63539 |
| On account of transfers. | 23,832, 71762 |
| On account of patent foes | 4,807 85 |
| On account of dislursing officors | 18,389, 89062 |
| On account of interest in coin | 1, 897, 15300 |
| On account of interestin currency | 151, 89000 |
| On account of fiactional currency for redemption | 216, 56773 |
| On account of miscellaneous. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | J., 475, 86184 |

dishursembete.

| On account of Treasnry drafts | 19, 661, 67740 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On acoount of Post-Office drafts | 662, 22467 |
| On account of disbursing acconnts | 18,439,587 20 |
| On account of interest in coin | 4, 841, 98123 |
| On account of interest in curreney | 151, 89000 |
| On account of transfers . . . . . . . . . | 11,694, 85000 |
| On account of certificates of deposit, act June 8, 1872 | 17, 715, 00000 |
| On account of fractional currency redeemed | 222, 526, 73 |

Balanee June 30, 1878.

Table O.-Receipts and disbursements, fo.-Continued.

## SAN FRANCISCO.

| Balance June 30, 1877 | \$3,178,896 73 |
| :---: | :---: |

## RECEIPTS.

| On account of eustoms | \$6, 575, 53044 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On account of internal | 2, 451, 02877 |
| On account of sale of lauds | 469,333 81 |
| On acconsit of sabscription to 4 per cent. loan, 1.907 | 547,52813 |
| On account of standard dollars received for certificates | 1, 501, 71000 |
| On account of coin withheld in lieu of United States notes | 82, 27500 |
| On account of Post-Office Department. | 363, 19590 |
| On account of transfers.. | 4, 466, 29625 |
| On account of patent fees. | 12, 80210 |
| On account of disbursing officers | 11, 305,652 60 |
| On account of miscellaneons. | 741, 51400 |

$28,516,86700$
33, 695, 76373

6, 390, 85450 336, 88880
10,961, 25916
2, 300, 00000 138,84257 15, 72000 505, 70000 82, 27500

| On account of Treasury drafts. | $6,390,85450$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Oin account of Post-Otfice drafts | 336, 88880 |
| On account of disbursing acconnts | 10,961, 25916 |
| On account of bullion account. | 2, 300,000 00 |
| On account of interest in coin | 138,842 57 |
| On account of interest in corrency | 15, 72000 |
| On acconnt of transfers ........ | 505,70000 |
| On aceonnt of United States notes d | 82,27500 |

## SAINT LOUIS.



| RECEIPTS. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On account of costoms | \$1., 508, 73891 |  |
| On account of intornal revenuc | 636, 47183 |  |
| On account of sale of lands | 16,350 21 |  |
| On acconnt of certificates, act June 8, 1872 | 1,720,000 00 |  |
| On account of Post-Office Department... | 1, 101, 8052.5 |  |
| On account of transfers . . . . | 7, 787,026 91 |  |
| On account of patent fees | 4,515 15 |  |
| On account of disbursing officers | 4, 425, 56916 |  |
| On account of loan of 4 per cent. consols, 1907 | 239, 57596 |  |
| On account of coin sales. | J., 426,583 64 |  |
| On acconnt of puiscellaneous | 555, 65439 | $19,422,291.41$ |
|  |  | 21, 794,71271 |
| DIEBUREEMENSS. |  |  |
| On account of Treasury drafts. | 6, 395, 79546 |  |
| On account of Post-Otfice drafts. | 1, 080, 764.81 |  |
| On account of disbursing accounts | 4, 444, 39497 |  |
| On account of silver....... | 202,939 00 |  |
| On account of coin sales. | 1, 430,657 12 |  |
| On acconnt of interest in coin | 196,684 32 |  |
| On account of interest in currency | 6, 80000 |  |
| On account of transfers .......... | 3, 497, 16116 |  |
| On account of certificates of deposit, act of Juno 8, 1872 | 830, 00000 |  |
| On account of fractional currency redcemed............. | 51, 81500 |  |
| On account of miscellancous, inclusive of silver checks | 13, 71422 | 18, 150, 72606 |
| Balance June 30, 1878 $\qquad$ <br> *The rescrve fund, amounting to $\$ 2,240,000$, | this amount. | 3,643,98665 |

Table 0.-Receipts and dièbursements, fo-Continued.
TUCSON.
Balance June 30, 1877
$\$ 606,71115$

RECEIDTS.

| On account of custo | \$872 01 |
| :---: | :---: |
| On account of internal revenue | 20, 116 44 |
| On account of sible of lands | 19, 16076 |
| On account of Post-Office Department, surplus monoy-order funds, \&c | 63,21631 |
| On account of transfors, drafts from Treasurer United States on assistant treasurers New York, and San Francisco. | 308, 00000 |
| On account of patent fees ....................... | 40000 |
| On account of disbursing officers | 28, 15778 |
| On account of deposits of disbursing officers. | 1,625, 59881 |

$2,672,23326^{\prime}$
dLSbURSEMENTE.

| On account of Treasiary drafts. | 720,884 19 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On account of disbursing accounts, checks paid | 1,542,55636 |  |
| On account of tratusfers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 8,464 31 |  |
|  |  | 2,271,904 86 |
| Balance June 30, 1878 |  | 400,32840 |

## APPENDIX.

## APPENDIX.

## REPORT OF THE DIVISION OF SPECIAL AGENTS.

Treasury Department, Division of Special Agents, November 12, 1878.

SIr: I have the honor to suibmit the following report of the transactions of the Division of Special Agents for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878:
Value of seizures reported by special agents............ $\$ 108,85495$
Amount involved in suits instituted upon information of special agents

809, 99453
Amount recovered by suit or otherwise ................... 38, 98470
Increased duties and penalties collected................... 70,963 38

Saving by reduction in drawbacks on sugar as recom-
mended by special agents............................ 304,515 82
Estimated saving in charges and commission cases......1, 000, 000 00
Arrests and criminal prosecutions instituted
The number of agents authorized and employed during the year was twenty:

A system of examining custom-houses upon an unusually thorough basis was inaugurated during the year. Printed instructions for such examinations were issued to the agents, in which were embodied a series of questions, to answer which required a careful inspection of the books, accounts, \&c., of each district. Under these instructions there were sixty-seven customs districts examined. Eight cases of defalcation by customs officers were discovered, amounting in all to $\$ 22,662$ 29. Of this amount, $\$ 4,75483$ has been paid, $\$ 15,34075$ is in suit on official bonds of collectors, and $\$ 2,56671$ has been charged to collectors by the accounting officers.

At the beginning of the fiscal year the supervision of the transportation of dutiable merchandise in bond, and of bonded warehouses, and correspondence connected therewith, was assigned to this division. During the sear eighty-seven bonds for warehouses were approved, and one hundred and twentr-three warehouses discontinued, leaving
in force, on June 30, 1878, three hundred and forty-eight bonds, covering four hundred and ninety-eight buildiugs, forty-four yards, and ten elevators; in all of which bonded goods are stored. There were twenty-two bonds of common-carriers approved, and eighteen discontinued, leaving one hundred and twenty-five bonded routes (of which twenty-seven are for the transportation of unappraised goods) in operation June 30, last. These routes are bonded by railroad, steamboat, and canal companies, and, in a few instances, by single individuals.

The number of packages of unappraised merchandise transported from ports of first arrival to ports of destination, under immediate transportation bonds, during the year, was 304,706 , on which the invoice value was $\$ 7,861,239$, and the estimated duties $\$ 4,044,16218$.
By means of monthly reports from the ports of importation and of destination, supervision is exercised over the goods forwarded under immediate-transportation bouds, and all missing packages traced and discrepancies reconciled.
From the monthly reports of collectors of customs, showing the amount of business transacted, the receipts from all sources, and the cost of collection, a statement has been prepared, from which it appears that the saving during the last fiscal jear, in the cost of collecting the revenue, over that of the year previous, was $\$ 778,492$ 25. It is also shown by this statement that, in a large number of districts, the cost of collection forms a large percentage of the amount collected, while in thirty-three districts the cost exceeds the receipts. In many of these districts, which were established in 1799, when all commerce was carried on in sailing-vessels, there are now no importations of foreign merchandise whatever, and the duties of the collectors are confined to routine matters pertaining to the coastwise trade.
It is respectfully suggested, that if the Secretary of the Treasury were authorized by law to consolidate two or more customs districts, whenever in his judgment the public interests so require, the Department would be able to materially increase the efficiency of the service and lessen expenses without endangering the revenue.

## UNDERVALUATIONS.

It has been estimated by many persons, well-informed in respect to customs matters, that the loss to the revenue by undervaluations, since the repeal of the moiety acts, would reach as high as $\$ 25,000,000$ per annum. There can be no doubt that many millions are lost every year on this account. In some classes of merchandise, American merchants
have been compelled by reason"of undervaluations to stop importing on their own account, and to buy their goods from commission merchants, who receive the merchandise on consignment from manufacturers in Europe. It has been argued that the increase of importations by consignment in this country is the result of progress in business, and is simply following the course of European trade; and that the fact that merchandise of a particular character is imported into the United States on consignment only, and is never purchased in Europe by an American dealer, is no indication that such merchandise is undervalued. To this, it may be answered that goods of the same character and quality as those sent to the United States on consignment only are freely sold at the places of manufacture in Europe to other markets than the United States, and would be purchased by importers in this country, laving resident buyers in the European markets, if it were possible for them to buy the goods at the market rates, and import and sell them in competition with consigned goods without loss. This cannot be done so long as consigned goods are allowed to be entered at the values fixed by the manufacturers in Europe, who send them to their regular agents in this country for sale.

Special efforts have been made by this division to ascertain the true market value of certain lines of goods which are imported by consignment only, and these efforts have been partially successful.

Owing to the provisions of the act of June 22, 1874, under which it is necessary to prove an intent on the part of the importers to defraud the revenue before forfeiture of merchandise seized for undervaluation can be obtained, the Government is practically barred from any remedy in the courts for frauds by the undervaluation of consigned goods. The invoices of this character are made by the manufacturers, whose agents in the United States, making the entry and oath as to value according to their best knowledge and belief, (their knowledge of such value being. ostensibly derived from the invoices only,) need not, necessarily, be familiar with the actual foreign-market value of the goods.
In all cases where reliable information has been obtained respecting market values the facts have been laid before the appraisers, who, when they found the evidence of a character to warrant it, have made proper advances upon the invoices, and where such advances are above 10 per cent., and therefore involve an additional duty of 20 per cent., it has been the almost invariable practice of the importers to demand a reappraisement. In many of these reappraisements, the advances made by the appraisers have been sustained. In a recent instance, where, upon information furnished by this division, an advance of 35
per cent. was made upon a consigned invoice of silks, such advance was sustained upon a reappraisement, the head of one of the largest American dry-goods firms being the merchant appraiser. A subsequent invoice of the same class of goods was voluutarily advanced by the consignee 25 per cent. upon entry, and this adrance was afterwards increased by the appraiser to equal the value fixed upon the reappraisement referred to, without appeal or protest on the part of the consignee.
The evasion of full payment of duties by undervaluations of certain standard goods, notably silks, velvets, laces, and fine kid gloves, has not only been a subject of comment among merchants, but has for the past four years, with the exception of a few invoices of gloves imported at Philadelphia, prevented direct importations of such goods by American merchants.
With respect to silks, it is very difficult to obtain conclusive evidence of value, because the element of weighting by the djer is an uncertain, and to all except the manufacturer of the particular goods which may be under examiuation, an unknown quantity. The best experts are nable to give a confident opinion within 10 per cent. of the relative values of two pieces of sill.
The determination by reappraisement of the true market value of certain importations is rendered difficult by the prevailing practice among agents of foreign manufacturers of acting as expert witnesses for one another. It also not unfrequently happeus that the merchant member of the reappraising board is comnected, directly or indirectly, with some one of the foreign agencies referred to.

Another obstacle in the way of obtaining accurate information on this subject, is the reticence of merchants. Compelled, by reason of the existing monopoly of the trade in silks and gloves, to have business relations with the agents of foreign mannfacturers, it is readily seen that a due regard for their own interests is sufficient to prevent that assistance in exposing and suppressing the evil of undervaluations which could and would. under other circumstances, no doubt, be rendered to the Government.
The disposition on the part of European manufacturers and tradesmen, particularly on the Continent, to evade the American tariff, has grown so wide-spread that even retail dealers, milliners, dress-makers, and other trades-people are in the habit of tendering to American tourists, as au inducement to them to purchase goods, false invoices to enable such tourists, upon their return home, to evade a portion of the legal duty. Although the fact of the existence of a system of deliberate undervaluations is known to every well-informed merchant in
the country, the difficulties attending the production of such convincing proof in specific cases as will justify proper advances on appraisement are almost insuperable. The appraising officers may be sustained in one or two, or a dozen, reappraisements, but, sooner or later, through the persistent and continued efforts of the commission agents, the invoices of foreign manufacturers again become the basis for assessment of duty. By thus undervaluing their invoices the manufacturers are really enabled to fix the duty to be paid, without regard to the rate prescribed by law.

Take, for instance, the importations of kid gloves. A merchant in Philadelphia bought an invoice of kid gloves, of the first quality, at 54 francs per dozen, from a manufacturer in Europe who had not established an agency in the United States. These gloves were entered at the custom-house in Philadelphia, at that price, and the duties upon them were paid. At the same time, gloves equal in quality to those above mentioned, and manufactured in the same town in France, were invoiced and entered at the custom-house, New York, at 42 francs per dozen. In the one case ${ }_{\text {the }}$ merchant pays the Government, after deducting the usual discounts, $\$ 4.79$ per dozen, or 50 per cent. ad valorem, while in the other the manufacturer, through his agent, pays $\$ 3.72$ per dozen, or $38-\frac{8}{10}$ per cent. ad valorem, assuming that the sales to the Philadelphia merchant were made at the true market value.

In his charge to the jury in the Sherry-wine case, 2d Benedict, page 249, Judge Blatchford illustrates this condition of affairs as follows:
"Every ad-valorem system of rerenue must be made, as far as possible, uniform in its operation, or it will be oppressive and unjust. Merchandise, as a matter of course, will be shipped to this country by the man who manufactures it, and like merchandise will be shipped here by the man who purchases it. If the manufacturer is allowed to invoice his merchandise at what it costs him to make it, and the purchaser is compelled to invoice his goods at what it costs him to buy them, inasmuch as the purchaser must pay for the goods, not only what it costs the manufacturer to make them, but the profit of the manufacturer in addition, an unfair discrimination is made against the purchaser, enabling the manufacturer to undersell him in the market here, and, in the end, surely drive him out. This is a principle which is easy. to be understood, and commends itself to the good sense of every man. Hence the rule referred to, and which finds expression in the language which I have cited from the act of 1863. In the case of a purchaser of goods, the cost to him to buy the goods abroad is assumed, as a general rule, by the law to indicate the actual market value of what he buys, it being presumed that he buys at the ordinary actual market value; and to put the purchaser upon the same footing with the manufacturer, to make an unjust discrimination against the purchaser, and in favor of the manufacturer, and to enable the Government to collect substantially the same amount of duty, at the same
ad-valorem rate, on the same quantity of the same description of merchandise, whether shipped here for account of the purchaser of it, or for account of its manufacturer, the law requires the manufacturer to invoice his goods, when he imports them here as his own, at their actual market value in the principal markets of the country where they were manufactured, no matter what their cost to him, no matter whether they cost more or less than such actual market value-in substanceand effect it requires the manufacturer to invoice them at what the purchaser would have to pay for them. and invoice them at. That is the theory of the law, and the object of the law; and its language endeavors to carry out that theory and object, as far as it is possible for human legislation to carry out a principle."

There appears to be but one effectual remedy for these difficultier, and that is the substitution of specific for ad-valorem duties, both as to silks and gloves.

In this connection attention is called to a provision of the British customs laws, in existence at the time when ad-valorem duties were collected in Great Britain, under which merchandise alleged to be undervalued was taken possession of by the customs officers, and the value as stated in the invoice, with 5 per cent. addition, was paid to the importer as a full equivalent for his goods. A law of this kind on our statute-books would have a wholesome effect upon foreign manufacturers.

## CHARGES AND COMMISSION CASES.

An examination of the claims known as the charges and commission cases was begun during the year, and is not yet completed. Facts were developed, however, prior to the close of the last session of Congress, sufficient to show that a great number of these claims were based upon fraudulent protests; and upon being advised of these facts the Committee on Appropriations declined to make the necessary appropriations to pay ten of the claims which were at that time adjusted, amounting to $\$ 42,20171$. An appropriation of $\$ 350$ only was made to pay the amount of one claim, which was found to be based upon a genuine protest. It is estimated by the officers who have examined these claims that the sum of $\$ 800,000$ has been paid since 1866 , to authorized attorneys of importers in cases upon which no legal protests had been made. The papers in five hundred and fifty-three of the six hundred and fifty suits still pending have been examined, and of that number five hundred and thirty-three are pronounced invalid, for want of legal protests. To state the exact amount involved in these cases would necessitate the computation of the duties paid on the charges and commissions, and the interest thereon, in each invoice and entry. This can only be done by the employment of a large clerical force. An
estimate based upon the average amount paid upon the cases heretofore settled, however, indicates that the saving to the Government by the investigation of these cases will be more than a million of dollars.

## SUGAR FRAUDS.'

Investigations of alleged frauds in the importation and exportation of sugar, begun before the close of the fiscal year, are still in progress. Such frands are believed to have been perpetrated-1st, by artificial coloring to reduce the rate of duty; 2d, by false weights; 3d, by improper sampling and classification; aud 4th, by fraudulent claims for drawback on adulterated sugars.

Several cargoes of sugar alleged to be artificially colored have been. seized and suits for their condemation are still pending.

Very respectifully,

A. K. TINGLE, Supervising Special Agent.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

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## REPORT OF COMMISSIONER 0F INTERNAL REVENUE.

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## REPORT

# THE COMMISSIONER OF INTERNAL REVENUE. 

Treasury Departament, Office of Internal Revenue; Washington, November 25, 1878.

Sir : I have the honor to submit the report of the Bureau of Internal Revenue for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, accompanied by additional facts and figures bringing down the operations of this branch of the public service as nearly as possible to the present date. It affords me gratification to note that the heavy falling off in the receipts from internal revenue taxation which marked the closing months of the past fiscal year has ceased, and that the receipts for the current fiscal year have thus far shown an increase.

I am glad to be able to report that in a majority of the States the internal revenue laws have been enforced without serious difficulty or obstruction. There has been a commendable spirit exhibited on the part of manufacturers and dealers to observe the law, and it is believed that the tax on distilled spirits is now being collected with fewer frauds and less loss to the govermment than at any time since the establishment of the internal revenue system. Collectors and their subordinate officers have manifested praiseworthy zeal in the enforcement of the laws, and are entitled to the commendation of the government for their integrity and fidelity to duty. In the majority of districts prosecutions for violations of the internal revenue laws have been reduced to a minimum, in - consequeuce of the steady enforcement of the laws and a state of public opinion favorable to their observance and enforcement. In other dis tricts, however, it has been found necessary greatly to multiply prosecutions for violatious of internal revenue laws and to institute vigorous .and systematic efforts for the suppression of frauds.

## RESISTANCE TO LAW.

It is with extreme regret I find it my duty to report the great difficulties that have been and still are encountered in many of the Southern States in the enforcement of the laws. In the mointain regions of West Virginia, Virginia, Kentucky, Tennessee, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, and Alabama, and in some portions of Missouri, Arkansas, and Texas, the illicit manufacture of spirits has been carried on for a number of years, and I am satisfied that the annual loss to the government from this source has been very nearly if not quite equal to the annual appropriation for the collection of the internal revenue tax throughout the whole country. In the regions of country mamed there are known to exist about five thousand copper stills, many of which at certain times are lawfully used in the production of brandy from apples and peaches,
but I am convinced that a large portion of these stills have been and are used in the illicit manufacture of spirits. Part of the spirits thus produced has been consumed in the immediate neighborhood; the balance has been distributed and sold throughout the adjacent districts. This nefarious business has been carried on, as a rule, by a determined set of men, who in their various neighborhoods league together for defense against the officers of the law, and at a given sigual are ready to come together with arms in their hands to drive the officers of internal revenue out of the country.

As illustrating the extraordinary resistance which the officers have had on some occasions to encounter I refer to occurrences in Overton County, Temessee, in August last, where a posse of eleven internal revenue officers, who had stopped at a farmer's house for the night, were attacked by a band of armed illicit distillers, who kept up a constant fusillade during the whole night, and whose force was augmented during the following day till it numbered nearly two hundred men. The officers took shelter in a log house, which served them as a fort, returning the fire as best they could, and were there besieged for forty-two hours, three of their party being shot-one through the body, one through the arm, and one in the face. I directed a strong force to go to their relief, but in the mean time, through the intervention of citizens, the besieged officers were permitted to retire, taking their wounded with them, and without surrendering their arms.

So formidable has been the resistance to the enforcement of the laws that in the districts of fifth Virginia, sixth North Carolina, South Caroliua, second and•fifth Tennessee, second West Virginia, Arkansas, and Kentucky, I have found it necessary to supply the collectors with breechloading carbines. In these districts, and also in the States of Georgia, Alabama, Mississippi, in the fourth district of North Carolina, and in the second and fifth districts of Missouri, I have authorized the organization of posses ranging from five to sixty in number, to aid in making seizures and arrests, the object being to have a force sufficiently strong to deter resistance if possible, and, if need be, to overcome it.

SYMPATHY OF CITIZENS AND STATE OFFICERS WITH VIOLATORS OF LAW.

In some of the districts where illicit distilling was carried on to any great extent leading citizens. were either directly interested in the business, or else were in active sympathy with the clistillers, and the offcers of the law have usually received but little aid or encouragement from the people in their efforts for the collection of the revenue and the arrest and punishment of offenders. This state of things has been extremely discouraging, and added to it is the fact that in some cases State officers, including judges on the bench, have sided with the illicit distillers and have encouraged the use of the State courts for the prosecution of the officers of the United States upon all sorts of charges, with the evident purpose of obstructing the enforcement of the laws of the United States. The illicit distillers have on numerous occasions fired upon our officers. A table in another part of this report shows in detail the loss in killed and wounded that the service has sustained since my last report. I regret to have to record the fact that when the ofticers of the United States have been shot down from ambuscarle, in cold blood, as a rule no efforts have been made on the part of the State officers to arrest the murderers; but in cases where the officers of the United States have been engaged in the enforcement of the laws, and have unfortunately come in conflict with the violators of the law, and homicides have
occurred, active steps have been at once taken for the arrest of such officers, and nothing would be left undone by the State authorities to bring them to trial and punishment.

TWO CASES IN POINT.
Two cases occurring in the State of South Carolina forcibly illustrate this position. In April last, Rufus H. Springs, a United States deputy marshal, accompanied a posse of deputy collectors in their search for an illicit still among the foot hills of the Blue Ridge. Without the slightest provocation, or any overt act of his against the person of his assassin, he was fired upon from ambush and instantly killed. This deed scarcelycreated a ripple on the surface of the public mind. There has been noattempt on the part of the State authorities to ferret out the murderer or to bring him to trial and punishment. The murdered man was an excellent officer, of unimpeachable personal character, and left a widow and one child.

In strong contrast with this case are the circumstances attending the arrest of Hugh P. Kane, William Durham, and R. P. Scruggs in the same State. They were deputy collectors and deputy marshals who were intrusted with a warrant for the arrest of one Amos Ladd, who had been long engaged in the business of illicit distilling and formed one of a band of lawless men in Pickens County who had openly defied and attacked the officers of the United States. Ladd resisted arrest, gun in hand, and the officers, acting as I believe upon a well-grounded apprehension of danger to their own lives, fired upon him and killed him. No sooner liad this unfortunate act occurred than great excitement prevailed throughout the State. The local newspapers denounced the officers as murderers, and, though they promptly surrendered to the nearest State authorities outside of Pickens County, where they deemed their lives would be unsafe, bail was refused them and they were committed to jail. At the next sitting of the State court they were indicted for murder, and the State judge, in an elaborately prepared opinion, refused to recognize the transfer of their cases to the United States cir cuit court.

While this statement of facts correctly illustrates what the condition of public sentiment has been in regard to the killing of a United States officer by a citizen and the killing of a citizen by a United States officer, it is proper to add, in regard to the latter case, that, believing these officers to have acted in necessary self-defense in the killing of Ladd, I have deemed it right to direct the collector to keep them on his pay-roll as deputy collectors, although they still remain incarcerated in one of the county jails awaiting their trial before the circuit court of the Uniterl States, to which court their case was duly transferred.

## THE ROOT OF THE EVIL.

Much of the opposition to the enforcement of the internal revenue laws is properly attributable to a latent feeling of hostility to the government and laws of the United States still prevailing in the breasts of a portion of the people of these districts, and in consequence of this condition of things the officers of the United States have often been treated very much as though they were emissaries from some foreign country quartered upon the people for the collection of tribute. The courts of the United States have come in for a due share of suspicion and abuse, upon the ground that they are organized for the oppression of the citizen and for the protection of the officers of the United States in oppression and wrong. I have endeavored to disabuse the minds of the people upon these questions by having our officers point out that the laws of the

United States are enacted by the representatives of the whole people; that the law providing for the imposition of a tax upon distilled spirits is uuiform throughout the country, and realizes to the government nearly sixty million of dollars per annum, and that while the law remains upon the statute book it is the duty of every good citizen to observe it, and of every officer of the United States assigned to that duty to enforce it. I have stated to them that the pains and penalties for violation of this law are severe, that no man can with safety infringe its provisions, and that any community in which violations of the law become general must soon be given over to anarchy and disorder. I have further endeavored to extend to the people in the mountain districts where illicit distilling has mostly prevailed every facility for the establishment of small distilleries in conformity with law. In this connection I respectfully refer to a proposed modification of existing laws elsewhere suggested with a view of facilitating the establistiment of legal distilleries in the mountain regions of the South and Southwest.

## CHARACTER OF THE OFFICERS EMPLOYED.

It has been my wish, and I have so directed collectors, that in the employment of special deputies, as well as in the appointment of their regular force, they should select men of integrity, character, and discretion, and I ann satisfied that in the main they have been able to procure the services of men of this description. It must be borne in mind, however, that operations against illicit distillers for the seizure of their distilleries and the arrest of their persons are extremely liazardous, and in fact, an officer who goes upon a mission of this kind feels that he takes his life in his hand. For this desperate work it has not been found practicable to obtain the services of the most educated and refined citizens, especially in view of the fact that the service is temporary and the pay not large. I am, however, glad to be able to report that, with very rare exceptions, the officers so employed have proven themselves trustworthy, courageous, and discreet, and although they have often been resisted and fired upon by violators of the law, and though frequently their characters have been traduced by the local press, they. have gone forward earmestly in the discharge of their cluties, and have received the commendation of the collectors and of this office.

## CONDITIONAL AMNESTY TO OFFENDERSS.

Open violations of law in the manufacture and sale of illicit spirits have gone on in some districts, from year to year, until whole neighborhoods, and in some cases hundreds of men in a single county, became involved, so that itseemed wholly impracticable to bring all the violators of the law to trial and punishment. Consequently, after demonstrating to the minds of these men, by vigorous efforts to suppress the frauds with strong bodies of armed officers, that the government had not only the disposition but the ability to put an end to these violations of the law, offenders, who have not been actually engaged in resisting the officers by force, have been permitted to come forward and plead guilty, and have their sentences suspended during good behavior. This course has been pursued with your approbation and with that of the honorable the Attorney General and the President. The object has been to induce illicit distillers to abandon their evil practices, and also to arouse in the breasts of law-abiding citizens a sentiment favorable to the observance and enforcement of the laws. I am not without hope that some good results may follow the course that lias been pursued. One advantage that has been derived from the amnesty accorded is seen in the fact that whereas, previously, our officers could scarcely enter the infected coun-
ties withont being fired upon, they are now able, in most cases, to police the districts with comparative safety. I am, however, opposed to a repetition of this business of wholesale amnesty. Hereafter, in my opinion, violators of the law should be required to endure the penalties provided by law for their offenses.

## WAYS AND MEANS.

The usual force of deputies heretofore allowed collectors for the collection of the revenue in the districts where illicit distilling has mostly prevailed, has been found totally inadequate for the suppression of frands, and with your approval I have adopted the plan of giving collectors authority to employ, from time to time, a suitable number of special deputies to aid in making seizures. These internal revenue officers have also usually constituted a posse to assist the deputy marshals in making arrests. To meet the extraordinary expenses thus incurred I have found it necessary to cut down the salaries of officers throughont the country, so as to be able to set aside from the general appropriation a sum of money for that purpose, which has been supplemented by the use of a considerable portion of the appropriation for the suppression of frauds. But, with the best care I could bestow upon the subject, I have been unable to provide a suitable sum for paying these extraordinary expenses during the present fiscal year. I am of opinion that if active measures can be kept up against illicit distillers for twelve months more the business will be substantially broken up, and that violations of internal revenue laws in the districts named will be scarcely more frequent than in other portions of the country. The accomplishment of this object seems to me so exceedingly desirable that I wish to bring the subject prominently to the attention of Congress, with the hope that that honorable body may deem it proper to make a suitable appropriation for the early suppression of these frauds.

The illicit manufacture and sale of spirits have so demoralizing an effect upon the people in the neighborhood where they are practiced, that, as government has undertaken to collect a tax upon the product of the still, no efforts should be left untried to compel manufacturers of spicits to pay the tax imposed by law, and to sell their products only in accordance with the provisions of law.

## RESULTS ATTAINED.

By the efforts already put forth we virtually have peaccable possession of the districts of 4th and 5th North Carolina, Georgia, West Temmessee, Kentucky, Alabama, and Arkansas, in many of which formidable resistance to the enforcement of the law has prevailed. We can no doubt retain the advantage thus gained if sufficient means are allowed for thoroughly policing the districts, for it is only by continuous policing thatfrauds can be kept down. In the western portion of the 5th Virginia district, in part of West Virginia, in the 6th North Carolina district, in part of South Carolina, and in the 2d and 5th clistricts of Tennessee I apprehend further serious difficulties in the enforcement of the laws. It is very desirable, in order to prevent bloodshed, that the internal revenue forces sent into these infected regions to make seizures and arrests shall be so strong as to deter armed resistance. Experience has shown that the temptation for defrauding the government of its revenues on spirits, is so great that these distillers will not voluntarily observe the law, and that these frauds cannot be suppressed and prevented without the organization of posses in sufficient strength, to demonstrate to violators of the law the determination and ability of the government to enforce its laws by its own officers and through its own courts

I therefore respectfully recommend that a special appropriation of $\$ 75,000$ be at once made for the above purpose, for the balance of the present fiscal jear.

STATISTICS OF OPERATIONS AGAINST ILLICIT DISTILLERS.
The following table shows the number of illicit distilleries seized, arrests made, and officers killed or wounded in the execution of their duty :

| Districts. | Stills seized. |  |  | Persons arrested. |  |  | Officers and guides killed and wounded. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
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| Alabanial. | 83 |  | 83 | 398 | 294 | 692 |  |  |
| Arkansas | 13 | 3 | 16 | 16 | 15 | 31 |  |  |
| Second Georgia | 161 | 32 | 193 | 310 | 320 | 630 | 2 |  |
| Thutd Georgia. . | 42 | 2 | 44 | 12 | 12 | 24 |  | 2 |
| Fitst Mlinois . | 1. |  | 1 | 1 | .... | 1 |  |  |
| Fonrth Illinois |  | 6 | 6 |  | 4 | 4 |  |  |
| Seventh Illinois | 1 |  | 1 | 1 | , | 1. |  |  |
| Eighth Illinois | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
| Thirteenth Illinois | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 2 |  |  |
| First Indiana... | 4 |  | 4 | 1. |  | 1 |  |  |
| Secoud Kentrocky | 17 | 9 | 26 | 49 |  | 49 |  |  |
| Fifth Kentucky .- | 29 | 7 | 36 | 47 | 10 | 57 |  | 1 |
| Eishth Kentucky | 20 | 2 | 22 | 33 | 3 | 36 |  | 1 |
| Ninth Keatucky | 13 |  | 13 | 47 | 18 | 65 |  |  |
| Louisiana . . . . . | 5 |  | 5 | 1 |  | 1. |  |  |
| Third Massachusetts | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
| Fourth Maryland ... | 2 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |
| Mississippi....... | 3 |  | 3 | 10 |  | 10 |  |  |
| Nebuaska.... | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1. |  |  |
| Second Missouri | 8 | 1 | 9 | 90 | 32 | 122 |  |  |
| Fifth Mlissouri | 4 |  | 4 | 9 |  | 9 |  |  |
| Third New Jersey | 2 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |
| Trist New York.. | 20 | 3 | 23 | 20 | 3 | 23 |  |  |
| Second New York | 4 |  | 4 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |
| Third New York .. | 8 | 2 | 10 | 4 |  | 4 |  |  |
| Twelfth New York | 1 |  | 1 | 1. |  | 1 |  |  |
| Fourth North Carolina | 32 | 1 | 33 | 4 |  | 4 |  |  |
| Fifth North Carolina. | 86 | 22 | 108 | 45 |  | 45 |  |  |
| Sixth North Carolincl. | 108 | 43 | 151 | 288 | 142 | 430 |  | 1 |
| First Ohio.. | 2 |  | 2 | 3 |  | 3 |  |  |
| Sixth Ohio | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
| Tenth Ohio | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Elerenth Ohio. | 2 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |
| Eighteenth Ohio... | 2 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |
| First Pennsylvania. | 2 |  | 2 | 2 | . | 2 |  |  |
| Sixteenth Pennsylvadia | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Twenty-second Penusply | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
| South Corolina ......... | 87 | 23 | 110 | 90 |  | 90 | 1 | 1 |
| Second Temmessee | 91 | 23 | 114 | 278 | 73 | 351 | 1 | 1 |
| Fifth Temessee. | 59 | 38 | 97 | 93 | 17 | 110 | 1 | 3 |
| Eighth Tennessee | 12 |  | 12 | 5 |  | 5 |  |  |
| ${ }^{\text {r }}$ 'hird T'exas .... | 3 |  | 3 | 3 |  | 3 |  |  |
| Fourth Texas | 1 |  | 1 | 1 | ... | 1 |  |  |
| Vermont. | 2 |  | 2 | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |
| Third Virginia |  | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fourth Virgiuia | 3 | 6 | 9 | 3 |  | 17 |  |  |
| Fifth Vivginia.. | 49 | 13 | 62 | 69 | 58 | 127 |  | 2 |
| Sixtl Virginia. | 8 | ........ | 8 | 8 |  | 8 |  |  |
| First West Virginia | 12 |  | 12 | 9 |  | 9 |  |  |
| Second West Vinginia | 8 |  | 8 | 4 |  | 4 |  |  |
| Jhird Wisconsin ..... | 1 |  | 1 | 1 |  | 1 |  |  |
|  | 1,020 | 238 | 1,258 | 1, 974 | 1,016 | 2,990 | 5 | 13 |

## PROTECIION OF REVENUE OFFICERS.

Attention is called to the large number of officers who have been either killed or wounded by persons engaged in resisting the enforce-
ment of the laws, and also to the fact that the State authorities, as a rule, have done little or nothing to insure the punishment of the persons guilty of these wrongful acts. Under the existing laws of the United States there is no adequate punishment for homicide perpetrated upon an officer of the government while in the performance of his duty as such. In my judgment, it is highly important that additional legislation should be had upon this subject. The power to lay and collect taxes conferred by Article I, section 8, of the Constitution, is one of the highest. attributes of sovereignty, and it seems to me that this provision of the Constitution contains ample power for the enactment by Congress of such laws as would be necessary and proper for the protection of the lives and persons of officers of the United States by the punishment of persons who, while such officers are in the performance of their duty, assanlt them with intent to kill, or actually commit murder upon their persons.

## PROPOSED REDUCTION OF THE TOBACCO TAX.

The subject of the reduction of the tax on tobacco has been largely discussed, in and out of Congress, and will no doubt receive the attention of the Senate, where a bill is now pending, it having passed the House at its last session, reducing the tax on tobacco from twenty-four to sixteen cents per pound. The subject is of such importance, as respects the income of the government from this source that I deem it expedient to examine the grounds upon which the friends of the measure mainly rest their arguments in favor of a reduction of the tax. These grounds, as I understand them; briefly stated, are:

1. That a reduction of the tax will not result in a decrease of the revenue from this source, but by stimulating consumption will ultimately increase the receipts.
2. That the present rate of taxation depresses the value of leaf tobacco in the hands of the producers, and that the proposed reduction of the rate of taxation will inure to their benefit by enhancing the market value of their products.

The proposition is to reduce the rate of taxation one-third, $i$. $e$. to six-. teen cents a pound instead of twenty-four cents a pound, as now provided by law. The receipts from the tax on manufactured tobacco for the four years preceding the past fiscal year have been as follows:

| 1874 | \$20,900,509 67 |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1875 | 24,133, 72648 |
| 1876 | 25,694,312 56 |
| 1877 | 27,053,072 38 |

From these figures it will be seen there has been a steady growth in the receipts from this source, and it would seem that if the rate of taxation is reduced one-third there will be a corresponding reduction in the income.

The tax on tobacco, while primarily paid by the manufacturer, is in fact paid by the consumer, and it is well known that the retail sales both before and since the passage of laws providing for a tax on manufactured tobacco have been in small quantities, being usually in quantities of from one to four ounces. The present tax is at the rate of one and a half cents per ounce, and the present retail price is almost without exception five cents or ten cents per ounce, according to quality. It seems quite incredible that a reduction of half a cent on the ounce in the tax would affect to any appreciable extent the retail prices charged or the
quantity consumed. To maintain the income of the government at its present amount, with the proposed reduction in the tax, it would be necessary that the consumption of manufactured tobaceo should be immediately increased from one hundred and five and a half millions of pounds to one hundred and fifty-eight and a quarter millions of pounds. It is believed that persons who are in the habit of using manufactured tobacco would not, because of the reduction of the tax, consume more than they do at the present time; it is not to be credited that persons who are not in the habit of using tobacco would be induced to commence its use in consequence of the reduction of the tax, and I am satisfied that growers of tobacco, who have acquired a taste for the raw leaf in the twist, would not change their habits in this regard because of a reduction of half a cent an ounce in the tax on manufactured tobacco. I therefore express the unqualified opinion that a reduction of the tax onethird will inevitably result in a corresponding reduction of the revenuederived from that source.

In respect to the second proposition, I would state that an examination of the market quotations of tobacco for a series of years fails to show that the tax on manufactured tobacco has had any depressing effect on the market price of leaf tobacco. It will be seen by a table in another part of this report that the business of manufacturing tobacco has year by year increased; that it is now diffused throughout the whole United States, and that some of the largest manufactories are located at great distances from the source of supply of the leaf. So it will be seen that there must be a constant competition among manufacturers for the purchase of the various choice grades of leaf tobacco that are used in the production of the great variety of brands of manufactured tobacco, and I fail to comprehend how this competition would be increased by a reduction of the rate of taxation on the manufactured article. The tastes of the people would notbechanged by legislation, and the manufacturers would therefore continue to seek for stocks of tobacco suited to the demands of their customers.

It must be borne in mind that fully three-fifths of the entire crop of tobacco grown in the United States is exported, and it is obvious that the price received for this surplus practically controls the price of the tobacco retained for home consumption. The value of each crop of tobacco depends largely upon its quality and the manner in which it is cured and handled, and the value of the entire crop of the country is controlled by the laws of supply and demand.

The stocks of tobacco have been steadily increasing during the past four years, as will be seen by the following figures, taken from the Tobacco Circular of Messrs. Sawyer, Wallace \& Co., of New York City, of November 1, 1878 :


And there has been a steady decline in price for the same period, evidently in consequence of the heavy surplus stocks. The same authority gives the quotations as follows:


These figures are confirmed by reference to the circular of Messrs. M. Rader \& Co., of the same date. It appears from the foregoing statements that there were 159,761 hogsheads of tobacco in warehouse on the 1st of the present month, against 89,656 hogsheads for the corresponding period of 1875. If to the depressing influence which this large surplus stock must necessarily exert there is now added a prolonged agitation for the reduction of the tax, so as to withdraw the manufacturers from the market, the result to the planters cannot be otherwise than detrimental.

It may be insisted that shipping leaf is unsuited for manufacturing purposes, and that, therefore, its price would have no material effect upon the value of the manufacturing leaf. This statement, however, would be fallacious, for it is an ascertained fact that the tastes of the people vary so much that, to produce manufactured tobacco to meet all demands, manufacturers are compelled to draw their stocks from all portions of the country. Not only are the light tobaccos of Virginia and North Carolina, and the red tobaccos of Kentucky, in request for manufacturing purposes, but tobaccos grown in Tennessee, Missouri, Illinois, Indiana, and Ohio enter largely into the manufactured tobacco of this country; so that, in fact, all the various grades of tobacco grown go to make up the stocks which manufacturers find it necessary to use in order to meet the wants of their customers. It is, therefore, obvious that the price of the tobacco used by our manufacturers is affected by the foreign demand for the surplus product. A small accumulated surplus, light crops, and an active foreign demand will increase the price of all grades, while large accumulated stocks, heavy crops, and a sluggish foreign demand will result in a depression of prices of all grades, and these results would be produced whether the tax on manufactured tobacco remained at twenty-four cents or should be reduced to sixteen cents per pound, or if the tax were entirely removed.

The bill before the Senate proposes a reduction of the tax on cigars from $\$ 6$ to $\$ 5$ per thousand. Though in the aggregate this proposal, if adopted, would diminish the revenue derived from this source $\$ 2,000,000$, yet in detail the effect would only be equivalent to reducing the tax on each cigar one mill, and it is incredible that such a reduction could affect the retail price, or in any degree operate to stimulate the consumption of cigars, and, in my opinion, the reduction would be an absolute loss of revenue without any compensating advantage.' It is to be noted that the agitation for the reduction of the tax on manufactured tobacco does not come from the consumers, who alone pay the tax. Not a single tax-payer has yet come forward, as such, to demand its reduction. The whole movement, in my judgment, involves an absolute sacrifice of $\$ 11,000,000$ of revenue without reasonable prospect of benefit to the producer or relief to the tax-payer.

## EFFECTS OF AGITATING THE QUESTION.

The agitation of the question of reducing the tax on manufactured tobacco last year paralyzed the trade during the time the uncertainty
prevailed. Many manufacturers were compelled to temporarily suspend operations, and large numbers of work-people were thrown out of employment: The tax on manufactured tobacco from December, 1877, to June, 1878, showed a falling off as compared with the corresponding months of the preceding year of $\$ 1,947,041$, while, immediately upon the adjournment of Congress, when it became known that the tax would for a tiine remain undisturbed, the trade began to recover, the receipts from the tobacco tax for July, 1878, showing an increase of \$546,427 over the corresponding month of the previous year. I have no doubt that similar results would follow a prolonged agitation of the subject this year. It therefore appears to me very desirable that whatever action is had by Congress in regard to the proposed change of the tax should be had as early as possible, in the interest of the revenue; as well as of the manufacturers, their thousands of employés, and the producers, to all of whom continued suspense must prove injurious.

SPECIAL RECOMMENDATIONS.
As a means of encouraging the establishment of legal distilleries in the mountain districts of the South and Southwest, I respectfully suggest the propriety of the passage of a law conferring authority upon the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury, to exempt distilleries of the producing capacity of twenty gallons per diem, or less, from such provisions of the existing law in regard to grain distilleries as require the processes of distillation to be carried on through closed pipes or vessels. This would remove what has been alleged as a serious objection to the establishment of legal distilleries by many persons owning copper vessels who desire to enter upon the manufacture of spirits.

I respectfally refer to the reasons assigned at pages xli and xlii of my last report for the remission and refinding of certain assessments made for excessive use of material by distillers. Great care has been exercised during the past year by distillers to avoid, as far as possible, incurring liability to assessments of this class. The reasons heretofore assigned why Congress should relieve the distillers from this class of assessments remain in full force, and I respectfully suggest that early action in this regard would relieve distillers and this office from much embarrassment. A bill which passed the House of Representatives at its last session, and is now before the Senate for consideration, contains a provision affording the required relief.

I also respectfully renew the recommendations contained in my last report that the law may be so modified as to permit the use of American alcohol in the manufacture of perfumery on the same terms as foreign alcohol is now employed; and that, for the purpose of preventing frands in the manufacture of matches, the number of matches to be contained in a single box be limited to five hundred.

## LEASEHOLDERS.BONDS FOR DISTLLLERLES.

It is provided by Section 3262 of the Revised Statutes that " no bond of a distiller shall be approved unless he is the owner in fee, unincumbered by any mortgage, judgment, or other lien, of the lot or iract of land on which the distillery is situated, or unless he files with the collector, in connection with his notice, the written consent of the owner of the fee, and of any mortgage, judgment-creditor, or other person having a lien thereon, duly acknowledged, that the premises may he used for
the purpose of distilling spirits, subject to the provisions of law, and expressly stipulating that the lien of the. United States for taxes and penalties shall have priority of such mortgage, judgment, or other encumbrance", and that in case of the forfeiture of the distillery premises, or of any part thereof, the title of the same shall vest in the United States, discharged from such mortgage, judginent, or other encumbrance. It is further provided in the sane section that in certain cases where the distillery was erected prior to the twentieth of July, eighteen hundred and sixty eight, "the collector may at the discretion of the Commissioner, be authorized to accept, in lieu of the said written consent of the owner of the fee, the bond of such distiller, in such form as the Commissioner may prescribe, with not less than two sureties, conditioned that in case the distillery, distilling apparatus, or any part thereof, shall by final judgment be forfeited for the violation of any of the provisions of law, the obligors shall pay the amount stated in said bond."

A case sometimes arises where distiller operating a distillery erected prior to July 20,1868 , finds it desirable to enlarge the distillery premises. This is occasionally especially destrable, since the passage of the joint resolution of-March 28, 1878, entitled "Joint resolution to prescribe the time for the payment of the tax on distilled spirits, and for other purposes," for it often becomes necessary for the distiller to enlarge his distillery warehouse to avail himself of the privileges, conferred by that resolution. In some instances the distiller finds it impossible to obtain the written consent of the owuer of the adjoining land which it is necessary to include as part of the distillery premises. The present statute makes no provision for a case of that character.

I recommend such an amendment of the law as will in such a case authorize the acceptance of a bond in lieu of the written consent of the owner.

REVENUE AGENTS.
Since my last report the number of interual revenue agents has been increased by law from twenty-five to thirty-five. The force is now distributed as follows:
One in charge of the division of revenue agents at this office.
Four to the examination of the accounts of collectors.
Twenty-four to divisions of collection districts.
Six assistants in the more important divisions.
This corps is of great importance in aiding in the enforcement of the aws and in promoting the efficiency of the public service. I earnestly ecommend that the increase from twenty-five to thirty-five revenue ıgents be maintained.

## EXAMINATION 'OF COLLEOTORS' OFFICES.

I have made provision for the careful quarterly examination of the Iffices and accounts of collectors by skilled accountants, so as to have xact information as to the manner in which the business of the office is onducted and the public money accounted for. These examinations lave had the effect of creating a spirit of emulation among officers of he different districts, and it aftords me great pleasure to report that, rith very rare exceptions, it was found that the business of the offices ad been conducted in a careful and efficient manner, the records proprly kept and written up to date, and the public funds faithfully acounted for.

In my last report I had the honor of calling attention to the fact that I had organized a system of inspecting the officers of the Internal Revenue Service, and I then expressed an opinion that important and favorable results would accrue from such inspections. Since that report the system of inspections has been very much enlarged upon, so that now the inquiry involves an examination into the character and standing of the officers and their moral fitness for their positions, and also into their knowledge of the internal revenue laws and regulations and the practical operations of these laws and regulations in respect to distilleries, breweries, rectifying establishments, wholesale and retail liquor dealers, tobacco and cigar manufacturers, and other manufactories and employments coming uuder the provisions of the internal revenue tax system. The object has been to make the inspections a kind of school for the officers.

In connection with these inspections, the revenue agent, who is the inspecting officer, visits with the officers inspected the various establishments for the manufacture and sale of taxable articles, with a view of seeing that the laws are properly complied witl and enforced, and also with the view of enlightening the manufacturer or tax payer upon any point of law or regulations upon which he may seem to need information. To make these inspections more thorough, I have pursued the policy of transferring the agents from time to time, so as to have the reports of different revenue agents upon the same officers and districts. The reports of the inspecting officers have in the main been very full and complete. Taken in conjunction with the reports of the agents assigned to the examination of collectors' offices, they, give this office a correct statement of the condition of the force in all the collection districts, and they have had the effect of increasing the knowledge, diligence, and efficiency of the great majority of the officers, so that at this time the officers of the internal revenue force, taken as a whole, comprise a body of men of whose intelligence, integrity, and fidelity to duty the people of the United States may well be proud.

## AMOUNTS COLLEGTED AND ACCOUNTED FOR; BY DISTRICTS.

Subjoined is a statement of the collections of internal revenue tax, by districts, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, giving the name of each collector, the amount of money collected and paid into the United States Treasury, and the amount collected and unaccounted for. It will be seen therefrom that the sum of $\$ 110,654,163.37$ was collected and accounted for during the past fiscal year, and that the sum of $\$ 9,705.55$ remains unaccounted for. During the fiscal year ended June 30, 1877, the internal revenue collections, as shown in my last report, were $\$ 118,995,184.25$. There remains unaccounted for for that period the sum of $\$ 1,900$. It thus appears that during the last two fiscal years the sum of $\$ 229,649,347.62$ has been collected and accounted for, and the sum of $\$ 11,605.55$ has been collected and not accounted for. Each item making up this last amount has been reported to the honorable First Comptroller for suit.

I am assured that the amounts due will be paid during the present year, the sureties on the collectors' bonds being entirely good, so that there will be no actual loss to the United States. The defaulting collectors have been removed from office.

It is proper to state that the deficiency that occurred in the accounts

## of Collector Fannin, of Georgia, was occasioned by the dishonesty of his cashier. The two other deficiencies were referred to in my last annual report.

Statemont showing the aggregate collections made androported to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue by the collectors of the several collection districts, together with the amonnt of collections made and unaccounted for, during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

| Collection districts. | Names of collectors. | Aggregate col. <br> lections. | Moneys receiv. ed and unac. counted for. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First Alabama | L. H. Mayer | \$67, 96787. |  |
| Second Alaba | D. B. Booth | 70, 001 70 |  |
| Arizoma. | Themas Cordis | 20), 37101 |  |
| Arkansas | Henry M. Cooper (late). | 62,12889 |  |
| Finst California | Edward Wheeter (present) | 53, 60688 |  |
| Fourth Califomia | A. L. Frost. | 1.) 302,30839 |  |
| Colorado. | J. ${ }^{\text {C. Wisson }}$ | 83, 50790 |  |
| Jirst Commecticat | Juseph Selden | 299, 88269 |  |
| Second Commecticu | D. F. Hollister | 280, 45290 |  |
| Dakota | Willam K. Hollenbeck | 29, 95420 |  |
| Delaware | James Mclatice | 480, 93700 |  |
| Florida | A. A Knight | 183, 82338 |  |
| Third Georgia | I. S. Fannin (late) ... | $\begin{aligned} & 42,29833 \\ & 54,738 \quad 63 \end{aligned}$ | *5, 05703 |
| Thaho | Austin Surage...... | 19,77763. |  |
| First Cllinois | J. D. Harvey | 8, 185, 22567 |  |
| Second Dlinois | William B. Allen | 220,756 51 |  |
| Thitd nlinois.. | A.Nase | 857, 22795 |  |
| Fourth Illinois | Johu 'lillson. | 1, 105, 92697 |  |
| Fifth 1llinois. | H. Krowles | 6, 594, 66922 |  |
| Seveuth hlinois | J. W. Hill | 52, 42808 |  |
| Eighth Jlinois | J. M.errian | 2, 029, 688.18 |  |
| Thirst Indiana ... | J. C. Willis | 622, 86874 |  |
| Fourth Indiana | Will Cumback | 2, 731, 07357 |  |
| Sixth Indiana. | F. Baggs | 683, 87496 |  |
| Seventh Indiana | Framk White | 1, 914, 33386 |  |
| Trenth Indiana | George Mom | 143,586 19 |  |
| Gleventh Indiana | J. F. Wildman | 79,91331 |  |
| Second Iowa. | S. S. Farwell | 182, 0751.7 |  |
| 'Llined Iowa. | James E. Simpson | 326, 68260 |  |
| Fouth Iowa | John Connell | 192, 42733 |  |
| Fifth Iowe | L. P. Sherman | 257, 66603 |  |
| Tansas. | A. M. 3lair (late) | 74, 51.58 S |  |
| Do....... | J. C. Carpenter (present) | 78, 34164 |  |
| Second Kentuck | O.P.Johnsonn (late) ........ | 317,080 88 |  |
| Fith Kertacky | William A. Stuart (present) | 254, 40955 |  |
| Sisth Kentucky | James F. Buck | 2, 723, 64307 |  |
| Seventh Kentucks | A. M. Svope. | $\begin{array}{r}2,495,496 \\ 823 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  |
| Eighte Kentucks. | William J. Landram | 158, 125 16 |  |
| Niuth Kentacky | John E. Blaine. | 108, 38474 |  |
| İouisiatia | John Cockrem | 850, 64146 |  |
| Maine | F. J. Rollins | 70, 69578 |  |
| Third Maryland | R. M. Prond | 2, 210, 12729 |  |
| Fitth Maryland | Daniel C. Bruce | 110, 66795 |  |
| Thind Massachusetts | Charles W. Slack | 1, 249, 06642 |  |
| Fifth Massachusetts. | C. C. Dame. | 863,94071 |  |
| Tenth Massachusetts | E. R. Tinker | 311, 35664 |  |
| First Michigan | L. S Twowhridge | 1, 181, 40538 |  |
| Thitd Michigan. | H. B. Rowison | 195, 38322 |  |
| Fourth Michigan | S. S. Bailey | 98, 82273 |  |
| Sixth Michigan | Charles V. De Land | 127, 19201 |  |
| First Minmesota | A. C. Smith | 99,569 03 |  |
| Second Minnesota | William Bickel | - 175,433 72 |  |
| Mississippi | R.C. Powers. | 86,824 03 |  |
| First, Missouri | I. H. Sturgeon | 4, 338,750 90 |  |
| Second Missouri | A. B. Carroll | 55, 05005 |  |
| Fourth Missonri. | A. C. Stewart | 314, 27408 |  |
| Fifth Missomi | D. H. Budlong | 113, 1.3812 |  |
| Sixth Missouri | R. I'. Van Horn | 250, 00821 |  |
| Montana. | Thomas P. Fnlle | 27, 10388 |  |
| Nevada | F. A. Newman | 699,82137 59,017 46 |  |
| New Hampshite | A. H. Young | 228, 1.8811 |  |
| Tirst New Jersey | William P. Ta | 223, 590029 |  |
| Third New Tersey | C. Batcalow | 3388, 58775 |  |
| Fifth New Jersey. | R. B. Hathorn | 4, 513, 14715 |  |

${ }^{*}$ The sum of $\$ 4,665.20$ has beon deposited on account of this deficiency since this report was put in type.

Statement showing the aggregate collections, \&e.-Continued.


## COST OF COLLECTIUN.

The total cost of collecting internal revenue in the United States for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, was as follows:

| For salaries and expenses of collectors, including pay of deputy collectors, clertis, \&e | \$1,810,000 00 |
| :---: | :---: |
| For salavies and expenses of revenue agents, surveyors of distilleries, gaugers, storekeepers, and miscellaneous expenses. | 1,466,000 00 |
| For dies, paper, and stamps .... ......... | 452, 00000 |
| For salanies of officers, clerks, and employes in the office of Commissioner of Internal Revenue. | 253, 41000 |
| Detecting and bringing to trial and punishment persons guilty of violating the internal revenue laws. | \$75, 00000 |

Total
$4,056,41000$
Being less than three and three-quarters per cent. upon the whole amount collected. A final adjustment of the accounts may change the foregoing figures in some regard, but not to any material extent.

## ESTMMATED RECEIPTS FOR THE CURRENT FISCAL YEAR.

There has been an increase in the receipts from intemal revenue up to this date (November 25th), as compared with the same period of last year, of a little over a million of dollars, and as the information from various points seems to indicate a favorable reaction in the general busipess of the country, I am strongly inclined to the opinion that the internal revenue receipts will sympathize largely with the improred condition of affairs. It will be seen from the comparative tables of receipts that the decrease in last year's revenue commenced in November and continued during the balance of the fiscal year. I am well satisfied that this decrease was mainly attributable to the threatened change in the tax on spirits and tobacco. It will be observed that during the past four mouths the receipts compare favorably with those of the two preceding years, and it would seem probable that the receipts for the balance of this fiscal year will be maintained equal to those of the fiscal year 1877, unless the causes which produced the decrease of last year again prevail. In any event, it appears to me entirely safe, if the rate of taxation is not disturbed, to estimate that the revenues for the present fiscal year will not fall short of $\$ 115,000,000$.

## ESTIMATED EXPENSES FOR NEXT FISCAL YEAR.

I estimate the expenses of the internal revenue service for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1880, as follows:
For salaries and expenses of collectors.
For salaries and expenses of thirby-five revenue agents, for surveyors, for fees and expenses of gangers, for salaries of storekeepers, and for miscellaneous expenses

1, 500,000
For dies, paper, and stamps......................................................................................................................... 000
For detecting and bringing to trial and punishment personseguilty of violating the intemal revenue laws, including payment for information and detection 100,000

ORGANIZATION OF THE BUREAU.
I have the honor to recommend that Congress appropriate for the fiscal year ending June 30,1880 , the sum of $\$ 254,330$, as salaries for the following number of officers, clerks, and employés in this bureau:
One Commissioner, at ..... \$6,000
One depuity commissioner, at ..... 3,200
Two heads of division, at ..... 2,500
Five heads of division, at ..... 2,250
One stenographer, at. ..... $\$ 1,800$
Twenty-three clerks, class four, at ..... 1,800
T'wenty-six clerks, class three, at ..... 1, 600
Thirty-six clerks, class two, at ..... 1, 400
Twenty-one clerks, class one, at ..... 1, 200
Thirteen clerks, at ..... 1,000
Fifty clerks, at ..... 900
Four assistant messengers, at ..... 720
Ten laborers, at ..... 660

An aggregate of one luundred and ninety-three persons.
In making this recommendation I would state that it is the same amount that Congress appropriated for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1879; and I find that it will be wholly impracticable to reduce the force in any particular without material injury to the public service.

The force connected with this burean in the various districts throughout the United States is as follows:

One hundred and twenty-six collectors, who receive salaries as follows:

| Twenty-cight | \$4,500 | One | \$3, 250 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| One.: ..... | 4,375 | Ten | 3, 125 |
| Five | 4,250 | Ten. | 3, 000 |
| Four | 4,125 | Seven | 2,875 |
| Two | 4, 000 | Ten | 2,750 |
| Two | 3,875 | Five | 2,625 |
| Three | 3,750 | Sixteen | 2,500 |
| Four | 3,625 | Seven | 2,375 |
| Four | 3,500 | Six | 2, 125 |
| One | 3, 375 |  |  |

There are also employed eight hundred and seven depaty collectors who receive salaries as follows:

| Eleven | 噛2, 000 | Two | \$1,050 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ten | 1,900 | Thirty-four | 1,000 |
| One | 1,850 | Two | 950 |
| Twenty-fire | 1,800 | Twenty | 900 |
| One | 1,750 | Ton | 800 |
| Thirty-five | 1., 700 | Three | 750 |
| Thirty-seven | 1, 600 | Twelve | 700 |
| Seventy-eight | 1,500 | One. | 650 |
| One | 1, 450 | One | 625 |
| Two hundred a | 1, 400 | Twenty-two | 600 |
| One | 1,375 | Seven | 500 |
| Two | 1,350 | Four | 400 |
| One | 1,325 | One. | 360 |
| Fifty-one | 1, 300 | Nine | 300 |
| Nine | 1., 250 | Three | 250 |
| Seventy-eight | 1,200 | One | 240 |
| One.... | 1,175 | Nine | 200 |
| Five | 1,150 | One | 180 |
| Forty-nine | 1, 100 | One | 100 |

Also two hundred clerks, messengers, aud janitors, who receive salaries as follows:


There are also employed 679 gaugers, who receive fees not to exceed $\$ 5$ per diem; 632 storekeepers and gaugers, who receive not to exceed $\$ 4$ per diem; 450 storekeepers, who receive not to exceed $\$ 4$ per diem; and 41 tobacco inspectors, who receive fees to be paid by the manufacturers.

## ACKNOWLEDGMENTS TO OFFICERS.

My acknowledgments are due to the several heads of divisions and their subordinate officers, to the corps of revenue agents, and to the employés of the Internal Revenue Bureau generally for the signal fidelity with which they have discharged the duties imposed upon them; for the watchful zeal they have manifested for the protection of the public interests, and the energy with which they have devoted themselves to the advancement of the public service.

## EXPENSES BY DLSTRICTS.

Allowances to districts for salaries, rents, fuel, and lights-not including advertising, telegraphing, \&c.

| First Alal | \$10,700 | Thirã Michigan | \$9,475 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Second Alabama | 13, 600 | Fourih Michigan | 6, 400 |
| Arizona | 4,975 | Sixth Michigan. | 8, 175 |
| Arkansas | 14,725 | First Minnesota | 8, 350 |
| First California | 38,300 | Second Minuesota | 8,030 |
| Fometh California | 21, 825 | Mississippi | 20,795 |
| Colorado | 9,000 | First Missonri | 29,300 |
| First Commecticut | 10,525 | Second Missouri | 7,905 |
| Second Comnecticut | 11, 600 | Fourth Missouri | 9,575 |
| Dakota | 5, 635 | Fifth Missouri | 9,820 |
| Delawar | 12, 175 | Sixth Missouri | 10,500 |
| Florida | 10,535 | Montana | 8,525 |
| Second Georgia | 27,795 | Neloraska | 11, 175 |
| Third Georgia | 20,595 | Nerada | 7,900 |
| Idaho | 5,805 | New Hampshire | 8,680 |
| First Illinois | 25,940 | First New Jersey | 10,400 |
| Second Itlinois | 7,600 | Third New Jersey | 10,580 |
| Third Illinois | 9,200 | Fifth New Jersey | 24,700 |
| Fourth Illinois | 15,500 | New Mexico | 6,870 |
| Fifth Illinois | 16,650 | Pirst New York | 31, 500 |
| Seventh Illinois | 5, 120 | Second New York | 43, 950 |
| Eighth Illinois | 14, 700 | Third New York | 44,800 |
| Thirteenthi Illinois | 15, 850 | Eleventh New York | -9,300 |
| First Indiana | 9,975 | Twelfth New York | 14,275 |
| Fourth Indiana | 12,390 | Fourteenth New York | 13, 100 |
| Sixth Indiana | 8,800 | - Fifteenth New York | 8, 000 |
| Seventh Indian | 12,025 | Twenty-first New York | 9,950 |
| Tenth Indiana | 8,820 | Twenty-fourth New York | 11, 530 |
| Eleventh Indiana | 6,525 | Twenty-sixth New York.. | 8, 800 |
| Second Iowa | 6,875 | Twenty-eighth New Yorls | 16,075 |
| Third Iowa | 12,425 | Thirtieth New York... | 18,225 |
| Fourth Iowa | 9,875 | Second North Carolina | 14,530 |
| Fifth Iowa | 7,300 | Fourth North Carolina | 24,875 |
| Kansas. | , 725 | Fiftl North Carolina. | 18,700 |
| Second Kentucky | 14, 675 | Sixth Nortli Carolina | 21,785 |
| Fifth Keutucky. | 22,400 | First Ohio | 30, 300 |
| Sixth Kentucky | 15,900 | Third Ohio | 15,700 |
| Seventh Kentucky | 13,825 | Fourth Ohio | 7,825 |
| Eighth Kentucky | 9,000 | Sixth Ohio | 7,740 |
| Ninth Kentucky | 8,565 | Seventh Ohio | 10,575 |
| Louisiana ..... | 28,025 | Tenth Ohio. | 14,010 |
| Maine | 8,775 | Eleventh Ohio | 10,900 |
| Third Maryland. | 36,380 | Fifteenth Ohio. | 8,120 |
| Fourth Maryland | 7,725 | Eighteenth Ohio | 19,500 |
| Third Massachusetts | 20,612 | Oregon | 7,700 |
| Fiftl Massachusetts | 17,950 | First Penusylvania | 50,200 |
| Tenth Massachusetts | 11,250 | Eighth Penusylvania | 13, 800 |
| First Michigan . | 16,575 | Ninth Pennsylvania. | 15, 425 |


| Twelfth Penusylvania | \$14, 437 | Utah | \$6, 18 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fourteeuth Pennsylvania | 9,800 | Vermont | 5,67! |
| Sixteenth Pennsylvania | 10,300 | Second Virginia | 20, 800 |
| Nineteenth Pennsylvania | 6, 400 | Third Virginia. | 19,300 |
| Twentieth Pennsylvania | 7, 440 | Fourth Virginia | 18, 075 |
| Twenty-second Pemnsylvania | 21, 100 | Fitth Virginia | 21,97E |
| Twenty-third Pemsylvania | 13, 175 | Sixth Virgimia | 1.4,000 |
| Rhode lisland.... | 9, 050 | Washington Teritory | 5, 825 |
| South Carolina | 14, 400 | First West Virginia. | 11,725 |
| Second Tennessee | 10,325 | Second West Virginia | 6,30c |
| Fifth Tennessee | 20,710 | First, Wisconsin: | 14, 000 |
| Eighth Temessce | 9,025 | Second Wisconsin | 8,05C |
| First Texas | 16,375 | Third Wisconsin | 10,625 |
| Third Texas | 12, 200 | Sixth Wisconsin | 7,525 |
| Fourth Texas | 10,350 | W yoming | 5,275 |
| Total |  |  | ,764, 509 |
| Additional allowances follows: | have been made in twenty-two districts, as |  |  |
| Second Alabama | \$1,053 26 | Twenty-eighth New York. | \$300 00 |
| First California | 1,000 00 | Fourth North Carolina | 90000 |
| Florida. | 1,464 12 | Finst Ohio | 22500 |
| First Illinois | 37500 | Fonrth Ohio | 54945 |
| Fourth lllinois | 1,050 00 | Tenth Ohio | 10000 |
| Fifth Illinois | 81793 | First Pennsylvania | 15000 |
| Eleventh Indiana | 22500 | Fifth Tennessee. | 1, 54674 |
| Second Kentuclay | 15000 | Second Virginia | 2,690 22 |
| Fifth Kentucky | 30000 | Fourth Virginia | 1, 12500 |
| Third Maryland | 70000 | Fifth Virginia. | 45000 |
| First New York | 70334 | Sixth Virginia | 2250 |
| Total..... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 14, 89750 |  |  |  |

## SALARIES OF COLLECTORS.

The recommendations made for the salaries of collectors for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, were based upon an estimate of their probable collections according to the following scale, with the qualification that if the actual collections should vary from the amounts estimated, the salaries would be readjusted at the end of the fiscal year :
For collection of
$\$ 25,000$ or less ..... $\$ 2,000$
25,000 to $\$ 37,500-\$ 12,500$ ..... 2, 125
37,500 to $50,000-12,500$ ..... 2, 250
50,000 to $\quad 75,000-25,000$ ..... 2,375
75,000 to $100,000-25,000$ ..... 2,500
100,000 to $125,000-25,000$ ..... 2,625
125,000 to $175,000-50,000$ ..... 2,750
175,000 to $225,000-50,000$ ..... 2,875
225,000 to $275,000-50,000$ ..... 3,000
275,000 to $325,000-50,000$ ..... 3, 125
325,000 to $375,000-50,000$ ..... 3, 350
375,000 to $425,000-50,000$ ..... 3, 375
425,000 to $475,000-50,000$ ..... 3,500
475,000 to $550,000-75,000$ ..... 3,625
550,000 to $625,000-75,000$ ..... 3,750
625,000 to $700,000-75,000$ ..... 3,875
700,000 to 775,000-75,000 ..... 4, 000
775,000 to $850,000-75,000$ ..... 4, 125
850,000 to $925,000-75,000$ ..... 4, 850
$9 \% 5,000$ to $1,000,000-75,000$ ..... 4,375
1000,000 and upward ..... 4,500

## DISTILLERIES．

The following statement shows the number of distilleries registered and operated during the fiscal year ended June 30，1878：

| States and Territories． | Grain． |  | Molasses． |  | Fruit． |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 总 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Alabema | 2 | 2 |  |  | 178 | 117 | 180 | 119 |
| Arizona． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas． | 3.5 | 15 |  |  | 22 | ， 20 | 37 | 35 |
| Calitornia | 3 | 2 |  |  | 211 | 201 | 214 | 203 |
| Colonado | 2 |  |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |
| Comnectiont | 4 | 4 |  |  | 100 | 85 | 104 | 89 |
| Dakota．．－ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dėlaware． |  |  |  |  | 55 | 55 | 55 | 55 |
| Floridia． | 1 |  |  |  | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1. |
| Georgia | 24 | 24 |  |  | 927 | 904 | 951 | 028 |
| Idaho．．． | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| Illinois | 35 | 31. |  |  | 46 | 45 | 81 | 76 |
| Indiana | 20 | 20 |  |  | 82 | 82 | 102 | 102 |
| Iowit． | 4 | 4 |  |  | 9 | 9 | 1.3 | 13 |
| Kansas． |  |  |  |  | 4 | 3 | 4 | 3 |
| Kentacky | 200 | 170 |  |  | 379 | 360 | 579 | 530 |
| Louisiana | 3 | 3 |  |  | 8 | 2 | 11 | 5 |
| Maine ． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland．． | 12 | 12 |  |  | 13 | 6 | 25 | 18 |
| Massachusetts | 2 | 2 | 6 | 6 | 27 | 23 | 35 | 31 |
| Michigan．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Minnesota． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mississippi． |  |  |  |  | 17 | 14 | 17 | 14 |
| Missouri ． | 18 | 18 |  |  | 121 | 117 | 139 | 185 |
| Montana Nebraska | 1. | 1 |  |  |  | ． | 1 | 1 |
| Nebraska Nevadia． | 1 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| Now Hampshive． |  |  | 1 | 1 |  |  | 1 | 1 |
| New Jersey ．．．． | 2 | 2 | ．．． | ．．．． | 102 | 72 | 104 | 74 |
| New Mexico． |  |  |  |  | 8 | 8 | 8 | 8 |
| New York． | 7 | 7 |  |  | 69 | 63 | 76 | 70 |
| North Carolina | 97 | 86 |  |  | ］．， 483 | 1， 471 | 1，580 | 1，552 |
| Ohio．．． | 40 | 37 |  |  | 54 | 52 | 94 | 89 |
| Oregon ．．．．． |  |  |  |  | 4 | 4 | 4 | 4 |
| Penisylvania | 65 | 63 |  |  | 15 | 13 | 80 | 76 |
| Rhode Island．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| South Carolina | 6 | 6 |  |  | 134 | 110 | 140 | 116 |
| Tennesseo． | 62 | 53 |  |  | 271 | 263 | 333 | 316 |
| Toxas． | 8 | 6 |  |  | 20 | 18 | 28 | 24 |
| Utall． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vermont |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 8 | 5 |
| Virginia． | 33 | 32 |  |  | 795 | 787 | 828 | 819 |
| Washington |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| West Virginia |  |  |  |  | 143 | 127 | 143 | 127 |
| Wisconsin．．． | 8 | 7 |  |  |  |  | 8 | 7 |
| Wyoming |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| fet Total． | 675 | 608 | 7 | 7 | 5，306 | 5，037 | 5， 988 | 5，652 |

The following statement shows the number of grain and molass distilleries in operation at the beginning of each month during the fise year ended June 30, 1878:

| Months. | Number of distilleries. |  | Capacity of grain distilleries. |  | Capacity of molasses distilleries. |  | Total spix prodnci capacit |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Grain. | Molusses. | Bushels. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Spirits. |  |
| July | 206 | 7 | 39, 926 | 153, 460 | 6, 261 | .5,323 | 158, 7 |
| Augrist | 117 | 6 | 30,078 | 116, 556 | 4, 397 | 3,738 | 120, 6 |
| September | 114 | 5 | 30,882 | 120, 893 | 7,087 | 6, 024 | 126, |
| October. | 136 | 5 | 49,698 | 194, 352 | 5, 000 | 4, 251 | 198, |
| November | 174 | 7 | 53, 568 | 209, 31.2 | 9,590 | 8, 152 | 217, 4 |
| Deccmaber | 224 | 7 | 53, 382 | 206,598 | 8,507 | 7, 433 | 214, |
| January | 268 | 7 | 57, 763. | 223, 555 | 8,915 | 7,578 | 231, $]$ |
| Febrinary | 304 | 7 | 60,313 | 225, 510 | 8,370 | 7, 11.4 | 232,6 |
| March | 336 | 7 | 58,393 | 222, 988 | - 6,210 | 5,277 | 228, 2 |
| April | 358 | 7 | 57, 954 | 221, 726 | 7,468 | 6,348 | 228, 0 |
| May | 354 | 6 | 54, 885 | 209, 405 | 5, 720 | 4, 862 | 214, 2 |
| June. | 291 | 6 | 53, 307 | 206, 402 | 10,395 | 8,835 | 215, 2 |

Statement showing the quantities of grain and other materials used for the production of distilled spivits during the fiscal year ended June 30 , 1878 , by collection distriets.

| $\cdots$ Districts. | Malt. | Wheat. | Barley. | Rye. | Coln. | Oats. | Mill-feed. | Molasses. | Other materials. | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| ALABAMA. <br> Second district | Bushels. 230 | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. 230 | Bushels. $4,103$ | Bushels. | Bushels. | Gallons. | Bushels. | Bushels. 4,563 | Gallons. |
| First district . . . . . . . . . . | 4,519 | 690 |  | 9,760 | 1,232 |  |  |  |  | 16, 201 |  |
| CONSECTICUI. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . |  |  |  |
| First district.. | 1, 224 |  |  | 12, 663 | 15, 111 |  |  |  |  | 28,998 |  |
| Second district . | 988 |  |  | 8, 540 | 7,321 |  |  |  |  | 16, 849 | $\therefore \ldots \ldots$ |
| georgila |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Second district | 3, 682 |  |  | 175 | 22,306 |  |  |  |  | 26, 163 |  |
| Third district. | 59 |  |  | 33 | 456 |  |  |  |  | 548 | --..... |
| illinors. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| First district.. | 121, 328 |  | 415 | 277, 814 | 1,765, 892 | 26,338 |  |  |  | 2, 191, 787 | ............. |
| Second district Third district. | 147 |  |  | 43, 222 4,064 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,504 \\ 294,065 \end{array}$ | - 3 |  |  |  | 2,876 354,133 | ............ |
| Third district Fourth district. |  |  | 17,004 $-\quad 32$ | 43,064 6,557 | $\begin{array}{r} 294,065 \\ 49,250 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  | 354,133 61,340 |  |
| Fifth district . | 5, 192, 247 |  | . 32 | 6,557 234,262 | 49,250 $1,773,509$ | 145 26,018 | 9 |  |  | 61,340 $2,225,806$ |  |
| Eighth district | 135, 257 |  | 666 | 53, 587 | 1,460,785 | 6,893 | 2,277 |  |  | - 5 559, 465 | ……........ |
| Thirteenth district. | 250 | 190 |  | 597 | 2, 700 | 35 |  |  |  | 3,772 | ............ |
| . INDLINA. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| First district | 1, 004 |  |  | - 948 | 10,249 |  | 23 |  |  | 12, 224 |  |
| Fourth district. | 51, 646 | 131 |  | 64, 574 | 621, 637 | 1., 320 | 54, 788 |  |  | 794, 096 |  |
| Sixth district. | 8, 822 |  |  | 7, 236 | 128, 883 | 1., 962 | 10,017 |  |  | 156, 920 |  |
| Seventh district. | 10, 896 |  | 30,161 | 33, 751 | 460, 658 | 2, 964 | 26, 423 |  |  | 564, 853 |  |
| Eleventh district. | 44 |  |  | 173 | 390 |  |  |  |  | 607 | ...-........ |
| IOWA. - |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Third district | 1, 125 |  |  | 2, 248 | 12,750 |  |  |  |  | 16, 123 |  |
| Fourth district. | ${ }^{9}$ |  |  | 704 | 1,692 |  | 56 |  |  | 2, 161 |  |
| Fifth district.. | 2,909 |  |  | 7,429 | 48,648 | 793 |  |  |  | 59, 779 |  |


| - Districts. | Malt. | Wheat. | Barley. | Rye. | Corn. | Oats. | Mill-feed. | Molasses. | Other ma. terials. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| KENTUCKY. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Gallons. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Gallons. |
| Second district | 11,561 |  | 66 | 7,783 | 94, 252 |  | 35 |  |  | 113, 697 | ............ |
| Fifth district | 59, 098 |  |  | 116, 008 | 478, 670 |  |  |  |  | 653, 776 | ............ |
| Sixth district. | 42,528 |  |  | 122, 681 | 468, 902 |  |  |  | 63 | 634, 174 | ---......... |
| Seventh district | 18, 444 |  |  | 78, 631 | 198, 157 |  |  |  |  | 295, 232 | ---......... |
| Eighth district | 7, 230 |  |  | 20, 874 | 41, 309 |  |  |  | ........... | 69, 413 | -........... |
| Ninth district. | 1,176 |  |  | 4,605 | 16,042 |  | 677 | ........... | .......... | 22, 500 | ............. |
| maryland. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Third district. | 12,831 |  |  | 83, 833 | 96,570 | 171 |  |  |  | 193, 405 |  |
| Fourth district | 1;065 |  |  | 14, 018 | 4,820 | 66 |  |  |  | 19,969 | ............ |
| Massachusetts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Third district |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 745,986 $1,183,943$ |  |  | 745,986 1,183943 |
| Tenth district | 951 |  |  | 15,762 | 13,355 |  |  |  |  | 30,068 | 1, 183 |
| missourl. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . |  |
| First district. | 61, 825 |  | 5,807 | 66,366 | 477, 440 | 5,999 | 6,494 |  |  | 623, 931 | - |
| Second district | 159 |  |  | 344 | 1, 616 |  |  |  |  | 2, 119 | . |
| Fourth district | 270 |  |  | 1, 741 | 4,489 |  |  |  |  | 6, 500 | ............ |
| Sixth district. | 374 | 12 |  | 1, 488 | 8,466 |  | 12 |  |  | 10,352 | ............ |
| NEW JERSEY. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Third district | 3,117 |  |  | 9,331 | 18,548 |  |  |  |  | 30,996 | ............. |
| Fifth district. | 5 |  |  | 8 | 14 |  |  |  |  | 27 |  |
| NEW YORK. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| First district . | 36, 257 |  |  | 146,364 | 229, 818 |  |  |  |  | 412, 439 | .............. |
| Twelfth district | 321 |  |  | , 939 | 1, 144 |  |  |  |  | 2,404 | . ......... |
| Twenty fourth district | 8, 198 | 37 | 896 | 12,549 | 79,384 | 3,729 | 147 |  |  | 104, 940 | . ........... |
| Thirtieth district. . | 26, 082 | 238 |  | 50, 846 | 151, 484 |  |  |  |  | 228, 650 | .-........... |
| NORTH CAROLINA. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . |  |  |
| Second district | 76 |  |  | 76 | 724 |  |  |  |  | 876 | -........... |
| Fonethdistrict | 86 |  |  | 92 | 869 |  | 71 |  |  | 1, 118 | - ........... |
| Fifth distirict. | 1, 451 | 735 |  | 1, 426 | 15,161 |  |  |  |  | 18, 773 |  |
| Sixthi clistrictg/. | 3,343 |  |  | 9, 279 | 21, 929 |  |  |  |  | 34, 551 |  |

3,343

First usuric
Third distri
Fourth district Sixth district Seventh distric Tenth district.
Eleventh district
Fifteenth district.
Eighteenth district

## PEnnsylyania.

First district
Eighth district
Ninth district.
Fourteenth district
Sixteenth district
Twentieth district
Twenty-second district
Twenty third district.
TENNESGEE.

Third district
virginia.
Fifth district
Sixth district
WISCONSIN.
First district Third district

150,468
18.042
18,042
5,268 5, 268 10, 27 $\therefore$



Statement showing the quantities of grain and other materials used for the production of distilled spirits during the fiscal year (nded June 30,1878 , by States and Territories.

| States and Territories. | Malt. | Wheat. | Barley. | Rye. | Corn. | Oats. | Mill-feed. | Molasses. | Other materials. | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Gallons. | Bushels. | Bushels. | Gallons. |
| Arkansas | 1, 025 | 14 |  | 2, 603 | 13,512 |  |  |  |  | 17, 154 |  |
| California | 4,519 | 690 |  | 9,760 | 1, 232 |  |  |  |  | 16, 201 |  |
| Commecticut | 2, ${ }^{2,741}$ |  |  | 21, 2008 | 22, ${ }^{22}$, 762 |  |  |  |  | 45, 847 |  |
| Georgia | 3,741 |  |  |  | 22,762 |  |  |  |  | 26,711 2 2 |  |
| Idaho.. | 124 354,346 | 1.90 | 18, 117 | 83 616,103 | 4, 348, 705 | 59, 432 | 2, 2,287 |  |  | 2,794 5, 399,179 |  |
| Indiana | 72, 412 | 131 | 30, 161 | 106, 682 | 1, 221,817 | 6, 246 | 91, 251 |  |  | 1, 528, 700 |  |
| Iowa. | 4,043 |  |  | 10, 081 | 63, 090 | 793 | 56 |  |  | 78,063 |  |
| Kentucky | 140, 037 |  | 66 | 350, 582 | 1, 297, 332 |  | 712 |  | 63 | 1, 788, 792 |  |
| Louisiana | 4, 877 |  |  | 7,581 | 42, 110 | 237 | 435 |  |  | 55, 003 |  |
| Maryland .... | 13, 896 |  |  | 97; 851. | 101,390 | 23 |  | 1, 929, 929 |  | 213, 374 | 1,929, 929 |
| Missouri . ..... | 62,628 | 12 | 5,807 | 69, 939 | 492, 011 | 5,999 | 6,506 | 1, 929, 92 |  | 642, 902 |  |
| Nebraska. | 16, 223 |  | 292 | 21, 088 | 130, 927 | 1,726 | -206 |  |  | 170, 462 |  |
| New Hampshire | 3,122 |  |  | 9,339 | 18,562 |  |  | 59, 796 |  |  | 59,796 |
| New Yock. | 70, 858 | 275 | 896 | 210, 698 | 461, 830 | 3,729 | 147 |  |  | 748, 433 |  |
| North Carolina | 4, 9:56 | 735 |  | 10, 873 | 38, 683 |  | ${ }^{6} 7$ |  |  | 55, 318 |  |
| Ohio. | 200, 260 | 72 |  | 278, 248 | 2, 313, 831 | 2,014 | 159,480 |  |  | 2, 953, 905 |  |
| Pennsylvania | 39, 299 | 1, 073 | 187 | 251, 247 | 103, 783 | 2, 370 |  | *5, 920 | 8 | 397, 967 | 5,920 |
| Sonth Carolina | 359 |  |  | 15.267 | 2, 2950 |  |  |  |  | 3, 216 |  |
| Tennessee | 14, 974 |  |  | 15, 275 | 197, 427 |  | 13, 860 |  |  | 241, 830 |  |
| Texas. | 169 | 105 356 | 86 | 393 | 3, 786 |  | 10 |  |  | 4, 549 |  |
| Virginia. | 2,117 | 356 |  | 17,795 | - ${ }^{33,683}$ |  |  |  |  | 54, 170 170 368 |  |
| Wisconsil | 10, 508 |  |  | 32, 941 | 135, 463 | $1,456$ |  |  |  | 170,368 |  |
| Total | 1, 027, 886 | 3,947 | 55,612 | 2, 156, 832 | 11, 074, 366 | 84, 231 | 277, 607 | 1,995, 645 | 71 | 14, 680, 552 | 1, 995, $645^{\circ}$ |

* This molasses was used in a grain distillery and was mashed with the grain for the sake, as was stated, of the flavor.


## QUANTITY OF SPIRITS RECTIFIED.

The following statement shows the number of proof gallons of spirits rectifled in the United States, by districts and States; during the specialtax year ended April 30, 1878:

|  | States and Territories. | Number of gallons. |  | States and Territories. | Number of gallons. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{array}{r} 1 \\ 1 \\ 4 \\ \ldots \end{array}$ | Alabama. | 29, 783.11 | 1 | New York. | 688, 327.51 |
|  | California. | 1, 577, 591.80 | 2 | ...do | 4, 816, 429.26 |
|  | . do | 136, 117. 02 | 3 |  | 1, $025,889.97$ |
|  | Colorado. | 197. 83 | 11 | do | 1, 160.41 |
| 1 | Commecticat | 17, 994. 58 | 12 | …的do | 191.50 |
| 2 |  | 69, 124. 42 $105,183.20$ | 14 |  | 139, 235.27 |
| 3 | Georgia | $105,183.20$ 99 | 21 | $\cdots$ | $37,083.35$ $38,219.00$ |
|  | İlaho | 14, 061. 92 | 24 | ....do | $38,219.00$ $287,466.55$ |
| 13 | Hlinois | 3, 501, 962.76 | 26 | do | 7, 747.38 |
|  | .....do | 10, 287. 71 | 28 | do | 332, 510.80 |
|  | .....do | 5, 820.79 | 30 |  | 635, 283. 51 |
|  | ......do | 143, 567.23 | 4 | North Carolina | 24, 145. 76 |
|  | do | 105, 890.97 | 6 |  | 16, 667. 60 |
|  | do | 238, 538. 29 | 1 | Ohio | 8, 611, 820.86 |
|  | . do | 32,139. 17 | 3 | . do | 26, 416. 93 |
| 1. | Indiana | 25,178. 37 | 4 | ....do | 19, 075.31 |
| 4 | .- do | 17,809. 61 | 6 | ....do | 3, 950.44 |
| 6 | $\therefore$. do | 1; 800.00 | , | . do | 24,763. 92 |
| 7 | ...do | 42,176. 02 | 10 | . do | 234, 125. 28 |
| 102 | $\cdots$ | 17, 705. 89 | 11 | ...do | 18,735.42 |
|  | Iowa. | 3, 277. 35 | 15 | .-. do | 1, 041. 05 |
| 34 | .....do | 35, 046.78 | 18 | $\therefore$ do | 892, 287. 74 |
|  | ...do | 32, 900. 05 |  | Oregon | 31, 989. 20 |
|  | Kansas | 48, 235.82 | 1 | Pennsylvania | $5,240,967.93$ |
| 2 | Kentucky | 7, 074. 00 | 8 | do | 112, 858. 34 |
| 6 | …..do | 1, $210,0903.54$ | 9 | do | 49,506. 18 |
| 7 | .....d.do | $\stackrel{1}{2,80,} 157.28$ | 14 | ....do | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 87, 431. } 78 \\ 27 \\ \text { 296. } \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
|  | Louisiana | 1, 090, 318.91 | 19 | ..do | 10, 435. 61 |
|  | Marsland | 2, 797, 424.56 | 22 |  | 399, 910. 73 |
| 4 | $\cdots \mathrm{C}$. d o. | 11, 014.08 | 23 | do | 13, 710.85 |
| 3 | Massachusetts. | 1, 290, 982. 97 |  | Rhode Island | 29,537. 30 |
| 5 10 | do | $9,006.97$ <br> 2,138 <br> 13 |  | Terinessee | 2,398.00 |
| 10 | Michigan | 163, 295. 86 | 1 | lexas | $386,231.25$ $53,297.00$ |
|  | Minnesota | 12,511. 54 | 3 | . do | 10, 461.42 |
| 2 | $\ldots$. ${ }^{\text {a }}$ do | 91, 215. 30 |  | Utah | 11, 986. 91 |
|  | Missonri | 2, 786, 084.85 | 2 | Virginia | 214, 662. 13 |
| 4 | do | 3, 984.81 | 3 | $\cdots$...do | 288, 777. 59 |
|  | do | 112, 804. 60 | 5 | do | 1,068: 73 |
|  | Montana | 5,639. 23 | 1 | , | ${ }_{61,096.41}$ |
|  | Nebraska | 83, 988. 43 | 1 | West Virginia | 38, 624.50 |
|  | Nevada | 9, 703.00 | 1 | Wisconsin | 942, 466.71 |
|  | New Jersey. | 7, 824. 84 | 2 | ......do | 23; 765. 36 |
|  | - N -...do | 115, 2759.39 | 3 | .....do | 31, 117. 51 |
|  | New Mexico. | 550.22 |  |  |  |

Number of proof gallons of spirits rectified in each State and Tervitory during the year ended April 30, 1878.

| States and Territories. | Number. .of gallons. | States and Territories.. | Number of gallonṣ. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | 29, 783. 11 | Nebraska | 83, 988.43 |
| California | 1, 713, 708.82 | Nevada | 9,703.00 |
| Colorado | 197.83 | New Jersey | 123, 104. 23 |
| Connecticut | 87, 119.00 | New Mexico | 550.22 |
| Georgia. | 204, 893.75 | New York | 2,139, 444.51 |
| Idaho. | 14, 061.92. | North Carolina | 40, 813. 36 |
| Ilinois | 4, 038, 207.02 | Obio. | 9, 832, 216. 95 |
| Indiana | 104, 669.89 | Oregon | 31, 989.26 |
| Towa.. | 71,224. 18 | Pennsylvania. | $5,942,417.42$ |
| Kansas | 48,235. 82 | Rhode Island. | 29,587.39 |
| Kentucky: | 4, 107, 821.88 | Tennessee | 388, 629. 25 |
| Louisiana | 1,090, 318.91 | Texas | 63, 758. 42 |
| Maryland | 2, 808; 438.64 | Utah | 11,986.91 |
| Massachusetts | 1, 302, 128.07. | Virginia | $565,604.86$ |
| Michigan | $163,295.86$. | West Virginia | 38,624.50 |
| Minnesota | 103,726.84 | Wisconsin. | 997, 409. 58 |
| Missouri | 2, 902, 814. 26 |  |  |
| Montana. | , 5,639.23 | Total | 39, 096, 063.23 |

Note. - It should be understood that in the course of business the same spirits are often rectifed more than once.

## RECEIPTS FROM DISTILLERIES.

The receipts from the various sources connected with distilled spirits for the fiscal years ended June 30,1877 and 1878, were as follows:

| Sources. | Receipts for fiscal year 1877. | Receipts for fiscal year 1878. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Spirits distilled from apples, peaches, or grapes. $\qquad$ | \$1, 373, 25573 | \$992, 63458 |  | \$380, 62115 |
| Spirits distilled from materials other than apples, peaches, or grapes | 51, 298, 03561 | 44, 633, 89848 |  | $6,664,13713$ |
| Wine made in imitation of champagne |  |  |  |  |
| Rectifiers | 219,29179 | 210, 06870 |  | 9,22309 |
| Dealers, retail liquor | 3,840,469 09 | 3, 875,973 26 | \$35, 50417 |  |
| Dealers, wholesale liguo | 449, 79903 | 434, 70835 |  | 15, $020 ; 68$ |
| Manuifacturers of stills | 1,277 18 | 1,068 77 |  | 208.41 |
| Stills or worms maniufactured | 2, 20929 | 1,980 00 |  | 22929 |
| Stämps for distilled spirits intended for export | 4,59860 | 6, 89050 | 2, 29190 |  |
| Stamps, distillery, warehouse | 106, 26340 | 101, 49490 |  | 4,768 50 |
| Stamps, rectifiers | 130, 90350 | 120, 469.00 |  | 10,434 50 |
| Stamps, wholesale liquor dealers'. | 43,396 50 | 41, 02190 |  | 2,374 60 |
| Stamps, special bonded warehouse |  | 29410 | 29410 |  |
| Interest on tax upon spirits |  | 31326 | 31326 |  |
| Total. | 57, 469, 429 72 | 50, 420, 81580 | 38, 40343 | 7,087,017 35 |

## OPERATIONS AT DISTILLERY WAREHOUSES.

The following table shows the quantity of distilled spirits in taxable gallons, at ninety cents per gallon tax, placed in distillery warehouses during the fiscal year ended June 30,1878 , the quantity withdrawn therefrom during the year, and the quantity remaining therein at the beginning and close of the year:

Gallons.
Quantity of distilled spirits remaining in bond JuIy 1, 1877, at 90 cents. ... 13, 258, 794 Quantity of distilled spirits exported and unaccounted for July 1, 1877, at 90 cents.

1,842,431
Quantity of distilled spirits produced from July 1,1877 , to June $30,1878 \ldots 56,103,053$
Total
71, 204, 278

| listilled spirits withdrawn; tax-paid (inc bonds and casualties disallowed) $\qquad$ | $9,573,639$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| listilled spirits exported, proofs of land | 3,364, 616 |
| listilled spirits, allowed for loss by casualty | 34,537 |
| listilled spinits withdrawn for scientific purp |  |
| listilled spirits withdrawn for exportation, proofs of landing not receiv | 3,975, 030 |
| )istilled spinits not actually in warehouse, claimed to have been lost by casinalty |  |
| )istilled spirits actually remaining in warehouse June 30, 1878 | 4,088,773 |
| Tota | 71, 204, 278 |

The quantity of spirits, $14,088,773$ gallons, actually remaining in warecouses June 30,1878 , is the quantity as shown by the original gauge of ach package. Nearly all of these spirits were produced during the sixeen months immediately preceding July 1, 1878.
The following table shows the portion of the spirits actually remainng in warehouse produced each month in each district and the total roduction in each district:

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Table showing by districts the quantity in taxable gallons of spirits in warehouse June 30, 1878, with month of production.

| District. | Prior to March, 1877. | March, 1877. | April, 1877. | May, 1877. | June, 1877. | July, 1877. | August, 1877. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { September, } \\ & 1877 . \end{aligned}$ | October, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Second Alabama. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons.' | Gallons. | Gallons. 172 | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. <br> 42 | - Gallone. |
| Third Arkansas. |  |  |  | 950 | 497 | 165 | 166 | 253 | 420 |
| First California. |  |  |  | 1,345 |  |  |  |  |  |
| First Connecticut. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Second Connecticut |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Second Georgia.. |  | 882 |  |  | 177 | 173 |  | 88 | ............... |
| Third Georgia. . <br> Idaho |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| First Milinois. |  | 4,781 | 1,186 |  |  |  |  | 311 | 360 |
| Second Illinois |  | , 303 | 1,186 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Third Illinois. . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fourth Mlinois |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fifth Illinois |  | 9,845 | 3,569 |  | 1, 796 | 5,330 | 3, 687 |  | 12, 226 |
| Thirteenth Illinois |  |  |  |  | 510 | 4,761 | 850 |  |  |
| First Indiana...... |  | 3,539 | 3,543 |  | 59 | ........... | 293 | 575 |  |
| Fourth Indiana.: Sixth Indiana |  | 9,085 | $\begin{array}{r}65,946 \\ \hline .967\end{array}$ | 59,397 |  | 3,910 |  |  | - 12, 723 |
| Sixth Indiana. . . . Seventh Indiana. |  | 8,-478 | $\begin{array}{r}5,967 \\ \hline 2,099\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  | 1, 019 |  |
| Eleventh Indiana. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,019 |  |
| Third lowa.... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fourth Iowa . : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| SecondKentueky |  | 41, 657 | 100, 428 | 105, 121 | -86,860 | 4,774 | 30 |  |  |
| FifthKentucky.. |  | 292,770 82,394 | 356,340 <br> 189 <br> 109 | 410, 769 145,009 | 220, 387 | 18,930 | - ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | -. 3,976 | 1,826 |
| Sixth Kentiucky ... |  | 82,394 $-165,851$ | 129,509 208,333 | 145,009 197,090 | 100,885 130,218 | 43,327 45,517 | - 13,433 | $\cdots \quad 7,693$ | 5,297 |
| Seventh Kentucky Eighth Kentucky. |  | 165,851 $.14,871$ | 208,333 33,680 | 197,090 34,328 | 130,218 28,629 | 45,517 27,749 | 10,505 5,085 |  |  |
| Ninth Kentacky. |  | 14,81 3,642 | 12,047 | 34, 173 | 28, 260 |  | 5, 085 |  |  |
| Louisiana ...... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Third Maryland |  | 13,475 | 9, 011 | 39, 913 | 28,854 | 25,086 | 20,545 | 36,303 | 13,014 |
| Fourth Maryland. ... |  | 3,531 | 4,014 | 4,994 | 3,698 | 1,858 |  |  |  |
| Fifth Massachusetts. |  |  |  |  | 6, 778 | 3,244 |  |  | 2,244 |
| Teith Massachusetts. |  |  |  |  |  | 88 |  | 23 | 1,490 |
| First Michigan... |  | 896 | 557 | -............ | ----.. |  |  |  |  |
| First Missouri . . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fourth Missouri. |  | 856 | 2,245 | 2,478 | $\cdots 33$ |  |  | 232 | 846 |
| Sixth Missouri |  |  | 5,163 | 7,907 | 5,329 |  |  |  | 716 |
| Nebraska...... |  | 602 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| First New Hampsbire |  |  |  |  |  |  | 256 |  | 515 |
| FTyegty-fourth New York. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Thirtieth Nef York. |  | 3,571 | 2,843 |  |  | , 238 | 5,050 | 1, 961 | 1,312 |



| District. | $\begin{gathered} \text { November, } \\ 1877 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { December, } \\ 1877 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { January, } \\ 1878 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { February, } \\ 1878 . \end{gathered}$ | March, 1878. | April, 1878. | May, 1878. | June, 1878. | Total in wavehouse June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Second Alabama. ...... | Gallons. | Gallons: | Gallons. $84$ | Gallons. | Gallons. 23 | Gallons. 786 | Gallons. $1,571$ | Gallons. $1,007$ | Gallons. $3,685$ |
| Third Arkansas. | 1,362 | 2,187 | - 2,718 | 2,119 | 2,720 | - 3,156 | - 3,615 | - 3,856 | 24, 184 |
| First California. |  |  |  | 121 | 264 | 628 | 1,163 | 02 | 3, 613 |
| First Connectieut |  |  |  | 1,897 | 255 | 2,140 | 2,831 | 4,669 | 11, 792 |
| Second Connecticut |  | 3, 194 |  |  |  | . 382 | 1,144 | 4,544 | 9,264 |
| Second Georgia.. | 46 | 21.4 | 761 | 3,407 | 2,157 | 2,185 | 1, 627 | 2,068 | 13,785 |
| 'Third Georgia |  |  |  |  | 170 | 110 |  |  | ${ }_{5} 323$ |
| Iflaho. |  | 3,872 | 1,799 |  |  |  |  |  | 5, 671 |
| First Illinois | 2,000 | 5, 612 | 2,973 | 3,990 | 33, 550 | 45,934 | 59,091 | 104,024 | 263, 812 |
| Second Illinois |  | 1,170 | 3, 155 | 2,873 | 1,281 |  |  |  | 8,782 |
| Third Illinois. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 18,065 | 18, 065 |
| Fourth Illinois |  |  |  | 409 | 530 |  |  | -17, 803 | 18,742 |
| Fifth Illimois |  | 5, 257. | 8,238 | 8,189 | 11, 690 | 3, 744 | .6,111 | 56,208. | 135, 890 |
| Eighth Mlinois |  | 137 | 370 | 457 |  |  |  | 1, 311 | 2, 275 |
| Thirteenth Illinois |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6, 121 |
| First Indiana. |  | 3,753 | 5,987 | 5,225 | 5,602 | 5,502 | 1,148 |  | 35, 226 |
| Fourth Indiana. | 20, 778 | 19,244 | 73, 855 | 48,043 | 71,596 | … 88, 447 | .81, 233 | 14, 721 | 569, 108 |
| Sixth Indiana |  |  |  | 13, 165 | $\therefore 6,927$ | . . 583 | 1,011. | 676 | 28,329 |
| Seventh Indiana. |  | 18,936 |  | 3, 368 | 52,451 | 40,443 | 24, 225 | - 660 | 151, 679 |
| Eloventh Indiana |  |  | 1,165 | $\bigcirc 361$ |  |  |  |  | 1,526 |
| Third Iowa. |  |  |  |  | 42 |  | 126 | 34 | 202 |
| Fourth Iowa | 821 |  | 1,024 | 1,117 | ... 1, 277 |  |  |  | - . 4,289 |
| Second Kentucky | 125 | 22,769 | 45, 171 | 50, 631 | 60, 233 | 71, 570 | .52, 642 | 29,095 | 67], 106 |
| Fifth Kentucky | 16,141 | 138, 988 | 345,972 | 331; 805 | 390, 700 | 419, 345 | 341,984 | 168,838 | 3,458, 771 |
| Sixth Kentucky | 10,049 | 19,748, | 79.647 | 96, 179 | .124,735 | 145, 315 | 172,465 | 157, 768 | 1,333,453 |
| Seventh Kentucky | 4,810 | 35, 219 | 69,250 | 115, 050 | 180, 791 | 194,996 | 181, 445 | 128, 805 | 1,667,880 |
| Eiglith Kentucky | 1, 090 | 19,431 | 35,812 | 38, 817 | 35,508 | 33, 895 | 32,877 | 9, 888 | 346,655 |
| Ninth Kentucky |  |  |  | 14, 791 | 25,900 | 28,607 | 6,883 | 591 | 92, 894 |
| Louisiana ...... |  |  | -310 |  |  |  |  |  | 317310 |
| Third Maryland | 7,287 | 10,011 | 9,450 | - . . . . 3, 210 | $\therefore 5,212$ | 23, 404 | 59,504 | 43, 021 | 347, 300 |
| Fourth Maryland.. | - 599 | 4, 102 | . 7,061 | $\begin{array}{r}6,061 \\ -5 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}8,841 \\ \hline 9,056\end{array}$ | 10, 199 | 9,502 | 7,890 40508 | 73, 040 |
| Third Massachưsetts | 1,345. | $\bigcirc 763$ |  | $\cdots \quad 5,821$ | $\therefore 19,056$ | 16,539 | 8,564 | 40,508 | 92,596 |
| Fifth Massachusetts | 1,795 <br> $.3,092$ | 13,361 2,609 | 21,693 5,653 | - $\begin{array}{r}\text { 4, } \\ \hline 7,446 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\because$. <br> $.9,093$ <br> 8,239 | a $-\quad 18,455$ $\cdots .000$ | 45,108 8,182 | 54,153 7,800 | 180,570 52,625 |
| First Michigan . . . . | ,3, 0.2 | 2,609 | 5, 653. | 7, 449 | $\cdots 8,239$ | 8, 000 | 8,182 | 7,800 | 52,625 1,493 |
| First Missouri. |  |  |  |  | . - . . . 670 |  |  | 4, 320 | 4,990 |
| Second Missouri |  | 459 | ¢ 683 | . 737 | - 687 | - 655 | 615 | 1784 | ....4, 620 |
| Fourth Missouri | 1, 478 | 1,370 | $\because 621$ | - 532 | - 1,657 | 2,589 | 3,900 | 1,589 | 20, 716 |
| Sixth Missouri | , 2, 957 | 1, 608 | - 1,917 | 1,561 | . 1,405 | 2. 705 | 2,851 | 314 | 34, 433 |
| Nebraska. |  | 8,237 | - 7, 012 | 650 | -7,422 | 9, 344 | - . 11,590 | 13,935 | 58,792 |
| First New Hampshire | .1, 035 | 773 | 1,352 | - 688 | 886 | -876 | 3,618 | 3,469 | 18,470 |
| First New York | -5,007 | - 734 |  |  |  | - 16,194 |  | 11, 883 | 33; 818 , |
| Prentyfourth New York | $\because 7,596$ | 737. | -3, 922 | 4,030 | 5, 153 | ... 4, 239 | ... 3, 743 | 13,083- | - 42,453 |
| Mhirtieth New York | 840. | 7,231 | - 7, 760 | 1,971 | $\therefore \quad 4,220$ | 16,091 | . 908 | 20,116 | 74, 123 |

Statement of the quantity, in taxable gallons, of each kind of spirits as known to the trade deposited in distillery warelouses dur.
ing the year ended June 30, 1878.



Statement of the quantity, in taxable gallons, of each kind of spirits, as known to the trade, withdrawn from distillery warehouses during the year ended June 30, 1878.

| Districts and States. | Bourbon whisky. |  | Rye whisky. |  | Alcohol. |  | Rum. - |  | Gin. | High-wines. |  | Pure, neutral or cologne spirits. |  | Miscella. neous. | Aggregates. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Tax-paid. | Exported. | Tax-paid. | Exported. | Tax-paid. | Exported. | Tax-paid. | Exported. | Tax-paid. | Tax-paid. | Exported. | Tax-paid. | Exported. | Tax-paid. |  |
| 2 Alabama | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. | Gallons. a12, 864 | Gallons. 12, 864 |
| 3 Arkansas. | 32, 154 |  | 6,302 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 38, 456 |
| 1 California. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5,959 | 48,151 | 3,548 |  |  | 6556 | 52,255 175,959 |
| Georgia. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17, |  |  |  |  | c68, 966 | 178,966 |
| Idaho.. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10,560 |  |  |  |  | 10, 560 |
| 1 Illinois |  |  |  |  | 2, 207, 828 | 2, 199, 872 |  |  | 116, 914 | 1, 179, 286 |  | 2, 381, 552 | 77 | d.1,023,576 | 9, 109, 105 |
| 2 Illinois <br> 3 Illinois | 10,609 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10,609 |
| 3 Illinois 4 Illinois | 430 |  |  |  | 859, 389 | 529, 958 |  |  |  | 29,490 240,358 |  |  |  |  | $1,418,837$ 240,788 |
| 5 Illiuois | 178, 476 |  |  |  | 907, 783 | 1, 535, 397 |  |  |  | 6, 127, 239 |  | 9,761 |  |  | 8, 240,788 |
| 7 Illinois | 1,790 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,790 |
| 8 Illinois |  |  |  |  | 427, 460. | 49,884 |  |  |  | 1, 722, 675 |  | 1, 685 |  | b2,351 | 2, 204, 055 |
| 13 Illinois | 17, 893 |  | 807 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 18, 700 |
| 1 Indiana. | 15, 934 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 15,934 |
| . 4 Indiana. | 273, 816 |  | 94,738 |  | 124, 170 | 108, 304 |  | . |  | 1, 315, 061 | ..... | 639, 497 |  | e459, 223 | 3, 014, 809 |
| 6 Indiana. | 3,554 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 598,852 $1.864,108$ |  |  |  |  | 602,406 $1.991,661$ |
| 11 Indiana. | 125,534 2,385 | 2, 019 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1, 864, 108 |  |  |  |  | 1, 991, 2661 |
| 3 Iowa... |  |  |  |  | 16,430 |  |  |  |  | 33, 950 |  |  |  | b5,931 | 56,311 |
| 4 Iowa |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | .... |  |  | b1,496 | 1., 496 |
| 5 Iowa |  |  |  |  | 181, 064 | 39, 780 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 220, 884 |
| 2 Kentucky | 474,583 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | , |  |  |  | 474, 583 |
| 5 Kentucky | 1, 379, 863 | 3,618 | 97,590. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 83, 670 |  | f13, 384 | 1,578, 125 |
| 6 Kentucky | 865, 074 | 2,041 | 21,408 |  | 32, 996 |  |  |  | 2,118 | 27, 174 |  | 1, 106, 254 |  |  | 2, 057,065 |
| 7 Kentucky | 733,578 | 8,584 | 85, 640 | 6, 278 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 834, 080 |
| 8 Kentucky | 133, 129 |  | 6,976 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 140, 105 |
| 9 Kentucky | 53, 459 |  | 298 |  |  | ..... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 53, 757 |
| Louisiana...... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 192, 693 |  |  |  |  | 192, 693 |
| 3 Massachusetts |  |  | 212, 104 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 33,623 | 2, 200 | 364, 233 | 2, 092 |  | 614, 252 |
| 3 Massachusetts . | S |  |  |  |  |  | 424, 877 | 145, 233 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 570,110 $1,064,071$ |
| 10 Massachusetts. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 612, 53 | 72,006 |  |  |  |  |  | 1, 72,006 |
| 1 Michigan.. |  |  | 5,498 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 857 |  |  | 6,355 |
| 1 Missouri. | 15,295 |  | . 47 |  | 210, 681. | 60,577 |  |  | 1,247 | 1, 264, 279 |  | 728, 427 |  | g26, 383 | 2, 306, 986 |
| 2 Missouri. | 2, 638 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | h45 | 15, 243 |
| 4 Missouri. | 14,465 |  | 733 96 | ............ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | h40 | 15,243 27,806 |
| RA Nebraska.......... | 16,176 |  | 4,772 |  | 238,788 | 5,986 |  |  | 1,256 |  |  | -390,668 | 1,055 |  | 658, 701 |


| New Hampshire |  |  |  |  |  |  | 48,687 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 48,687 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3 New Jersey .... |  |  | 60, 710 |  |  |  |  |  | 21, 074 | 31, 075 |  |  |  |  | 112, 859 |
| 1 New York. | 15, 935 | -1,249 |  |  | 131, 917 | - 3,782 |  |  | 3,006 | 210, 041 |  | 1,106, 756 |  | h6, 226 | 1,478, 912 |
| 12 New York.: |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8,797 |  |  |  |  | 8,797 |
| 24 New York: |  |  | 892 |  | 56,660 |  |  |  |  | 6,975 |  | 276, 178 |  | i4, 778 | 345, 483 |
| 30 New York. | 3,791 |  | 29,674 |  | 20,065 |  |  |  |  | 373, 853 |  | 299, 379 |  |  | 726, 762 |
| 2 North Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b2,096 | 2,096 |
| 4 North Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b1,729 | 1, 729 |
| 5 North Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b29,808 | 29,808 |
| 6 North Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b70, 022 | 70, 022 |
| 1 Ohio. | 350; 334 |  | 13, 583 |  | 106, 047 | 164, 143 |  |  |  | 2, 576, 271 |  | 3, 735, 733 |  | j1,472,901 | 8, 419, 012 |
| 3 Ohio | 288, 756 |  | 10,697 |  | 13, 098 |  |  |  |  | 4.21, 467 |  | 51, 636 |  |  | 785, 654 |
| 4 Ohio | 14, 108 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 298, 343 |  |  |  |  | 312, 651 |
| 6 Ohio . | 129,375 | 2,477 | 36, 402 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 202, 041 |  |  |  | k53,710 | 424, 005 |
| 7 10 10 | 2,433 |  | 6, $\begin{array}{r}69 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 16,470 |  |  |  |  | 144, 125 |  | 4, 475 |  |  | 171, 2,898 |
| 11 Ohio. | 2,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 754, 007 |  |  |  |  | 756, 007 |
| 15 Ohio. | 9,245 |  | 7,605 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 16, 850 |
| 18 Ohio.. | 3,339 |  | 13,935 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 17, 274 |
| 1 Pennsylvania |  |  | 158, 177 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 153, 177 |
| 8 Penmsylvania |  |  | 8,718 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 24,394 |  |  |  | $h 201$ | 33, 313 |
| 9 Pennsylvania. 12 Pennsylvania. |  |  | 94,128 1,458 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2, 612 |  |  |  |  | 94,128 4,070 |
| 14 Pennsylvania. |  |  | 49,140 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 49, 140 |
| 16 Pennsylvania. |  |  | 78, 200 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 78, 200 |
| 20 Pennsylvania. |  |  | 400 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 400 |
| 22 Pennsylvania. |  |  | 602, 391 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 602, 391 |
| 23 Pemmsylvania. |  |  | 119, 480 | 8,564 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 176, 029 | 204, 073 |
| Sonth Carolina |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b7, 129 | 7,129 |
| Tennessee | 5,622 |  | 7, 895 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b547, 508 | 560, 985 |
| 3 Texas 3 Virgia | 1,788 |  | 1 312 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | . $m 5,528$ | 7, 628 |
| 3 Virginia |  |  | 1,063 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 111,365 | 1., 11, 165 |
| 6 Virginia |  |  | 119,979 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | b465 | 120,444 |
| Wisconsin |  |  | 965 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 714, 923 |  |  |  |  | 715, 888 |
| Total. | $5,205,271$ | 19, 988 | $1,954,676$ | 14,842 | 5, 550, 846 | 4, 697, 683 | 925, 101 | 757,767 | 393, 580 | $20,456,623$ | 5,748 | 11,180,761 | 3,224 | 3, 904, 270 | 55, 070, 380 |
| Lost by casualty ... <br> For scientific pur- | $3,350$ |  | $21,171$ |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1,147$ |  | $6$ |  | 4, 474 | 30, 148 |
| poses |  |  |  |  | 5,525 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5,525 |
| Total. | 5, 208, 621 | 19,988 | 1, 975, 847 | 14,842 | 5, 556, 371 | 4, 697, 683 | 925, 101 | 757, 767 | 393, 580 | 20,457,770 | 5,748 | 11,180,767 | 3,224 | 3, 908, 744 | 55, 106, 053 |
| a Pure corn whisky. <br> $b$ Corn whisky. <br> c Com whisky and sweet potato brandy. <br> d Whisky, wheat whisky, and proof spirits. |  |  |  | e French cologne and rectificd spirits and corn whisky. <br> $f$ Rectified and malt whiskies. <br> $g W$ hite corn and wheat whiskies. <br> $h$ Wheat whisky. <br> $i$ Malt; wheat, and common whiskies. |  |  |  |  |  |  | ```j Rectified corn and malt whiskies and whisky. k French spirits. l Corn and rye whisky. m}\mathrm{ Wheat and com whisky.``` |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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Note.-1,125 gallons reported as alcolhol withdrawn for export by first district of Illinois was corn whisky.

Statement of the quantity，in taxable gallons，of each kind of spirits as known to the trade remaining in distillery warehouses June 30， 1878.

| －District and Şitate． |  | 是 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { oin } \\ & \text { oid } \\ & \text { did } \end{aligned}$ | 豆 | 易 |  |  |  |  | Specific kinds of spirits reported in miscellaneons column． |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Gallons． | Gallons． | Gallons． | Gallons． | Galls． | Gallons． | Gallons． | Gallons． | Gallons． |  |
| 3 Arkansas． |  | 2 |  |  |  |  |  | 3，685 | 3， 685 24,184 | Pure corn whisky． |
| 1 Califorvia．．． |  |  |  |  |  | 1，345 |  | 2，268 | 3，613 | Corn whisky． |
| Connecticut |  |  |  |  | 21，050 |  |  |  | 21， 050 |  |
| Georgia．．． |  |  |  |  | 21，056 |  |  | 14，108 | 14， 108 | Corn whisky and sweet potato brandy． |
| 1 Idaho．．． |  |  | 26， 849 |  | 1，332 | 5， 671 | 4，485 | 221， 873 | 5,671 263,812 | Whisky，wheat whisky，and proof spirits． |
| 2 Illinois． | 8，782 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 8，782 |  |
| .3 Illinois <br> 4 Illinois |  |  | 18， 065 |  |  |  |  |  | 18， 065 |  |
| 4 Illinois．． | 18,742 84,474 |  | 13，378 |  |  | 38， 038 |  |  | 18,742 135,890 |  |
| 8 Illimois． |  |  |  |  |  | 1，311 |  | 964 | 2， 275 | Corn whisky． |
| 13 Illinnois． | 5，941 | 180 |  | ．．．． |  |  |  |  | 6， 121 |  |
| 1 Indiana． | － 35,226 274,303 | 234， 145 |  |  |  | 16,207 | 31， 080 | 13，373 | 35,226 569,108 | French spirits，cologne，hourbon，corn whisky，and rec． |
| 6 Indiana． | 28，329 | 231，145 |  |  |  | 16，207 | 31，080 |  | 28， 329 | French spirits，cologne，hourbon，corn whisky，and rec titied spinits． |
| 7 Indiana | 148， 354 |  |  |  |  | 3，325 |  |  | 151， 679 |  |
| 11 Indiana ．．．．．．．． | 1，250 | 276 | 126 |  |  | 34 |  |  | 1， 526 |  |
| 4 Iowat． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4，239 | 4，239 | Proof spirits． Corn whisky． |
| 2 Kentucky． | 671， 106 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 671， 106 |  |
| 5 Kentucky．．．．．．．．． | 3，156， 241 | 278， 249 |  |  | ．．．． |  | 6，560 | 17，721 | 3，458， 771 | Malt whisky． |
| 6 Kentucky．．．．．．．． | 1，172， 082 | 106，224 | 277 |  |  |  | 54，870 | ．．．．．．．．．．． | 1，333， 453 |  |
| 8 Kentucky． | 1，491， 285,454 | 176， 61,201 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $1,607,880$ 346,655 |  |
| 9 Kentucky． | 86， 916 | 5，978 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 92， 894 |  |
| Louisiana |  |  |  |  |  | 310 |  |  | 310 |  |
| 3 Massachusetts． |  | 407， 159 |  | 92，596 |  | 614 | 12，567 | ．．．．．．．．． | 420， 340 |  |
| 5 Massachusetts． |  |  |  | 180， 570 |  |  |  |  | 180， 570 |  |
| 10 Massachusetts． |  |  |  |  | 52， 625 |  |  |  | 52，625 |  |
| 1 Michigan |  | 1，453 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1，453 |  |
| － 2 Missouri． |  |  | 807 |  |  | 2，303 | 1， 880 | ．．．．．．．．． | 4，990 |  |
|  | 19， 729 | 987 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20，716 |  |
| tp：／／fraser．stldu Missourig／ | 33,730 | 703 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 34， 433 |  |



In these tables and in others to be found in this report relative to the different kinds of spirits, separate columns are provided for bourbon whisky, rye whisky, alcohol, rum, giu, high wines and pure, neutral or cologne spirits; all other kinds of spirits are reported in a column headed "Miscellaneous." . In many instances, however, the particular kind of spirits reported on a given line in the miscellaneons column is stated on the same line in the last column of the table. The information as to the different kinds of spirits produced, \&c., in each district is embodied in these tables as furnished to this office by the collectors of their respective districts, and must be understood as indicating the lind of spirits known to the distillers in the producing districts ; for instance, the tables show that bourbon whisky was produced in Arkansas, Illinois, Indiana, Nebraska, New York, Ohio, and Texas, as well as in Kentucky. It is, however, believed that by taling into account the fact that the names given in the tables are those by which the spirits are known at the place of production, the trade in general will not be deceived by any unusual classifications made in certain localities.

It appears from the foregoing tables that of the forty-nine and onehalf million gallons withdrawn from distillery warehouses for domestic use during the year, nearly thirty-seven million gallons were comprised in the three varieties of "high wines," "pure, neutral or cologne spirits," and "alcohol," the approximate quantity of each of these varieties being as follows:
"High wines," over $20,000,000$ gallons; "pure spirits," over $11,000,000$ gallons; "alcohol," over 5,500,000 gallons.

The quantity of "bourbon whisky" placed upon the market exceeded fire million gallons, the quantity of "rye whisky" so disposed of did not quite reach two million gallons, and the quantity of other "whiskies," such as "corn whisky'," "wheat whisky," " malt whisky," "corn and rye whisky," \&c., reported in miscellaneous column in tables, exceeded two million gallons, the other varieties reported in this column swelling the amount of "miscellaneons" to nearly four million gallons.

The quantity of "rum" withdrawn from warehouse for consumption was less than four hundred thousand gallons. Of the five and one-half million gallons withdrawn from warehouse for exportation, more than four and one-half million gallons were "alcohol," and over seven hundred and fifty thousand gallons were "rum," the small balance being made up of "bourbon whisky" (about 20,000 gallons), "rye whisky" (about 15,000 gallons), " high wines" (less than 6,000 gallons), and "cologne spirits" (3,224 gallons).
the extension of the bonded period.
Under the provisions of a joint resolution of Congress approved March 28, 1878, the time during which distilled spirits entered into distillery warehouses under the provisions of section 3293 of the Revised Statutes was extended to three years. This extension was made to apply to spirits theretofore entered for deposit and required to be withdrawn from the warehouse within one year prior to the passage of the resolution, as well as to all spirits thereafter entered for deposit into distillery warehouses, provided that certain conditions securing an extension of the obligation on the old bond or the tiling of additional bonds with new sureties and upon payment of interest at the rate of five per centum per annum on the tax on all spirits remaining in warehouse more than one year are complied with.

The spirits reported in a foregoing table as actually remaining in ware-
house Jume 30，1878，and as produced in March，April，and May，1877， remain in warehouse in conformity with this joint resolution of March 25,1878 ，as follows：

|  | Gallons． |
| :---: | :---: |
| March， 1877. | 795，988 |
| April， 1877 | 1，095，605 |
| May， 1877. | 1，154，669 |
| Total | 3，046，262 |

It will be observed that the bulk of these spirits were in warehouses located in Kentucky；as follows：March，1877，601，185 gallons；April， 1877，840，337 gallons；May，1877，892，490 gallons；total，2，334，012 gallons．

By reference to the tables in this report it will be seen that the larger portion of the spirits in warehouse June 30,1878 ，of the product of March， April，and May，1877，was of the kind known generally as whisky； bourbon whisky and rye whisky predominating．Only a small quantity of spirits in warehouse more than one year appears to have been with－ drawn；the interest collected thereon amounted to $\$ 313.26$ ．Since June 30,1878 ，the collections hare been much larger；the interest collected in the fifth district of Kentucky for September，1878，alone，amounting to nearly two thousand dollars．

## SPIRITS WITHDRAWN FOR EXPOR＇．

The following table shows the quantity of spirits withdrawn from ware－ house for exportation．

Statement by districts and in taxable gallons of the quantity of the different linds of spirits as known to the trade，and of the total quantity withdrancon． for export during the fiscal year ended June 30， 1878.

| Districts． |  | Rye whisky. | 8 8 0 8 8 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { - } \\ & \text { 析 } \\ & \text { 合 } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{0} \\ & \text { 品 } \\ & \text { B0 } \\ & \text { 華 } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| － | Gallons． | Gallons． | Gald | Gallons． | Gallons． | Gallons |  |  |
| 1 California |  |  |  |  |  | 3，548 |  | 3，548 |
| 1 Illinois |  |  | 1，125 | 2，198， 747 |  |  | 77 | 2，199，949 |
| 3 Illinois |  |  |  | －529， 958 |  |  |  | ＇529，958 |
| 5 Itlinois |  |  |  | 1，535， 397 |  |  |  | 1，535， 397 |
| 8 Ilimois |  |  |  | 49，884 |  |  |  | 49，884 |
| 4 Indiana |  |  |  | 108， 304 |  |  |  | 108， 304 |
| 7 Indiana | 2， 019 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2，019 |
| 5 Iowa． |  |  |  | 39，780 |  |  |  | 39，780 |
| 5 Kentucky | 3，618 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 3，618 |
| 6 Kentucky | 2，041 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2， 014 |
| 7 Kentucky | 8，584 | 6，278 |  |  |  |  |  | 14，862 |
| 3 Maryland |  |  |  |  |  | 2， 200 | 2，092 | 4，292． |
| 3 Massachusetts |  |  |  |  | 145， 238 |  |  | 145， 233 |
| 5 Massaclusetts |  |  |  |  | 612， 534 |  |  | 612， 534 |
| 1 Missonni |  |  |  | 60， 577 |  |  |  | 60，577 |
| Nebraska |  |  |  | 5，986 |  |  | 1，055 | 7，041 |
| 1 New York | 1，249 |  |  | 3，782 |  |  |  | 5， 031 |
| 1 Ohio |  |  |  | 164， 143 |  |  |  | 164， 143 |
| 6 Othio | 2，477 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2， 477 |
| 23 Pemmsytvania |  | 8，564 |  |  |  |  |  | 8， 504 |
| Total． | 19，988 | 14，842 | 1，125 | ．4，696，558 | 757， 767 | 5，748 | 3，224 | 5,4909252 |

## SPIRITS NOT IN WAREHOUSE.

The following is a statement by districts of the quantity at ninety cents ( 162,158 gallons), not actually in warehouse, and unaccounted for:

| Districts. | Gallons. | Remarks. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Second Alabama | 286 | Seized May, 1878, placed in hands of S. A. Porter by United States marshal, and stolen from Porter in October, 1877. |
| Third Arkansas | 153 | 129 gallons of this quantity lost in April and May, 1878, and tax assessed on April and May, 1878, lists, and 24 gallons lost June, 1878, and assessed on Jume, 1878 , list. |
| Second Georgia | 1,887 | Bonds in suit. |
| First Illinois. | 36,930 | Forfeited and sold by United States marshal. Bonds in suit. |
| Second Kentucky | 30, 877 | Bonds in suit. |
| Fifth Kentucky. | 2,316 | Seized July 10, 1877, for violations of internal revenue laws, and in hands of United States marshal. |
| First Missouri | 74,806 | Seized, forfoited, and sold by United States marshal for fraud. |
| Second Missourd | 191 | Destroyed by fire May, 1878. |
| Sixth Missouri. | 217 | Lost by casualty. Claim pending. |
| Twelfth New York | 1, 577 | Destroyed by fire. Claim for abatement pending. |
| Sixth North Carolina | 2,955 | 1,599 gallons claimed lost by easualty, and 1,356 gallons lost by leakage. Part assessed, and suits pending for part. |
| Sixth Ohio. | 27 | Lost by leakage June, 1878. |
| Tenth Olic | 20 | Lost on reganging. |
| Second Tennessee | 793 | Clam for abatoment pending. |
| Fifth Tenuessee | 948 | Part seized for violation of law, and part destroyed by fire. |
| Thind Texas | 564 | 238 gallons destroyed by fire, and 326 gallons stolen. |
| Fifth Virginia | 1,312 | 21 gallons stolens. Suits pending on 1,291 gallons. |
| Sixth Virginia | 6, 299 | 279 gallons assessed; 295 gallons stolen and assessed. Claim for abatement pending on 5,725 gallons. |
| Total | 162, 158 | - . |

## MOVEMENTS OF SPIRITS FOR THREE YEARS.

The following table shows the stock on hand, production, and movement of spirits for the fiscal years 1876, 1877, and 1878:


## OPERATIONS AT DIS'TILLERY WAREHOUSES DURING TFE FIRST FOUR MONTHS OF THE PRESENT FISCAL MEAR.

The following tables show as to operations at distillery warehouses during the months of July, August, September, and October, 1878, (1) by districts and in aggregate, the quantity of spirits produced and placed in said warehouses, the quantity withdrawn and the amount of tax
paid during said months; (2) a statement, by districts and different kinds, of the quantity of spirits withdrawn for export during said months; (3) a comparative statement of the quantities of spirits withdrawn for export during said months of the years 1877 and 1878 ; (4) a comparative statement of the quantities of spirits produced, withdrawn tax-paid and for export from distillery warehouses, and the amount of tax paid on the spirits during said months in the years 1875, 1876, 1877, and 1878; (5) a statement of the quantity of each of the different kinds of tax-paid spirits as known to the trade and the aggregate of all kinds lield by wholesale liquor dealers and rectifiers October 1, 1878; and by districts of the quantity of tax-paid spirits held by wholesale liquor dealers and rectifiers Jannary 1, 1878. of July，August，September，and October， 1878.

| Districts． | July， 1878. |  |  | August， 1878. |  |  | September， 1878. |  |  | October， 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 易 总 |  | 要 品 R． |  |  | B 0 0 0 0 |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 薦 } \\ & \text { 关 } \\ & \text { Hi } \end{aligned}$ | 皆 | 害 |  |
| cond Alab | Gallons： | Gallons． | \＄328 50 | Gallons． | $\dot{\text { Gallons．}}$ 124 | \＄111 60 | Gallons． | Gallons． | \＄457 20 | Gallons． | Gallons． |  |
| Arkansas | 2， 262 | 2，990 | 2，691 00 | 858 | 3， 018 | 2，71．620 | 783 | 2，475 | 2，22750 | 1，987 | 3，791 | 3，411 90 |
| First California | 6，479 | 7，086 | 6，377 40 | 5，415 | 5，515 | 4，963 50 | 5，441 | 4，750． | 4，275 00 | 5，985 | 6， 705 | 6， 03450 |
| Colorado | 352 |  |  | 387 | 221 | 19890 |  |  |  | 434 | 219 | 19710 |
| First Connecticat | 4，451 | 7，120 | 6， 40800 | 3，717 | 5，499 | 4， 94910 | 3， 372 | 7， 378 | 6,64020 | 5，673 | 4， 864 | 4，377 60 |
| Second Connecticut | 4，961 | 6， 119 | 5，507 10 | 4，966 | 5,736 <br> 3,422 | 5,15340 307980 | 4,349 <br> 1,924 | 5,115 4,767 | 4,60350 4,29030 | 4,816 6,681 | 4，588 | 4，129 20 |
| Second Georgia． | 3， 051 | 4,497 20 | $\begin{array}{r}4,047 \\ 180 \\ \hline 00\end{array}$ | 545 | 3， 422 | 3， 07980 | 1，924 | 4，767 | 4， 29030 | 6，681 | 8,098 | 7， 28820 |
| Idaho Georgia |  | 937 | 84330 |  | 1，116 | 1， 00440 |  | ${ }_{863}^{11.0}$ | 77670 |  | 993 | ${ }_{8} 83370$ |
| First Illinois | 801， 484 | 560， 397 | 504， 35730 | 795， 180 | 552， 284 | 497， 05550 | 886， 479 | 622， 686 | 560， 41740 | 1， 055,965 | 720， 010 | 648， 00900 |
| Second Illinois |  | 1，221 | 1， 0989 |  | ${ }^{602}$ | 54180 |  | 876 | 78840 |  | ${ }^{676}$ | 60840 |
| Third Mlinois． | 125， 602 | 84， 746 | 76， 27140 |  | 56， 571 | 50， 91390 | 103， 878 | 67， 535 | 60,78150 | 162， 997 | 70，956 | 63， 86040 |
| Fourth Tlinois |  | 41 | 3690 | 6， 897 | 6， 361 | 5， 72490 | 20， 803 | 19， 400 | 17， 46000 | 24， 437 | 26， 313 | 23， 68170 |
| Fifth Illinois． | 1，008， 238 | 727，965 | 655， 16850 | 921， 995 | 688， 601 | 61．9， 74090 | 1，1．29， 211 | 715， 013 | 643， 511.70 | 1，329，729 | 928， 611 | 835， 74990 |
| Eighth Illinois．．． | 116， 638 | 108， 793 | 97， 91370 | 93， 247 | 100， 021 | 90， 018.90 | 137， 306 | 122， 607 | 110， 34630 | 229，685 | 218， 341 | 196， 50690 |
| Tirst Indiana ．．．． |  | 4808 | 72720 |  | 2，663 | 2， 296800 |  | 1， 267 | 1， 14030 |  | 3，747 | 3，372 30 |
| Fourth Indiana | 205，349 | 205， 299 | 184，769 10 | 206， 049 | 229， 486 | 206， 53740 | 219， 245 | 223， 61.4 | 201， 25260 | 269， 893 | 304， 836 | 274， 35240 |
| Sixth Indiama．． | $\begin{array}{r}51,154 \\ \hline 182,928\end{array}$ | 5 52,252 | $\begin{array}{r}47,02680 \\ 137 \\ \hline 900\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}36,424 \\ 157,352 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 36,680 195， 140 | $\begin{array}{r}33,01200 \\ 175,626 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 46,456 253,511 | 47， 814 | $\begin{array}{r}43,03260 \\ 237 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 52,855 230,074 | － 52,945 | 47,65050 199 76310 |
| Seventh Indiana | 182， 928 | 153， 100 | 137,79000 11374 40 | 157， 352 | 195， 140 | 175， 622600 | 253， 511 | 263， 693 | $\begin{array}{r} 237,32370 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | 230， 074 | 221， 959 | 199， 76310 9450 |
| Third Iowa | 4，880 | 4，997 | 4，49730 | 4，801 | 4，717 | 4， 245 30 | 4， 323 | 4,300 | 3，870 00 | 4， 866 | 4，743 | 4，26870 |
| Second Kentucky | 9，313 | 31，706 | 28，535 40 |  | 59， 082 | 53， 17380 | 2，179 | 40， 321 | 36， 28890 | 14， 293 | 39， 491 | 35，54190 |
| Fifth Kentucky． | 48， 914 | 62， 474 | 56， 22660 | 9，176 | 69， 783 | 62， 80470 | 39， 293 | 133， 613 | 120， 25178 | 63， 919 | 155， 902 | 140， 31180 |
| Sixth Kentucky． | 150， 374 | 140， 544 | 126，489 60 | 154， 355 | 195,590 50 | 176，031 40 | 148， 656 | 207， 84 | 187，0．57 80 | 189， 537 | 253， 185 | 227， 86650 |
| Serenth Kenturky | $\begin{array}{r}57,644 \\ \hline 461\end{array}$ | 45,824 88 8 | $\begin{array}{r}41,24160 \\ 7,861 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 47 | 50,264 14,455 | 45,23760 13,00950 |  | 51,976 9 965 | 40,77840 8,42850 | 3， 052 | 87,772 13,057 | 78,99480 11,75130 |
| Ninth Kentucky． | 136 | 3，240 | 2，916 00 |  | 3， 456 | 3，110 40 |  | 6， 079 | 5，471 10 |  | 7， 006 | 6， 30540 |
| Touisiana，．．．．．．． | 63，499 | 29， 256 | 26，330 40 | 61，346 | 48，192 | 43，372 80 | 71，905 | 52，690 | 47， 42100 | 83， 255 | 63， 902 | 57， 51.180 |
| Fourth Maryland | 3， 479 | 2， 881 | 2， 59290 |  | 3，667 | 3，300 30 | 1，387 | 1，723 | J． 5500 | 2， 231 | 1， 797 | 1， 61730 |
| ${ }^{\text {The }}$＇hird Massachusetts | 57，951 | 36， 265 | 32， 638850 | 62， 031 | 33， 394 | 30， 23460 | 72， 098 | ${ }_{517}^{41,770}$ | 37， 59300 | 51， 242 | 32，892 | 29， 610280 |
| Fifth Massachusetts． | 110， 2211 | 40,266 9 9 152 | 36,23940 8,23680 |  | 49,941 7,915 | 44,94690 7,12350 | 159,515 5,248 | 51,602 10,606 | $46,441.80$ 9,545 | 183,391 5,409 |  | $\begin{array}{r}60,19290 \\ 7,591 \\ \hline 00\end{array}$ |
| F Thenth Massachusetts | 6， 941 | 9， 152 | 8，236 80 | 5， 328 | 7，915 | 7， 12350 | 5，248 | 10，606 | 9， 34540 | 5，409 |  | 7，59150 |
| tlaristemissour | 205， 662 | 157， 696 | 141， 92640 | 220， 490 | 138，562 | 124， 70580 | 202，807 | 132，492 | 119，242 80 | 249，838 | 243，700 | 21．9， 33000 |



Statenent by districts of the quantity, in taxable gallons, and different lainds of spivits withdrawn for export during the four montles ended November 1, 1878.

| Districts. |  | O <br> 0 <br> 0 <br> 4 | 第 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First Tllinois | Gallons. | Gallons. <br> 1, 043, 680 | Gallons. | Gallons. |
| Third Illinois. |  | 1, 98, 711 |  |  |
| Fifth Dlinois. |  | 1, 334,489 |  |  |
| Fourth Indiana.. |  | 52,352 |  |  |
| Fifth Kentucky . | 1, 064 |  |  |  |
| Sixth Kentucky ... |  |  |  | 1,276 |
| Seventh Kentucky | 1,096 |  |  |  |
| Eighth Kentucky | 1, 053 |  |  |  |
| Third Massachnsetts |  |  | 147, 642 |  |
| Fifth Massachusetts . |  |  | 357, 900 | $\ldots$ |
| First Missouri. |  | 200, 494 |  |  |
| First New York. |  | 7, 886 |  |  |
| First Ohio. | 1,076 | 52,830 |  |  |
| Total. | 5,506 | 2, 790,442 | 505, 542 | 1,276 |

Statement by districts of the quantity, in taxable gallons, of spivits withdrawn for expont during the four months ended November 1, 1877, and November 1, 1878.

|  | Districts. | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Gallons. | Gallons. |
| First Illinois |  | 165, 376 | 1, 043, 680 |
| ${ }_{\text {Third }}$ Fifth Illinois. |  | 43, 088 | 98, 711 |
| Fifth Ilinois ... |  | 218, 411 | 1,334, 489 |
| Fourth Indiaua. |  | 6,327 | 52, 35 |
| Sixth Kentucky |  | 1, 022 | 2, 493 |
| Seventh Kentucky |  |  | 1,096 |
| Eighth Kentucky |  |  | 1,053 |
| Third Maryland |  | 7,687 |  |
| Third Massachusetts |  | 26, 233 | 147, 642 |
| Fifth Massachusetts. |  | 289, 365 | 357, 900 |
| First Missouri |  |  | 200, 494 |
| Nebraska. |  | 5,980 |  |
| - First New York |  |  | 7,886 |
| First Oluio |  | 21., 497 | 53,906 |
| Sixth Ohio |  | 2,479 |  |
| Total. |  | 787, 471 | 3, 302, 766 |

Statement of the quantity of spinits, in taxable gallons, produced and withudravon, tax-paid, and for export, from distillery voarehouses, with the amount of tax paid on the spirits withdrawn, during the months of July, August, September, and October, 1875, 1876, 1877, and 1878.

| Years. | Rate of tax. | Produced. | Withdrawn tax. paid. | Withdrawn for export. | Amonnt of tax paid. | Remaining in warehouse November of each year. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\$ 090$70909090 | Gallons. $14,439,566$ | Gallons. ${ }_{\text {17, }}$ | Gallons. 390, 622 | , 310, 878 | Gallons. |
| 1875 |  |  | 1, 399, 902 |  | 979, 91340 | 2, 741, 981 |
| 1876 |  | 16, 818, 126 | 18,793, 515 | 104, 119 | 16, 914, 16350 | 10, 720, 776 |
| 1877 |  | 15, 145, 444 | 17, 618, 060 | 787, 471 | 15, 856, 25400 | 9, 998,707 |
| 1878 |  | 19, 046, 600 | 17, 328, 209 | 3, 302, 766 | 1.5, 595, 38810 | 15, 807, 1.64 |

Statement of the quantity，in taxable gallons，of tax－paid spirits held by wholesale liquor dealers and rectifiers，January 1 and October 1， 1878.

|  | $\underset{\sim}{\infty}$ | Statement of different kinds and total held October 1， 1878. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Gallons of spirits of foreign product in－ cluded． |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | All Kinds，Jannary |  | 8 0 0 0 |  | 号 | 这 |  |  |  |  | 至 | 安 |  |  |
| 1 Alabama． | 81， 323 | 7，131 | 12， 120 | 80 | 494 | 868 |  | 329 | 3，884 | 24， 906 | 12 | 115 |  | 32 |
| 2 Alabama． | 42， 500 | 10，828．08． | 10，950． 99 |  | 765． 10 | 2， 572.25 |  |  | 12， 912.77 | 38， 029.19 |  |  |  |  |
| Atizona．． | 4， 500 | 4，505． 76 | 1，694． 72 | 19 | 378 | 209 | ．．．：－ | 223 | 12， 472.50 | 7，501． 98 | 60 | 83 |  | 128 |
| 3 Arkansas． | 44,477 900 | 38，750．40 | 2， 084.61 ． | 492 4160 | － 212 | 2，7．18． 44 |  | － 2788 | 3，730．15 | 48，266． 20 |  | 45 7.795 |  | 38 16.604 |
| 4 California． | 900,000 63,000 | 594,110 $30,6.14$ | 44,200 2,318 | $\begin{array}{r}4,160 \\ \hline 966\end{array}$ | 18,633 1,236 | 19,218 3,354 | 3， 160 | 34,564 3,559 | 126,286 8,290 | 844， 50,431 50 | 2，863 | 7,795 472 |  | 16,604 $2,234 a$ |
| Colorado | 36， 257 | 34， 363.38 | 3， 499.88 | 1．55． 80 | 1， 461.50 | 2，158． 44 | 20 | － 80.90 | 5，178． 90 | 46， 918.80 | 230 | 269 | 65 | － 729 |
| 1 Connecticut | 25，755 | 19，907 | 3，727 | 391． 04 | 3， 433 | 5，514 | 390 | 361 | 2， 007 | 35，730． 04 | 545 | 1， 298 | 130 | $360 b$ |
| 2 Connecticat | 16， 200 | 15，992 | 2，497 | 682 | 2， 072 | 2，831 | 98 | 223 | 1，311 | 25， 706 | 783 | 595 |  | 92 |
| Dakota．． | 15， 444 | 18，518． 94 | －708 | 161． 70 | 508 | 669.85 |  | 90 | 2，388．09 | 23，044． 58 | 38 | 30 | 0 | 92 |
| Delaware | ，9， 695 | 671 | 6，1．53 | 19 | 334 | 516 |  | 1，784 | 1，213 | 10，690 | 134 | 276 | 20 | 197 |
| Florida | 3， 185 | 374 | 306 |  | 92.50 | 186 |  | 1，784 | 1， 237 | 1，195． 50 |  |  |  |  |
| 2 Georgia． | 98， 295 | 4，172 | 10，986 | 83 | 740 | 58 | 551 | 2， 467 | 8，369 | 27， 426 |  | 58 c |  |  |
| 3 Georgia． | 96， 442 | 4，362 | 38， 418 | 192 | 4，872 | 5，883 | 633 | 2，309 | 13，644 | 70， 313 | 362 | 601 |  | 1，716 |
| Idaho．． <br> 1 Ilinois． | 41.8 | 1，400 | 1，329 |  |  | 160 | 250 |  | 75 353,591 | 3,214 353,591 |  |  |  | 25，579 |
| 2 Mlinois． | 14，518 | 8，246．38 | 1， 347.26 | 30 | 539 | 630.90 |  |  | 303,591 1,949 | 12，742．54 | 69 | 40 |  | － $-8,860$ |
| 3 Illinois． | 7，221 | 7， 913 | 1， 479 | 106．98 | $40 \overline{5.50}$ | 387.50 |  | 40 | 1， 160.50 | 11，492． 48 | 22 | 52． 50 |  | － 127 |
| 4 Illinois． | 106， 809 | 64， 727 | 4，564． 50 | 1， 840 | 1，950．50 | 2， 056.95 |  | 2，285． 50 | 7，737．92 | 85，162． 77 | 101 | 281 | 126 | 220 |
| 5 Ilinois． | 69， 017 | 48， 853 | 3， 886 | －854 | ${ }^{1} 713$ | 862 |  | 1， 404 | 7， 283 | 58， 855 | 60 | 180 | 34 | 399 |
| 7 Mlinois． | 5， 733 | 3，877． 52 |  |  | 39 | 119 |  |  | 266 | 4，301． 52 | 15 |  |  |  |
| 8 Dlinois． | 42， 850 | 20，605． 21 | 1，519．50 | 315． 42 | 47150 | 502.33 |  | 243.31 | 4，819．70 | 28， 476.97 | 182． 50 | 197 | 27 | 225.50 |
| 13 Inlinois． | 21， 436 | 15，748． 64 | 2，522．47 | 583． 54 | 399． 34 | 831． 72 | 964 | 761 | 5，766． 22 | 27， 575.93 | 14 | 98． 32 | 194 | 238． 22 |
| 1 Indiana | 100,000 | 50，275 | 1，757 | 096 | 333 | 1，552 | 694 | 1，447 | 9，508 | 66， 262 |  | 91 | ．．．．．．．．． | 550 |
| 4 Indiaua | 426， 872 | 176，725．70 | 114，511 | －10ッ． | 43 | 199 | 265.76 | 360.70 | 1，897． 30 | 294， 002.46 |  |  |  |  |
| 6 Judiana | 52， 530 | 42， 829 | 2， 932 | $195{ }^{\circ}$ | 533 | 1，373 |  | 821 | 6，898 | 55， 581 | 140 | 228 | －．．．．．．．．．． | 218 |
| 7 Indiana | 47， 000 | 30，743 | 2， 090 | 770 | 937 | 1， 000 |  | 46 | 6， 785 | 42，371 | 108 | 125 | $\cdots \cdot$ | 141 |
| 10 Indiana | 10， 664 | 11， 627.35 | 2， 093.60 | 450 | 422.25 | 541.20 |  | 712.22 | 2，554．60 | 18，401． 22 | 3 | 78 | 30 | 73 |
| 11 Indiaua | 2， 203 | 2， 153 | 222 | 49 | 80 | 175 |  |  | ． 172 | 2， 851 |  |  |  |  |
| $\stackrel{1}{2}$ Iowa． | 10， 000 | 5，373 | 840 | 189 | 533 | 443 | ．．．．－－ | 20 | 1， 087 | 8，485 | 125 | 66 | ．．．．．．．． | 135 |
| 3 Iowa． | 53， 082 | 38， 030 | 5，142 | 687 | 1， 114 | 1， 743 |  | 3，036 | 2， 991 | 52， 743 | 85 | 72 | 200. | 420 |
| 4 Towa． | 42， 190 | 26，580．62 | 3，832． 28 | 1，577，60 | 665.56 | 1，176．05 |  | 1， 168.17 | 4，049． 56 | 39， 049.84 | 157 | 106 |  | 170 |
|  | a And 60 | allous Scote | whisky． |  |  | And 330 | gallous hi | ch wines． |  | －cand | 50 gàllons | brandy． |  |  |




Statement of the quantity, in taxable gallons, of tax-paid spirits held by wholesale liquor dealers and rectifiers, de.-Continued.


It will be seen from the preceding tables that the quantity of spirits remaining in warehouse November 1, 1878, was 15, 807,164 gallons, being: an increase of $5,808,457$ gallons as compared with the amount on hand on the same date last year. This large increase in the stock of spirits has, no doubt, been in great part occasioned by the extension of the bonded period provided for in the act of March 28, 1878, and the withdrawals hereafter will be made to meet the wants of the trade. The production of spirits for the months of July, August, September, and October, of this year, amounted to $19,046,600$ gallons, while the production for the corresponding months of last year amounted to $15,145,444$ gallons.

I desire to call special attention to the large increase in the exportation of alcohol. It is a marked feature in the year's business and indicates that the foreign demand for this article is keeping pace with the increased demand for many other articles of American production. The quantity of spirits withdrawn from warehouse for exportation for the past fiscal year was $5,499,252$ gallons, and for the first four months of the present fiscal year, $3,302,766$ gallons, a total of $8,802,018$ gallons, being equivalent to $2,347,200$ bushels of grain.

## OPERATEONS AT SPECLAE BONDED WAREHOUSDS FOR STORAGE OF GRAPE BRANDY.

The act of Congress authorizing the establishment of special bonded warehouses for the storage of brandy made from grapes was approved March 3, 1877. The year ended June 30, 1878, is the first full fiscal year during which this law has been in operation. The number of warehouses established under the said act up to this date is seven, as follows:

In the first district of Califoruia:
Date of approval.
No. 1. Bode \& Danforth . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . June . $21,1877$.

No. 2. Juan Bernard. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . August 2, 1877.
No. 3. George C. Carlon. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . August 24, 1877.
In the fourth district of California:
No. 1. George Lichthardt. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . August 1, 1877.
No. 2. John F. Boyce . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . August 22, 1877.
No. 3. Royal A. Haskin . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . November 8, 1877.
No. 4. John Tivnen. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . February 18, 1878.
The following statement shows the quantity in taxable gallons of grape brandy received into and withdrawn from these warehouses during the year ended June 30, 1878, viz:


Of the quantity in warehouse June $30,1878,86,819$ gallons were in the following named-warehouses, located in the first district of California, viz: No. 1, Bode \& Danforth, 50,569 gallons; No. 2, Juan Bernard, 22,419 gallons; No. 3, George C. Carlon, 13,831 gallons; and 48,806 gallons were in the following-named warehouses in the fourth district of

California, viz: No. 1, George Lichthardt, 23,357 gallons; No. 2, John F. Boyce, 5,797 gallons; No. 3, Royal A. Haskin, 4,767 gallons; No. 4, John Tivnen, 14,885 gallons.

Up to the present time the only warehouses established under the provisions of this act are those above mentioned. There appears to have been no demand for such warehouses thus far, either in grape-brandy producing districts other than those named in the first and fourth districts of Califormia, or in any district in which grape brandy is a marketable commodity.

## RECEIPTS FROM' FERMENTED LIQUORS.

The following statement shows the receipts from fermented liquors for the fiscal years 1877 and 1878:

| Somices. | Receipts for fiscal year ended June 30- |  | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1877. | 1878. |  |  |
| Fermented liguors, tax of \$1 per bamrel on. | \$9, 074, 30593 | \$9, 473, 36070 | \$399, 05477 |  |
| Brewers' special tax........................... | 216, 68110 | 2112,80277 |  | \$3,878 33 |
| Dealers in malt liquors' special tax | 189, 80214 | 250,888 31 | 61, 08617 |  |
| Total. | 9, 480, 78917 | 9, 987,051 78 | 460, 14094. | 3,878 33 |

## TOBACCO.

The collections from tobacco for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, as compared with the collections for the previous year, show a clecrease of $\$ 1,014,792.25$. This decrease was owing to the diminished collections on manufactured tobacco taxed at the rate of 24 cents per pound, and occurred during the last half of the year, and while the question of a reduction of the tax was under discnssion. Upon a cessation of the discussion, the business of tobacco manufacturers and dealers resumed its normal condition. This fact is shown by the collections for the first quarter of the present fiscal year, these collections being in excess of the first quarter of the last fiscal year by $\$ 397,527.94$ on manufactured tobacco and cigars. The total amount collected under the head of tobacco from all its soturces, including special tax of leaf dealers, manufacturers of tobacco, snoff, and cigars, and dealers, was $\$ 40,091,754.67$.

## DETAILS OF COLLECTIONS.

The subjoined statements show the exact amount collected from each specific source for the year ended June 30, 1878, and the increase or decrease of collections, as compared with the collections from the same. sources for the year ended June 30, 1877:

| Manufactured tobacco at 24 cents per pound. | \$25, 320, 06508 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Manufactured tobacco at 20 cents per pound. | 9300 |
| Snuff, taxed at 32 cents per pound | 1,063, 71422 |
| Total for the year ended June 30, 1878 | 26, 383, 872 |
| Total for the year ended June 30, 1877 | 28, 148,767 90 |
| Decrease of collections on tobacco and suuff | 1,764,895 60 |
| Of this decrease $\$ 1,732,914.30$ was and $\$ 31,981.30$ on snuff. | g tobacco, |

Cigars and cigarettes.

| Cigars, taxed at $\$ 6$ per thousand | \$11,428,955 32 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Cigars, taxed at \$5 per thousand. | 1,189 28 |
| Cigarettes, taxied at \$1.75 per thousand | 289,081 79 |
| Total collections for the year ended June 30, 1878. | 11, 719, 22639 |
| Total collections for the year ended June 30, 1877. | 11, 061,278 15 |
| Increase in collections from cigars and cigarettes | 657,948 24 |
| Other collections. |  |
| Export stamps, year ended June 30, 1878. | \$7,002 60 |
| Export stamps, year ended June 30, 1877 | 8,009 60 |
| Decrease in sales of export stamps | 1, 00700 |
| Dealers in manufactured tobacco, year ended June 30, 1878. | 1,679,617 60 |
| Dealers in manufactured tobacco, year ended June 30, 1877 | 1,595,225 40 |
| Increase in collections from dealers in manufactured tobacco | 84,392 20 |
| Special taxes, manufacturers of tobacco and cigars in 1878 | 168,49323 |
| Special taxes, manufacturers of tobacco and cigars in 1877 | 163,371 45 |
| Increased collections, manufacturers of tobacco and cigars | 5,121 78 |
| Special taxes, peddlers of tolacco, year ended June 30, 1878. | 32, 89930 |
| Special taxes, peddlers of tobacco, year ended June $30,1877$. | 32,471 93 |
| Increased collections from peddlers of tobacco | 42737 |
| Dealers in leaf tobacco, year ended June 30, 1878. | \$100,643 25 |
| Dealers in leaf tobacco, year ended June 30, 187\% | 97,422 49 |
| Increase iu collections from dealers in leaf tobacco | 3,220 76 |

## PRODUCTION OF MANUFACTURED TOBACCO, CIGARS, \&C.

Computing the annual production of manufactured tobacco, suuff, and cigars from the amount of taxes collected on the same during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, and adding thereto the quantities removed in bond for export, we have, as the products of the last fiscal year, the following :

|  | Pounds. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Tobacco taxed at 24 cents per pound | 105, 500, 271 |
| 'robacco taxed at 20 cents per pound | 465 |
| Total quantity removed for consumption | 105,500,736 |
| Snuff at 32 cents per pound | 3, 324, 107 |
| Total tobacco and suuff for consumption | 108, 824, 84:3 |
| 'robacco removed in bond for export | 10,550,475 |
| Snuff removed in bond for export | 31, 270 |
| Total production for jear ended June 30,1878 | 119, 406, 588 |
| Total production for year ended June 30, 1877 | 127, 481, 149 |
| Decrease of production | 8, 074,561 |

The number of cigars and cigarettes, \&c., including imported cigars, which pay also an internal revenue tax in addition to the import duty, on
which taxes were collected during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, was as follows:


Increase during year 1878 of
123, 964, 874

## IMPORTED CIGARS.

The cigars imported during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, as given by the Bureau of Statistics:

Aggregated in weight ................................................................ 622.805
Of this quantity there were exported
55,792
Leaving to be withdrawn for consumption.
567,013
Allowing $13 \frac{1}{2}$ pounds to the thousand as the weight of imported cigars, the number of imported cigars included in the above table would be $42,001,000$.

## GROWIH and distribution of the tobacco industry.

The following figures and tables show the growth and development of the tobacco industry of the country during the last twenty years, the extent to which it is distributed throughout the different States and Territories of the Union, the number of manufactories, and relative size and capacity for producing manufactured tobacco and cigars.

These figures are of interest in view of the close supervision exercised by the government over this industry in connection with its system of internal taxation.' This supervision commences with the leaf tobacco produced by the farmer or planter, and follows it through all subsequent hands till it reaches the consumer of manufactured tobacco, or is exported to foreign countries. It would seem, from the figures given, that the government supervision over this industry, and the government revenue derived from the taxes imposed upon manufacturers of and dealers in tobacco, so far from encouraging or favoring monopolies in the business, have had a contrary tendency. The greater proportion of all the factories, both of tobacco and cigars, are small in size and capacity; and a large proportion of the factories appearing in the upper groups are old establishments, that have long been in the business.

According to the census table of 1860 , there were at that period 1,478 cigar manufacturing establishments and 626 tobacco and snuff manufacturing establishments in the United States. The crop of leaf tobacco reported was $428,121,000$ pounds. This was, undoubtedly, the crop raised in 1859 , which was unusually large. Of this quantity there were exported in 1860 167,274 hogsheads, 15,035 cases, and 17,817 bales, estimated to contain, in round numbers, $214,000,000$ pounds, and leaving a like quantity for consumption, or as surplus on the market. The census tables do not give the number of pounds of manfactured tobacco and snuff nor the number of cigars made. The value of the tobacco and snuff produced is given at $\$ 21,820,535$, and the value of the cigars made at $\$ 9,068,778$, or a total value of $\$ 30,889,313$.

At the present time the records of this office show that there are in the country 15,992 cigar manufacturers and 1,049 tobacco manufacturers. The average annual product of cigars, cheroots, and cigarettes for the last five fiscal years is $1,960,709,213$, and the average annual product of manufactured tobacco and snuff for the same period is $122,769,654$ pounds. The estimated quantity of leaf tobacco consumed in the manufaćture of tobacco, snuff, and cigars annually for the last five years averages $193,453,806$ pounds, while the average quantity exported annually for four years immediately preceding the last fiscal year was $260,674,102$ pounds; as shown by tables fumished by the Bureau of Statistics. At a moderate estimate, the value of the combined products of all the manafactures of tobacco, suuff, and cigars anmually for the last five years, exclusive of the tax, is not less than $\$ 75,000,000$, or two and one-half times the reported value of the same products for the year 1860 .

The following tables have been carefully prepared from reports made by the collectors of internal revenue on printed forms prepared in such a manner as to give detailed statements of the annual operations of every tobacco and cigar mamufacturer in the United States:

Table showing by States and Territories the number of tobacco mamufactories in the Uwited States in the calendar year 1877, classed in separate columns according to the production at each manufactory per amam.

| States and Territories. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Arizona. | $10^{\circ}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Arkansas | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California. | 12 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Connectickt. | 4 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Delaware | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |
| Georgia. . | 5 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ilinois. | 15 | 2 |  | 1 |  | 3 | 3 |
| Indiana | 13 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Iowa... |  | 1 |  |  | 2 |  |  |
| Kansas | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Kentucky | 28 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 3 | 3 | 1 |
| Louisiana. | 61 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maryland..... | 10 | 1 | 1 |  | 2 |  | 2 |
| Massachnsetts | 12 |  |  |  |  |  | 1 |
| Michigan | 2 |  |  | 1 | 3 | 3 |  |
| Mibeouri. | 59. | 17 | 9 | 5 | 2 | - 1 | 2 |
| New Jersey | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | $a 1$ |
| New York. | 31. | 1. | 7 | 6 | 9 | 5 | 3 |
| North Carolina. | 184 | 29 | 27 | 15 |  |  | 1. |
| Ohio . | 30 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 5 | 4 | 2 |
| Pennsylvania | - 28 | 3 |  | 3 | 2 |  |  |
| South Carolina. | 2 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Tennesseo | 27 | 2 | 3 | 3 |  |  |  |
| Texas ... | 8 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Virginia. | 76 | 45 | 34 | 36 | 24 | 14 | 10 |
| Wisconsin .... | ${ }^{2}$ |  |  |  | 1 |  | 2 |
| West Virginia | 12 |  | 1 |  |  |  |  |
| Total | 642 | 115 | 94 | 81 | 54 | 34 | 29 |

[^1]
## RECAPITULATION.

## Number of manufactories which belong to class-

Producing not over 25,000 pounds each......................................... 642
Producing over 25,000 pounds and not over 50,000 pounds each....................... 115
Producing over 50,000 pounds and not over $1.00,000$ pounds each................ 94
Producing over 100,000 pounds and not over 250,000 pounds each................... 81
Producing over 250,000 pounds and not over 500,000 pounds each............... 54
Producing over 500,000 pounds and not over 1,000,000 pounds each.................. 34
Producing over $1,000,000$ pounds each

## Total number of mannactories in the United States.

Statement slowing the number of bonded cigar factories in the United States, classified according to number of employes.

| . | None. | One em ploye. | 2 to 5. | 6 to 25. | 26 to 50. | $\begin{aligned} & 51 . \text { to } \\ & 100 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 101 . \text { to } \\ & 200 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 201 \text { to } \\ 300 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Over } \\ & 300 . \end{aligned}$ | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama : | 4 | 5 | 17 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 26 |
| Arkansas |  | 1 | 7 | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 9 |
| California | 19 | 9 | 101 | 77 | 30 | 16 | 22 |  |  | 274 |
| Colorado |  | 9 | 18 | 4 |  |  |  |  |  | 32 |
| Connecticut | 23 | 90 | 224 | 47 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 385 |
| Delaware. |  | 9 | 29 | 9 |  |  |  |  |  | 50 |
| Florida.. | 3 | 4 | 25 | 15 | 3 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 58 |
| Georgia | 1 | 3 | 14 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  | 20 |
| Mlinois. | 41 | 105 | 580 | 189 | 19 | 5 | 2 |  |  | 941 |
| Indiana | 36 | 70 | 225 | - 71 | 3 | 2 |  |  |  | 407 |
| Iowa.. | 15 | 30 | 185 | 56 | 6 | 1 |  |  |  | 293 |
| Kansas. | 4 | 7 | 51 | 1.5 |  |  |  |  |  | 77 |
| Kentuoky | 7 | 30 | 136 | 40 | 3 | 3 |  |  |  | 225 |
| Louisiana | 8 | 38 | 137 | 42 | 3 | 2 |  |  |  | 230 |
| Maine.. | 1 | 4 | 32 | 15 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 54 |
| Maryland | 1.9 | 106 | 428 | 1.00 | 12 | , 2 | 1 |  |  | 668 |
| Massachusetts | 10 | 57 | 342. | 11.9 | 5 | c | 1 |  |  | 540 |
| Michigan | 33 | 60 | 405 | 74 | 4 | 4 | 2 |  |  | 582 |
| Minuesota | 4 | 20 | 55 | 21 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 102 |
| Missouri ... | 20 | 75 | 285 | 95 | 2 | 1 |  |  |  | 478 |
| Nebraska. | 6 | 8 | 24 | 9 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 48 |
| New Hampshir | 1 | 7 | 25 | 10 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 44 |
| New Jersey | 50 | 194 | 401 | 80 |  | 1 |  |  |  | 730 |
| New York.... | $\cdot 110$ | 407 | 2,200 | 846 | 96 | 37 | 20 | 6 | 6 | 3,728 |
| North Carolina |  | ${ }^{2}$ | ${ }^{6}$ | 1 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ohio .... | 55 | 163 | 815 | 306 | 20 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1,375 |
| Oregon P . ${ }^{\text {annsylvania }}$ | 117 | 549 | 2,451 | 1 577 | 23 | 7 | 2 |  |  | 3.88 |
| Rhode Island. | 5 | 8 | 2, 48 | 18 | 1 |  |  |  |  | 80 |
| South Carolina | 1 | 1 | 7 | 9 | 2 |  |  |  |  | 20 |
| Tennessee. | 1 | 2 | 19 | 2 |  |  |  |  |  | 24 |
| Texas. | 10 | 8 | 17 | 8 |  |  |  |  |  | 43 |
| Otah .. |  |  | , | 1 |  |  |  |  |  | 3 |
| Vermont | 4 | 6 |  | 2 | 1. |  |  |  |  | 22 |
| Virginia. | 11 | 1.7 | 77 | 26 | 3 |  |  |  |  | 134 |
| West Virginia | 4 | 12 | 52 | 35 | 2 | 1 |  |  |  | 106 |
| Wisconsin | 20 | 50 | 273 | 87 | 6 | 1 |  | 1 |  | 438 |
| Total. | 648 | 2, 172 | 9,731 | 3, 010 | 261 | 101 | 52 | 9 | 8 | 15,992 |

Summary of the abstracts of collectors' reports on Form 144 of the accounts of cigar manafacturers for the year ended December 31, 1877, showing number of manufacturers, number of pounds of material used, number of cigars reported manufactured, average number of pounds of material to the thousand cigars, and amount of. deficiencies.


Summary of the abstracts of collectors＇reports on Form 144，\＆．c．—Continued．

| State or Territory． |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New York | 1 | 904 | 815， 961 | 34，657， 190 | 23.5 | \＄13， 12018 |
| Do | 2 | 41.9 | 2，352， 003 | 88，889， 547 | $23^{\frac{88}{87 \%}}$ | 14，385 09 |
| Do | 3 | ．1， 682 | 6，537，066 | 270，883， 683 | $24 \times 1320$ | 1， 08417 |
| Do | 11 | $\cdots$ | 1．12， 298 | 4，169， 248 | $26 \frac{185}{1000}$ | 81104 |
| Do | 12 | 235 | 316，573 | 12，373， 698 | $25^{6}{ }^{6} 0$ | 1，70956 |
| －Do | 14 | 227 | 329， 760 | 13，984， 409 | $23^{88} 8$ | 4，051 33 |
| Do | 15 | 119 | 173，31．6 | 7，238，404 | 23 年材 | 1，40812 |
| Do | 21 | 11.1 | 249， 472 | 111，232，457 | $22{ }^{210}$ | 3，059 68 |
| Do | 24 | 202 | 529，696 | 1．9，882， 025 | $26{ }^{\text {¢ }}$ | 1， 77765 |
| Do | 20 | 113 | 403， 113 | 16，070， 890 | $25^{\frac{180}{80} 0}$ | 1，637 43 |
| Do | 28 | 240 | 342， 423 | 1．4，727， 172 | 23 18\％ | 2， 078.50 |
| Do | 30 | 241. | 401， 535 | 16，963， 156 | $23 \frac{178}{17080}$ | 3，021 09 |
| North Carolina | 2 | $\stackrel{2}{8}$ | 13， 675 | －586， 857 | $23{ }^{3}{ }^{3}{ }^{2}$ | None． |
| Do． | 4 | 8 | 7，021 | 219，250 | $32^{4} \frac{20}{50} 0$ | 32880 |
| Do | 5 | $\stackrel{2}{2}$ | 917 | 55， 850 | $1.6{ }_{6}{ }^{\frac{5}{0}}$ | None． |
| Do | 6 | 9 | 15，462 | ．638， 535 | $24{ }^{2910} 180$ | 44766 |
| Ohio． | 1 | 516 | 2，157， 359 | 84，455， 502 |  | 97570 |
| Do | 3 | 168 | 362， 833 | 16， $540,855$. | $21 \frac{98180}{100}$ | 7494 |
| Do | 4 | 98 | 198， 892 | 7，659， 421. | 25，$\frac{107}{2000}$ | 27272 |
| Do | 6 | 30 | 29，549 | 1，235， 826 | 23 부ํ | 37324 |
| Do | 7 | 1.49 | 434， 473 | 18，759，564 | 23.100 | 76468 |
| Do | 10. | 136 | 256， 877 | 9，917， 957 | $25{ }^{\circ} \mathrm{P}$ | 1，372 50 |
| Do | 11 | 65 | 139， 660 | $5,589,098$ |  | Nonte． |
| Do | 15 | 1.04 | 311．， 719 | 15，708，544 |  | 33600 |
| Do | 18 | 425 | 694， 313 | 28，375， 224 | $24{ }^{1969}$ | 2，651 81 |
| Oregon |  | 8 | 6， 329 | ． 262,975 | 24 ¢100 | － 4659 |
| Pennsylvania． | 1 | 2， 168 | 2，399， 204 | ］．10，149， 335. | 21.7805 | 1．1， 75093 |
| Do．．． | 8 | 511 | 1，011，596 | 38， $808,921$. |  | 1，37759 |
| Do | 9 | 851 | 2，277，584 | 96，378， 908 | 23.438 | 1，927 61. |
| Do | 12 | 178 | 213，994 | 9，478，661 | 22.570 | 72619 |
| Do | 14 | 174 | 195， 072 | 7，729， 191 | $25 \frac{239}{1030}$ | 1，22252 |
| Do | 16 | 89 | 242， 811 | 10，707， 817 | 22.080 | 20793 |
| Do | 19 | 48 | 147， 421 | 5，587， 713 | $26^{385}$ | 30768 |
| Do | 20 | 42 | 84， 926 | 3，078， 171 | $27{ }^{1878}$ | 41480 |
| Do | 22 | 222 | 602， 525 | 27，715， 205 | 2.174 | 99466 |
| Do | 23 | 153 | 370， 802 | 17，904， 51.0 | $20{ }^{7} \mathbf{7} 090$ | 17732 |
| Rhode Island． |  | 1.0 .1 | 191，088 | 7，485， 820 | $25{ }^{\text {5 }}$ | 22038 |
| South Carolina |  | 21 | 59， 950 | 2，446，750 | 249010 | 28359 |
| Tennessee．．．． | 2 | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 8,637 18 | 437， 700 |  | None． |
| Do | 5 | 12 | 18， 245 | 622， 775 | 29.3090 | $57637$ |
| Do | 8 | 24 | 22，635 | 767，177 | 29.5 | 35732 |
| Texas． | 1. | 30 | 47， 911 | 1，775， 387 | 2693 | 4895 |
| D0 | 3 | 15 | 6，961 | 333， 800 | $24 \frac{49}{100}$ | 3082 |
| ${ }^{\text {Do }}$ | 4 | 16 | 18，530 | 710，895 | $26^{680} 0$ | 26805 |
| Utah $\therefore$ ． |  | 3 | 10， 310 | －341，100 | $30 \cdot 3050$ | 2400 |
| Vermont |  | 22 | 49，706 | 1，740， 485 | $28{ }^{\text {\％}}$ | 26795 |
| Virginia | 2 | 35 | 39， 688 | 1， 329.919 | 29843 | 52732 |
| Do | 3 | 54 | 103， 291 | 4，326， 092 | ${ }^{23} 3^{877}{ }^{\text {P7\％}}$ | None． |
| Do | 4 | 10 | 9， 907 | 402， 944 | $24{ }^{5180}$ | 21991 |
| Do | 5 | 7 | 19，969 | 932， 680 | 2140 | None． |
| Do | 6 | 42 | 68， 612 | 2，859， 472 | 22480 | 525 02 |
| Washington |  | 1. | ．l， 304 | 66， 550 | 1.81808 | None． |
| West Virginia． | 1 | 103 | 585， 093 | 30，010， 050 | 194603 | 43410 |
| Do ．．．． | 2 | 25 | 46， 414 | 2，063， 830 | ${ }_{29} 2^{5} 5$ | 30972 |
| Wisconsin | 1 | 189 | 525， 001 | 19，965， 216 | 26.295 | 40257 |
| Do | $\frac{2}{3}$ | 99 110 | 165,241 173,398 | 6，801， 604 | $\underline{24 \%}$ | 58806 68139 |
| Do | 3 0 | 110 42 | 173,398 58,005 | 6，731， 2，101， 008 |  | 68139 565 70 |

RECAPITULATION.

| State or Territory. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | 20 | 28, 357 | 1, 048,455 | $271{ }^{17}{ }^{7}$ | \$765 32 |
| Arizona | 1 |  | 32, 000 | cigarettes |  |
| Arkansas | 13 | 9,630 | 400, 915 | $24{ }^{\frac{9}{7875} 5}$ | 2412 |
| California | 365 | 2, 326, 929 | 103, 724, 227 |  | 7,890 47 |
| Colorado | 31 | 33, 834 | 1, 255, 287 | $26 \frac{180}{10 \%}$ | 1,07185 |
| Connectic | 420 | 495, 432 | 20, 137, 118 |  | 74527 |
| Dakota. | 4 | 2,387 | 82, 300 |  | 3052 |
| Delaware | 56 | 1.10, 132 | 4, 450, 499 | $24{ }^{\text {T } 788}$ | 19324 |
| Florida. | 54 | 676;027 | 28, 089,835 | 24\%0\% ${ }^{\text {\% }}$ | 1,096 31 |
| Georgia | 46 | 60, 769 | 2, 034,015 | 29.978 | 2,905 08 |
| Thalio. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ilinois. | 1, 168 | 2, 504, 864 | 97, 786, 859 | ${ }^{25} 7838$ | 6, 88994 |
| Indiaua | 509 | 946, 586 | 36, 464, 768 |  | 5,956 45 |
| Iowa. | 337 | 697, 972 | 26, 627,976 | 26, ${ }^{248}$ | 2, 537436 |
| Kausas | 74 | 156, 081 | 5, 965,873 |  | 14416 |
| Kentucky | 271 | 621, 488 | 25, 154,098 |  | ${ }^{735} 24$ |
| Louisiana | 160 | 444, 442 | 16,965, 285 | $26{ }^{120} 70$ | $8,427 \cdot 64$ |
| Maine. . | 63 | -92,423 | 3, 621,380 |  | ${ }^{31} 98$ |
| Maryland | 79] | 1,239, 256 | $55,148,203$ | $22{ }^{4} \frac{4}{} 7808$ | 3, 96673 |
| Massachusetts | 697 | 1,373,480 | 58, 194, 962 | 23 \% | 4,479 88 |
| Michigan | 524 | 1, 335, 714 | 51, 609, 158 | 25.880 | 1, 28350 |
| Minuesota | 112 | 173, 285 | 6, 897, 674 | $25 \times 1020$ | 65946 |
| Mississippi | 1 | - 8834 | 27, 100 | ${ }^{30} \frac{376}{7060}$ | ${ }^{37} 56$ |
| Missourl | 603 | 1,092, 276 | 44, 443139 |  | 1,294 67 |
| Moutana | 1 |  | 38,700 $4,107,425$ |  |  |
| Nebraska Nevada | 45 | 135, 531 | 4, 107, 425 | ${ }^{33} \mathrm{P}$ ¢880 | 2, 51033 |
| New Hamp | 43 | 68, 106 | 2,715,160 | 25080 | 1,141 13 |
| New Jersey. | 855 | 943, 349 | 41, 629, 425 | $26^{\text {dib }}$ | 1, 92742 |
| New Mexic |  | 810 | 31,900 |  |  |
| New York | 4,497 | 12,563,216 | 51.1, 081, 879 | $24 \frac{18}{180}$ | 47, 74384 |
| North Carol | 21 | 37,075 | 1, 500, 492 | $24{ }^{7}$ | 77646 |
| Ohio | 1,721 | 4, 585,675 | 188, 241, 991 |  | 6,821 59 |
| Oregon...... | , 8 |  | \% $\begin{array}{r}262,975 \\ 32784 \\ 538\end{array}$ | ${ }_{23}^{24} 98048$ | - 46 |
| Pennsylvania | $\begin{array}{r}4,436 \\ 101 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}7,545,935 \\ \hline 191,088\end{array}$ | $327,538,432$ $\cdot 7,485,820$ | ${ }^{23} 5$ | 19. 10723 |
| South Carolina | 21 | -59, 950 | 2, 446 , 750 | ${ }_{24}$ | 28359 |
| 'Temnessee | 38 | 49,517 | 1, 827, 652 | 27 ¢9898 | 93369 |
| Texas | 61 | 74, 509 | 2, 820, 082 | 26.1080 | 3478 |
| Vtah... | 3 | 10, 310 | 341, 100 | 30 2ibio | ${ }_{26}^{24} 0$ |
| Vermont | 32 148 | 49, 706 236,467 | $1,740,485$ $9,851,107$ | 287\% | - $\begin{array}{r}2679 \\ \hline 272\end{array}$ |
| Washington | 1 | 1., 304 | 66,550 |  |  |
| West Virgini | 128 | 631, 507 | 32, 073,880 | 1.97 | 74382 |
| Wisconsin | 440 | 921, 645 | 35, 599, 298 | 25 年88880 | 2,237 72 |
| Wyoming . . |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total number of factories reported................................... . . 18.8181 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total number of pounds material used............................. . $42,537,273$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total number of cigars reported maunfactured ..................... 1, 761, 662, 229 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Average number of pounds of material used for each thousand cigars. <br> Amount of deficiencies $\qquad$ $\begin{array}{r} 24.148 \\ \$ 137,572.06 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |

TOBACCO PRODUCT FOR PAST FIVE YEARS.
The following shows the annual product of manufactured tabacco, snuff, and cigars, for the last five fiscal years:

## Tobacco-including snubf.

| 1874. | 118,548, 618 pounds. | 1877 | 127, 481, 149 pomuds. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1875. | 128, 615, 190 pounds. | 1878. | 119, 406, 588 pounds. |
| 1876. | 119, 796, 727 pounds. |  |  |
| Cigars-including cigarettes. |  |  |  |
| 1874 | $\therefore . .1,886,697,498$ | 1877 | . $1,958,391,488$ |
| 1875 | .. 1,967, 959,662 | 1878 | . 2, 082, 356, 362 |
| 1876 | .. 1, 908, 141, 057 |  |  |

The four following tables are here presented, as showing in a comprehensive form, the effect, in the production of revenue under the present internal revenue system, of the different rates of tax imposed by the several legislative enactments on manufactured tobacco and cigars.

Statement showing the amount of revenue derived from each kind of manufactured tobacco, including snuff, under the several enactments inposing a tax thereon, the quantities on whieh the tax wars paid, and the lengthi of time the several rates were in force, from July 1, 1862, to June 30, 1878.

| Deseription of tobacco. | Rates of tax. | Date of acts. |  | Length of time rates were in force. | Aggregate col. lections. | Aggregate quantities (in pounds). | Remarlis. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\underset{\text { tax. }}{\text { Imposiug }}$ | Repealing tax. |  |  |  |  |
| Smoking, made exclusively of stems | 2 cents | July 1, 1862 | March 3,1863 | 6 months.. | \$58, 43009 | 2, 921,505 | The act of July 1, 1862, went |
| Smoking, made exclusively of stems. | 5 cents | Mareh 3, 1863 | June 30, 1864 | 16 months. | 85,158 90 | 1,708, 177 | into operationSeptember 1 , |
| Smoking, prepared with all the stems in................... | 5 cents | July 1, 1862 | June 30, 1864 | 22 months. | 1, 695̄, 12841 | 33, 902, 568 | 1862 . |
| Cavendish, plag, twist, fine-cut, valued at not over 30 cents per pound | 10 cents | July 1, 1862 | March 3,1863 | 6 montbs. | 81, 00544 | 810, 054 |  |
| Cavendish, plug, twist, fine-cnt, valued at over 30 cents per pound | 15 cents. | July 1, 1862 | March 3,1863 | 6 months. | 1, 297, 90083 | 8,652, 673 |  |
| Cavendish, plug, twist, fine-cut, and manufactured tobacco of all descriptions, except suoking tobacco. | 15 cents. | March 3, 1863 | June 30, 1864 | 16 montlis. | 8, 251,536 81 | 55, 010, 245 |  |
| Snuff ......................................................... | 20 cents. | July 1, 1862 | June 30, 1864 | 22 months. | 375,739 68 | 1, 878, 698 |  |
| Smoking, made exclusively of stems. Swoking, prepared with all the stems in, aud fine-cut | 15 cents | June 30, 1864 | July 13, 1866 | 25 months. | 1, 403, 17169 | 9, 354, 477 | So far as it relates to tobacco, the act of March 3, 1865, |
| shorts | 25 cents. | June 30, 1864 | March 3,1865 | 9 months. | 1, 519,332 16 | 6, 077, 328 | took effect April 1, 1865. |
| Cavendish, plog, twist, \&c., and fine-eut chewing | 35 cents | June 30, 1864 | March 3, 1865 | 9 months. | 4, 407, 94092 | 12, 594, 116 |  |
| Snuff | 35 cents. | June 30, 1864 | March 3,1865 | 9 months... | 122, 00844 | 348, 595 |  |
| Twisted by hand. | 30 cents. | March 3, 1865 | July 13, 1866 | 16 montbs... | 14,055 22 | 46,850 | So far as it relates to tolbacco, |
| Smoking of all kinds not otherwise provided for | 35 cents. | March 3, 1865 | July 13, 1866 | 16 months... | 964, 63718 | 2, 756, 106 | the act of July 13, 1866, took |
| Cavendish, plag, twist, \&c., and fine-cut chewing | 40 cents | March 3, 1865 | July 13, 1866 | 16 months... | 10, 244, 30208 | $25,610,755$ | effect August 1, 1866. |
| Sunff - . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 40 cents. | March 3, 1865 | July 20, 1868 | 40 months... | 2, 302, 85095 | 5, 757, 120 |  |
| Smoking, not sweetened, stemmed, or bntted | 15 cents. | July 13, 1866 | July 20, 1868 | 24 months... | 3, 509, 10931 | 23, 394; 062 |  |
| Twisted by hand, \&e., and fine-cut shorts | 30 ceuts. | July 13, 1866 | July 20, 1868 | 24 months. | 520, 45169 | 1, 734, 839 |  |
| Smoking, sweetened, stewuned, or butted | 40 cents. | July 13, 1866 | July 20, 1868 | 24 months. | 1, 432,690 26 | 3,581,720 |  |
| Cherwing. ............................... | 40 cents | July 13, 1866 | July 20, 1868 | 24 months. | 24, 730, 33408 | 61, 825.885 |  |
| Chewing, \&c, smoking, \&c, part of the stems removed | 32 cents. | July 20, 1868 | Jume 6, 1872 | 47 montlis... | 71, 496, 37790 | $223,426,181$ | So far as it relates to tobacco, |
| Smoking, exclusively of stems, \&c | 16 cents. | July 20, 1868 | June 6, 1872 | 47 months. | 18, 581, 687 27 | 116, 135, 545 | the act of June 6, 1872, took |
| All kinds, except snuff and cigars | 32 cents 20 cents | Juy 20, 1868 June 6, 1872 | March3,1875 | 119 montils. - | $8,231,883$ $61,776,534$ 37 | $16, ~ 724, ~$ 3085 $308,882,671$ | ct July 1, 1872. |
| All kinds, except snuff and cigars | 24 cents. | March 3,1875 | - | 40 months. | 83, 542, 37273 | 348, 093, 220 |  |
| Total |  |  |  |  | 306, 644, 64018 | 1, 280, 222, 987 |  |

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## revenue from manuractured tobacco by fiscal years.

Slatement showing the total receipts from snuff, chewing and smoking tobacco at the several - different rates of tax, together with the quantities'of the sanve on which the tax was paid, and the wverage rate of tax per pound on the afgregate quantities taxed each year, by fiscal years, from September 1, 1862, to June 30, 1878.


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Statement showing the anount of revenue derived from cigars, cheroots, and cigarettes, under the several enactments imposing a tax thereon, the number of the same returned for taxation (exclusive of cigarettes on which an ad valorem tax was paid, the momber of which cannot be ascertained), and the length of time the several rates were in force, from July 1, 1862, to June 30, 1878.

| Descriptiou. | Rates of tax. | Date of acts. |  | Length of time rates were in force. | Agrregate col lections. | Aggregate number. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\underset{\substack{\text { Imposing } \\ \text { tax. }}}{\text { and }}$ | Repealing tax. |  |  |  |
| Cigars valued at not over $\$ 5$ per M | \$1.50 per M | *July 1, 1862 | Junc 30, 1864 | 22 months. | \$110, 49405 | 77, 662, 699 |
| Valued at over $\$ 5$ and not over $\$ 10$ per M | \$2 per M | July 1,1862 | June30, 1864 | 22 months. | 357, 42405 | 178, 712, 025 |
| Valued at over $\$ 10$ and not over $\$ 20$ per M | \$2.50 per M | July 1, 1882 | June 30, 1.864 | 22 months.. | 667,08483 | 266, 883, 932 |
| $\nabla$ alued at over $\$ 20$ per M |  | July 1,1862 | June 30,1864 | 22 months. | 591, 01115 | 168, 860, 328 |
| $t$ Cigars of all descriptions | Average \$2.372 per ir | July 1, 1862 | June 30,1864 | 22 months. | 380, 72247 | $160,304,197$ |
| Cheroots valued at not over: $\$ 5 \mathrm{per}$ |  | June 30, 1884 |  | 9 months. | $\begin{array}{r}50,31726 \\ 103846109 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 16,772, 420 |
| Cigars valued at not over $\$ 5$ per inc........ | *8 per M | June 30, 1864 | Mar. 3,1865 | 9 months.. | 1, 038846109 | 346, 153, 696 |
| Valued at over $\$ 5$ and not over $\$ 15$ per mi Valued at over $\$ 1.5$ and not over $\$ 30$ per M | ${ }_{\text {\$5 }} 8$ per ${ }^{\text {per }} \mathrm{M}$ | June 30, 1864 | Mar. 3, 1866 | 9 9months.. | 1, 108,743 78 | 138, 592, 972 |
|  | \$25 per M | June 30, 1864 | Mar. ${ }^{\text {Mar: }} 3181865$ | 9 months. 9 months. | 386, 97842 | 25, 798.561 |
|  | \$40 per M | June 30, 1864 | Mar. 3, 1868 | 9 miontis. | 7,442 9,462 12 | 2, 937, 700 |
| Cigarettes valued at not over \$6 per 100 packages of 25 each | \$1 per 100 packages | June 30,1864 | Mar: 3,1865 | 9 montis. | -5, 32887 | 13, 2361,593 |
| Valued at over $\$ 6$ per 100 packages of 25 each...... | \$3 per 100 packages | June 30, 1864 | Mar. 3, 1865 | 9 montlis. | 6, 29768 | 5, 248, 066 |
| Cigarettes made wholly of tobacco. | \$3 per M | June 30, 1864 | Mar. 3, 1865 | 9 montlis. | 1,790 07 | 596, 690 |
| Cigars and cheroots made wholly of tobacco or of any substitutes thercfur: | \$10 per M | Mar. 3, 1865 | §July 13, 1866 | 16 months | 3, 498,787 84 | 349, 878, 784 |
| Cigarettes valued at not over $\$ 5$ per 100 packages of 25 each | 5 cents per package | Mar. 3, 1865 | July 13, 1866 | 1.6 months. | 1,51699 | 758, 495 |
| Valued at over $\$ \overline{5}$ per 100 packages of 25 each. | 5 per cent | Mar: 3, 1865 | July 13, 1866 | 16 months. | 1, 05637 | Unknown. |
| Cigarettes made wholly of tolacco or of any substitutes therefor | \$10 per M | Mar. 3, 1.865 | July 13, 1860 | 16 mouths. | 75299 | 75, 299 |
| Cigars, cigarettes, and cheroots valued at $\$ 8$ per Mr or less | \$2 yer M | July 13, 1866 | Mar. 2, 1867 | 7 months. | 211, 416 22 | 105, 708, 110 |
| Valued at over $\$ 8$ and not over $\$ 12$ per M | \$4 per M | July 13, 1.866 | Mar. 2, 1.867 | 7 nowiths. | 454, 08213 | 113, 520 , 532 |
| Falued at over \$ $\$ 12$ Per MM | \$4 and 20 per cent. p | July 13, 1866 | Mar. 2,1867 | 7 months. | 2, 575, 49040 | 180, 378, 686 |
| Cigars, cigasettes, and cheroots of all descriptions | \$5 per M | Mar. 2, 1867 | July 20, 1868 | 17 months. . | 3,372, 67090 | 674, 534, 180 |
| Cigars and cheroots of all descriptions. | ${ }^{\$ 5} \mathrm{per} \mathrm{M}$ | July 20, 1868 | Mar. 3, 18875 |  | 50, 066, 69491 | 10, 013, 338, 982 |
| Cigarettes weighing not over 3 pounds por $\mathbf{y}$ | \$1.50 per | July 20, 1868 | Mar. 3, 1875 | 79 mouths. | 206, 64264 | 137, 761,759 |
| Weighing over 3 poruds per M | \$5 per M | July 20,1868 | Mar. 3, 1.875 | 79 months. | 3, 07063 | 614, 126 |
| Cigars and cheroots of all descriptions | \$6 por M | Mar. 3, 1875 |  | 40 months. | 36, 222, 38592 | G, 037, 064, 321 |
| Cigarettes weighing not over 3 pounds per | \$1.75 per M | Mar. 3, 1.875 |  | 40 months. | $709,51.895$ | 405, 439, 400 |
| Weighing over ${ }^{3}$ pounds per Mr | \$6 per M | Mar. 3, 1875 |  | 40 months. | 1,338 00 | 223, 000 |
| 'Total |  |  |  |  | 102, 118, 38315 | 19, 421, 327, 438 |

${ }^{*}$ The act of July 1, 1862, went into operation September 1, 1862
$t$ The collections opposite this heading, assessed under act of July 1,1862 , at the several rates of $\$ 1.50, \$ 2, \$ 2.50$, and $\$ 3.50$ per MC, were returuod in one aggregate during the iscal year ended Jane 30, 1865. so far as it relates to tobacco, took effect April 1,1865 .
§The act of July 13, 1866, so far as it relates to tobacco, took effect August $1,1866$.

REVENUE FROM CIGARS, CHEROOTS, AND CIGARETTES BY FISCAL YEARS.
Statement showing the total receipts from cigars, cheroots, and cigarettes, at the several different rates of tax, together with the number of the same on which the tax ras paid during each fiscal year from Septenber 1, 1862, to June 30, 1878.


[^2]
## EXPORTATION OF MANUFACTURED TOBACCO AND SNUFF IN BOND.

The subjoined table shows as removed and unaccounted for July 1, 1877, and July 1, 1878, the quantity in pounds of manufactured tobacco and snuff which had been removed for exportation in bond, and concerning which the proofs of landing at a foreign port had not been fur: nished prior to the dates named.

> 1.-Removed and wnaccounted for July 1,1877.

Pounds
Pounds.
Tobacco at 20 cents tax
300, 520: 00
Bonds remaining in the hands of district attorneys......
17,094.00

- Tobacco at 24 cents removed on exportation bonds...... 4, 581, 905. 25

Tobacco at 24 cents removed on transportation bonds....
931, 529: 50
Snuff at 32 cents renoved on exportation bonds
$10,185.50$
5,841,234. 25
2.-Removed during the year ended Tune 30, 1878.

3.-Exported and during the year acoounted for.

Tobacro at 20 cents tax . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $214,342.50$
Tax paid on deficiencies at 20 cents............................. 266.00
Tobacco at 24 cents tax......................................... 11, 079, 789. 75
Tobacco at 24 cents tax paid on defigiencies................ $1,455.50$
rnuff at 32 cents tax.
35, 879. 12
11, 331, 732. 87
4.-Remaining unaccounted for June 30, 1878.
"Tobacco at 20 cents tan. . .-...................................... . $85,911.50$
Bonds remaining in the lands of district attorneys ..... 17, 094. 00
Tobacco at 24 cents removed under exportation bonds .. 4, 448, 373. 75
"Tobaeco at 24 cents removed under transportation bonds. 534,290 . 50
:Suntf at 32 cents removed under exportation bonds
5,576.00

16, 422, 978. 62
The quantity removed from manufactories for exportation during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, is $753,301.25$ pounds less than that removed during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1877.

## EXPORTATION OF CIGARS AND CIGARETTES IN BOND.

1. Removed and unaccounted for Tuly 1, 1.877.

| Cigars at \$6 per M dax | Number. 487, 075 | Number. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Cigarettes at \$1.75 per M tax | 949,500 |  |

## 2. Removed during the year cnded June 30, 1878.


$12,103,025$
$13,539,600$

## 3. Exported during the year ended June 30, 1878.


4. Remaining unaccounted for June 30, 1878.


## DATE OF BONDS OF TOBACCO UNACCOUNTED FOR.

The dates of the bonds given for the exportation of the tobacco exported and remaining unaccounted for by evidence of landing June 30, 1878, are as follows:

|  | Year. | Tobacco. | Snuff. | Cigars. | Cigarettes. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1869 |  | Pounds. $11,020$ | Pounds. | Number. | Number. |
| 1870 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1871 |  | $628 \frac{1}{2}$ |  |  |  |
| 1872 |  | 2,542 |  |  |  |
| 1873 |  | 5, 904 |  |  |  |
| 1874 |  | 57, 600 |  |  |  |
| 1875 |  | 91, 128 |  | 2,500 |  |
| 1876 |  | 1.78, 194 |  | 4,400 | 10,000 |
| 1877 |  | -998,164 |  | 67, 950 | 77, 000 |
| 1878 |  | 3, 669, $714 \frac{1}{6}$ | 5, 576 | 966, 200 | 2,398,500 |
|  |  | 5, 014,900 ${ }^{\frac{3}{4}}$ | 5,576 | 1,041, 050 | 2,485,500 |

## SPIRITS. AND TOBACCO REMOVED IN BOND FOR EXPORT.

The following statement shows the quantity and percentage of production of distilled spirits and manufactured tobacco (including smuff) removed in bond for export during each fiscal year since the passage of the act of June 6, 1872:

| Year. | Distilled spivits. |  | Year. | Manufactured tobacco. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Taxable (proof) gallous ex. ported. | Percentage of prodnction. |  | Pounds of to-baccoexported. | Percentage of production. |
| 1873. | 2, 358,630 | 3.45+ | 1873 | 10, 110, 045 | $8.59+$ |
| 1874. | $4,060,160$ | $5.90+$ | 1874 | 10, 800, 927 | $9.11+$ |
| 1875. | 587, 413 | $0.96+$ | 1875 | 9, 179,316 | 7.13+ |
| 1876. | 1,308,900 | $2.25+$ | 1876 | 9, 434,485 | 7.87+ |
| 1877. | 2, 529,528 | 4.22+ | 1877 | 11, 335, 046 | 8.88+ |
| 1878. | 5, 499, 252 | $9.80+$ | 1878 | 10,581, 744 | 8.89- |
| Total | 16,343, 883 |  | Total. | 61, 441, 563 |  |

## EXPORTATION OF FRICTION MATCFIES IN BOND.

1. Remoced and umaceoumed for July 1., 1877.

Number of boxes at 1 cent tax
416, 304
2. Removed during year ended June 30, 1878.

Number of boxes at 1 cent tax ........................................ 24, 525,576
24, 941., 880
3. Exported during year ended June 30, 1878.

Number of boxes at 1 cent tax $24,360,120$
4. Remaining unaccounted for Jutne 30, 1878.

Number of boxes at 1 cent tix
581, 760
24, 941. 880

DRAWBACK.
Statement of drawback of internal revenue taxes allowed duning the fiscal year 1878 on exported merchandise.

| Port. | No. of clainns. | Proprietary articles. <br> 1 | Distilled spinits. | Tobacco. | Femmonted liquors. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Baltimore | 1 |  | \$71890 |  |  | \$718 90 |
| Boston | 73 | \$8,597 96 |  |  |  | 8,597 96 |
| New York | 444 | 22, 68345 |  | \$380 00 | \$46 25 | 23, 10970 |
| Norfolk. | 1. |  |  | 27768 |  | 27768 |
| Philadelphia | 26 | 2,338 25 |  |  |  | 2,338 25 |
| San Francisco..... | 13 | 11.664 |  | 1,880 30 |  | 1,996 94 |
| Suspension Bridge | 1 | 1296 7128 |  |  |  | 1296 7128 |
| Total | 562 | ${ }^{*} 33,82054$ | 71890 | 2,537 98 | 4625 | 37, 12367 |

[^3]NUMBER OF SPECIAL TAX－PAYERS．
On pages 188 and 189 of the tables accompanying this report will be found a statement of the amount of special taxes paid in each State and Territory during the special－tax year ended April 30，1878．The follow－ ing table shows the number of persons paying those taxes：

| States and Territo－ ries． |  |  | Wholesale liquor dealers． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | 1 | 1，712 | 49 |  | 26 |  |  | 4， 228 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 12 |
| Arizona |  | 402 | 21 |  | 1 |  |  | 446 | 7 |  | 18 | 1 |
| Arkansas |  | 1，418 | 32 |  | 11 | 5 | 1 | 3， 140 | 8 | 2 | 2 | 16 |
| California | 90 | 8， 625 | 261 | 2 | 290 | 37 | 1 | 10，171 | 11 | ． 43 | 213 | 191 |
| Colorado | 1 | 880 | 42 |  | 16 | 2 |  | 1， 504 | 1 | 2 | 17. | 37 |
| Connecticut | 14 | 2，606 | 54 | 1. | 334 | 140 |  | 4，941 | 5 | 24 | 23 | 243 |
| Dakota． |  | 603 | 22 |  | 3 |  |  | 992 |  |  | 23 | 6 |
| Delaware |  | 619 | 10 |  | 46 |  |  | 2，509 | 3 | 7 | 3 | 10 |
| Dist．of Columbia＊ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Florida． |  | 503 | 8 |  | 45 | 6 |  | 1，425 | 1 | 5 |  | 13 |
| Georgia | 8 | 2，271 | 70 | 2 | 42 |  |  | 6，460 | 8 | 4 |  | 44 |
| Idaho | 1 | 211 | 8 |  |  |  |  | 264 |  |  | 9 | 5 |
| Tllinois | 96 | 10，853 | 270 | 5 | 986 | 112 |  | 24， 062 | 22 | 116 | 154 | 334 |
| Indiana | 12 | 4，728 | 101 |  | 410 | 78 |  | 11， 964 | 12 | 35 | 101 | 133 |
| Iowa | 10 | 3，984 | 66 |  | 298 | 8 |  | 11， 445 | 4 | 24 | 150 | 414 |
| Kansas | 5 | 1，038 | 30 |  | 64 | 1. |  | 3， 150 |  | 4 | 34 | 58 |
| Kentacky | 47 | 3， 841 | 243 | 2 | 250 | 930 |  | 6， 645 | 54 | 21. | 34 | 133 |
| Lonisiana | 26 | 3，464 | 184 |  | 118 | 37 |  | 4， 260 | 71 | 38 | 13 | 50 |
| Mrine |  | 412 | 9 |  | 52 |  |  | 4，874 |  | 53 | 1 | 79 |
| Maryland | 73 | 4，805 | 179 |  | 694 | 123 | 1 | 8，869 | 16 | 16 | 82 | 120 |
| Massachuse | 45 | 6， 301 | 218 | 2 | 501 | 61. |  | 13，352 | 10 | 107 | 35 | 552 |
| Michigan． | 6 | 4， 623 | 57 | 1 | 446 | 21 |  | 12， 215 | 14 | 83 | 1.41 | 533 |
| Minnesota | 11 | 2，077 | 49 |  | 96 | 2 |  | 4，903 |  | 8 | 14.0 | 14.4 |
| Mississippi |  | 1， 737 | 55 |  | 2 |  |  | 4，878 | 1 |  |  | 46 |
| Missouli | 58 | 5，990 | 228 | 2 | 528 | 241 | 1 | 11， 915 | 75 | 24 | 65 | 125 |
| Montana | 2 | 419 | 42 |  |  |  |  | － 500 |  |  | 28 | 10 |
| Nebrask | 1 | 976 | 33 |  | 40 | 1 |  | 2，426 |  | 2 | 32 | 38 |
| Nevada | 2 | 978 | 21 |  | 1 |  |  | 1，109 |  |  | 33 | 13 |
| New Hampshire． |  | 788 | 7 |  | 36 | 1. |  | 2， 168 |  | 18 | 4 | 165 |
| Now Jersey | 12 | 5，773 | 44 | 1 | 766 | 11 |  | 11， 544 | 12 | 76 | 69 | 527 |
| New Mexico | 1 | 402 | 21 |  | 1 |  |  | － 494 |  | 1 | 5 | 4 |
| New York | 219 | 24， 834 | 775 | 5 | 4， 020 | 429 | 2 | 46，572 | 74 | 358 | 402 | 3，482 |
| North Carol | 5 | 1，770 | 37 |  | 14 | 75 |  | 5， 071 | 164 | 164 |  | － 16 |
| Ohio． | 109 | 13， 115 | 391 | 2 | 1，393 | 310 |  | 24， 889 | 51 | 195 | 207 | 319 |
| Oregon | 5 | 892 | 18 |  | 9 | 1 |  | 1， 614 | 1 |  | 32 | 43 |
| Pennsylvania | 202 | 15，548 | 451. | 4 | 3， 555 | 240 | 3 | 37， 773 | 39 | 233 | 383 | 603 |
| Rhode Island． | 5 | 1，255 | 47 |  | － 82 | 4 |  | 2，795 |  | 17 | 5 | 175 |
| South Carolina |  | 1， 227 | 32 |  | 16 | 1 |  | 4，546 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 16 |
| Tennesse | 8 | 3， 078 | 104 |  | 30 | 238 | 1 | 5， 764 | 38 | 12 | 5 | 47 |
| Texas | 3 | 3， 456 | 119 |  | 52 | 45 | 2 | 8，918 | 4 | 2 | 43 | 293 |
| Utah | 1 | 344 | 16 |  | 5 |  |  | 753 |  |  | 23 | 20 |
| Vermont |  | 368 |  |  | 14 | 1. |  | 1， 718 |  | 20 | 1 | 82 |
| Virginia． | 11 | 2， 379 | 60 | 1 | 125 | 492 |  | 4，931 | 195 | ． 8 | 6 | 15 |
| Washington |  | 244 | 11 |  |  |  |  | 603 |  |  | ． 17 | 48 |
| West Virginia | 3 | 698 | 11 |  | 107 | 50 |  | 2， 806 | 16 |  | 14 | 41 |
| Wisconsin． | 31 | 4， 832 | 79 | 1 | 387 | 16 |  | 9，283 | 6 | 36 | 248 | 150 |
| W yoming |  | 266 | 7 |  |  |  |  | 372 |  | 1 | 9 | 3 |
| Total． | 1， 124 | 157， 345 | 4，592 | 31 | 15，912 | 3，719 | 12 | 335， 261 | 925 | 1，763 | 2， 830 | 9，499 |

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# BANKS AND BANKERS OTHER THAN NATIONAL BANKS. 

Statement of the average eapital and deposits of banks and bankers for the twelve months ended May 31, 1877.


## BANKS AND BANKERS OTHER THAN NATIONAL BANKS.

Statement of the average capital and deposits of banks and bankers for the twelve months ended May 31, 1877 -Continued.

|  | STATESAND 'TERRITORIES. | Average capital aud deposits of savings-banks having a capital stock.-From 1066 . |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average capital. | Average taxa. ble capital. | Average depos- its. | Average taxable deposits. |
| 1 | Alabamá. |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Arizona. |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Arkansas California | \$2, 211, 23960 | \$2, 170, 98363 | \$23, 749, 21433 | \$12, 192, 10461 |
| 5 | Colorado. |  |  |  |  |
| 6 | Connecticut |  |  |  |  |
| -7 | Dakota Delaware |  |  |  |  |
| 9 | District of Columbia |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | Florida ....... |  |  |  |  |
| 11 | Georgia. |  |  |  |  |
| 12 | Idaho.. |  |  |  |  |
| 13 14 | Illinois. | 1,764,500 00 | 1, 552, 53645 | 8,438, 72098 | -1, 921, 49623 |
| 15 | Iowa. | 5,00000 | 5,000 00 | -43, 83333 | 11,00000 |
| 16 | Kansas |  |  |  |  |
| 17 | Kentucky |  |  |  |  |
| 18 | Louisiana. |  |  |  |  |
| 20 | Maryland |  |  |  |  |
| 21 | Massachusetts | 205, 20000 | 205, 20000 | 4, 047, 69725 |  |
| 22 | Micbigan.. |  |  |  |  |
| 23 | Minnesota |  |  |  |  |
| 24 | Mississippi |  |  |  |  |
| 25 | Missouri... |  |  |  |  |
| 26 | Montana. |  |  |  |  |
| 27 | Nehraska. |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | Nevada ......... |  |  |  |  |
| 29 | New Hampshire |  |  |  |  |
| 30 31 | New Jerscy.... New Mexico | 10,000 00 | 7,000 00 | 187, 70000 | 37, 475 00 |
| 32 | New York |  |  |  |  |
| 33 | North Carolina. |  |  |  |  |
| 34 35 | Ohio.. | 171, 16666 | 84, 33300 | 372, 13312 | 56,37116 |
| 36 | Peunsylvania | 150,00000 | 129, 9583 | 634,30982 | 205,593 94 |
| 37 | Rhode Island |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }_{39}^{38}$ | South Carolina. | 20,000 00 | 20,000 00 | 11, 84000 | 8, 04500 |
| 40 | Texas..... |  |  |  |  |
| 41 | Utah ... |  |  |  |  |
| 42 | Vermont. |  |  |  |  |
| 43 | Virgivia ... | 428,39333 | 428, 39333 | 570,091 24 | 183, 089.80 |
| 44 | Washington. |  |  |  |  |
| 46 | West Virginia |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | W yoming. |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 4, 965, 49959 | 4,603,404 74 | $38,055,54007$ | 14, 615, 17574 |

BANKS AND BANKERS OTHER THAN NATIONAL BANKS.
Statement of the average capital and deposits of banks and bankers for the twelve montlus ended May 31, 1877 -Continued.

|  | STATES AND TERRITORIES. | Iotal average and taxable average of capital and deposits.-Forms 67 and 106. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average cap- itáll. | Areange taxable capital. | Average deposits. | Average taxable deposite. |
| 1 | Alabama | \$1, 11.0, 31666 | \$1.922, 06661 | \$.1, 624, 1.6800 | \$1, 624, 16800 |
| 2 | Alizona | 9, 16666 | 9, 16666 | 4,583 00 | 4, 58300 |
| 3 | Arkansas | 291,466 66 | 233,800 66 | 320, 50879 | 320,508 79 |
| 4 | California | 36, 329, 67533 | 34, 657, 89393 | 120, 524, 67351 | 90, 373, 429 59 |
| 5 | Colorado. | 569, 19905 | 569, 19905 | 989,755 72 | 989, 75572 |
| 6 | Connccticu | 2, 948,76666 | 2, 281, 58671. | $78,455,49217$ | 15, 235,485 84 |
| 7 | Dakota | 29,083 33 | 29,083 38 | 189, 1.1589 | 139, 11.589 |
| 8 | Delaware | 713,003 60 | 679, 15360 | 1. 732,85293 | 822,567 47 |
| 9 | District of Columbia | 608, 18900 | 167,67125 | 3, 655, 84801 | 3, 241, 09505 |
| 10 | Florida | 43,00000 | 38,00000 | 255,948 25 | 255, 94825 |
| 11 | Georgia | 4, 607, 87173 | 4, 607, 87173 | 3, 873, 741 72 | 3,796,411 55 |
| 12 | Idaho | 56, 961 63 | 56,961 63 | 21, 08615 | 21, 08615 |
| 1.3 | Illinois | 10, 345, 19528 | 8, 716, 31524 | 32, 434, 04672 | 25, 346, 86473 |
| 14 | Indiana | $5,830,25897$ | $5,679,61764$ | 10, 831, 30284 | 9, 124, 85635 |
| 15 | Iowa | 5,005, 41.972 | 4, 847, 45293 | 8,734, 41929 | 8, 701,585 96 |
| 16 | Kansas | 1., 681, 68370 | 1, 583, 37049 | 2, 958, 57849 | 2, 958,578 49 |
| 17 | Kentucky | 12, 882, 48609 | 1.2, 564, 36708 | 12, 365, 11490 | 12, 365, 11490 |
| 18 | Louisiana. | 3, 638,887 83 | 3, 537, 76783 | $6,845,35832$ | 5, 265, 09161 |
| 19 | Maine | 175, 78133 | 159, 11658 | 26, 758, 58425 | 2, 049, 78095 |
| 20 | Maryland | 4, 405, 00024 | 3, 865, 39362 | - $29,11.5,97858$ | 11., 004, 52296 |
| 21 | Massachusetts | 3, 455, 25406 | 2, 200, 00558 | $249,658,09035$ | 10, 056,394 60 |
| 22 | Michigan | 3, 808, 62702 | 3, 459, 91324 | 10, 934, 69275 | 10, 934, 68275 |
| 23 | Minnesota | 1, 173, 69947 | 1, 097, 74335 | 2, 524, 16092 | 2, 488, 13514 |
| 24 | Mississippi | 1, 257, 98695 | 939,341 70 | 1, 304, 89282 | 1, 304, 89282 |
| 25 | Missouri. | 11, 366, 35214 | 10, 297, 49298 | 34, 279, 82112 | 33, 989, 02395 |
| 26 | Montana | 100, 23427 | 100, 23427 | 81, 83159 | 81, 88159 |
| 27 | Nebrask | 438; 17528 | 425, 00992 | 1, 217, 63655 | 1, 217,636 55 |
| 28 | Nevada | 358, 23870 | 358, 23870 | 1, 617, 88273 | 1, 617, 88273 |
| 29 | New Hampshire | 101, 66666 | 87, 55833 | 30, 916, 79580 | 3, 931, 45545 |
| 30 | New Jersey ... | 2, 294, 47897 | J., 945,06988 | 35, 783, 98106 | 10,890,004 64 |
| 31 | New Mexico | 3,883 33 | 1., 3,888 33 | 35, 04252 | 35,042 52 |
| 32 | New York | 58, 71.6, 40826 | 38, 961, 02673 | 438, 371, 51559 | 153, 51.3, 28397 |
| 33 | North Carolina | 575, 55651 | 575, 55651 | 879,04135 | 879, 04135 |
| 34 | Ohio | 9, 136, 1.4659 | 7, 727, 47763 | 33, 154, 46955 | 30, 758, 03266 |
| 35 | Oregon | 578, 85457 | 536, 64400 | 1, 279,471 05 | 1, 279,471 05 |
| 36 | Pennsylvania | 19, 721, 06774 | 18, 358, 17775 | 94, 225, 44622 | 79, 302, 13578 |
| 37 | Rhode Island | 3, 931, 44755 | 3, 364, 56664 | 52, 959, 24748 | 18, 186, 85556 |
| 38 | South Carolina | 1, 004, 77829 | 1, 004, 77829 | 1, 051, 94676 | 987,56755 |
| 39 | Tennesseo | 1., 745, 71872 | 1, 630, 94355 | 2, 897. 40672 | 2, 897,406 72 |
| 40 | Toxas | 3, 447, 02174 | 3, 158, 73456 | 4, 596, 85674 | 4, 596, 85674 |
| 41 | Otah | 115, 26074 | 115, 26074 | 588, 08912 | 588, 08912 |
| 42 | Vermont | 318,750 00 | 272,72300 | 7, 615, 71418 | 1, 209, 18871 |
| 43 | Virginia | 3, 480, 49326 | 3, 380, 92682 | 6, 999, 1.4214 | 6, 612, 14070 |
| 44 | Washington | 222,629 19 | 222, 62919 | 295, 07316 | 295, 073 J ] 6 |
| 45 | West Virginia | 1, 44.1, 37933 | 1, 437, 02933 | 3, 928, 63902 | 3, 928, 63902 |
| 46 | Wisconsin | 2, 058,484 45 | 1, 787, 65393 | 9, 987, 90829 | 9, 987, 90829 |
| 47 | W yoming | 46,930 03 | 46,930 03 | 76,677 69 | 76,677 69 |
|  | Total | $222,180,88729$ | 188, 791, 3565 | 1, 368, 902, 63075 | 585, 285, 91206 |

## BANKS AND BANKERS OTHER THAN NATIONAL BANKS.

Statement of the average capital and deposits of banks and bankers for the treelve months ended May 31, 1878.

|  | STATES AND TERRITORDES. | A verago capital and deposits of banks and bankers.-Form 67. |  |  | Average deposits of savingsbanks having no capital stock.-Fomm 106 a. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average capital. | Average taxable capital. | Average deposits. | Average deposits. | Average taxable deposits. |
| 1 | Alabama | \$1, 059,59.100 | \$1,001, 50100 | \$1, 689, 97500 |  |  |
| 2 | Arizona | 72, 1.3600 | 72, 13600 | 21, 48900 |  |  |
| 3 | Arkansas | $=234,85400$ | 217, 191.00 | 291, 88.1. 00 |  |  |
| 4 | California | 31., 137, 87600 | 27, 692, 38600 | 45, 310, 54900 | \$29, 606, 67600 | \$11, 344, 06600 |
| 5 | Colorado | 528, 90700 | 528,90700 | 924, 03200 |  |  |
| 6 | Connecticut | 2, 725,649 00 | 2, 196, 18700 | 4, 321,569 00 | 75, 170, 74800 | 9, 1.58, 29600 |
| 7 | Dakota. | 73,153 00 | 73, 153 00 | 261, 66900 |  |  |
| 8 | Delaware | 711, 21.900 | 688, 54200 | 820, 25000 | 1, 010, 03600 | 31, 19000 |
| 9 | Dist of Columbia* |  |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | Florida. | 96, 57500 | 91, 57500 | 230, 28000 |  |  |
| 11 | Georgia | 4, 305,539 00 | 4, 287, 74600 | 3, 21.4,771 00 | 254, 86200 | 25,502 00 |
| 12 | Irlaho. | 600,461 00 | 60,461 00 | 24, 25400 |  |  |
| 13 | Illinois | $8,545,822-00$ | $6,823,42500$ | 22, 763, 93100 | 368, 70600 | 22,338 00 |
| 14 | Indiana | $5,174,031.00$ | 4,952,560 00 | 8, 709,538 00 | 1,367, 12100 | 212, 06600 |
| 15 | Iowa | $5,024,81500$ | 5, 095, 59100 | $8,345,83400$ |  |  |
| 16 | Kansas | 1.,596, 96000 | ]., 476, 95400 | 2, 961. 85500 |  |  |
| 17 | Kentucky | 13, 718, 14600 | 13, 348,21200 | 11, 942,37300 |  |  |
| 18 | Louisiama | 3, 955, 69900 | 3,772, 69900 | $5,095,54700$ | 2,037, 53600 | 320, 36900 |
| 19 | Maine | 132,360 00 | 113, 74300 | 102,71000 | 29, 404, 96600 | 614, 67200 |
| 20 | Maryland | 4, 91.9, 011.00 | 3, 917, 37200 | 7, 884,371 00 | 20, 442, 57400 | 1, 685, 44500 |
| 21 | Massachusetts | 3, 800, 304 00 | 1., 395, 64900 | $9,202,91000$ | 219, 988, 88300 | 402,628 00 |
| 22 | Michigan | 3, 543,477 00 | 3, 335, 63600 | $9,542,18400$ |  |  |
| 23 | Minnesota | 1, 354, 421. 00 | 1., 310, 00700 | 3, 060, 28400 | 56,11300 | 5,27800 |
| 24 | Mississippi | 1, 161, 31.500 | 1., 016, 51.300 | 1, 468,823 00 |  |  |
| 25 | Missonri | 10, 665, 88800 | 9, 807, 03500 | 28, 42]., 91900 |  |  |
| 26 | Montana | 131, 14400 | 131, 144* 00 | 119,352 00 |  |  |
| 27 | Nebraska | 486, 17900 | 433,55600 | 1, 1.86, 99000 |  |  |
| 28 | Nevada | 410, 971.00 | 410, 971. 00 | 1, 886, 69000 |  |  |
| 29 | New Hampshire | 61.00000 | 61,000 00 | 134, 16700 | 28, 081, 461. 00 | 1,755, 76200 |
| 30 | New Jersey. | 1, 892, 41:300 | 1, 542,60900 | 3, 492, 37900 | 27, 628, 72100 | 4, 246, 80900 |
| 31 | New Mexico | 5,000 00 | 5, 00000 | 51, 39500 |  |  |
| 32 | New York | $54,062,11600$ | 33, 403, 92600 | 167, 025, 50400 | 295, 709, 29500 | 19, 102, 92000 |
| 33 | North Carolina. | 534, 10800 | 534,10800 | 899, 05900 |  |  |
| 34 | - Ohio | 8, 920,383 00 | 7, 339, 66300 | 27, 958,46200 | 9, 037, 83800 | 2,639,732 00 |
| 35 | Oregon | 582, 25400 | 592, 17500 | 1, 458, 09900 |  |  |
| 36 | Pennsylrania | 17, 647, 15000 | 16, 488, 50700 | 67, 543, 01100 | 21, 290, 45900 | 1., 369, 28300 |
| 37 | Rhode Island. | 3, 886, 82900 | $3,310,61.300$ | 3, 846, 06400 | 47, 526, 37600 | 12, 762, 05900 |
| 38 | South Carolina | 924, 958-00 | 924, 95800 | 930, 06800 | 43, 63400 | 43, 63400 |
| 39 | Teanessee | 1, 605, 32600 | 1, 587, 80700 | 2, 429, 79900 |  |  |
| 40 | Texas | 3, 554, 552 00 | 3, 397, 09600 | 4,511, 58800 |  |  |
| 41 | Utah | 190, 00000 | 190, 00000 | 684, 68000 |  |  |
| 42 | Vermont | 340, 83300 | 305, 05500 | 1,530, 34400 | 6,739, 467 '00 | 208, 80300 |
| 43 | Virginia. | $3,118,02900$ | 2, 915, 64200 | 6, 469, 25200 |  |  |
| 44 | Washington | 214, 03600 | 214,03600 | 469,80200 |  |  |
| 45 | West Virginia | 1, 391, 76200 | 1., 358,62500 | 4, 431,995 00 |  |  |
| 46 | Wisconsin | 2, 059,956 00 | 1, 913, 22300 | 9, 61.3, 76200 |  |  |
| 47 | W yoming | . 72, 19100 | 72, 19100 | -140, 98200 |  |  |
|  | Tot | 206, 689, 39900 | 170, 407, 12400 | 483, 426, 53200 | 815, 762, 47200 | 65,950,852 00 |

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## Statement of the average capital and deposits of banks and bankers for the twelve months ended May 31, 1878-Continued.

|  | STATES AND TERRITORIDS. | Average capital and deposits of sayings-banks haring a cajital stock-Form 1060. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average capital. | Average taxable capital. | Averagedepos its. | Average taxable deposits. |
| 1 | Alabama... |  |  |  |  |
| 2 | Arizona.... |  |  |  |  |
| 3 | Arkansas Califorinis | \$1, 870, 88800 |  |  |  |
| 5 | Colorado. | \$1,870, 88800 | \$.1, 851, 41600 | \$22, 382, 10800 | 12, 097, 04700 |
| 6 | Connecticat. |  |  |  |  |
| 7 | Dakota |  |  |  |  |
| 8 | Delaware |  |  |  |  |
|  | District of Columbia* |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | Florida ............. |  |  |  |  |
| . 11 | Georgia. | 1, 250, 00000 | 1,250,000 00 | 392, 77800 | 389, 23000 |
| 13 | Illinois.. | 530,454 00 | 343,90400 | 213,37600 | 76,93800 |
| 14 | Indiana | 20, 00000 | 20, 00000 | 30, 05500 |  |
| 16 | Kansas |  |  |  |  |
| 17 | Kentacky |  |  |  |  |
| -18 | Louisiana | 500, 00000 | 500, 00000 | 413, 22400 | 244, 19100 |
| 90 | Maryland | 530,43400 | 343,90400 | 213, 37600 | 76,938 00 |
| 21 | Massachusetts | 136, 80000 | 136, 80000 | 2, 431, 13400 | 2, 431, 13400 |
| 22 | Michigan...................... | 125̄, 00000 | 2, 64200 | 331, 08600 | 331, 08600 |
| $\stackrel{23}{24}$ | Mimesota. <br> Mississsippi |  |  |  |  |
| 25 | Missouri... |  |  |  |  |
| 26 | Montana.. |  |  |  |  |
| 27 | Nobraska. |  |  |  |  |
| 28 | Nevada. |  |  |  |  |
| $\checkmark 29$ | New Hampshire |  |  |  |  |
| 30 | New Jersey. | 10,000 00 | 4,000 00 | 207,600 00 | 34, 45900 |
| 31 | New Mexico |  |  |  |  |
| 32 | New York. |  |  |  |  |
| ${ }^{33}$ | North Carolina |  |  |  |  |
| 35 | Oregon.. | ${ }_{29,736} 700$ | 22,73600 | 24,502 00 | 87,686 4,850 00 |
| 36 37 | Pennsylvania | 137,450 00 | 124, 95000 | 263, 37900 | 242, 14000 |
| 37 | Rhode Island |  |  |  |  |
| 38 | Soutb Carolina |  |  |  |  |
| 39 | Tennessee |  |  |  |  |
| 40 | Texas..... |  |  |  |  |
| 41 | Utah..... |  |  |  |  |
| - 42 | Vermont |  |  |  |  |
| 43 | Virginia. | 381, 88200 | 381, 88200 | 459, 28500 | 128, 27300 |
| 44 | Washington <br> West Virgini |  |  |  |  |
| 46 | Wisconsin ... |  |  |  |  |
| 47 | W yoruing. |  |  |  |  |
|  | Total | 5,609,330 00 | 5, 007, 45800 | 27, 651, 44800 | 16, 143, 97200 |

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## Statement of the average capital and deposits of banks and bankers for the twelve months ended May 31, 1878—Continued.

|  | STATES AND TERLITORIES. | Total average and taxable average of capital and deposits.Forms 67 and 106. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Average capi- tal. | Average taxable capital. | Average deposits. | Averagetaxable deposits. |
| 1 | Alabama | \$1, 059, 59100 | \$1, 001. 59100 | \$1, 689, 97500 | \$1, 689, 97500 |
| 2 | Arizona | 72, 13600 | 72, 13600 | 21, 48900 | 21,48900 |
| 3 | Arkansas | 234, 85400 | 217, 19100 | 291. 881. 00 | 291, 88100 |
| 4 | California | 32, 518, 76400 | 29, 543, 75200 | 97, 299, 33300 | 68, 751, 66200 |
| 5 | Colorado. | 528,90700 | 528, 90700 | 924, 03200 | 924, 03200 |
| 6 | Connectich | 2, 725, 64.900 | $2,196,18700$ | 79, 492, 31700 | 13,479, 86500 |
| 7 | Dakota | 73,15800 | 73,15300 | 261, 66900 | -261, 66900 |
| 8 | Delaware | 711, 21900 | 688,542 00 | 1, 830, 28600 | 851,440 00 |
| 9 | District of Columbia* |  |  |  |  |
| 10 | Floridat | 96, 57500 | 91, 57500 | 230, 28000 | 230, 28000 |
| 11. | Greorgia | 4, 305, 539900 | 4, 287, 74600 | $3,469,63300$ | 3, 240, 27300 |
| 12 | Idaho. | $60,461.00$ | 60,46100 | 24, 25400 | 24, 25400 |
| 13 | Illinois | 8, 621,585 00 | 6, 897, 36200 | 23, 411., 17400 | 22, 830, 431 00 |
| 14 | Indiana | $5,174,031.00$ | 4, 952, 96000 | 10, 076, 65900 | 8, 921, 60400 |
| 15 | Iowa | $5,044,81.500$ | 5, 115, 59100 | 8, 375, 88900 | $8,359,51700$ |
| 16 | Kansas | 1., 596,96000 | 1, 476, 95400 | $2,961,85500$ | 2,961., 85500 |
| 17 | Kentucky | 13, 718, 14600 | 13, 348, 21200 | 11, 942,37300 | 1], 942, 37300 |
| 18 | Lonisiania. | 4, 455, 69900 | 4, 272, 69900 | 7, 54, 307 00 | 5, 658,10700 |
| 19 | Maine | 132, 36000 | 113, 74300 | 29, 507, 67600 | 717, 38200 |
| $: 20$ | Maryland | $5,449,46500$ | $4,261,27600$ | 28, 540, 32100 | 9, 646, 75400 |
| 21. | Massachusetts | 3, 800, 30400 | 1, 395, 64900 | 229, 191, 79300 | 9, 605,538 00 |
| 22 | Michigan | $3,668,47700$ | 3, 338, 27800 | $9,873,27000$ | 9, 873, 27000 |
| $: 23$ | Minnesota | ], 354, 42100 | 1,310, 00700 | 3, 116, 39700 | 3, 065,562 00 |
| 24 | Mississipp | $1,161,31500$ | 1, 016, 51300 | 1, 469, 82300 | 1., 469, 82300 |
| 25 | Missomi.i. | 10, 665, 98800 | 9, 807, 03500 | $28,421,91900$ | 28, 421, 93.900 |
| 26 | Montana | 131, 14400 | ].31, 1.4400 | 1.1.9,352 00 | 11.9, 352 00 |
| :27 | Nebrask | 480, 17900 | 433, 55600 | 1, 186, 99000 | 1., 186, 99000 |
| :28 | Nevada | 410, 971. 00 | 410, 97100 | 1, 886, 69000 | ], 886, 69000 |
| $: 29$ | Now Hamps | 61, 00000 | 61., 00000 | $28,2] 5,62800$ | 1., 889, 92000 |
| :30 | Now Tersey. | 1,902, 41300 | ]., 546, 60900 | 31, 328, 70000 | 7,773, 64700 |
| 31. | New Mexic | 5, 00000 | 5, 00000 | 51, 39500 | 51, 39500 |
| 32 | New York | 54, 062, 11600 | 33, 403, 92600 | 462, 734, 88900 | 186, 1.28, 51400 |
| .33 | North Caroliai | 534,10800 | 534, 10800 | 899, 05900 | 899, 05900 |
| 34 | Ohio | 9, 007, 04900 | 7, 364, 88700 | 37, 275, 84500 | 30, 685, 88000 |
| :35 | Oregon | 661, 99000 | 614,911 00 | 1, 492, 60100 | 1, 462, 94900 |
| -36 | Penusylvania | 17, 784, 60000 | 16, 613, 45700 | 89, 096, 84900 | $69,154,43400$ |
| . 37 | Rhode Tsland | 3, 886, 82900 | 3, 31.0, 61300 | 51, 372, 44000 | 16, 608, 12300 |
| 38 | Sonth Carolina | 924, 95800 | 924, 95800 | 973, 70200 | 973, 702.00 |
| 39 | Tennesso | 1, 605, 32600 | 1,587, 80700 | 2, 429,799 00 | $2,429,799: 00$ |
| 40 | Texas | 3, 554, 55200 | $3,397,09600$ | 4,511,588 00 | 4, 511, 58800 |
| 41 | Utah | 190, 00000 | 190, 00000 | 684, 68000 | 684,68000 |
| 42 | Vermon | 340,83300 | 305,05300 | 8,269, 81100 | 1, 739, 14700 |
| -43 | Virginia | 3, 499, 91100 | 3, 297, 52400 | 6, 928,58700 | 6, 597, 52500 |
| 44 | Washington | 214,036 00 | 214,03600 | 469,80200 | 469, 80200 |
| 45 | West Virginia | 1, 391, 76200 | 1., 358, 62500 | 4, 431, 995000 | 4, 431, 99500 |
| 46 | Wisconsin | 2, 059, 95600 | 1, 913,22300 | $9,613,76200$ | 9, 613, 76200 |
| -47 | Wyoming | 72, 19100 | 72, 19100 | 140,982 00 | J.40, 98200 |
|  | Tota | 21.0, 011, 33800 | 173, 758, 21500 | 1, 324, 083, 701. 00 | 562, 680, 80000 |

[^4]BANKS AND BANKERS OTHER THAN NATIONAL BANKS.
Statement of the amount of taxes collected on the capital and deposits of banks and bankers during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1877.


## BANKS AND BANKERS OTHER THAN NATIONAL BANKS.

Statement of the amount of taxes collected on the capital and deposits of banks and bankers during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

From the annexed statement it will be seen that a total amount of $\$ 3,490,913.13$ has been realized by the tax on the capital and deposits of banks and bankers during the last fiscal year.


The following statements are compiled from the foregoing tables and from assessment returns:
1.-Statement of the gross amount of average capital and deposits of savings banks, banks, and bankers, other than national banks, for the years ended May 31, 1876, 1877, and 1878.

|  | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Capital of savings banks. | \$5, 016, 659 | \$4, 965,500 | \$5, 609, 330 |
| Capital of banks and bankers | 211, 634, 586 | 217, 215, 388 | 206, 689, 399 |
| Deposits of savings banks having capital | 38, 207, 891 | 38, 055, 540 | 27, 651, 448 |
| Deposits of savings banks having no capital | $845,100,217$ | 855, 057, 027 | 815, 762, 472 |
| Deposits of banks and bankers. | 483, 458, 242 | 475, 790, 064 | 483, 426, 532 |
| Total | 1, 583, 426, 505 | 1, 591, 083, 51.9 | 1, 539, 139, 181 |

2.-Statement of the taxable capital and deposits of savings banks, bankers, and banks, other than national banks, and the taxes accrued and paid thereon for the years ended May 31, 1877 and 1878.

|  | 1877. |  | 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amount taxable. | Tax collected. | Amount taxable. | Tax collected. |
| Capital of savings banks | \$4, 603405 | \$22, 383 | \$ $\$ 5,007,458$ | \$19,050 |
| Capital of banks and bankers | 184, 187, 952 | 905, 278 | 1.70, 407, 124 | 878, 176 |
| Deposits of savings banks having capital... | 14, 615, 176 | 56, 064 | 16, 143, 972 | 74,410 |
| Deposits of savings bayks having no capital.. | 94, 880, 672 | -364,334 | 65, 950, 852 | 373,952 |
| Deposits of bauks and bankers............... | 475, 790, 064 | 2, 476, 240 | 483, 426, 532 | 2, 145; 325 |
| Total. | 774, 077, 269 | 3, 824, 299 | 740, 935, 938 | 3, 490, 913 |

3.-Statement of average capital and deposits of savings banks, and the capital of bankers and baniks other than national banks, invested in United States bonds, compiled from returns of said banks and bankers for the years ended May 31, 1876, 1877, and 1878.

|  | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Capital of savings banks | \$590, 135 | \$362, 095 | \$601, 872 |
| Capital of banks and banke | 25, 574, 003 | 33, 027, 436 | 36, 425, 306 |
| Deposits of sayings banks. | 95, 245,863 | J.02, 859, 674 | 121, 855,622 |
| Total | 121, 410, 001 | 136,240,205 | 158,882, 800 |

## ABSTRACT OW SECZURES.

Seizures of property for violation of internal neveme laws during the fiscal year ender June 30, 1878, were as follows:
148,785 gallons of distilled spirits, valued at ................................109, 74128
1,284 packages of fermented liquors, valued at................................................ 52650
67,576 pounds of tolaceo, valued at ........................................... 14,40089

Miscellaneons property, valued at................................................ 356, 03864
Total value of seizures................................................... . 503, 966 39

## ABS'TRAC'T OF REPORTS OF DISTRICT ATTORNEYS.

The following is an abstract of the reports of district attomeys, for the fiscal year 1878, of internal revenue suits commenced, pending, and disposed of:
Suits commencod.
Number of criminal actions ..... 6, 294
Number of civil actions in personam
Number of civil actions in personam ..... 469 ..... 469
Number of actions in rem ..... 267
Whole number commenced ..... 7,030
Suits decided in faror of the United States.
Number of criminal actions ..... 2, 968
Number of civil actions in perronam ..... 333
Number of actions in rem. ..... 221
Whole mumber of suits decided in faror of the United States ..... 3,522
Suthts decided against the United States.
Number of criminal actions ..... 914
Number of eivil actions in personam ..... 56
Number of actions in rem ..... 45
Whole number of suits decided against the United States ..... 995
Suits setlled or dismissed.
Number of criminal actions ..... 2,179
Number of civil actions in personam ..... 409
Number of actions in rem ..... 59
Whole number of snits settled or dismissed ..... 2,647
Suits pending July 1, 1877.
Number of criminal actions ..... 3, 089
Number of civil actions in personam ..... 523
Number of actions in rem ..... 200
Whole number of suits pending July 1, 1877 ..... 3,812
Aniount of judgments recovered by the United States in criminal actions.
Principal ..... \$257, 1588593, 98481———Total351, 14366
Amount of judgments recovered by the Uniled States in eivil actions in personam.
Principal \$901, 17072
Costs ..... 8,961 17
Total 910, 13189
Amount of judgments recovered by the United States in actions in rem.
Principal ..... \$36, 19319 ..... $407 \quad 38$
Total ..... $36,600 \quad 57$
Amount collected on judgments and paid into court in eriminal actions.
Principal \$47, 972 59
Costs ..... 27,382 84
Total ..... 75,35543Amount collected-on judgments and paid into court in actions in personam.
Principal ..... \$251, 85940
Costs ..... 5, 11211Total256, 97151
Amount collected on judgmonts and paid into court in actions in rem or procecds of forfciture.$\$ 47,88673$8,361 2456,74797Total9 F

## COMPROMLSES RECEIVED AND ACCEPCED.

The following statement shows the offers in compromise received and accepted under section 3229, Revised Statutes, for each month of the fiscal year:

| Months. | Compromise cases. |  | Tax. | Assessed penalty. | Specific jecnalty. | Totals. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { ت } \\ & \text { 范 } \\ & \text { B } \\ & 0 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |
| July | 51 | 40 | \$4,21948 | \$166 67 | \$1.7 77700 | \$6,163 15 |
| Angust | 65 | 18 | 3, $37667{ }^{3}$ | 34163 | . 47000 | 3, 88084 |
| September | 75 | 22 | 41450 |  | 1,690 00 | 2, 10450 |
| October | 11.2 | 87 | -17,508 48 | 22625 | 3, 03700 | 20,771 73 |
| November: | 99 | 58 | ]., 69507 | 5750 | 5,35284 | 7, 10541 |
| December | 78 | 78 | 51469 | 5750 | 2, 20773 | 2,779 92 |
| January.. | 143 | 74 | 40769 | 10067 | 5, 92577 | 6,484 13 |
| Febrnary | 136 | 82 | 2,703 20 |  | 3,742 57 | 6,445 77 |
| March ... | 116 | 154 | 2,729 51 |  | 5,407 33 | 8,13684 |
| April | 138 | 122 | 4000 | 750 | 3,618 57 | 3, 66607 |
| May | 83 | 94 | 58199 | 19792 | 2,954 42 | 3, 684. 33 |
| June | 73 | 65 | 1., 784. 30 | 17500 | 4,091 06 | 6, 05036 |
| , | 1, 169 | 894 | 35, 925 58\% | 1,023 17\% | 40,274 29 | 77, 22305 |

[^5]REAL ESTATE ACQUIRED.
The following-described realty has been acquired for non-payment of taxes and on execntions, viz: 180 acres of land in the State of Georgia; one distillery property in State of Illinois (since redeemed) ; one distillery property in State of Michigan (since redeemed); one lot of land in State of Missouri; one store and dwelling-liouse combined, and 960 acres of land, in State of Tennessee; and 8 lots of land in State of Texas. The amount of taxes, \&c., due on this property, and for which it was sold and bought in by the government, aggregates $\$ 7,800.20$. There have been sold in the States of Alabana, lllinois, Indiana, Nebraska, Virginia, and Wisconsin 11 parcels of real estate, realizing the sum of $\$ 4,816.25$, which has been deposited in the United States Treasury. There has been received from rents of property in the States of Alabama, Illinois, and Wisconsin the sum of $\$ 1,143.30$, also deposited in the United States Treasury.

The Bingham distillery, in Evansville, Ind., declared forfeited by the United States district court, was sold on the 17th July, 1877, for $\$ 10,000$, less all State and county taxes. Negotiations are being carried on continually for the sale of the other property coming under charge of this bureau under section 3208, Revised Statutes, nearly as many parcels having been disposed of since the commencement of this fiscal year as were sold during the last one. The epidemic prevailing throughout the South the past summer has interfered with the receipt of the reports heretofore called for as to the situation of the large amount of property held in the Southern States, and the completion of negotiations for the sale of several parcels commenced in the spring of this year.

## ASSESSMENTS.

The following table gives the assessments made by the Commissioner of Internal Revenue during the fiscal years ended June 30, 1877, and June 30, 1878, respectively, showing the increase or decrease on each article or occupation :

| Article or occupation. | Amount assessed during fiscal year ended- |  | Fiscal year ended June 30, 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | June 30, 1877. | June 30, 1878. | Increase over 1877. | Decrease from 1877. |
| Tax on deficiencies-in the production of distilled spirits. | \$77, 86755 | \$75, 58321 |  | \$2, 28434 |
| Tax on excess of materials used in the production of distilled spinits | 58,473 86 | 18,050 73 |  | 40,423 13 |
| Tax on deposits, capital, and circulation of banks and bankers | 3, 877, 24623 | 3, 459, 69420 |  | 387, 55203 |
| Distilled spirits seized or fraudulently removed.. | 255,931 71 | 207, 41614 |  | 48,515 57 |
| Fcrmented liquors removed fiom brewery unstamped | 2,577 50 | 2,608 41 | \$30 91 |  |
| Tobacco, smiff, and cigars removed from factory unstamped | 41.9,308 77 | 130,431 60 |  | 288, 87717 |
| Proprictary articles removed mustamped | 91673 | 4, 34912 | 3, 43239 |  |
| Assessed penalties | 109, 25935 | 128, 405.70 | 19,146 35 | ............ |
| Legacies and succossions ...................... | 49,74761 | 127, 18994 | 77,442 33 |  |
| Unassessed and unassessable penalties, interest, taxes previonsly abated, conscience money and deficiencies in boncled accounts which have been collected, also fines, jenalties, and forfeitures paid to collectors loy order of court or by order of Secretary, and amount of penalties and struments. (Form 58) | 478, 65303 | 370, 1.3388 |  | 108,519 15 |
| Special taxes (licenses) | 104, 13389 | 128, 71683 | 24, 58294 |  |
| Tax on income and dividen | 52, 31850 | 123, 92854 | 71, 61004 |  |
| Total. | 5, 486, 43473 | 4, 806, 50830 |  | 679,926 43 |

The foregoing statement shows a decrease in the assessments for the year ended June 30, 1878, as compared with the previous year, of $\$ 679,926.43$. The decrease occurred in taxes on deficiencies in the production of distilled spirits, on excess of materials used in the production of distilled spirits, on distilled spirits seized or frandulently removed, on tobacco, snuff, and cigars removed unstamped, in the collections reported on Form 58, and on deposits, capital, and circulation of banks and bankers.

## DRAWBACKS.

The following statement shows the amount of drawback allowed on exported merchandise during the years named:

| 1863 | \$677, 10640 | 1871 | \$22,88797 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1864 | 687, 43199 | 1872 | 13, 70467 |
| 1865. | 698,655 36 | 1873 | *52,34631 |
| 1866 | 798, 86673 | 1874 | 35, 49531 |
| 1867 | 1,864,631 68 | 1875 | 28,941 83. |
| 1868. | 1,379,980 01 | 1876 | 30,546 88 |
| 1869 | 377, 41131 | 1877 | 55, 09240 |
| 1870. | 5,838 55 | 1878 | *37, 12367 |

*Including drawback on distilled spirits.

## COLLECIED FROM RAILROADS.

The following is a statement of taxes collected from railroad corporations, and of taxes reported for collection or suit:

Taxes collected during fiscal year ended June 30, 1878:
Number of corporations . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 218,302 ~$
Amount collected. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 73
$\$ 218,30273$
Taxes collected since June 30, 1.878 :
Number of corporations . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 9
Amount collected. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$29, 240 50
Amount of taxes reported to collectors during fiscal year ended June 30,1878 , for collection or suit not yet paid :
Number of corporations . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 27
Amount reported . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . \$563, 463 27
Amome of taxes reported to collectors since June 30, 1878, for collection or suit not yet paid:
Number of corporations . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 5
Amount reported . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\$ 75,9607$ 7

## SUITS AGAINST EX-COLLECTORS.

Subjoined is a list of suits against late collectors of internal revenne, in which judgments have been rendered during the fiscal year ended June 30,1878 , fumished by courtesy of the honorable Solicitor of the Treasury.

M-A. Williams, late collector of intemal revenue for the district of Florida. Judgment for $\$ 240.65$.

John T. Harper, late collector of internal revente for eighth district of Illinois.

Judgment for $\$ 1,520.92 \dot{v}$. parties to first bond.
Judgment for $\$ 72,840.31 v$. parties to second boud.
Judgment for $\$ 31,197.26 v$. parties to third bond.
William C. Stanberry, late collector of internal revenue for sixth col-
lection district of Iowa. Judgment for: \$1,195.18. Motion made by defendants for a new trial, and continuance granted by court.

Hemry B. M.cClure, late collector of internal revenue second district of Mississippi. Judgment for $\$ 273.22$.

George S. Dennison, late collector intermal revenue first collection district of Louisiana. Judgment for $\$ 7,983.70$.
E. T. McGee, late collector internal revenue sixth district Tennessee. Judgment for \$631.05.
F. Travis, late collector internal reveme seventh district Temnessee. Judgment for $\$ 31,67944$.

Milton Sapp, late collector intemal revenue first district Texas. Judgment for $\$ 620.15$, and set aside by court.

## COMPROMISES AFTGER JUDGMENT.

The records of the Solicitor of the Treasury also show that for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, six cases were compromised after judgment, the amount accepted being $\$ 2,548.88$, and two were compromised at costs; thirty-two offers of compromise after judgment were rejected, the anount involved being $\$ 39,100.56$, and six were rejected the offer
being to pay costs; ten offers in compromise are pending, the amount involved being $\$ 21,317.91$.

## REWARDS.



## MANUFACTURE OF PAPER.

In response to the advertisement referred to in my last report, bids were received from a number of the most prominent paper manufacturers of the country for furnishing paper for internal revenue stamps, and the lowest bid, which was made by Messrs. S. D. Warren \& Co., of Boston, Mass., was accepted. The prices paid under the contract are $10 \frac{1}{2}$ cents per pound for vegetable-sized paper and $11 \frac{1}{2}$ cents per pound for animal-sized paper, about nine-tenths of the quantity used being of the former lind. The price paid under the previous contract was 20 cents per pound, and the annual saving effected by this change amounts to nearly $\$ 25,000$. The paper furnished is distinctive in color, and is water-marked with the letters "U. S. I. R." in such a way that each square inch of every sheet bears some portion of the water-mark. This paper is manufactured under the supervision of an agent, who, with a suitable guard, is stationed at the mill. The paper is counted, boxed, and shipped to the Secretary of the Treasury, who issues the same to the Bureau of Engraving and Printing. No change has been made during the year in the contracts for the manufacture of paper or for the printing of such stamps as are not printed by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing of this department.

## PRINTING AND ISSUE OF STAMPS.

The stamps issued by this office are engraved and printed in the lighest style of the art of bank note engraving and printing, and it is a matter of congratulation that successful counterfeiting thereof has not been accomplished. Stamps for documents and proprietary articles continue to be printed by the National Bank Note Company, of New York; stamps for checks, drafts, or orders by the Graphic Company, of New York, and stamps for foil tobacco wrappers by Mr. John J. Crooke, of New York. The stamps furnished have been satisfactory, and it is believed that the rates paid are as low as can be obtained.

The following statement shows the number, kind, and value of stamps issued from this office during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878:

| Kind. | Number. | Value. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Stamps for clistilled spirits | 3, 720,050 | \$52, 157, 19500 |
| Stamps for tobacco and snuff | 198, 185, 951. | 29,521, 43107 |
| Stamps for cigars and cigarettes | 25, 352, 665 | 12, 027, 75175 |
| Stamps for fermented liguors and brewers' permits | 34, 910, 860 | 10,368, 15000 |
| Stamps for special taxes | 637, 990 | 9, 091, 350.00 |
| Stamps for documents and proprietary articles. | 478, 689, 531 | $6,473,40119$ |
| Total | 741,497, 047 | 119, 639, 279.01 |

## STAMPS REDEEMED AND EXCEANGED.

| Number of claims for redemption of st | 628 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Amount of claims for redemption of stamps allowe | \$32,821 01 |
| Number of claims for the exchange of stamps allowed. | 702 |
| Amonnt of claims for the exchange of stamjs allowed | \$67,741 28 |

## PRECAUTIONS AGAINST FlRAUD.

The desirability of providing an ink with properties as nearly indelible as could be found, to be used in filling up and signing internal revenue stamps by collectors, has long been apparent. During the year many samples of ink claimed to be indelible have been submitted to this office, and all have been tested. Samples of the ink seeming to possess the requisite quality in the highest degree have been furnished to collectors for the purpose of giving it a practical test.

A mucilage to be used in affixing stamps to wooden packagès, which after application would resist both heat and moisture, would undoubtedly be of great. advantage to the service by making it impossible to detach and re-use the same.

The plan which was adopted in 1875 of preparing certain stamps for distilled spirits, with slips of paper affixed to the backs thereof to prevent the body of the stamp from adhering to the package so that a designated portion could be cut out when the package was emptied, and returned to this office as conclusive evidence of the destruction of the stamp, and as a voucher for the issue of other stamps, has umdoubtedly been of the greatest value as a preventive of frauds. It is claimed by four different parties that this plan is an infringement of patents owned by them, and four suits have been commenced against collectors for damages on account of such alleged infringements. The suits are being energetically defended by the United States district attorneys.

RECEIPTS FOR FIRST FOUR MONTHS OF PRESENT FISCAL YEAR.
The following table shows the receipts from the several objects of taxation for the first four months of the last two fiscal years. A comparison of the receipts for the two periods is also given.

| Somes of revenue. | Receipts from July 1, 1877, to October 31, 1877. | Receipts from July 1, 1878, to October: 31, 1878. | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| splutits. |  |  |  |  |
| Brandy distilled from apples, peaches, or grapes | \$388, 1.6072 | \$257, 03456 |  | \$131, 12616 |
| Spirits distilled from materials other than apples, peaches, or grapes. | 15, 853, 36404 | 15, 621, 03701 |  | 232, 32703 |
| Rectifiers' special tax.. | 23, 36339 | 16, 06348 |  | 7, 29991 |
| Dealers, retail liquor | 381, 58236 | 345, 58250 |  | 35,999 86 |
| Dealers wholesale liquor | 39, 760 82 | 36,412 62 |  | 3,34820 |


| Sources of revenue. | Receipts from July 1, 1877, to October 31, 1877. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Receipts from } \\ & \text { July } 1,1878 \text {, } \\ & \text { to October } 31 \text {, } \\ & 1878 . \end{aligned}$ | Increase. | Decrease. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Spirits-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Manufacturers of stills, and stills and worms mannfactured | \$1, 67085 | \$1, 05043 |  | \$620 42 |
| Stamps for distilled spirits intended for export. | 76630 | 3,815 90 | \$3, 04960 |  |
| Stamps-warehonse, rectifiers', and dealers'.. | 82,049 60 | 84, 10260 | 2, 05300 |  |
| Interest on tax upon spirits . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | 12, 48570 | 12, 48570 |  |
| Total | 16,770,718 08 | 1.6, 377, 58480 |  | 393, 13328 |
| TOBACCO. |  |  |  |  |
| Cigans, cheroots, and cigarettcs | 4, 136,689 44 | 4, 482, 74467 | 346,055 23 |  |
| Mantacturers of cigars..... | 11, 22449 | 9,95657 |  | 1. 26792 |
| Sunffi... | 395,684 22 | 391, 77104 |  | 3,913 18 |
| Tobacco of all descriptions | 10, 055, 97640 | 1.0, 002, 97071 |  | 53, 00569 |
| Stamps for tobaccoorsmuft intencled for export. | 2, 60720 | 2, 93230 | 32510 |  |
| Dealers in leaf tobacco | 7,669 20 | 7,829 44 | 16024 |  |
| Retail dealers in leaf tobacco | 1., 43750 | - .1, 00860 |  | 43390 |
| Dealers in manufactured tobacco | 166, 90429 | 152, 61768 |  | 14, 28661 |
| Manufacturers of tobacco. | 77009 | 68755 |  | 8254 |
| Peddlers of tobacco. | 5,640 82 | 4,676 57 |  | 96425 |
| Total. | 14, 784, 60365 | 1.5, 057, 1.90 .1 .3 | 272, 58648 |  |
| FERMENTED LIQUORS. |  |  |  |  |
| Fermented liquors, tax of $\$ 1$ per barrel on. | 3, 619, 25867 | 3, 952, 22593 | 332, 96726 |  |
| Brewers' special tax. | 9, 56463 | 7,764 21 |  | 1, 80042 |
| Dealers in malt liquors, special tax. | 44, 19048 | 39, 36557 |  | 4,824 91 |
| Total. | 3,673, 01378 | 3,999,355 71 | 326,34193 |  |
| BANKS AND BANKERS. |  |  | - |  |
| Bank deposits | 558,57782 | 508,98937 |  | 49,58845 |
| Bank deposits, savings, \&e | 89, 022 82 | 79, 37847 |  | 9, 64435 |
| Bank capital ............ | 362,800 10 | 250, 650 73 |  | 6,149 37 |
| Bank circulation | 53434 | 1, 09526 | 56092 |  |
| Total | 910, 93508 | 846,113 83 |  | 64, 82125 |
| Adhesive stamps | 2, 084, 58672 | 2, 279,328 22 | 194, 73650 |  |
| Penalties | 150,444 97 | 105,27037 |  | 45, 17460 |
| Articles and occupations tormerly taxed but now exempt | 132,587 27 | 115, 62236 |  | 16,964 91 |
| Aggregate receipts | 38, 506, 88955 | 38, 780, 46042 | $278,570,87$ |  |

## REPORT OF WORK PERFORMED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR FNDED JUNE 30, $1 \$ 978$.

Division of law:

| Offers in compromise received a | 1,148 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Opinions prepared. | 1,024 |
| Offers in compromise acted upon | 894 |
| Reward-claims received and acted upo | 62 |
| Railroad cases adjusted | 32 |
| Orders for abatement of taxes issued | 831 |
| Claims for abatement of taxes disposed | 6,831 |
| Amount of claims | \$1, 015, 73185 |
| - Claims for abatement schednled | 16,077 |
| Reports received and examin | 3,964 |

Division of accounts:
Accounts, reports, and returns received, examined, and disposed of... $\quad 27,892$
Certificates of deposit received aud recorded.. ..................... 29,723
Division of distilled spirits:
Returns and reports relating to distilled spinits received, examined, and disposed of.

197, 502
Returns and reports relating to fermentel liquors received, examined, and disposed of 37, 110
Seal-locks issued ........................................................... . 1;661
Hydrometer sets issued .......................... ........................... . . 301
Ganging-rods issued....................................................... . . . 185
Division of stamps:
Value of stamps received and counted (nine months) ..... $\$ 108,957,36532$
Value of stamps counted and issued to collectors. ..... $\$ 119,639,27901$
Value of stamps counted and transmitted to the Secretary of theTreasury for destruction$\$ 34,662,59711$
Stubs examined ..... 8, 247, 550
Stamps and coupons received for credit and counted ..... 19, 263, 376
Reports received, examined, and disposed of. ..... 98,753
Division of assessments:
Reports relating to assessments received, examined, and disposend of ..... 34, 417
Claims for drawhack disposed of ..... 567
Reports relating to bonded accounts received, cxamined, and dis- posed of. ..... 436, 441
Reports and vouchers covering exportations received, examined, and disposed of ..... 131,001
Division of tobacco:
Reports relating to tobacco received, examined, and disposed of. ..... 1,032
Reports relating to cigars received, examined, and disposed of... ..... 17,747
Division of appointments, records, and files:
Commissions of storekeepens, storekeepers and gaugers, gaugensand tobacco-inspectors, prepared, and bonds examined and ap-proved524
Collectors' bonds recorded ..... 69
Pages of letters recorded ..... 29,540
Press-copies of lotters briefod, registered, and arranged for refer- ence ..... 56, 324
Pages of miscellaneons copying ..... 20, 868
Lettens for the entire burean received and registered ..... 50,573
Letters indorsed, briefed, and filed ..... 36,417
Aggregate number of letters mailed by the bureau ..... 76,324

The foregoing table shows only a part of the work performed. The keeping of records and books of account by the various divisions em. braces a large proportion of the work done by the bureau, which it is impracticable to tabulate, owing to the diversified nature thereof.

## TABULAR STATEMENTS.*

I append tabular statements as follows:
Table A, showing the receipts from each specific source of revenue, and the amounts refunded in each collection-district, State, and Territory of the United States, for the fiscal year ended Jume 30, 1878.

Table B, showing the number and valne of internal revenue stamps ordered monthly by the Commissioner and from the office of the Commissioner; the receipts from the sale of stamps and the commissions allowed thereon; also, the number and value of stamps for special taxes, tobacco, cigars, cigarettes, snuff, distilled spirits, and fermented liquors issued monthly to collectors during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

Table C, showing the percentages of receipts from the several general sources of revente in each State and Territory of the United States to the aggregate receipts from the same sources, by fiscal years, from July 1, 1863, to June 30, 1878.

Table $\mathbf{D}$, showing the aggregate receipts from all sources in each collection district, State, and Territory of the United States, by fiscal years, from September 1, 1862, to June 30, 1878.

Table E, showing the receipts in the United States from each specific source of revenue, by tiscal years, from September 1, 1862, to June 30, 1878.

[^6]Table F , showng the ratio of receipts in the United States from specific sources of revenue to the aggregate receipts from all sources, by fiscal years, from July 1, 1863, to June 30, 1878.

Table G, showing the receipts from special taxes in each collection district, State, and Territory for the special-tax year ended April 30, 1878.

Table H, an abstract of reports of district attorneys concerning suits and prosecutions under the internal revenue laws during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1875.

Table I, an abstract of seizures of property for violation of internal revenue laws during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1875.

And have the honor to remain, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

GREEN B. RAUM, Commissioner.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

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## REPORT OF THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

## REPORT

OF

## THE COMPTROLLER OF THE CURRENCY.

## Treasury Department, Office of Comptroller of the Currency, Washington, November 25, 1878.

I have the honor to submit for the consideration of Congress the sixteenth annual report of the Comptroller of the Currency, in compliance with section three hundred and thirty-three of the Revised Statutes of the United States. This section provides that the Comptroller shall make annually a report to Congress at the commencement of its session exhibiting-

1st. A summary of the state and condition of every association from which reports have been received during the preceding year, at the seweral dates to which such reports refer, with an abstract of the whole amount of banking capital returned by them, of the whole amount of their debts and liabilities, the amount of circulating notes outstanding, and the total amount of means and resources, specifying the amount of lawful money held by them at the times of their several returns, and such other information in relation to such associations as, in his judgment, may be useful.

2d. A statement of the associations whose business has been closed during the year, with the amount of their circulation redeemed and the amount ontstanding.

3d. Any amendment to the laws relative to banking by which the system may be improved and the security of the holders of its notes and other creditors may be increased.

This section further provides that a statement shall be prepared by the Comptroller, exhibiting, under appropriate heads, the resources and liabilities and condition of the banks, banking companies, and savingsbanks organized under the laws of the several States and Territories; such information to be obtained by the Comptroller from the reports made by such banks, banking-companies, and savings-banks to the legislatures ' or officers of the different States and Territories, and where such reports caunot be obtained, the deficiency to be supplied from such other authentic sources as may be arailable.
.This last provision became a law by act of Tebruary 19, 1873, but owing to the defective legislation of the several States it has thms far been found impracticable to procure reliable statistics showing the coudition of all the banks organized under State laws. All private bankers and banking associations, however, of whatever nature other than national, are required by law, for purposes of taxation, to make semi-annual returns to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue of the arerage amount of their capital and deposits. From these returns the following table has been compiled in this Office, exhibiting in a concise form, by geographical divisions, the total average
capital and deposits of all State and savings-banks and private bankers in the country, for the six months ending May 31, 1878 :

| Geographical divisions. | State banks and trust companies. |  |  | Private bankers. |  |  | Savings-banks with capital. |  |  | Savirgg-banks without capital. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Capital. | Deposits. | No. | Capital. | Deposits. | No. | Capital. | Deposits. | No. | Deposits. |
| New England States. | 42 | Afilions. $8.19$ | Nithons. $15.06$ | 71 | Millions. <br> 2. 86 | Afillions. $3.23$ | 1 | Militions. 0: 07 | Afillions. <br> 1. 1.4 | 441 | Afilions. <br> 403.43 |
| Middle States.. | 21.7 | . 42.45 | 122. 1.0 | 916 | 34.48 | 61.92 | 3 | 0.16 | 1.37 | 190 | 358. 68 |
| Southerm States..... | 233 | " 27.38 | 30.67 | 280 | 7.30 | 13.68 | 4 | 0.88 | 1. 28 | 3 | 2.14 |
| Western States and Territories. | 361 | 46.33 | 61. 65 | 1., 589 | 33.16 | 105.00 | 15 | 2. 13 | 22.39 | 34 | 39.05 |
| United States... | 853 | 124.35 | 229.48 | 2, 856 | 77.80 | 183.83 | 23 | 3.24 | 26.18 | 668 | 803.30 |

The capital of the 2,056 national banks in operation on June 29, 1878, as will be seen by a subsequent table, was $\$ 470,393,366$, not including surplus, which latter fund amounted at that date to more than 118 millions; while the average capital of all the State banks, private banks, and savings-banks having capital stock, for the six months ending May 31 previously, was, as seen below, but $\$ 205,382,832$; which amount is considerably less than one-half that of the national banks. The net deposits of the national banks were $\$ 677,159,298$, while the average deposits of all other banks and bankers, including savings-banks, were $\$ 1,242,794,903$. The average deposits for the same period of 668 savingsbanks having no capital stock were $\$ 803,299,345$.

The table below exhibits the aggregate average capital and deposits for the period named of all banks other than national, together with the capital and deposits of the national banks on June 29 following:

| Geographical divisions. | State banks, savingsbanks, private bankers, \&c. |  |  | National banks. |  |  | Total. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Capital. | Deposits. | No. | Capital. | Deposits. | No. | Capital. | Deposits. |
|  |  | Hillions. | Millions. |  | Millions. | Millions. |  | Millions. | Millions. |
| Now England States. | 555 | 11. 1.2 | 422.86 | 542 | 166. 52 | 128. 83 | 1,097 | 177. 64 | 551.69 |
| Middle States.. | 1., 326 | 77. 09 | 544.07 | 634 | 177.18 | 374.89 | 1, 960 | 254.27 | 018.96 |
| Southern States..... | 520 | 35.55 | 47.77 | 176 | 31.40 | 35.94 | 696 | 67.04 | 83.71 |
| Westeru States and Territories. | 1,999 | 81.62 | 228.09 | 704 | 95. 20 | 137.50 | 2,703 | 176.82 | 365.59 |
| Uuited States | 4,400 | 205.38 | 1, 242. 79 | 2, 056 | 470.39 | 677.16 | 6, 456 | 675.77 | 1,919.95 |

From this table it will be seen that the total number of banks and bankers in the country at the dates named was 6,456 , with a total banking capital of $\$ 675,776,198$, and total deposits of $\$ 1,919,954,201$.

Tables similar to the foregoing for previous periods, together with other tables giving the assets and liabilities of State institutions during the past year, so far as they could be obtained from the official reports of the several States, will be found in the appendix.

A table arranged by States and principal cities, giving the number, capital and deposits, and the tax on capital and deposits, of all banking institutions other than national, for the six months ending May 31, 1878, will be found on page 54 of this report. Similar tables for previous years are printed in the appendix.

The total number of national banks organizerl, from the establishment of the national banking system on February 25, 1863, to November 1 of the present year, is 2,400 . Of these, 273 have gone into voluntary liquidation by vote of slaveholders owning two-thirds of their respective capitals, and 74 have been placed in the hands of receivers for the pur-
pose of closing up their affairs, leaving 2,053 in existence on November 1 of this year. Included in the number organized are nine national gold banks, in the State of California, with an aggregate capital of $\$ 4,300,000$, and circulation of $\$ 1,468,920$, which redeem their circulating-notes in gold coin at their places of issue and in the city of San Francisco.

During the past year twenty-eight banks have been organized, with an authorized capital of $\$ 2,775,000$, to which $\$ 1,598,800$ in circulatingnotes has been issued. Fifteen banks have failed within this period, having an aggregate capital of $\$ 2,712,500$, and forty-one banks, with a total capital of $\$ 5,200,000$, have voluntarily discontinued business.

The following table exhibits the resources and liabilities of the banks on the 1st day of October, 1878, the returns from New York, from Boston, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, from the other reserve cities, and from the remaining banks of the country, being tabulated separately:

|  | New York City. | Boston, Philadelphia, and Baltimore. | *Other: reserve cities. | Country banks. | Aggregate. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 47 banks. | 99 baikss. | 85 bauks. | 1,822 banks. | 2,053 banks. |
| mesources. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Loans and discounts |  |  |  | \$430, 184, 396 | \$830, 521, 542 |
| On O. S. bonds on demand..... | \$7, 003, 085 | \$1, 140, 581 | \$735, 243 |  |  |
| On other stocks, bonds, \&c., on demand.. | 57, 904, 202 | 19, 766, 710 | 7, 874,762 |  |  |
| Payable in gold .................. | 6, 752, 181 | 3,053 | 1, 247, 996 |  |  |
| On single-name paper without other security | 17, 297, 474 | 10,583, 112 | 6, 699, 583 |  |  |
| All other loans. .................. | 80, 629,038 | 120, 030, 184 | 62, 669, 942 |  |  |
| Overdrafts | 130, 973 | 81, 090 | 347, 495 | 2, 907, 350 | 3, 466, 908 |
| Bonds for circulatio | 24, 195, 500 | 50, 113, 200 | 23, 076, 800 | 250, 171, 150 | 347, 556, 650 |
| Bonds for deposits | 26, 715, 550 | 6, 402, 300 | 3, 990, 000 | 10, 829,000 | 47, 936, 850 |
| U. S. londs on haud | 11, 463, 900 | 7, 903, 450 | 6, 005, 850 | 21, 412, 400 | 46, 785, 600 |
| Other stocks and bonds | 9, 193, 664 | 3, 726, 212 | 2, 552, 158 | 21, 387, 501 | 36, 859,535 |
| Due from reserve agents |  | 1.6, 375, 643 | 12, 684, 21.1 | 56, 023, 565 | 85, 083, 419 |
| Due from other national banks... | 11, 366, 000 | 8, 636, 970 | 4, 466, 954 | 17, 022, 995 | 41, 492, 918 |
| Due from other banks and bankors | 2, 981, 297 | 894, 272 | 2, 470, 311 | 5,968, 818 | 12, 314, 698 |
| Real estate, furniture and fixtures. | 9, 465, 820 | 7, 082, 539 | 4, 825,685 | 25, 328, 432 | 46, 702, 476 |
| Current expenses | 995, 333 | 780, 220 | 731, 401 | 3, 765, 613 | 6,272, 567 |
| Premirims | 1,767, 167 | 1, 021,048 | 608, 474 | 3,738, 047 | 7, 134, 736 |
| Checks and other cash items | נ., 765, 188. | 874, 554 | 857, 598 | 7, 485, 093 | 10, 982, 433 |
| Exchanges for clearing house | 62, 454, 792 | 15, 148, 067 | 4, 769, 679 |  | 82, 372, 538 |
| Bills of other national bauks | 1,560, 623 | 2, 523,054 | 2, 195, 325 | 10,650, 719 | 16, 929, 721 |
| Fractioual currenc | 67, 703 | 36, 187 | 55, 171 | 356, 600 | 515, 661 |
| Specic | 13, 294, 602 | 5, 987, 489 | 3,417, 524 | 7, 988, 991 | 30, 688, 606 |
| Legal-tender notes | 1.4, 893, 468 | 8, 300, 930 | 11, 1.54, 895 | 30, 079, 307 | 64, 428, 600 |
| U. S. certificates of deposit | 21, 660,000 | 7, 370, 000 | 2, 665, 000 | 995, 000 | $32,680,000$ |
| Five per cent. redemption | 1, 073, 505 | 2, 178, 355 | 980, 741 | 10,972, 940 | 15, 205, 541 |
| Due from U. S. Treasury | 147, 702 | 265, 303 | 108, 187 | 816, 941 | 1, 338, 138 |
| Total | 384, 778, 767 | 297, 224, 523 | 167, 190, 985 | 918, 084, 858 | 1; 767, 279, 133 |
| Capical stock | 53, 800, 000 | 78, 526, 310 | 40, 725, 500 | 293, 095, 626 | 466, 147, 436 |
| Surplus fund | 15,920, 230 | 19, 968, 943 | 10, 862, 787 | 70, 1.45, 820 | 116, 897, 780 |
| Undivided profits | 8, 659, 800 | 3, 899, 816 | 3, 323, 61.3 | 25, 052, 984 | 40, 936, 213 |
| National-bank notes ontstanding- | 20, 025, 861 | 42, 986, 571. | 19, 658, 749 | 219, 216, 911 | 301, 888, 092 |
| State lunk uotes outstanding | 73,339 | 80, 757 | 4,235 | 255, 582 | 413, 913 |
| Dividends umpaid | 190, 705 | 1, 037, 472 | 188, 997 | 1,701, 216 | 3, 118, 390 |
| Individual deposits | 172, 441, 669 | 108, 863, 331 | 62, 156, 122 | 276, 775, 05.5 | 620, 236, 177 |
| U. S. deposits <br> Deposits of 0.S. disbursing | 26, 090, 297 | 6, 255, 785 | 2, 465, 341 | 6, 843, 389 | 4]., 654, 812 |
| Deposits of U......................... | 131, 225 | 20, 271 | 1,031, 935 | 2, 159,364 | 3,342, 795 |
| Due to national banks | 68, $125,941$. | 27, 787, 067 | 15, 226, 442 | 11, 357, 064 | 122, 496, 514 |
| Due to other banks aud baukers | 19, 311, 700 | 6, 593, 905 | 10, 347, 506 | 6, 385, 592 | 42, 636, 703 |
| Notes and bills re-discounted |  | 37, 537 | 1.83, 808 | 2, 785, 980 | 3, 007, 325 |
| Bills payable. | 8,000 | 1, 168, 758 | 1, 015, 950 | 2, 310, 275 | 4, 502, 883 |
| Totals | 384, 778, 767 | 297 224, 523 | 167, 190, 985 | 918, 084, 858 | 1, 767, 279, 133 |

[^7]The following table exhibits the resources and liabilities of the national banks in operation at nearly similar dates for the last nine years:

|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Oct. } 8, \\ 1870 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } 2, \\ & 1871 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { Oct. } 3, \\ 1.872 . \end{gathered}$ | Sept.12 | $\begin{gathered} \text { Oct, } 2, \\ 1874 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. }{ }^{1} \\ & 1875 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. }{ }^{2}, \\ & 1876 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ocit. }{ }^{1} \\ & 1877 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Oct. } 1, \\ & 1878 . \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { l,615 } \\ \text { nanks. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,767 \\ & \text { banks. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,919 \\ & \text { banks. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} 1,976 \\ \text { botules. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} 2,004 \\ \text { banks. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,088 \\ & \text { banks. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,089 \\ & \text { banks. } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { 2,080 } \\ \text { banks. } \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2,053 \\ & \text { banks. } \end{aligned}$ |
| resources. | Hillions. | Mrilions. | Arilione. | Millions. | Aniltions. | Jfilions. | Hillions. | Millions. | Nillions. |
| Loans | 716.0 | 831.6 | 877.2 | 944.2 | 954.4 | 984.7 | 931.3 | 891.9 | 834.0 |
| lionds for circulation | 340.6 | 364.5 | 382.0 | 388.3 | 383.3 | 370.3 | 337.2 | 336.8 | 347.6 |
| Other U. S. bonds. | 37.7 | 45.8 | 27.6 | 23.6 | 28.0 | 28.1 | 47.8 | 45.0 | 94.7 |
| Other stocks, bonds, \&c | 23.6 | 24.5 | 23.5 | 23.7 | 27.8 | 33.5 | 34.4 | 34.5 | 36.9 |
| Due from other banks | 109.5 | 143.2 | 128.2 | 149.5 | 134.8 | 144:7 | 146.9 | 129.9 | 138:9 |
| Real estate | 27.5 | 30.1 | 32.3 | 34.7 | 38.1 | 42.4 | 43.1 | 45.2 | 46.7 |
| Specie | 18.5 | 13.2 | 10.2 | 19.9 | 21.2 | 8.1 | 21.4 | 22.7 | 30.7 |
| Legal-tender notes | 77.2 | 107.0 | 102.1. | 92.4 | 80.0 | 70.5 | 84.2 | 66.9 | 64.4 |
| National-bank notes | 12.0 | 14.3 | 15.8 | 10.1. | 18. 5 | 18. 5 | 15.9 | 15.6 | 16.9 |
| Clearing-house exchanges. | 91.6 | 115.2 | 125.0 | 100.3 | 109.7 | 87.9 | 100.0 | 74.5 | 82.4 |
| U. S. certificates of deposit. |  |  | 6.7 | 20.6 | 42.8 | 48.8 | 29.2 | 33.4 | 32.7 |
| Due from U. S. Treasurer. |  |  |  |  | 20.3 | 19.6 | 116. 7 | 16.0 | 16.5 |
| Other resources. | 50. 9 | 41.2 | 25. 2 | 17.3 | 18.3 | 19.1 | 19.1 | 28.7 | 24.9 |
| Totals | 1, 51.0 .7 | 1,730.6 | 1,755.8 | 1,830.6 | 1,877.2 | 1,882.2 | 1,827.2 | 1,741.1 | 1,767.3 |
| mabioutirs. |  |  |  |  | 8 |  |  |  |  |
| Capital stock | 430.4 | 458.3 | 479.6 | 491.0 | 493.8 | 504.8 | 499.8 | 479.5 | 466.2 |
| Surplas fund. | 94. 1. | 101.1 | 1.10. 3 | 120.3 | 129.0 | 134.4 | 1.32. 2 | 122.8 | 116.9 |
| Undivided profit | 38.6 | 42.0 | 46. 6 | 54.5 340.3 | 51.5 | 33.0 | 40.4 | 44.5 291.9 | 40.9 3019 |
| Due to depositors | 515.3 | 631.4 | 628.9 | 640.0 | 683.8 | 679.4 | 666.2 | 630.4 | 668.4 |
| Due to other banks | 1.30 .0 | 171.9 | 143.8 | 173.0 | 175.8 | 179.7 | 179.8 | 1.61. 6 | 105.1 |
| Other lialilities | 8.4 | 8.5 | 11.5 | 11.5 | 9.1 | 11.8 | 10.6 | 10.4 | 7.9 |
| Totals | 1, 510.7 | 1,730.6 | 1,759. 8 | 1,880. 6 | 1, 877.2 | 1, 882. 2 | 1, 827.2 | 1, 741.1 | 1,767.3 |

THE NATIONAL BANKING SYSTEM.
The Comptroller, in his report for 1876, in addition to the usual na-tional-bank statistics, gave an historical sketch of the two Banks of the United States, and also of the several State systems of banking, with tables showing, by geographical divisions and by States, so far as they could be obtained from official sources, the resources and liabilities of the State banks fiom the earliest dates to that of the organization of the national system, together with a comparative view of the State and national systems of banking.

In his report to Congress for the year 1875 he sketched the origin and growth of the national-banking system, and answered the principal arguments advanced against its continuance. The establishment of the system was not advocated in the interest of any political party, and it has been free from the control of partisan or sectional influence, its benefits being now open to all who desire to engage in the business of banking. The opportunity occasioned by a great war was seized upon, in the interest of the government, to get rid of a circulation issued by anthority of many different States, which had been, almost from the beginning of the govermment, a grievous tax upon the business and the commerce of this country. It was shown, from the discussions in Congress at the time of the passage of the legal-tender act, from the reports of this department, and from the uniform legislation since that time, that the national-banking system was intended to be permaneut, the institutions organized nnder it being, by the express terms of the law, authorized to continue for a term of twenty years; while it was equally evident that the Treasury notes issued and still in circulation were in-
tended to be funded, to constitute a temporary currency, issued from necessity, and to furnish. the government with the means to save itself from destruction; that the amount was not to be increased, but to be withdrawn from circulation as rapidly as possible.

It was further shown that the system was not a monopoly, its privileges being free to all, but that it uprooted many real banking monopolies anthorized by the several States, and which had been in existence almost from the foundation of the government; that the profits upon circulation were small, and that the earnings of the banks were not too great a compensation for the risks incident to the business of banking, to which capital loaned directly on mortgage security is not subject; that the taxation imposed upon the bauks is unequaled in the history of monetary institutions; that the losses by failures had been insignificant in proportion to the liabilities; and that the losses on circulation had not been one dollar; that the restrictions of the act are such as experience has shown to be necessary for the success of great banking systems; that publicity is one of the priucipal features of the national system; that a surplus of more than one hundred millions of dollars-equal to one-fourth of the capital, and derived largely from profits accruing from transàctions during the war-had accumulated and remained as a security to stockholders and depositors during times of revulsion and panic.

This report, which, since its publication, has been constantly in demand, is out of print. The proposition for the substitution of Treasury notes in place of national-bank notes having been again revived and discussed, it is thought advisable again to answer the principal objections urged against the national banking-system, even at the risk of repeating to some extent, although with more recent data, what has already appeared in previous reports.

The chief reasons urged in favor of the substitution of Treasury notes for national-bank notes are, that the banks in the national system are a favored class, enjoying special privileges at the cost of the people; that they derive a large profit from the issue of circulating-notes; and that a large amount of money may be sared to the government by authorizing it to issue all the paper currency of the country.

Before the passage of the act of June 20, 1874, no national bank could reduce its circulation and take up its bonds except by returning a proportionate amount of its own circulating-notes, and these were usually difficult to obtain; and prior to the act of January 14, 1875, the total amount of circulation authorized to be issued was limited to 354 millions. But these acts provided both for a reduction of circulation and withdrawal of bonds at the pleasure of the banks, upon a cleposit by them of lawfin money in sums of not less than $\$ 9,000$, and for an issue of bank-notes to any association organized in conformity with law. Under the law, then, as it now stands, any number of persons not less than five, in any part of the country, who together may have $\$ 50,000$ of capital at command, may organize a national bank and receive circulating-notes equal in amount to 90 per cent. of such capital-the law discriminating in the latter respect only against the large institutitions, as no bank organized since the passage of the act of July 12, 1870, is entitled to circulation in excess of $\$ 500,000$. A bank organized prior to that time, and having a capital of between $\$ 500,000$ and $\$ 1,000,000$, can receive in circulating-notes but 80 per cent. thereon; if between $\$ 1,000,000$ and $\$ 3,000,000$, it can receive but 75 per cent.; and if over $\$ 3,000,000$, but 60 per cent.

Since the passage of the act of June 20,1874 , the national banks, 10 F
so far from considering the privilege of issuing circulation a profitable monopoly, have voluntarily surrendered $\$ 66,237,323$ of their notes, which is $\$ 29,463,467$ more than has been issued to all of the banks organized since that date, while 144 banks, with capital stock amounting to $\$ 15,517,000$, and a circulation of $\$ 9,190,718$, hare gone into voluntary liquidation.

The capital stock of the national banks is not largely in the hands of capitalists. Among their shareholders may be foumd persons in every station of life, and great numbers of women and children rely for their support upon the successful management of these institutions. The elaborate tables which appeared in the Comptroller's Report for 1876 showed that there were then only 767 persons anywhere who held as much as $\$ 50,000$ each of national-bank stock; that more than one-half of the whole number of shareholders in these associations held, each, but $\$ 1,000$, or less, of such stock; and that, taking the whole number of shareholders together, the average amount held by each one was but $\$ 3,100$. Of shareholders owning not more than $\$ 1,000$ each, there were 32,235 in Massachusetts alone, 12,784 in New York, 14,621 in Pennsylvania, 1,441 in Kentucky, 2,388 in Ohio, 1,608 in Illinois, 832 in Georgia, and 617 in Virginia. Of those holding the stock in amounts ranging between $\$ 2,000$ and $\$ 3,000$ there were 17,743 in the New England States, 15,614 in the Middle States, 2,305 in the Southern States, and 3,422 in the Western States. Moreover, citizens of the Western States held 26,455 shares, and citizens of the Southern States 13,319 shares, of the stock of banks located in the Eastern and Middle States. It is not probable that the stock of any other class of corporations in the country is more widely distributed among people of moderate means than is that of the national banks. It is also largely distributed among members of all political parties, and, as a rule, is free from the control of partisan influence.

The national banks have not at any time monopolized the business of banking, wor do they at the present time. On May 31 of this year there were in existence more than 3,700 State banks and private bank-ing-houses, having an aggregate capital of 202 millions of dollars, and deposits of 413 millions. These banking establishments are located in all of the principal cities and villages of the country, and it is to be presmmed that if the privilege of issuing circulating-notes were so great as it is persistently claimed to be, these associations and individuals, who are already engaged in the business of banking, and who are free to enter the national system, would hasten to organize under that system.

The amount of interest accruing annually upon the bonds held by the national banks on November 1-less the tax paid by them upon their cir-culation-is $\$ 14,544,692$ only, while the amnual profit upon the entire circulation of the national banks, as will be shown in another place in this report, is but $\$ 8,961,519$, or less than two and one-half per centum upon their capital. As the 3,700 banks and bankers mentioned still contimue to transact their business as State banks or private associations, it seems very clear that this annual profit of $\$ 2,500$ only, upon a capital of $\$ 100,000$, does not present to them, or any of them, a sufficient inducement to transfer their business to the national system. The reason is obvious. The laws governing the national banks contain numerous and burdensome restrictions, and impose many and severe penalties for their violation. On the one hand they authorize the issue of circulating notes, but on the other they require that the business of banking shall be conducted under a uniform system, which insures the greatest possible degree of safety to the depositor and bill-holder and prompt and certain convertibility to the circulating note. If, on the one hand, the right to issue circulating
notes is given, on the other, wholesome restraints are insisted upon as a condition of that privilege. These legal prohibitions and restrictions, which are the compensations that the public receive from these corporations in return for their right to issue circulating notes, are too numerous to be given here in detail. But it is proposed now to notice specially some of the more important of the restrictions, and to give a general summary of the whole of them, for the information of the public, in a subsequent portion of this report.

## CAPITAL STOCK.

One of the most important requirements of the national-bank act is that the capital stock of all institutions organized thereunder shall be fully paid in. The organization of banks without capital was one of the great abuses of previous banking systems. The history of banking in this country is full of instances of institutions of this character, which were not only permitted to receive deposits and transact a general banking business, but were authorized to issue circulating notes; and to the frequent failures of these associations may be attributed, in a great degree, the prejudice still existing in this country against all banking corporations.

When the national system was established especial care was exercised in the framing of the banking act, not alone to insure the safety and convertibility of the circulating notes, but also to guard against the organization of banks without bona fide capital. At least fifty per cent. of the capital stock of a national bank must be paid in before it can be authorized to commence business, and the remainder must be thereafter paid in installments of not less than one-fifth monthly, the payment of each installment being certified to this office, under oath, by the president or cashier of the association.

It is frequently stated, and it seems to be believed by many, that banks of circulation, only, may be organized under the act-that is, that a bank may use its circulating notes either to increase its existing capital or to assist in organizing other banks without real capital. The law carefully guards against such an abuse. In the first place, as has been already stated, the officers and directors are required at the outset to certify under oath to the Comptroller the amount of stock which has been paid into the bank as permanent capital, while subsequent installments must be similarly certified. In addition to this, section 5203 of the Revised Statutes provides that "no association shall, either directly or indirectly, pledge or hypothecate any of its notes of circulation for the purpose of procuring money to be paid in on its capital stock, or to be used in its banking operations or otherwise ; nor shall any association nuse its circulating notes, or any part thereof, in any manner or form to create or increase its capital stock." The Comptroller is also authorized to examine every banking association before granting it authority to commence business, in order to ascertain whether or not its capital has been actually paid in. It is impossible, therefore, for a bank of circulation only, without capital, to be organized under the national system, if proper precaution be exercised and the examiner is competent and faithful in the performance of his duty.

Neither can an association increase its circulation at pleasure, for the circulation can never exceed a certain proportion of the paid-up capital. There never has been an instance of the organization of one national bank by the use of the circulation issued to another. Such an illegitimate transaction could scarcely fail to be at once detected and the facts reported to the United States district attorney for his action thereon.

If any association fails to pay up its capital stock, as required by law, or if its capital shall become impaired, an assessment must be made upon the shareholders, pro rata, for the amount of the deficiency or impairment, the interest upon the bonds held as security for its circulation being in the mean time withheld by the Treasurer, while a receiver may be appointed by the Comptroller if the capital be not restored after three months' notice by him to the association.
The proportion of eapital, and of capital and surplus, to liabilities, is much greater in this country than elsewhere, which is undoubtedly owing to the fact that our law requires that the full amount of authorized capital shall be actually paid in. In England, as a rule, only a portion of the capital is paid in, but the stockholders are individually liable for the full amount of their subscriptions. This restricted liability is true of the limited banks only, the stockholders of other corporations not limited being each liable for all of the debts of the corporation.
The following table, compiled from statements in the London Economist of October 19, 1878, exlibits the amount of capital, reserve and liabilities, and the ratio of capital, and of capital and reserve, to liabilities, of 3,417 banks ( 141 banks and 3,276 branches) of the United Kingdom:

| Banks. | Nomber of- |  |  | Capital. | Reserve fund and undivided profits. | Total. | Liabilities. | Ratio to liabil. ities of- |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Bks | Br'chs. | Total. |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Capi- } \\ \text { tal } \end{gathered}$ | Capital <br> and <br> profits. |
| Englandand Wates | 72 | 1, 144 | 1, 216 |  |  |  |  | Pr:ct. | Pr.ct. 17.80 |
| Bank of Eugland... | 1. | 1, 10 | 11 | 14, 553,000 | 3, 768, 531 | 18, 321, 53.1 | 51, 611, 899 | 28.20 | 35.50 |
| Isle of Man | 2 | 7. | 9 | -60,904 | 20, 895 | 1890,799 | 539,268 | 11. 29 | 1.6.82 |
| Scotland | 10 | 809 | 81.9 | 9, 045, 780 | 4, 857, 882 | 13, 903, 662 | 82, 093, 497 | 11. 02 | 16. 94 |
| Ireland | 9 | 270 | 279 | 2,950,000 | 1, 374, 1.41. | 4,324, 141. | 20, 800, 649 | 14. 18 | 20.79 |
| Colonial with London oflices. | 27 | 969 | 996 | 20,430, 136 | $7,336,415$ | 27, 766, 551 | 121, 905, 216 | 16.76 | 22.78 |
| Foreigu with London offices. . . . . . . | 20 | 67 | 87 | 17,563, 180 | 2, 840, 444 | 20, 403, 574 | 39,623, 424 | 44.33 | 51.49 |
| Totals | 141 | 3,276 | 3417 | 90, 649,370 | 33, 969, 122 | 124, 618, 492 | 540, 253, 501 | 16.78 | 23, 07 |

National banks.

October 1, 1878.
$2,053|\$ 466,147,436| \$ 357,833,993|\$ 623,981,429| \$ 1,140,179,314|40.88| 54.73$
A comparison of this table with a similar statement regarding the national banks, which is also given above, shows the ratio of capital to liabilities of the 3,417 banks in the United Kingdom to be 16.78 per cent., and the ratio of their capital and reserve to liabilities to be 23.07 per ceut.; while the corresponding ratios of the national-banks are 40.88 , and 54.73; the ratios of the national banks being in each instance more than double those of the United Kingdom. In the national banking system the existing ratio of capital to liabilities is nearly four times greater than is that of the 1,216 baiks in England and Wales; while the ratio of the combined capital and reserve of the former banks to their liabilities is more than three times greater than that of the latter.

## CONVERTIBILITY OF THE NOTE.

Previous to the passage of the national bank act, the circulating notes of banks located elsewhere than in New York or New England were not
redeemable except at the counters of the issuing banks. As only about one-third of the circulation of the country consisted of New York and New England notes, it may be said that the remaining two-thirds had practically no general system of redemption. The legislation of the New England States provided only for redemption at the counter, although what was known as the Suffolk system compelled redemption in the city of Boston also. The New York law required redemption at the counter at par, and also in New York, Albany or Troy at one-fourth of 1 per cent. discount. The New England currency, therefore, consisted of unsecured notes redeemable at par at the place of issue and in the city of Boston, while the New York currency was a secured note redeemable at par at its counter, and at a discount at its agency. The notes of the national banks constitute the only secured circulation* ever required by law to be redeemed at par at a central agency, as well as at their place of issue.

If the New York system of redemption were to be applied to the national-bank circulation, in place of the existing method, it would probably at once raise the price of exchange to the rate current under that system, which was generally one-half of one per cent. The Suffolk system was excellent, as a voluntary arrangement entered into by 500 banks, having an aggregate circulation of fifty millions only, and all located within the comparatively moderate area of the six New England States; but it would not be a practicable one if extended to more than 2,000 banks, distributed, as are the national banks, throughout all the States of the Union, and having a circulation more than six times as great as that of the New England banks. So large a volume of circulating notes, issued at points so remote from each other, could not be made uniformly convertible by the legislative action of separate States, nor by the agency of individual corporations. Congressional action alone is adequate to accomplish this; and accordingly full provision was made by Congress for the convertibility of the national-bank circulation, by providing for its redemption at par, both at its place of issue and at the Treasury of the United States. For the latter purpose the banks are, by a late act, required to keep on deposit with the Treasurer an amount of lawful money equal to five per cent. of their circulation.

At the time of the passage of the last-named act a very large propor-

[^8]tion of the notes of the national banks was in a worn and mutilated condition, but within eighteen months thereafter more than $\$ 248,000,000$ in such notes were received at the Treasury for redemption. For this amount about $\$ 177,000,000$ of new currency was issued by the Comptroller to replace the mutilated portion, the remainder, which was fit for circulation, being returned to the banks.

In transmitting mational-bank notes to the Treasury for redemption, they may be sent unassorted, that is, without reference to denominations or banks of issue, the only restriction being that they shall be presented in sums of $\$ 1,000$ or a multiple thereof, while the only expense to the sender is the cost of transportation to the place of redemption. Under this system the notes of the national banks, wherever located, have possessed a uniform value, and the prices of exchange have ruled at the lowest rate. The rates of exchange between Saint Louis, Cincinnati, Chicago, and New York have been frequently at par and under, not exceeding, say, 80 cents for $\$ 1,000$, instead of from ten to fifteen dollars per thousand, as was common under previous systems. Redemptions have not been so frequent under this as under the previous systems of New York and New England, for the reason that the notes are more fully secured, and also becanse the demand for Treasury notes has not been so great as was formerly the demand for gold under similar circumstances. The machinery of the law is, however, in operation, and the frequency of redemptions will, to a great extent, depend upon the demand for gold after specie payment shall have been resmed. But the notes of the banks being secure beyond peradventure, this demand will, in all probability, be much less than under former systems of unsecured currency.

PROFITS AND LOSSES.
The law provides that no association shall, during the time it continues its banking operations, withdraw or permit to be withdrawn, in dividends or otherwise, any portion of its capital, and that no dividend shall ever be made to an amount greater than the net profits then on hand, deducting therefrom losses and bad debts. With these restrictions, the banks are permitted to declare dividends semi-annually from their net profits, but are also required, before making any such dividend, to carry to surplus fund one-tenth part of their net profits of the preceding half year, until this fund shall equal twenty per cent. of their capital stock. The law thus designates three uses for the profits of the national banks: First, for building up a surplus fund; secondly, to protect the capital stock from impairment by losses in business, by the use of such fund when the other profits are insufficient; and, thirdly, for the declaration of dividends out of any remaining profits. As a rule, the banks in the national system have not made excessive dividends. In determining the true ratio of their profits, their accumulated surplus, as well as what is technically known as capital, must be considered, as it is from the use of both capital and surplus that their profits are derived. Even during the most prosperous years of the system, the ratio of annual earnings to the combined capital and surplus of the banks was not greatly in excess of the usual legal rates of interest in the States where they were located, while during the last two years this ratio has been less than six per cent. on the combined capital and surplus.

The surplus of the national banks amounted on October 1 to nearly $\$ 117,000,000$. A part of this sum represents the profits earned by former State banks previous to their conversion into national organizations, and brought by them into the system. The greater portion was, however,
'accumulated by the banks during the years of business prosperity immediately succeeding the close of the war. The following table exhibits the amount of surplus held by the banks on or near the 1 st day of January and July in each year since 1863, as shown by their reports for the dates nearest thereto, together with the semi-annual increase or decrease therein:

| Dates. | Surplus. |  | Dates. | Surplus. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Amount. | Semi-annual increase or decrease. |  | Amount. | Semi-annual increase or decrease. |
|  | \$1, 129, 910 | Increase. | December 16, | \$101, 573, 154 | Increase. <br> $\$ 3,250,950$ |
| Jannary 2, 1865 | 81,663, 311 | \$7, 533, 401 | June 10, 1872. | . 105, 181, 943 | 3, 608, 789 |
| July 3, 1865 | 31, 303,566 | 22, 640, 255 | December 27, 1872 | 111, 410, 249 | 6, 228,306 |
| Jamnary 1, 1866 | 43, 000, 371 | 11, 696, 805 | June 13, 1873. | 116,847,455 | 5, 437, 206 |
| July 2, 1866 | 50, 151, 992 | 7, 151, 621 | December 26, 1873 | 120, 961, 268 | 4, 113, 813 |
| Jamuary 7, 1867 | 59, 992, 875 | $9,840,883$ | June 26, 1874. | 126, 239, 308 | 5, 278, 040 |
| July 1, 1867 | 63, 232, 811 | 3, 239, 936 | December 31, 1874 | 130, 485, 641 | 4, 246, 333 |
| Jannary 6, 1868 | 70,586, 120 | 7, 253, 315 | June 30, 1875 | 133, 169, 095 | 2, 683,454 |
| July 6, 1868. | 75, 840, 11.9 | 5, 253, 993 |  |  | Decrease. |
| Tanuary 4, 1869 | 81, 169,937 | 5, 329, 818 | December 17, 1875 | 133, 085, 422 | \$83, 673 |
| June 12, 1869. | 82, 218, 576 | 1,048, 639 | June 30, 1876 | 131, 897, 107 | 1, 188, 225 |
| January 22, 1870 | 90, 174, 281 | 7,955, 705 | December 22, 1876 | 131, 390, 665 | 506, 532 |
| June 9, 1870 | 91, 689, 834 | 1, 51.5,553 | June 22, 1877 | 124, 714, 073 | 6, 676,592 |
| December 28, 1870 | 94, 705, 740 | 3, 015, 906 | December 28, 1877 | 121, 568, 455 | 3, 14.4, 618 |
| June 10, 1871 | 98, 322, 204 | 3, 616, 464 | June 29, 1878 | 118, 178, 531 | 3, 389, 924 |

It will be seen that the maximum surplus was reached in June, 1875, and that there has since then been a gradual diminution of this fund. The diminution has been caused by charging thereto, from time to time, portions of the losses sustained by the national banks, such losses aggregating, during the last three years, the large sum of $\$ 64,119,415$, as shown in the following table:

| Six months ending- | New England States. |  | Middlo States. |  | Southern States. |  | Western States and Territories. |  | United States. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. | No. | Annount. | No. | Amount. |
| March 1, 1876. | 201 | \$1, 485, 582 | 268 | \$3, 553, 129 | 67 | \$308, 861 | 270 | \$1, 153, 648 | 806 | 186; 501, 170 |
| September 1, 1876 | 282 | 3, 074, 128 | 344 | 7, 156, 349 | 90 | 896,891 | 318 | 2,090,489 | 1, 034 | 13, 217, 857 |
| Total, 1876 |  | 4,559, 660 |  | 10,709, 478 |  | 1, 205, 752 |  | 3, 244, 137 |  | 19, 719, 027 |
| March 1; 1877 | 289 | 2, 465, 328 | 314 | 3,462, 684 | 80 | 478, 252 | 297 | 1,769, 697 | 980 | 8, 175, 961 |
| September 1, 1877. | 312 | 4, 825, 040 | 353 | 3, 945, 806 | 86 | 511, 841 | 357 | 2, 474,940 | 1,108 | 11, 757, 627 |
| Total, 1877 |  | 7, 290, 368 |  | 7, 408,490 |  | 990, 093 |  | 4, 244, 637 |  | 19, 933, 588 |
| March 1, 1878 | 327 | 3, 344, 012 | 417 | 4, 506, 813 | 124 | 672, 032 | 436 | 2, 380, 288 |  | $10,903,145$ |
| September 1, 1878. | 399 | 4, 016, 814 | 449 | 5,502, 779 | 140 | 1, 225, 602 | 442 | 2, 818, 469 | 1, 430 | 13, 563, 655 |
| 'Total, 1878 |  | 7,360,826 |  | 10,009, 583 |  | 1, 897, 634 |  | 5, 198, 757 |  | 94, 466, 800 |
| Total for 3 years. |  | 19, 210, 854 |  | 28, 127, 551 |  | 4, 093, 479 |  | 12, 687, 531 |  | 64, 119, 415 |

Of the $\$ 36,224,427$ of losses charged off within the last eighteen months, as shown above, $\$ 5,326,072$ was on account of depreciation in the premium on the United States bonds held by the banks.

The total losses thus charged off equal nearly fourteen per cent. of the entire capital of the banks. Although the charging up of losses has very considerably reduced the surplus of the banks, yet if the total losses incurred had been wholly charged to this fund it would have been still more
largely diminished. The greater portion of the losses mentioned has been canceled by charging it to the account of current profits, in consequence of which 357 banks, with an aggregate capital of $\$ 58,736,950$, have, in the last six months, paid no dividends at all; while during the last three years the average number of banks semi-annually passing dividends on account of losses has been 288. This number is equal to about one-seventh of the whole number now in operation. The average amount of capital upon which no dividends have been paid during that time is $\$ 44,583,515$; from which it follows that for a continuous period of three years more than one-tenth of the total capital of the national banks has been without profit to its owners. This is exhibited in the following table :

| Geographical divisions. | Six months ending... |  |  |  | Average for the ycar. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Maveh 1, 1878. |  | September 1, 1878. |  |  |  |
|  | No. of banks. | Capital | No. of banks. | Capital. | No. of banks. | Capital. |
| New Encland States. | 37 | \$9, 389, 500 | 51 | \$1.4, 870, 000 | 44 | \$12, 1.29, 750 |
| Middle States ....... | 95 | 17, 244, 400 | 11.4 | 22, 454, 850 | 105 | 19, 84,9,625 |
| Southern States . | 36 | 5, 266, 000 | 44 | 6, 807, 000 | 40 | 6, 066,500 |
| Western States and Territories | 160 | 16, 898, 000 | 148 | 14, 545, 100 | 154 | 15, 721, 550 |
| Totals for 1878 | 328 | 48, 797, 900 | 357 | 58,736, 950 | 343 | 53, 767, 425 |
| Totals for 1877 | 245 | 40, 452, 000 | 288 | 41, 166,200 | 266 | 40, 809, 100 |
| 'Totals' for' 1876 | 235 | 34, 290, 320 | 273 | 44, 057,725 | 254 | $39,174,022$ |
| Average for three years | 269 | 41, 180, 073 | 306 | 47, 986, 958 | 288 | 44,583,515 |

Many of the banks, also, which have declared dividends within the last three years have done so wholly or in part out of profits other triau surplus previously accumulated by them, and not out of their current earnings.

The following table shows by geographical divisions the ratio to capital and surplus of the dividends declared by all the national banks during the last nine years:

| Geographical divisions. | Ratio of dividends to eapital and surplus. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1870. | 1871. | 1872. | 1878. | 1874. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. | Avorage. |
|  | Perct. | Perct. | Perct. | Perct: | Perct. | Perct. | Perct. | Perct. | Perct. | Per ct. |
| New England States | 8.4 | 8.3 | 8.1 | 8.2 | 7.7 | 7.6 | 6.7 | 6.0 | 5.5 | 7.4 |
| Middle States | 8.1 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 7.9 | 7.6 | 7.6 | 7.7 | 6. 6 | 6. 1 | 7.5 |
| Southern States | 10.7 | 10.1 | 9.5 | 8.8 | 8.2 | 7.7 | 7.6 | 7.1 | 6.2 | 8. |
| Western States | 8.5 | 8.9 | 9.3 | 9.0 | 8.6 | 8.6 | 8.1 | 9.6 | 7.7 | 8.7 |
| United States | 8.4 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 8.3 | 7. 9 | 7.8 | 7.5 | 7.1 | 6.2 | 7.7 |

The ratio to capital and surplus of the total net earnings of all the national banks was, in 1876, 6.9 per cent., in 1877, 5.6 per cent., and in 1878, 5.1 per cent.

The average ratio of dividends to capital in the New England and Middle States, where the greater portion of the capital of the national banks is held, was during the last three years 8.2 per cent. In the same States the ratio of dividends to the combined capital and surplus was 6.5 per cent., and the ratio of the net earnings to capital and surplus was 5.1 per cent.

The belief, so widely entertained, that the profits made by the national banks are excessive, is in great part due to the exceptionally large dividends paid by a few banks which are favorably located and have a large surplus, and which make large returns to their shareholders on the amount of their nominal capital. The profits of these banks are not to any considerable extent derived from their circulation, but from surplus and deposits. Many of the banks making these exceptional dividends have a much less amount of circulation than those making moderate dividends only, while a few of them have no circulation whatever.

If the bank act gives to the national banks the privilege of circulation, it also provides for a United States tax upon circulation, deposits and capital, and for a State tax upon the shares of each bank, to be determined by the legislature of each State, at a rate estimated to be not greater than is assessed upon other money capital in the hands of individual citizens of each State. The total amount of United States taxes collected from the commencement of the system to the present time is as follows:

| On circulation. | On deposits. | On capital. | Total. |
| :--- | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\$ 39,775,81735$ | $\$ 40,328,25632$ |  | $\$ 5,929,48073$ |

The annual amount of taxation, national and State, has for the last four years been as follows:

|  | Years. | National. | State. | - Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1874 |  | \$7, 256, 083 | \$9, 620, 326 | \$16,876, 409 |
| 1875 |  | 7,317, 531 | 10, 058, 122 | 17, 375, 653 |
| 1876. |  | 7, 076, 087 | 9, 701, 732 | 16, 777, 81.9 |
| 1877. |  | 6, 902,573 | 8, 829,304 | 15, 731, 877 |
| Totals |  | 28; 552, 274 | 38, 209, 484 | 66, 761, 758 |

More complete tables, showing the amount of taxes collected from the banks of each State and principal city of the Union, will be found upou subsequent pages of this report. The rate of taxation upon the banks in the city of New York and in other cities has averaged more than five per cent. annually during the past four years, and there is no doubt that the annual taxes collected from these institutions has been greatly in excess of the rate collected upon the capital of other corporations, private firms, and individuals, which cannot be as accurately determined as is that of the national banks from their published statements.

## National bank failures.

The failures in this country of State banks and private bankers are known to have been numerous and frequent; but information as to their numbers, or to the consequent losses to their stockholders or creditors, has not been attainable by the Comptroller. The bank departments of the different States give no information on this subject except as to the losses upon bank currency, and even that information has been of a scanty character. As a rule, under the different State laws, the affairs of insolvent institutions have been liquidated by a receiver appointed by the court, and the receiver has not reported to any State officer, but to the court which appointed him. Full information with reference to these insolvent institutions is therefore in most cases unattainable. The los ses upon currency are estimated to have been five per cent. aunually upon the
amount issued, but no estimate has ever been made of the losses to creditors and shareholders. Under the national-bank system, however, the losses as well as profits of each bank are reported to this Office. If a bank bccomes insolvent, the Comptroller, by law, appoints the receiver, and exercises full supervision over the closing up of its affairs. The files of this Office, therefore, contain a complete record of everything pertaining to the settlement of the business of such associations. The following table exhibits the number of failures of national banks in each State, together with their capital, amount of claims proved, the amount of dividends paid, and the estimated losses to creditors, from the organization of the system to July 1 of the present year:

| State. |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

From the above table it will be seen that the total amount of capital of all the insolvent national banks is $\$ 16,015,100$; amount of claims proved, $\$ 23,398,709$; of dividends paid, $\$ 14,010,313$; while the estimated losses are but $\$ 6,415,423$. The average number of failures during each of the past fifteen years has been less than five, and the average annual loss less than $\$ 430,000$.

The City of Glasgow Bank, which recently failed in Scotland, had a capital and surplus of less than $\$ 8,000,000$, and liabilities of more than $\$ 50,000,000$. It loaned to four debtors of the bank more than $\$ 28,000,000$, upon which there is a loss of more than $\$ 21,000,000$. The deficiency.in the assets is nearly $\$ 26,000,000$, which is four times as great as the losses to all the creditors of national banks which have failed since the organization of the system. The bank superintendent of the State of New York reports the liabilities of twenty-two savings banks which have failed in that State during the last six and one-half years at $\$ 12,188,777$, and estimates the losses to their creditors at $\$ 4,303,616$, which is more than one-third of their entire indebtedness. He estimates the losses during the last three years at $\$ 3,400,000$, which is more than one-half of the estimated losses to the creditors of all the national banks in the United States from the beginning of the system until now. The losses from five State banks in the city of Chicago during the last two years, which banks were organized under special charters, under which neither State supervision nor reports were required, is estimated to be $\$ 3,919,500$, on liabilities of $\$ 5,785,572$. The losses from the State and savings banks of the
country during the last two years only are known to have been greater than the total loss resulting from all the failures which have occurred of national banking associations. The government has lad large amounts on deposit continually with a great number of national banks throughout the country, for its convenience in making disbursements, but has suffered no loss during the past twelve years. Upon the circulating notes of the national banks there has been no loss whatever.

## PUBLIC STATEMENTS AND EXAMINATIONS.

One of the most important provisions of law relating to the national banks is that requiring statements of their resources and liabilities to be made at such times and in such manner as the Comptroller may direct, and the publication of these statements in the daily newspapers of the country. The banks are also required to make returns to the Comptroller, semi-annually, of their earnings, losses and dividends; and all of these returns are compiled by him and annually transmitted to Congress. The Comptroller has authority to call upon the banks for any and all information concerning their affairs which may be thought of value; and it is his endeavor to communicate annually to Congress and the people the fullest possible knowledge attainable upon every question of interest connected with the business of banking. Letters, also, from whatever source, asking for proper information on these subjects, are always fully answered. The annual reports which have been issued from this Office are themselves evidence of the great amount and value of the information to be clerived from the returns made by the national banks.

The law also provides for a thorough examination of the banks by competent persons as frequently as the Comptroller may think desirable. This feature of the law was at first exceedingly unpopular, but it is now generally approved by the banks themselves, and has been attended with the best results. Irregularities are not so likely to be allowed when it is known that they may be exposed by a competent examiner. In numerous instances unlawful dividends have been prevented, impaired capital discovered and its restoration compelled, and large losses to both shareholders and creditors avoided, by the prompt action of this office, based upon the report of an examiner. The excellent system now in operation is in stroug contrast with the generally lax systems of bank reports and supervision which prevailed previous to the passage of the national-bank act.

The Comptroller, in his report for 1876, made an effort to collect from official sources the general bank statistics of the country. Only two balanced statements of the first Bank of the United States could be found, and previous to 1832 the published bank statistics consisted mainly of estimates made, or statements unofficially compiled, by individuals. Subsequently statements were obtained by this department from the several State officials, and were compiled anmually for the use of Congress. But the State laws differed widely in their requirements, both as to the nature of the returns to be made by the banks and the dates which they should bear. Instead of a uniform time and similarity in form being required by all the States, as is now required under the national system, there was great diversity in both date and form, so that when the compilation of the reports was completed by this department the work was very unsatisfactory, and it was found impracticable to give anything like a just or true presentment of the condition of the banks of the country on or near any given day.

For the last five years the Comptroller, in obedience to an act of Con-
gress, has endeavored to compile annually the returns made by the State banks to the different State officials; but the same difficulties in this regard exist now that existed before the establishment of the national-banking system. The constitution of the State of Illinois provides "that every banking association now and which may hereafter be organized under the laws of the State, shall make and publish a full and accurate quarterly statement of its affairs, which shall be certified to under oath by one or more of its officers"; but although bills designed to carry out this provision of the constitation have been often introduced into the legislature, they have thus far failed to be enacted in the form of law. Many other States have no laws whatever upon the subject, and complete returns can be obtained from not more than one-half of the States in the Union.

For many years past there has been a growing desire to obtain the fullest data possible concerning the coudition of all public corporations, and especially of all financial institutions; but if the present homogeneous system, which has accomplished so much in this direction, be now abolished, all further hope of obtaining full and reliable banking statistics may be at once abandoned.
The London Economist of October 26, 1878, in commenting upon the report of the directors of the City of Glasgow Bank, says :
A more complete publication of banking accounts, as well as a more rigid andit, will probably be insisted on for the future. A real audit of such acconnts is most difficult to make, but, some authentication by qualified persons ontside the business is obviously required. Though pablication of accounts is not by any means a complete safeguard, yet a more thorongh statement of the position of the business would hare prevented much of the mischief.

In contrast with the beneficial workings of the national system in this respect, the Comptroller presents below an extract from the London Bankers' Magazine for May, 1877, commentiog upon the statement contained in a previous annual report to Congress. The editor says:


#### Abstract

Our last number contained a statement as to the position of banking in the United States of America. It is not possible, as onr readers know, to publish any similar statement as to banking in England. No private bank in Enghand has, we believe, ever put forward any anthorized statement as to the position of its accounts, and it is barely possible to imagine a time in which such an imovation on the established practice conld occur. Most of the joint-stock banks in England now publish their accounts; even among them, however, the custom is far from universal, thongh the number of those who prefer to keep the state of their affairs in privacy is steadily on the decrease; and it is very desirable that this shonld be the case. It cannot be donbted that a statement of the position of the main fucts of banking would be often of service. In times of pressure a reliable official staternent would tend to allay anxiety anong many, and the careful banker would obtain from it information ready to his hand which might assist him in shaping his course at such periods. No such statement, however, is possible in England at the present time. The nearest approach to any such return was miade in 1875, when a great many English banks, both private and joint-stock, sent returns to Sir Stafford Northcote, in connection with the proceedings before the select committee of the Honse of Commons on banks of issue in that year. But the manner in which this return was made, and the fact that many banks abstained from making it, and that it was impossible to supply the names either of those banks which complied with the request, or of those who did not, render the return of no value as a basis for estimating the deposits held by English banks at the present time.


## FUNDING THE NATIONAL DEBT.

One of the chief objects in view in the organization of the national system was, not only to furnish bank-notes which were safe and convertible, but to supply a steady market for and facilitate the negotiation of United States bonds; and there is no doubt that the credit of the government and its ability to borrow money at low rates of interest have
been greatly increased by making its bonds a basis for the issue of na-tional-bank notes.

Of the United States bonds held by the national banks on November 1, 1868, and deposited with the Treasurer as security for their circulating notes, nearly three-fourths bore interest at the rate of six per cent. The amount of this class of bonds has since been gradually reduced, until it is now less than one-fourth of all the bonds held, while nearly one-fourth of the whole amount bears interest at the rate of four and one-half and four per cent. only. About one-fifth of the entire issues of the latter classes of bonds is now held by the national banks. This will be seen from the following table, which exhibits the amount and classes of bonds held as security for circulation on the 1st day of November, for each year since 1865 , and the rate of interest which they respectively bear :

| Date. | 6 per cont. bonds. | 5 per cent. bonds. | $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. bonds. | 4 per cent. bouds. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| November 1, 1865 | \$202, 523, 350 | \$78, 619, 950 |  |  | \$281, 143, 300 |
| November 1, 1866 | 244, 993, 200 | 90, 076, 450 |  |  | 335, 069, 650 |
| November 1, 1867 | 251, 274, 800 | 91., 376, 400 |  |  | 342, 651, 250 |
| November 1, 1868 | 252, 623, 750 | 88, 888,750 |  |  | 341, 512, 500 |
| November 1, 1869 | 249, 724, 650 | $92,731,300$ |  |  | 342, 455, 950 |
| November 1, 1870 | 247, 460, 950 | 97, 284, 600 |  |  | 344, 745, 550 |
| November 1, 1871 | 181, 158, 600 | 185, 955, 850 |  |  | 367, 114, 450 |
| November 1, 1872 | 173, 303, 100 | 211, 665,800 |  |  | 384, 968, 900 |
| November 1, 1873 | 157, 834, 950 | 235, 017, 150 |  |  | 392, 852, 100 |
| November 1, 1.874 | 145, 981, 650 | 239, 440, 100 |  |  | 385, 421, 750 |
| November 1, 1875 | 128, 503, 212 | 239, 046, 200 |  |  | 367, 549,412 |
| November 1, 1876 | 108, 81,9,300 | 223, 602, 700 | \$10, 305, 800 |  | 337, 727, 800 |
| November 1, 1877 | 81, 984, 550 | 200, 090, 500 | 45, 089, 700 | \$15, 884, 1.50 | 343, 048, 900 |
| November 1, 1878 | 72, 829, 750 | 196, 615, 600 | 49,397, 250 | 30, 566, 300 | 349, 408, 900 |

The government has still outstanding more than 693 millions of six per cent. and more than 703 millions of five per cent.bonds. The reduction of the interest on this amount to four per cent. would s ve to the government nearly 21 millions of interest annually. The funding of the six per cent. bonds into four per cents. has made rapid progress during the last year, and the banks have been of great service to the government in this process of refunding, by negotiating and absorbing a very considerable part of the new issues. Should the national system continue there is no doubt that the present rapid reduction in the burden of interest will continue also. If the national-bank system is to be abolished, and an additional amount of United States notes is to be issued, all hope of reducing the rate of interest on the public debt must be abandoned.

The larger portion of the five and six per cent. gold-bearing bonds of the United States is payable at the option of the government, and the remainder will be payable in 1881-two years hence. As already stated, 21 millions fearly may be saved to the government by funding these bonds into four per cents., while the amount which it is claimed may be anoually saved by the repeal of the national-bank act and the issue of 320 millions of unconvertible Treasury notes, is 13 millions only.* With the issue of this large amount of government notes the funding of the public debt will be rendered impossible; for the pledges of the government will then be violated and its credit permanently injured.

[^9]Which is the wiser course-to continue the work of funding the debt, which has so successfully progressed during the present year, thus saving the greater amount of interest named, while adding to the credit of the country, or to attempt, by the repeal of the national-bank act, to save the less amount, and at the loss, as well, of reputation and credit? Is there not danger that attempts to remove an imaginary evil may be followed by the introduction of a real and much greater evil? Success in funding the national debt through the co-operation of two thousand of the principal monetary institutions of the country may be assured, but the effects of the issue of a large amount of irredeemable government currency cannot be foretold.

## VALUE OF CIRCULATION TO THE NATIONAL BANKS.

The profit to the national banks derived from the issue of circulating notes is not great, as is frequently asserted, being but about $2 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. more per annum on the capital invested in the bonds pledged to secure the circulation than could be obtaned by leiding directly the same amount of capital. The table below shows the amount of bonds deposited in the Treasury on November 1, 1878, to secure national bank circulation, their various classes, their currency value, the circulation issuable thereon, and the annual interest upon them:

| Class of bonds. | Par value. | Currency value. | Circulation issuable. | Annual gold interest. | Currency value of interest. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sixes of 1881. | \$56,483, 450 | \$61, 072, 730 | \$50,835, 105 | \$3, 389, 007 | \$3, 397, 480 |
| Five-twenties of 1865, 2 d series | 825,700 | 851,503 | 743, 130 | 49,542 | 49, 666 |
| Five-twenties of 1865, 3d series, 1867 s | 8, 172, 100 | 8, 672, 641 | 7, 354, 890 | 490, 326 | 491, 552 |
| Five-twenties of 1865, 4 th series, 1868 s | 1, 764, 500 | 1, 905, 660 | 1. 588,050 | 105, 870 | 106, 135 |
| Ten-forties of $1864 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .$. | 70, 688, 850 | 75, 195, 264 | 63, 619, 965. | $3,534,443$ | 3,543, 279 |
| Fives of 1881, funded 1881s....... | 125, 926, 750 | 132, 223, 088 | 113, 334, 075 | 6, 296, 337 | 6, 312, 078 |
| Four-and-one-halfs of 1891, funded 1891s. | 49,397. 250 | 51, 311, 393 | 44, 457, 525 | 2, 222, 876 | 2, 228,433 |
| Fours of 1.907, eonsols of 1907 | 30, 566, 300 | $30,566,300$ | 27, 509, 670 | 1, 222, 652 | 1,225, 709 |
| Pacific Railroad bonds | 5, 584,000 | 6,735, 700 | 5, 025, 600 |  | 335, 040 |
| Total. | 349, 408, 900 | 368, 534, 279 | 314, 468, 010 | 17,311, 053 | 17, 689,372 |

It will be seen that the currency value of the bonds, which represents the amount of capital invested in their purchase, is $\$ 368,534,279$. If this amount of capital were placed at interest at eight per cent. per annum, estimated as the average rate of interest obtainable throughout the country, it would produce $\$ 29,482,742$. The annual interest on the bonds of the banks amounts, as shown by the table, to $\$ 17,311,053$ in gold and $\$ 335,040$ in currency, the total currency value of the interest on November 1, 1878 (gold being quoted at the New York stock exchange on that date at one-quarter of oue per cent. premium), being $\$ 17,689,372$, which is the whole amount received annually by the banks; but as they are required to pay into the Treasury of the United States a tax of one per cent. per annum upon their circulation, which, upon the amount issuable, is $\$ 3,144,680$, the net amount of interest received by them is thereby reduced to $\$ 14,544,692$. This amount, together with the interest which the banks receive on the amount of their circulation available for use, gives the whole income derived by them from their circulation and the bonds deposited to secure it.

The amount available for use is that issuable (being 90 per cent. of the par value of the bonds pledged), less an amount equal to five per cent. thereof, which the banks are required, by the act of June 20, 1874,
to place with the Treasurer of the United States, as a redemption fund. Therefore, even if the banks could keep loaned out all the time the whole of their circulation available for use, which is in practice an impossibility, they could have free for loaning but $\$ 298,744,610$ of the $\$ 314,468,010$ issuable upon their bonds; and that amount loaned at the rate named, eight per cent. per annum, would produce $\$ 23,899,569$, which, together with the net interest received on the bonds, makes $\$ 38,444,261$ as the income derived by the banks from their bonds and circulation, as against $\$ 29,482,742$ that would be produced by lending the capital invested in the bonds directly at the same rate of interest. The difference between the two sums, which is $\$ 8,961,519$, or 2.43 per cent. on the capital invested, represents the true amount of profit that the banks can, under the most favorable circumstances, receive from their circulatiou.

## To recapitulate:

The interest at 8 per cent. per anunm on the loanable amount of circulation, which, as shown above, is $\$ 298,744.610$, is.......................................
The currency value of the interest on the bonds deposited to secure the circulation is
$\$ 23,899,569$
17, 689, 372
Gross amount received by the banks from bonds and loanable circulation.. 41,588, 941
From which deduct one per cent. of the issuable amount of circulation as the tax thereon
$3,144,680$
Net income upon the capital employed.................................... 38, 444, 261
The capital necessary to purchase the bonds pledged by the banks, which, as shown above, is $\$ 368,534.279$, loaned at 8 per cent. per annum would produce
$29,482,742$
Difference, representing the profit on circulation if the whole amount available for use be loaned continually throughout the year.
$8,961,519$
Two and forty-three hondredths per cent. on the capital employed ( $\$ 368,534,279$ ) is $\$ 8,955,383$, which, as shown above, is about the value of circulation to the national banks if they could keep the whole amount of their issues loaned out all the time.

In the above calculation no deduction is made for the costs of the redemption of the bank circulation, which lessens by so much the profits on circulation. The cost of redemption for the fiscal year ending June 30,1878 , was $\$ 317,942.48$; for the year ending Juue 30,1877 , it was $\$ 357,066.10$; for the year ending June $30,1876, \$ 365,193.31$; and for the jear ending June 30, 1875, \$290,965.37.

In localities where the annual rate of interest is seven per cent., the value of circulation is about two and sixty-two hundredths per cent. per annum, and where the rate is ten per cent., its value is about two and five-hundredths per cent.

The large margin $(\$ 54,066,269)$ between the value of the bonds owned by the banks and the circulation issuable thereon, would, in case of disaster, be available as a reserve for the payment of the depositors or other creditors; and this is an additional argument in favor of issuing circution under the restrictions of the law as now provided.

Another thing that should be considered in estimating the value of circulation is, that the banks held their bonds at a premium, which, though it has been greatly reduced in the past, still appears anong their assets for a large amount, and which will disappear when the bonds shall mature and be paid by the United States. The amount of premium appearing as an asset of the banks on October 1, 1878, the date of the last report of their condition, is $\$ 7,134,736$.

If all of the bonds of the banks necessary to secure their circulation were converted into four per cent. bonds, the value of circulation, taking the same amounts of bonds and circulation as are used above, would be shown as follows:
Interest on $\$ 298,744,610$ of circulation, loaned at 8 per cent. per annum .. $\$ 23,899,569$
Currency value of interest on bonds ......................................... $14,011,297$


The average rate of State taxation upon the capital of the national banks is about two per cent. per annum; and if they should go into liquidation, and the owners of the bonds should continue to hold them, the amount of State taxation saved to them would nearly or quite equal the benefit they now derive from circulation.

## NO SAVING TO THE GOVERNMENI BY THE SUBSTIIUTION OF TREASURY FOR NATIONAL-BANK NOTES.

The amount of legal-tender notes outstanding is 346 millions; of national bank notes, 322 millions; making a total of 668 millions. It is not probable that additional legal-tender notes can be constitutionally issued. If, therefore, Treasury notes shall be substituted for the present national-bank notes, it is doubtful if they can be made a legal tender in the payment of all debts. Two kinds of Treasury notes will then be in circulation, one of which will be a full legal tender and the other not, even between national banks, as is now the case with their own notes. The full legal-tender notes will be of greater value than the other class, unless both are alike redeemable in gold at the commercial centers.

The banks hold among their resources 830 millions in bills receivable, and an equally large amount of other assets, a large proportion of which is readily convertible into money. Their deposits and bank balances amount to more than 600 millions, and their circulating notes are promptly redeemed, with but little expense to the holders, through the use of their assets, which represent their capital, surplus, and deposits. If more notes are issued to the banks than are necessary for the requirements of business, they can be easily retired. If a larger amount is desired, they can be readily obtained upon application in the manner provided by law. On the other hand, if the entire circulation of the country is to be issued by the government, its amount must be fixed by Congress, and can be neither increased nor diminished except by its action. The Treasury note represents no business capital, and the volume of the currency will be controlled, not by the demands of business and the wants of the conntry, but by the views and action of political parties and of Congress.
The government, unlike the banks, does not receive deposits nor loan money, and it must therefore provide for the redemption of its notes from its own resources. If it issues a small amount of currency, the amount of reserve required and the expense of redemption will be small; but if it issues the whole paper currency of the country, it must, when specie payments are reached, maintain a ratio of reserve equal to that of the Bank of England or the Bank of France, which is not less in either case than one-third of the amount of its issues. If the amount of government issues should reach 663 millions, which is the present volume of the currency, a reserve of 223 millious in coin must be kept on
hand. The interest upon this amount of reserve, at the lowest government rate ( 4 per 'cent.), would be $\$ 8,920,000$. The expenise of issuing the notes and the cost of redemption would also be large, and the total cost to the government, including the hazards attending the issiue of so large an amount of money, would not probably be less than 10 millions of dollars annually. This amount is but three millions less than that of the net annual interest received by the national banks upon their bonds, and is much greater than the profits derived by them from their entire circulation.

If the amoint of Treasury notes should be largely increased, and be subject, as they will, to additional increase by each successive Congress, the ability of the government to redeem them will in time be questioned, and the amount and proportion of reserve required will need to be increased, thus adding materially to the expense attending the issue. If United States Treasury notes are substituted for the national-bank notes and specie payments are resumed, it is evident that the government will save but little, if anything, by the transaction. If not convertible, two kinds of Treasury notes, as before stated, will then be in circulation. The old legal-tender note will be preferred, separate accounts of each lind of notes will be kept, and the difference of exchange, which has practically disappeared under the preseut system, will again appear in every business transaction.

Nearly all of the United States bonds held by the national banks are, by the explicit terms of the acts under which they were issued, payable, both principal and interest, in coin. These coin-bearing bonds will bear a high premium in the market, in comparison with the new issues of unconvertible Treasury notes. Only three years ago, in 1875, the five and six per cent. bonds of the United States were at a premium of from 15 to 20 per cent. in Treasury notes, which were a full legal tender, and which were limited in the amount of issue. The issue of the new Treasury notes in place of national-bauk notes will therefore be attended with an advance in premium upon the bonds of the government held by the banks, in amount not less than from fifty to sixty millions of dollars, and probably exceeding that sum; and if the bonds held by the banks are purchased with the proposed new issue of Treasury notes, this loss of premium must at the outset be borne by the government.

It is believed by the Comptroller that this proposed substitution is impracticable, and that the repeal of the national-bank act will result, not in an additional issue of Treasury notes, but in the restoration of State systems similar to those which were previously in operation. Secretary Chase, in his report for 1861, said that the establishment of the national-bank system would "avoid the evils of a great and sudden change in the currency, by offering inducements to solvent existing: institutions to withdraw the circulation issued under State authority, and substitute that provided by the anthority of the Union"; and that "throngh the voluntary action of the existing institutions, ordered by wise legislation, the great transition from a currency heterogeneous, urequal, and unsafe, to one uniform, equal, and safe, may be speedily and almost imperceptibly accomplished."

The national-bank act became a law on February 25, 1863, but the inducements offered by the Secretary were not sufficient to bring about, to any great extent, the conversion of existing State into national associations. Subsequently, on March 3, 1865, an act was passed, which provided "that every national banking association, State bank, or State banking association, shall pay a tax of ten per centum on the amount of notes of any State bank or State banking association paid out by thena 11 F
after the first day of July, 1866." As soon as it became apparent that this 'bill, in effect taxing out of existence the State bank notes, would become a law, the State banks of New York, New England, and of other States, surrendered their old charters and entered into the national system; not as a matter of choice, but either becanse they foresaw that the banks in the national system would, in the future, possess a higher character than that of other similar institutions, or becanse, having always had the privilege of issuing circulating notes, they desired to retain that privilege.

According to the Comptroller's report for December, 1865, 731 State banks became national associations during the year preceding the report, and of the 1,601 national banks in operation at the close of the year named, 922 were conversions. These banks, however, almost without exception, came into the system reluctantly, but with the expectation of a continuance of their charters for twenty years, as provided in the act. They had conducted a successfil business as State associations for many years previons to and during the war. They had loaned gold dollars to the people and received in return the greeaback, which purchased the bonds now held as security for their circulating notes; and, therefore, contrary to the existing general belief, they did not realize large profits upon the purchase of these bonds. The restrictions of the act were burdensome and mpopular with the banks. Experience has shown them to be good, and the banks have become habituated to those prohibitions which at first were so objectionable. The strong banks, with their large surplus and deposits and loans, do not ask for a change; but others, comprising a large class, not so favorably located nor so prosperous, would welcome again the condition they once enjoyed of freedom from legal restrictions and official supervision.

The national banks, as a class, are by no means enthusiastic advocates of the national system, as is implied in the assertions of those who proclaim that these banks will form a combination or union for its defense at any hazard. No formidable combination can be organized among them to save the system from repeal. On the contrary, it will be found that large numbers of the banks will quietly acquiesce in such repeal, provided they shall be satisfied that the old State systems are certain to be revived. Bills for the repeal of the act of March 3, 1865, which taxed the State bank circulation out of existence, have been already introduced in Cougress, speeches favoring this measure have, during the late canvas, been made by representatives of many States, and resolutions of chambers of commerce in many of the principal Southern cities ask for the repeal of the 10 per cent. prohibition. The national-banking system, with its restrictions and wise provisions, may, under the excitement of an unfounded prejudice, be destroyed, but its destruction will soon be followed by a revival of the old objectionable State systems, with all the evils which formerly accompanied them, and from which they are inseparable.

In New York and Massachusetts, Wisconsin, Minnesota, Iowa, and other States, provisions either of law or of the constitution now exist, which prohibit the issue of circulating notes, unless secured in a manner similar to those issued under the provisions of the national banking system. As a consequence of these laws and constitutional provisions, the bonds now held in the Treasury at Washington will be largely transferred to the capitals of many of the States, the result being that while, contrary to the expectation of many, no great saving of interest to the government will ensue, the circulating notes of State associations, secured and unsecured, will soon fill the places now occupied by the uniform circulation of the national banks. But.even if this circulation shall all
be well secured, it will be impossible, under the varying legislation of different States, to secure the issue of a homogeneous currency of equal value throughout the country. Many useful restrictions may be adopted, but it would be hopeless to expect all the States to agree upon a central point of redemption outside of their own respective boundaries, or upon a uniform system of cash reserve, or upon similarity in form of public statements. State lines, as formerly, will bound the field of circulation of many of the Southern and Western issues, while the notes of New York and New England will not only monopolize the field within their own boundaries, but will successfully contest the privilege of circulation in those States remote from the commercial centers, which have no Eastern agency for the redemption of their notes. Eastern communities will suffer comparatively little from the unsound issues of other States, but those which are less favored with capital will, as of old, be the chosen field for the establishment of illegitimate corporations. The cost of exchange, which under the present system has, during the last fifteen years, nearly disappeared, will be again revived. The rate will not, perhaps, be so large as in former times, but yet large enough to be a grievous burden upon the business of the country.

Few persons have a just conception of the many advantages possessed by a homogeneous currency, fully secured, the issue of a single system, redeemable at a common point, and exempt from the discount occasioned by an irregularity of value in different localities. Great pains have been taken to obtain an estimate of the amount of exchange issued annually upon New York by the Western and Southern States. The amount drawn upon New York alone is estimated at nearly three thousand millions of dollars annually; and it will not probably be an exaggeration to say that not less than four thousand millions of dollars are annually drawn in exchange by the West and South upon the East. The amounts drawn upon each other by the banks in the commercial cities and States of the East is also great. In 1859 the average cost of Southern and Western exchange upon New York, was not less than from 1 to $1 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. If this latter rate should be restored, the cost of exchange alone would be sixty millions annually; while if the rate were but one-half of one per cent., which was the current rate in the State of New York in the year 1860 , a loss in exchange of twenty millions annually would ensue, to say nothing of the loss upon the issues of banks not properly organized.

The overthrow of the present well-established system, with its abundant capital and reserve, its large surplus, and its wise provisions, will be succeeded, either by two lainds of government notes, one or both at a discount for gold and of unequal current value, or by circulating notes issued under State authority. Either system will be bad. The one will be subject to the changing opinion of each successive Congress, and the other to the independent caprice of the legislatures of forty States.

The proposition is, to save money to the government by placing the principal existing monetary institutions of the country in liquidation at a time when specie payment is assured. There will be no saving to the government, but a loss of millions of dollars annually to the people, which loss will increase yearly with the growth of business and commerce between the different States.

Since 1863 the measure of value has been subject to such frequent changes that business men, no matter how careful their calculations or prudent their arrangements, have been continually deceived by the false regulator which measures every transaction. If any single day is selected, for the purpose of comparison, from the business days of each
of the last sixteen years, the measure of value will be found to have beein as variable as the thermometer. This will be clearly seen in the following table, which gives the value, in standard gold coin, of the legaltender paper dollar on July 1 of each year from 1864 to 1878 , and also its value on November 18 of the present year:


In 1864 the value both of the Treasury note and the national-bank note was less than thirty-nine cents to the dollar. They are now alike worth ninety-nine and eighty-seven one-hundredths cents. It is within the province of the present Congress to discountenance henceforth in this country the use of a false and fluctuating measure of value, and to insure in its stead the use of a measure which is everywhere recognized as honest and true. The business interests of this country demand a permanent system of fiuance, free from the influence of political parties and from the ever-varying opinions of legislative bodies.

## President Lincoln, in his annual message to Congress. of December 1,

 1862, said:The condition of the finances will claim your most diligent consideration. The vast expenditures incident to the military and naval operations required for the suppression of the rebellion, have hitherto been met with promptitude, and certainty, unusual in similar circumstances; and the public credit has been fully maintained. The continuance of the war, however, and the increased disbursements made necessary by the augmented forces now in the field, demand jour best reflections as to the best modes of providing the necessary revenue, without injury to business, and with the least possible burdens upou labor.
The suspension of specie payments by the banks, soon after the commencement of your last session, made large issues of United States notes unavoidabie. In no other way could the payment of the troops, and the satisfaction of other just demands, be so economicilly, or so well provided for. The judicions legislation of Congress, securing the receivability of these notes for loans and internal duties, and making them a legal tender for other debts, has made them an universal currency; and has satisfied, partially, at least and for the time, the long-felt want of an uniform cireulating medium, saving thereby to the people, immense sums in discounts and exchanges.
A return to specie payments, however, at the earliest period compatible with due regard to all interests concerned, should ever be kept in view. Fluctuations in the value of currency are always injurious, and to reduce these fluctuations to the lowest possible point will always be a leading purpose iu wise legislation. Convertibility, prompt and certain convertibility into coin, is generally acknowledged to be the best and surest safeguard against them; and it is extremely doubtful whether a circulation of United States notes, payable in coin, and snfficiently large for the wants of the people, cau be permanently, usefully, aud safely maintained.
Is there, then, amy other mode in which the necessary provision for the public wants can be made, and the great advantages of a safe and uniform currency secured ? I know of none which promises so certain results, and is, at the same time, so nuobjectionable as the organization of banking associations, under a gencral act of Congress, well guarded in its provisions. To such associations the goverument might furnish circulating notes, on the security of United States bonds deposited in the Treasury.
These notes, prepared under the supervision of proper officers, being unifono in appearance and security, and convertible always into coin, would at once protect labor against the evils of a vicious currency, and facilitate commerce by cheap and safe exchanges. A moderate reservation fiom the interest on the bouds would compensate the United States for the preparatiou sud distribntion of the notes, and a general supervision of the system, and would lighten the burden of that part of the poblic debt employed as securities. The public credit, moreover, would be greatly improved, and the negotiation of new loans greatly facilitated by the steady market demand for government bonds which the adoption of the proposed system would create.
It is an additional recommendation of the measure, of considerable weight, in my judgment, that it would reconcile, as far as possible, all existing interests, by the oppor-
tunity offered to existing institutions to reorganize iuder the act; substituting only the secured uniform national circulation for the local and various circulation, secured and unsecured, now issued by them.

In his annual message of December 8,1863 , he refers to the same subject as follows:

The operations of the Treasury during the last year have been successfully conducted. The enactment by Congress of a national-banking law has proved a valuable support of the public credit; and the general legislation in relation to loans has fully answered the expectations of its favorers. Some amendments may be required to peerfect existing laws; but no change in their principles or general scope is believed to be needed. Since these measures have been in operation, all demands on the Treasury; including the pay of the army and navy, have been promptly met and fully satisfied. No cousiderable body of troops, it is believed, were ever more amply provided, and more libeinally and punctually paid; and it may be added that by no people were the burdens iucident to a great war èver more cheerfully borne.

In his message of December 6,1864 , he again refers to the subject, and says:

The nationai-banlsing system is proving to be acceptable to capitalists and to the people. On the twenty-fifth day of November five hundred and eighty-fonr national banks had been organized, a considerable number of which were conversions from State banks. Changes from State systems to the natioual system are rapidly taking place, and it is hoped that, very soon, there will be in the United States no banks of issue not anthorized by Congress, and no bank-note circulation not secured by the government. That the government and the people will derive great benefit from this change in the banking systems of the country can hardly be questioned. The national system will create a reliable and pormanent influence in support of the national credit, and protect the people against losses in the use of paper money. Whether or not any further legislation is advisable for the suppression of State bank issues, it will be for Congress to determine. It seems quite clear that the Treasury cannot be satisfactorily condncted unless the government.can exercise a restraining power over the baink-note circulation of the country.

More than a year before the passage of the national-bank act, Secretary Chase, in referring to the proposed system., said:

Its principal features are, first, a circulation of notes bearing a common impression and authenticated by a common authority; second, the redemption of these notes by the associations and institutions to which they may be delivered for issive; and, third, the security of that redemption by the pledge of United States stocks and an adequate provision of specie. In this plan the people, in their ordinary business, wonld find the advantages of uniformity in currency; of uniformity in security; of effectual safeguard, if effectual safegnard is possible, agaiust depreciation; and of protection from losses in discounts and exchanges; while in the operations of the goverument the people would find the further advantage of a large demand for government securities, of increased facilities for obtaining the loans required by the war, and of some alleviation of the burdens on industry, throngh a diminution in the rate of interest or a participation in the profit of circulation, without risking the perils of a great money monopoly. A furtlier and important advantage to the people may be reasoniably expected in the increased security of the Union, springing from the common interest in its preservatlon, created by the distribution of its stocks to associations throughout the country as the basis of their circulation.

The Secretary entertains the opinion that if a credit circulation in any form be desirable it is most desirable in this. The notes thus issued aud secured would, in his judgment, form the safest currency which this country has ever enjoyed, while their receivability for all government dues, except customs, would make them, wherever payable, of equal value as a currency in every part of the Union. The large amount of specie now in the United States will easily support payments of duties in coin, while these payments and ordinary demands will aid in retaining this specie in the country as a solid basis, both of circulation and loans.
The whole circulation of the country, except a limited amount of foreign coin, would, after the lapse of two or three years, bear the impress of the nation, whether in coin or notes; while the amount of the latter, always easily ascertainable and, of course, always generally known, would not be likely to be increased beyond the real wants of business. He expresses an opinion in favor of this plan with the greater confiderse, becanse it has the advantage of recommendation from experience. It is not an untried theory. In the State of New York, and in one or more of the other States, it has? ${ }^{\text {pleen subjected in its most essential parts to the test of experiment, and }}$ has been found practicable and useful. The probabilities of success will uot be diminished but increased by its adoption under national sanction and for the whole country.

These anticipations have been realized. The national banks have held, almost continually, nearly one-fifth of the bonds of the United States, thus increasing the value of these bonds and the credit of the government, so that, when recently returned to us in large amounts from abroad, they could be taken at home without depreciation, and they have also furnished a currency both safe and uniform. If the banks have received a profit from their circulation, the discounts and exchanges and the rates of interest in most of the States have been reduced, and the people have thus participated in that profit. Their notes are of equal value in every part of the Union, and the whole circulation of the country, both paper and coin, bears the impress of the nation. The amount of coin held by the country is now much larger than then estimated, the amount held by the Treasury Department being 160 millions, and the total coin and bullion in the country being estimated by the Director of the Mint at more than 358 millions. This amount is constantly increasing, and it is to-day "a solid basis" for circulation. Congress has fixed the day for the restoration of the specie standard, and the legislation needed is that which will not overthrow but co-operate with the present well-managed monetary institutions of the country in accomplishing this result. When this is done the present. banking system, if then thought desirable, may be modified without danger to the credit or the business and commercial interests of this great nation.

## RESUMPTION AND RESERVE.

The law provides that banks in New York City shall hold a cash reserve of 25 per cent. upon their deposits, and that banks in the other principal cities shall hold an equal ratio of reserve, one-half of which must be in bank, while the remainder may be on deposit in New York. All other banks must hold a reserve of 15 per centum upon deposits, two-fifths of which must be on hand in lawful money, and the remainder may be on deposit with banks in the reserve cities. The amount of reserve held on the first day of October last was greater than that required by law, as may be seen by reference to the following table:

| Cities. | No. of banks. | Cirenlation. | Netdeposits. | Legalteuder funds. | Due from reservo agents. | Total reserve funds. | Ratio of legal-tender funds to- |  | Ratio of reserve funds to circulation and deposits. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Cincula. tion. | Deposits. |  |
|  |  | millions | millions | millions | millions | millions | per cent. | per cent. | per cent. |
| New York | 47 | 20.03 | 189.79 | 50.92 |  | 50.92 | 254.3 | 26.8 | - 24.3. |
| Boston. | 54 | 25.89 | 68.71 | 10.54 | 9.77 | 20.31 | 40.7 | 16.5 | 22.7 |
| Albany | 7 | 1.60 | 7.57 | 1. 14 | 1. 68 | 2. 82 | 71.0 | 15.0 | 30.7 |
| Philadelphia | 31 | 11. 73 | 43. 19 | 10.55 | 4.83 | 15. 38 | 89.1 | 24.4 | 28.0 |
| Pittaburgh . | 22 | 5.72 | 11. 82 | 2. 76 | 1. 71 | 4.47 | 48. 4 | 23.4 | 25.5 |
| Brltimore. | 14 | 5.36 | 13. 04 | 2. 74 | 1. 78 | 4.52 | 51.1 | 21.0 | 24.6 |
| Washington | 6 | 0.80 | 1.73 | 0.36 | 0.30 | 0.66 | 44.9 | 20.8 | 26. $0^{3}$ |
| New Orleans | 7 | 1.38 | 5.00 | 1. 44 | 0.35 | 1. 79 | 104.0 | 28.8 | 28.1 |
| Lonisville.. | 8 | 2.34 | 3.42 | 0.63 | 0.35 | 0.98 | 26.8 | 18.4 | 17.0 |
| Cincimati | 6 | 3. 10 | 8. 12 | 2.04 | 1. 08 | 3.12 | 65.7 | 25.1 | 27.8 |
| Cleveland. | 6 | 1.87 | 5.45 | 1.39 | 1. 67 | 3. 06 | 74.4 | 25.5 | 41. 9 |
| Chicargo. | 9 | 0.47 | 21. 63 | 5.18 | 3.03 | 8. 21 | 1106.0 | 24.0 | 37.1 |
| Detroit | 4 | 1.16 | 4.53 | 0.96 | 1.34 | 2.30 | 82.6. | 21.1 | 40.3 |
| Milwankee | 3 | 0.20 | 2.53 | 0.37 | 0.38 | 0.75 | - 183.1 | 14.7 | 27.4 |
| Saint Loais | 5 | 0.35 | 6.07 | 1. 04 | 0.74 | 1.78 | 295.6 | 17.2 | 27.7 |
| San Francisco. | 2 | 0. 67 | 1.43 | 0.87 | 0.05 | 0.92 | 129.8 | 60.7 | 43.8 |
| Totals | 231 | 82, 67 | 389.03 | 92.93 | 29.06 | 121.99 | 112.4 | 23.9 | 25.9 |
| Other banks. | 1,822 | 219.22 | 288.30 | 50.02 | 56.02 | 106. 04 | - 22.8 | 17.4 | 20.9 |
| Aggregates.. | 2, 053 | 301.89 | 677.33 | 142.95 | 85.08 | 228.03 | 47.3 | 21.1 | 23.3 |

The amount of legal tender funds held by the banks in New York City on October 1 was $\$ 50,921,576$, which was 26.8 per cent. upon their deposits and 24.3 per cent. upon circulation and deposits. The amount held by the banks in the principal cities, including New York, was $\$ 92,934,123$, or -112.4 per cent. upon their circulation, and 23.9 per cent. upon their deposits; and the total cash reserve of all the national banks was $\$ 142,955,718$, or 47.3 per cent. of the total outstanding circulation of the banks then in operation, and 21.1 per cent. of their deposits. This reserve consisted of $\$ 30,688,606$ of specie, $\$ 97,061,571$ of legal-tender notes, and $\$ 15,205,541$ deposited in the Treasury for the redemption of circulating notes. It is evident that the banks are well prepared to redeem their circulating notes in legal-tender notes, in accordance with law. The national and State banks in New York City and in Boston have already signified their intention to co-operate with the Treasury Department in the resumption of specie payments, which takes place on the 1st day of January next, as provided by law, as may be seen from the late action of the Clearing House Association of that city, which will be found upon another page. It is for the interest not only of the banks with their large assets, but also of the depositors of more than 800 millions of dollars in savings banks, as well as depositors in other banks, to encourage resumption and permanently fix the coin value of their deposits. The legal-tender note will then become a coin certificate payable on demand at the office of the Assistant Treasurer of New York, and will be more convenient and desirable for general use than coin itself.

The Treasury department owns 140 millions of coin, which is equal to more than forty per cent. of the entire issues of the legal-tender notes, and is available for their redemption, while the banks hold nearly one-third of the legal-tender notes. If, therefore, the banks of the country co-operate with the Treasury, it is impossible that resumption shall fail. But even if this co-operation should not be universal, it could not affect the ultimate result; for if any considerable portion of the legal-tender notes be exchanged for coin at the Treasury and withdrawn from use, the notes will become scarce and the coin be forced into circulation to supply the requirements of business and fill the gap. The coin will soon thereafter be returned to the Treasury in payment of customs duties and internal-revenue taxes, and offered in exchange for the greenback coin-certificates, which will be more generally acceptable to the people, for the same reason that the notes of the Bank of England and of the Bank of France are now preferred to coin.

But while it is conceded that both the Treasury and the banks can readily redeem their circulating notes, it is said that it will not be possible for the banks to provide for their deposits. In answer to this statement the Comptroller repeats what has been previously said by him:

[^10]the demand for specie, wherever it existed, was almost entirely owing either to an excess of currency or to a want of confidence in the institutions which issued it.
The people throughout the country now know that the national-bank notes are safe, and that if these notes are not paid at the counters of the banks which issued them they will be paid at the Treasury Department in lawful money, and that the securities held for their redemption are amply'sufficient for that purpose. No reason therefore exists. why the people, who, in the last fourteen years, have not lost one dollar through the use of bank-notes, should decline to receive such notes in payment of their deposits. These notes are not only guaranteed by the government, but they are received by it in payment of all tases and other dnes except dnties on imports, and are disbursed by it in payment of all demands except interest on the public debt, and in the redemption of pational-bank notes.
The national banks hold eight hundred and eighty millions of loans made to the people, and each bank is required, by section 5196 of the Revised Statntes, "to take and receive at par, for any debt or liability to it, any and all notes or bills issued by any lawfully-organized national banking association." There are, therefore, eight hundred and eighty millions of liabilities of the people due to tlie national banks-a sum largely exceeding the whole amonut of deposits-which may be paid in the notes of any or all of the national banks in the country. The national-bank notes are therefore very different in character from the heterogeneons bank-notes formerly issued by authority of the several States. Moreover, the deposits of the banks are largely owned by their own sharelolders and by their borrowers; and surely business men, who look to the banks for accommodations, and stockholders, whose profits depend upon their successful management, will be the last to conspire to injure their credit.
Deposits consist chiefly of bank-credits, are derived largely from the discount of commercial paper, and are paid mainly by transfers upon the books-not with either coin or currency. Thronghout the country all large payments are made, not with money, but with checks. In the principal cities these payments are acconplishied through the operations of clearing-houses. During the last twenty-fou: years the exchanges of the New York clearing-house were 454 thousand millions, while the balances paid in money were less than 19 thousancl millions. The average daily exchanges during this whole period were more than sixty-one millions, while the average daily balances paid in money were but two and one-half millions, or but four and one-fifth cents upon the dollar, as will be seen by a table on another page.
Immediately after resumption in England, in 1821, there was but little demand for gold, and the same was true in France after resumption by the Bank of France in 1850, and in this country in 1838 and 1858. The Bank of France is at present in a state of suspension,* but its notes are preferred by the public to specie, and the bank has fonud it difficult to reduce the volume of its circulating notes in exchange for coin. All thought of demanding actual payment in specio will vanish as soon as resumption is assured, and those timid bankers who fear that coin will be demanded for every dollar of their cleposits can reassure themselves by an agreement with their dealers that thoir deposits shall be payable, as at the present time," "in current funds," which will then consist of legal-tendor notes and the notos of specie-paying banks.

## RECENT ACTION OF THE NEW york Clearing-House in reference TO RESUMPTION-ITS EXCHANGES SINCE ORGANIZATION.

The New York Clearing-House Association, which is composed of fortyfive national and thirteen State banks, has, during the present month, consummated an arrangement with this department greatly facilitating the payment of drafts and checks which constantly pass between the office of the assistant treasurer and the banks. The basis of this arrange ment is as follows:

First. Hereafter, drafts drawn upon any bank represented in the Clearing-Honse Association in the city of New York, received by the assistant treasurer in that city, may be presented to such bank at the clearing-house for payment.
Second. Hereafter, drafts drawn upon the assistant treasnrer at New York may be adjusted by him at the clearing-house, and the balance due from the United States may be paid at his office in United States notes or clearing-house certificates.
*Since this was written the Bank of France has resumed, and there has been no special demand for coin, the transition having taken place almost imperceptibly.

Third. After the 1 st of January next payment of checks presented to the assistant treasnrer by any bank connected with the clearing-house may be made by him in United States notes.

The Association subsequently adopted a report, and the following propositions for the guidance of the banks in the transaction of business after the first day of January, 1879 , which propositions have also since been adopted by the Clearing-House in Boston:

1. Decline receiving gold coius as "special deposits," but accept and treat them only as "lawful money."
2. Abolish special exchanges of gold checks at the clearing-house.
3. Pay and receive balances between banks at clearing honse either in gold or United States legal tender.
4. Receive silver dollars upon deposit only under special contract to withdraw the same in kind.
5. Prohibit payments of balances at clearing-house in silver certificates or in silver dollans, excepting as subsidiary coin in swall sums (say under $\$ 10$ ).
6. Discontinne gold special accounts by notice to dealers to terminate them on 1st January next.

## The following is an extract from the report referred to :

There are diverse views honestly entertained respecting the relative merits and powers of circulating notes, of banks or of government, as to which will best piomote the public interests and meet the requirements of the people. Avoiding all discussion of this subject as not pertinent to the immediate occasion, let us accept the situation as it now exists, and as it will continue until after the day of resumption, and remit all such questions to the test of future experience.

At present there is a marked distinction made in the daily transactions of banks between their deposits of gold and their deposits of currency, by treating the former as a special fund, payable in kind. It must be evident that if this discrimination continues to be made after resumption, it will prolong the idea of the inferiority of circulating notes after they have been declared to be restored to an equality with gold by becoming interchangeable, and will therefore falsify the proclamation of the government. It will not only be a practical denial by the banks of the sincere purpose of the government to maintain its resolution, but, by affording protection and facility to those who draw coin from the Treasury, will place the moral force and power of the banks in direct opposition to the effort of government.

Specie payments will not have been truly accomplished mntil all distinctions in the use of gold coin and currency as money are obliterated in ordinary commercial trausactions.
To make resumption effective, the banks must cordially co-operate by practically treating lawful currency and gold coin as equivalent in value, as they did before the war, declining to receive all deposits of gold as subject to special contract as hitherto, and accepting it only as lawful money. They should also abolish all existing arrangements in which gold coiu is preferred, by giving notice that they will expire on the lst January next, the day of resumption, and terminate all special gold exchanges at the clearing-honse.
If the government, also, forbearing all further legislation upon the subject, will discontinue the issue of gold-certificates at the Treasury, and regard gold coin as practically the equivalent of lawful money in all its disbursements, the distinction which has so long existed between coin and currency will rapidly fade away, and natural law will reassert its beneficent dominion over our financial affairs. Resumption of the coin standard being assured, it is entirely safe to leave the circulating notes to find their true place, as their constitutional merits and the demands of trade and the public interest may naturally determine." But resumption of the eoin standard can be successfully reached only by the fearless disbursement of gold both by banks and government, and by such unreserved and confident action as will manifest to the public that they are working harmonionsly together, and feel the utmost assurance of its practicability and permanence.

The exchanges at the clearing-house in New York City for the year ending October 1, 1878, were nearly twenty thousand millions, and the balances paid in money were about nine hundred and fifty millions. The average daily exchanges were about sixty-five millions, and the average daily balances paid in money were but about three and one-tenth millions, or only 4.8 per cent. of the amount of the settlements.

The New York clearing-house was organized in 1853, and the following table exhibits its transactions, and the amount and ratio of currency
required for the payment of daily balances, yearly, for the last twentyfive years:

| Years. | No. of banks | *Capital: | Exchanges. | Balances paid in money. | Average daily exchanges. | Average daily balances paid in money. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Ra- } \\ & \text { tios. } \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1854 |  | \$47, 044, 900 | \$5, 750, 455, 987 | \$297, 411, 494 | \$19, 104, 505 | \$988, 078 | Pr.ct. |
| 1855 | 48 | 48, 884, 180 | 5, 362, 912, 098 | 289, 694,137 | 17, 412, 052 | 940,565 | 5.4 |
| 1856 | 50 | 52, 883, 700 | 6, 906, 213, 328 | 334, 714, 489 | 22, 278, 1.08 | 1, 079, 724 | 4.8 |
| 1857 | 50 | 64, 420, 200 | 8, 333, 226, 718 | 365, 313, 902 | 26, 968, 371 | 1,182,246 | 4.4 |
| 1858 | 46 | 67, 146, 018 | 4,756, 664, 386 | 314, 238, 911 | 15, 393, 736 | 1, $01.6,954$ | 6.6 |
| 1859 | 47 | (67, 921,714 | $6,448,00 \overline{,} 956$ | 363, 984, 683 | 20, 867, 333 | 1, 177, 944 | 5.6 |
| 1860 | 50 | 69, 907, 435 | 7, 231, 143, 057 | 380, 693, 438 | 23, 401, 757 | 1, 232, 018 | 5.3 |
| 1861 | 50 | 68, 900, 605 | 5, 915, 742, 758 | 353, 383, 944 | 19, 269, 520 | 1, 151., 088 | 6. |
| 1862 | 50 | 68, 375, 820 | 6, 871, 443, 59.1 | 415, 530, 331 | 22, 237, 682 | 1, 344, 758 | 6.0 |
| 1863 | 50 | 68, 972, 508 | 14, 867, 597, 849 | 677, 626,483 | 48, 428, 658 | 2, 207, 252 | 4.6 |
| 1864 | 49 | 68, 586, 763 | 24, 097, 196, 656 | 885, 719, 205 | 77, 984, 45.5 | 2, 866, 405 | 3.7 |
| 1865 | 55 | 80, 363, 013 | 26, 032, 384,342 | 1,035, 765, 108 | 84, 796, 040 | 3, 373, 828 | 4.0 |
| 186 | 58 | 82, 370, 200 | 28, 717, 146, 914 | 1,066, 135, 106 | 93, 541, 195 | 3, 472, 753 | 3.7 |
| 1867 | 58 | 81, 770,200 | 28, 675, 159, 472 | 1, 144, 963,451 | 93, 101, 167 | 3, 717, 414 | 4.0 |
|  | 59 | 82, 270, 200 | 28, 484, 288, 637 | 1, 125, 455, 237 | 92, 182, 164 | 3, 642, 250 | . 0 |
| 1869 | 59 | $82,730,200$ | 37, 407, 088, 987 | 1,120,318,308 | 121, 451, 393 | 3, 637, 397 | 3. 0 |
| 1870 | 61 | $83,620,200$ | 27, 804; 539, 406 | 1, 036, 484, 822 | 90, 274, 479 | 3, 365, 210 | 3.7 |
| 1871 | 62 | 84, 420, 200 | 29, 300, 986, 682 | 1, 209, 721, 029 | 95, 133, 074 | 3, 927, 666 | 4.1 |
| 1872 | 61 | 84, 420, 200 | 32, 636, 997, 404 | 1, 21.3, 293, 887 | 1.05, 964, 277 | 3, 939, 266 | 3.7 |
| 187 | 59 | $83,370,200$ | 33, 972, 773, 943 | 1, 159, 372, 108 | 111, 022, 137 | 3, 765, 922 | 3.4 |
| 1874 | 59 | 81, 635,200 | 20, 850, 681, 963 | 971, 231, 281 | 68, 139, 484 | 3,173, 958 | 4.7 |
| 1875 | 59 | $80,435,200$ | 23, 042, 276, 858 | 1, 104, 346, 845 | 75, 301, 558 | 3, 608, 977 | 4.8 |
| 1876 | 59 | 81, 731, 200 | 19, 874, 815, 36.7 | 1, 009, 532, 037 | 64, 738, 812 | 3, 288, 381 | 5.1 |
|  | 5 | 71, 085, 200 | 20, 876, 555, 937 | 1,015, 256, 483 | 68, 447, 724 | 3, 328, 710 | 4.9 |
|  | 57 | 63, 611, 500 | 19, 922, 733, 947 | 951, 970, 454 | 65, 106, 974 | 3, 111, 015 | 4.8 |
|  |  | 772, 674, 670 | $\ddagger \ddagger 74,138,972,237$ | $\ddagger+1.9,835,157,113$ | +61, 705, 866 | +2, 581, 591 | 4.2 |

NATIONAL-BANK AND LEGAL-TENDER NOTES, BY DENOMINATIONS.
The subjoined table exhibits, by denominations, the amount of na-tional-bank and legal-tender notes outstanding on November 1, 1878:

| Denominations. | Amount of national - bank notes. | Amonnt of le-gal-tenders. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ones. | \$4, 284, 219 | \$20, 368, 531 | \$24, 652, 750 |
| Twos | 2, 582, 146 | 20, 332, 920 | 22, 915, 066 |
| Fives | 92, 539, 275 | 55, 576, 740 | 148, 116, 015 |
| Tens | 102, 981, 440 | 65, 926,631 | 168, 908, 071 |
| Twenties | 68, 219, 780 | 63, 565, 929 | 131, 785, 709 |
| Fifties | 20, 967, 800 | 26,691, 195 | 47, 658, 995 |
| One-hundreds | 27, 104, 400 | 31, 227,070 | 58, 381, 470 |
| Five-hundreds | 657, 500 | 30, 501, 500 | 31, 159, 000 |
| Thousands............................ | 304, 000 | 33,490, 500 | 33, 794, 500 |
| Add for fractions of notes not presented or destroyed. | 11,561 |  | 11,561 |
| Totals <br> Deduct for legal-tenders destroyed in Chieago fire .... | 319, 652, 121 | $\begin{array}{r} 347,681,016 \\ 1,000,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 667,333,137 . \\ 1,000,000 \end{array}$ |
| Balances. | 319, 652, 121 | 346, 681, 016 | 666, 333, 137 |

Section 5175 of the Revised Statutes provides "that not more than one-sixth part of the notes furnished to any association shall be of a less denomination than five dollars, and that after specie payments are resumed, no association shall be furnished with notes of a less denomination than five dollars." In view of this provision, the printing of one and two dollar notes was discontinuied on November 1 last, and it is not expected that any notes of these denominations will be issued after the close of the present year. Section 5182 of the Revised Statutes requires that the circulating notes of national banks shall be "signed by the president or

[^11]vice-president and cashier thereof." The written signature of at least one bank officer is necessary, as a check between this office and the issuing bank; for, if the question of an overissue of notes should arise, the signature of such officer would be a means of determining the genumeness of the note. A number of banks, however, issue their notes with printed signatures, and in some cases with lithographic ones, which are frequently so badly executed as to excite suspicion as to the genuineness of the notes. The Comptroller, in his last report, recommended an amendment of section 5182 of the Revised Statutes, imposing a penalty of twenty dollars for every note issued by a national bank without the written siguature of at least one of the officers of the bank, which recommendation is now renewed.

## PUBLIC DEBT AT ITS MAXIMUM-CURRENCY AND ITS COIN VALUE.

The public debt reached its maximum on August 31, 1865, when it amounted to $\$ 2,845,907,626$, composed as follows:

| Funded | \$1, 109, 568, 192 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Matured debt | 1, 503, 020 |
| Temporary loans | 107, 148, 713 |
| Certificates of delot | 85, 093, 000 |
| Five per cent. legal-tender notes | 33, 954, 230 |
| Compound-interest legal-tender notes | 217,024, 160 |
| Seven-thirty notes... | 830,000, 000 |
| United States notes, (legal-tenders) | 433, 160, 569 |
| Fractional curreney.... | 26, 344, 742 |
| Suspended requisitions uncalled for | 2,111,000 |
| Total | 2,845,907, 626 |

Of these obligations \$684,138,959 were a legal tender in the payment of all debts, public and private, except customs duties and interest on the public debt.

The amount of legal-tender notes, demand notes, fractional currency, and national-bank notes, outstanding on August 31, 1865, and annually thereafter, from January 1, 1866, to January 1, 1878, and the amounts outstanding November 1, 1875, are shown by the following table, together with the currency price of gold and the gold price of currency at each date :

| Date. | United States issues. |  |  | Notes of national banks, including gold notes. | Aggregate. | Currency price of $\$ 100$ gold. | Gold price of $\$ 100$ currency. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Legal-tender notes. | Old demand notes. | Fractional currency. |  |  |  |  |
| Aug. 31, 1865 | \$432, 757, 604 | \$402, 965 | \$26, 344, 742 | \$176, 213, 955 | \$635, 719, 266 | \$144 25 | \$69 32 |
| Jan. 1,1866 | 425, 839, 319 | 392, 070 | 26, 000, 420 | '298, 588, 419 | $750,820,228$. | 14450 | 6920 |
| Jan. 1,1867 | 380, 276, 160 | 221, 682 | 28,732, 812 | 299, 846, 206 | 709, 076, 860 | 13300 | 7518 |
| Jan. 1, 1868 | 356, 000, 000 | 159, 127 | 31, 597, 583 | 299, 747, 569 | 687, 504; 279 | 13325 | 7504 |
| Jan. 1, 1869 | 355, 892, 975 | 128, 098 | 34, 215, 715 | 299, 629, 322 | 689, 866, 110 | 13500 | 7407 |
| Jan. 1, 1870 | 356, 000, 000 | 113, 098 | 39, 762, 664 | 299, 904, 029 | 695, 779, 791 | 12000 | 8333 |
| Jan. 1, 1871 | 3556, 000, 000 | 101, 086 | 39, 995, 089 | 306, 307, 672 | $702,403,847$ | 11075 | 9029 |
| Jan. 1,1872 | 357, 500, 000 | 92, 801 | 40, 767, 877 | 328, 465, 431 | 726, 826, 109 | 10950 | 9132 |
| Jan. 1, 1873 | 358, 557, 907 | 84, 387 | 45, 722, 061 | 344, 582, 812 | $748,947,167$ | 11200 | 8928 |
| Jan. 1, 1874 | 378, 401, 702 | 79,637 | 48, 544, 792 | 350, 848, 236 | 777, 874, 367 | 11025 | 9070 |
| Jan. 1,1875 | 382, 000, 000 | 72,317 | 46,390,598 | 354, 128, 259 | 782, 591, 165 | 11250 | 8889 |
| Jan. 1,1876 | 371, 827, 220 | 69, 642 | 44, 147, 072 | [46, 479, 756 | 762, 523, 600 | 11275 | 8869 |
| Jan. 1,1877 | $366,055,084$ | 65, 462 | 26, 348, 206 | 321, 595, 606 | 714, 064, 358 | 10700 | 9346 |
| Jan. 1, 1878 | 349, 943, 776 | 63,532 | 17, 764, 109 | 321, 672, 505 | $689,443,922$ | $102 \cdot 87$ | 9721 |
| Nov. 1,1878 | 346, 681, 016 | 62, 065 | 16,211, 193 | 322, 460, 715 | 685, 414, 989 | 10025 | 9975 |

## NATIONAL-BANK CIRCULATION.

The following table exhibits by States and geographical divisions the number of banks organized and in operation, with their capital, bonds
on deposit, and circulation issued, redeemed, and outstanding on the 1st 4lay of November, 1878:

| States and Terдitories. | Banks. |  |  | Capital. | Bouds. | Circulation. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Organ- } \\ & \text { ized. } \end{aligned}$ | In liqui. dation. | In operation. | Capital paid in. | Bonds on deposit. | Issued. | Recleemed. | Oritstand ing. |
| Maine | 74 | 2 | 72 | \$10, 660, 000 | \$9, 626, 250 | \$20, 538, 580 | \$11, 738, 656 | \$8,799, 924 |
| New Hampshire | 47 | 1 | 46 | 5,740, 000 | 5, 769, 000 | 12, 118, 075 | 6,923,328 | 5, 194, 747 |
| Vermont . . . . . | 50 | 3 | 47 | 8, 583, 000 | 7, 662, 500 | 18, 979,600 | 11, 627, 166 | 7, 352, 434 |
| Massachusetts | 242 | 5 | 237 | $95,407,000$ | 72, 221, 950 | 166, 473, 645 | 102, 777, 080 | 63, 696,565 |
| Rhode Island. | 62 | 1. | 61 | 20, 009, 800 | 1.4, 254, 400 | 35, 026, 71.5 | 21, 976, 505 | 1.3, 050, 210 |
| Connecticut | 86 | - 4 | 82 | 25, 504,620 | 20, 323, 700 | 47, 555, 410 | 29, 564, 017 | 17, 991, 393 |
| Totals, Eastern States. | 561 | 16 | 545 | 165, 854, 420 | 1.29, 857,800 | 300, 692, 02.5 | 184, 606, 752 | 11.6, 085, 273 |
| New York | 340 | 60 | 280 | 90, 689, 691. | 55, 766, 300 | 169, 862, 715 | 118, 990, 888 | 50, 871; 827 |
| New Jersey | 71 | 9 | 69 | 13, 858, 350 | 12, 626, 3550 | 29, 581,520 | 18, 172, 195 | 11, 359,325 |
| Pennsylvania | 257 | 22 | 235 | 55, 909, 840 | 46, 677, 650 | 109, 208, 135 | 66, 960, 830 | 42, 247, 305 |
| Delaware. | 14. |  | 14 | 1, 763, 985 | 1, 549,200 | 3, 432, 665 | 2, 000, 605 | 1,432, 060 |
| Maryland | 34 | 2 | 32 | $12,865,010$ | 7,821, 000 | $22,314,450$ | 14, 614, 276 | 7,700, 174 |
| Totals; Middle States $\qquad$ | 716 | 86 | 630 | 175, 086, 876 | 1.24, 440, 500 | 334, 34,9, 485 | 220, 738, 794 | 113, 610, 691 |
| Dist. of Col | 1.1. | 4 | 7 | 1, 507, 000 | 1, 155, 000 | 3, 549, 600 | 2, 459, 001 | 1,090,599 |
| Virginia. | 29 | 11. | 18 | 3, 285, 000 | $2,529,850$ | 7, 226, 270 | 4, 865, 578 | 2, 360, 692 |
| West Virginia. | 20 | 5 | 15 | 1,756, 000 | 1, 458,000 | 4, 941, 430 | 3, 393, 022 | 1, 548, 408 |
| North Carolina. | 15 |  | 15 | 2, 551, 000 | 1. 764,000 | 3, 986,200 | 2,272, 720 | 1, 71.3, 480 |
| \$outh Carolina | 12 |  | 12 | 2, 851, 100 | 1, 490, 000 | 3, 580, 325 | 2, 230, 960 | 1, 349, 365 |
| Groorgia....... | 17 | 5 | 12 | 2, 041, 000 | 1,925, 000 | 4, 317, 790 | 2, 891, 381 | 1, 926, 409 |
| Florida. | 2 | 1 | 1 | 50,000 | 50,000 | 59,500 | 15,700 | 43, 800 |
| Alabama | 11. | 1 | 10 | 1, 658, 000 | 1,621, 000 | 2,990, 130 | 1, 511, 142 | 1,478, 988 |
| Mississippi | 2 | , |  |  |  | 66, 000 | 65, 389 | 611 |
| Louisiana | 11 | 4 | 7 | 3, 475, 000 | 1, 820,000 | 6, 557, 760 | 4, 533, 224 | 2, 024, 536 |
| Texas | 12 | 1 | 11 | 1, 100, 000 | 680, 000 | 1, 686, 420 | 1, 149, 415 | 537, 005 |
| Arkansas | 5 | 1. | 2 | 205,000 | 205, 000 | 531, 900 | 280, 307 | 251., 593 |
| Kentucky | 55 | 7 | 48 | 9, 936,500 | 8, 546, 350 | 18, 039, 4.95 | 9, 812, 155 | 8, 227,340 |
| Tennessee | 32 | 7 | 25 | 3, 080, 300 | 2, 754, 500 | $6,400,280$ | 3, 832, 947 | 2, 567, 333 |
| Missouri | 43 | 21. | 22 | 7, 175, 000 | $2,000,000$ | 10, 947, 375 | 8,602,943 | 2, 344, 432 |
| Totals, Southern States.. | 275 | 70 | 205 | 40,670, 900 | 27, 998, 700 | 75, 380, 475. | 47, 91.5, 884 | 27, 464, 591 |
| Ohio | 196 | 34 | 162 | 26, 986,900 | 23, 157, 250 | 56, 231, 270 | 34, 845, 147 | 21, 386, 1.23 |
| Indiana | 11.5 | 21. | 94 | 15, 026, 530 | 12, 91.8, 500 | 34, 542, 755 | 22, 144, 156 | 12,398,599 |
| Illinois | 165 | 26 | 139 | 17, 194, 600 | $9,088,500$ | 33, 574, 905 | 23, 659,677 | 9, 915, 228 |
| Michigan | 90 | 11. | 79 | 0,514, 500 | $6,275,750$ | 16, 253, 190 | 10, 255,860 | 5, 997, 330 |
| Wisconsin | 56 | 18 | 38 | 3, 315, 000 | 2, 094, 500 | 7, 165, 660 | $4,878,370$ | 2,287, 290 |
| Lowa | 99 | 23 | 76 | 5, 927, 000 | 4, 557,000 | 12, 427, 740 | 8, 038, 221 | 4, 389, 519 |
| Mimmesot | 39 | 8 | 31. | 4, 968, 700 | 2, 679,400 | 7, 124, 660 | 4,502, 396 | 2, 622, 264 |
| Kansas. | 27 | 16 | 11. | 800,000 | 740, 000 | $2,813,680$ | 1,891, 161 | 922, 519 |
| Nebraska | 12 | , | 10 | 1,000,000 | 844,000 | 1, 853, 340 | 1, 112, 106 | 741, 234 |
| Totals, WestermStates. . | 799 | 159 | 640 | 84, 783, 230 | $63,254,900$ | 171, 987, 200 | 111., 327, 094 | 60, 660, 106 |
| Névada | 1 | 1 |  |  |  | 131, 700 | 128,587 | 3,113 |
| Oregon | 1 |  | 1. | 250, 000 | 250, 000 | 487, 000 | 263, 100 | 223, 900 |
| Colorado | 18 | 5 | 13 | 1,285, 000 | 823,000 | 1, 61.1. 920 | 868, 639 | 743, 281 |
| Utah | 4 | 3 | 1. | 200,000 | 50, 000 | 614, 930 | 545; 884 | 69, 056 |
| Idalro | 1. |  | 1 | 100,000 | 1.00, 000 | 197, 740 | 11.5,739 | 82, 001 |
| Montana | 6 | 3 | 3 | - 350,000 | 280, 000 | 544, 420 | 297, 871 | 246,549 |
| Wyoming | 2 |  | 2 | 125,000 | 60, 000 | 116, 360 | 62,360 | 54, 000 |
| New Mexico | 2 |  | 2 | 300, 000 | 300,000 | 591, 070 | 325, 510 | 265, 560 |
| Dakota. | , |  |  | 175, 000 | 110,000 | 155, 530 | 56,530 | 99, 000 |
| Washington. | 1. |  | 1 | 150, 000 | 50, 000 | 45, 000 |  | 45,000 |
| Totals, Pacifie States and Territories | 39 | 12. | 27 | 2, 885, 000 | 2,023,000 | 4,495,670 | 2,664, 210 | 1,831,460 |
| Due for mutilated notes retived......... |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,339, 674 |
| Grand totals. . Add gold banks | 2,390 | 343 | $2,046$ | $469,230,426$ | 347, 574, 900 | $886,904,855$ | $567,252,734$ | $320,991,795$ |
|  |  | 1. | $0$ | 4,300, 000 | 1, 884,000 | 3, 051, 220 | 1,582, 300 | $1,468,920$ |
| Totals for all banks $\qquad$ | 2,400 | 344 | 2,056 | 473, 530, 426 | 349, 408, 900 | 889, 956, 075 | 568, 835, 034 | $322,460,715$ |

The act of February 25,1863 , and the subsequent act of June 3,1864 , anthorized the issue of 300 millions of dollars of national-bank circulation, which was increased by the act of July 12, 1870, to 354 millions. The act of June 20, 1874, authorized any national bank desiring to withdraw its circulating notes, in whole or in part, to deposit lawful money with the Treasurer of the United States, in sums of not less than $\$ 9,000$, and to withdraw a proportionate amount of the bonds held as security for such notes; and the act of Jannary 14, 1875, repealed all provisions restricting the aggregate amomot of mational-bank circulation, and required the Secretary of the Treasury to retire legal-tender notes to an amount equal to 80 per cent. of the national-bank notes thereafter issued, until the amount of such legal-tender notes outstanding should be $\$ 300,000,000$, and no more. That portion of the above act which required a reduction of United States legal-tender notes was repealed by the act of May 31, 1878, which provides:

That from and after the passage of this act it shall not be lawful for the Secretary of the Treasury, or other officer under him, to cancel or retire any more of the United States legal-tender notes; and when any of said notes may be redeemed, or be received into the Treasury under any law, from any source whatever, and shall belong to the United States, they shall not be retired, canceled, or destroyed, but they shall be reissued, and paid out again and kept in circulation: Provided, That nothing herein shall prohibit the cancellation and destruction of mutilated notes, and the issue of other notes of like denomination in their stead, as now provided by law.

Subsequent to the passage of the act of June 20, 1874, and of that of Jantary 14, 1875, which authorized the retirement and reissue of na-tional-bank notes at the pleasure of the banks, the circulation steadily decreased in volume until the year 1877, the total decrease being $\$ 30,569,65 \dot{5}$, since which time there has been a small increase. This will be seen from the following table, which exhibits the total outstanding circulation, not including mutilated notes in transit, upon the 1st day of November for the last twelve years, and also upon the dates of the acts above named:

| November 1, 1867 | \$.20, 153, 23 |  | \$349, 894, 18 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| November 1, 1868 | 300, 002, 234 | November 1, 1874 | 351, 927, 24 |
| November 1, 1869 | 299, 910, 419 | January 14, 187 | 351, 861,45 |
| November 1, 1870 | 302, 607, 942 | November 1, 1875 | 345, 586 |
| November 1, 1871 | 324, 810, 656 | November 1, 1876 | 321, 150, 71 |
| November 1, 1872 | 341, 512, 772 | Nevember 1, 1877 | 316, 775, 11 |
| . November 1, 1873 | 348382.046 | November 1, 187.8 | 320, 991, |

Since the passage of the act of June $20,1874, \$ 79,910,488$ of legaltender notes have beeu deposited in the Treasury for the purpose of retiring circulation, and $\$ 74,095,965$ of bank notes have been redeemed, destroyed, and retired. From the date of passage of the act of January 14, 1875 , to that of the act of May 31, 1878, which prohibited the further cancellation of legal-tender notes, $\$ 44,148,730$ of additional circulation was issued, and legal-tender notes equal to 80 per cent. thereof, or $\$ 35,318,984$, have been retired, leaving $\$ 346,681,016$ of legal-tender notes outstanding at the latter date. The amount of additional circulation issued for the year ending November 1,1878 , was $\$ 16,291,655$, of which $\$ 1,598,800$ was issued to twenty-eight bauks organized during the year; while within the same period $\$ 12,075,001$ of circulation was retired without reissue, the actual increase for the year being $\$ 4,216,684$.

During the year ending November 1, 1878, lawful money to the amount of $\$ 7,502,943$ was deposited with the Treasurer to retire circulation, of
which amount $\$ 3,366,469$ was deposited by banks in liquidation. The amount previously deposited under the act of June 20, 1874, was $\$ 61,028,049$, and by banks in liquidation, $\$ 11,379,496$; to which is to be added a balance of $\$ 3,813,675$, remaining from deposits made by liquidating banks prior to the passage of that act. Deducting from the total of the sums named ( $\$ 83,724,163$ ) the amount of circulating notes redeemed and destroyed, and for which no reissue has been made $(\$ 74,095,965)$, there remained in the hands of the Treasurer on November $1,1878, \$ 9,628,198$ of lawfin money for the redemption and retirement of circulation.

The following table exhibits by States the issue and retirement of circulation during the year ending November 1, 1878, and the total amount issued and retired since Jume 20, 1874 :

| States and Territories. | Circulationissucd. | Circulation retired. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Under act of June 20, 1874. | Of liquidating bauks. | Total. |
| Maine | \$208, 800 | \$56,460 | \$2, 865 | \$59, 325 |
| New Hampshire. | 4,800 |  | 1.,590 | 1, 590 |
| Vermont | 544, 600 | 427, 944 | 14, 152 | 442, 096 |
| Massachusetts | 3, 072,710 | 478, 262 | 56, 937 | 535, 199 |
| Rhode Island. | 227, 850 |  | 11, 120 | 11, 120 |
| Connecticut | 555, 600 |  | 13,700 | 13,700 |
| New York. | 4, 963,575 | 2, 500, 780 | 473, 092 | 2,982, 878 |
| New Jorsey | 290,730 | 117, 181 | 5,586 | -122, 767 |
| Pennsylvania | 1, 851, 340 | 801, 339 | 190, 862 | 992, 20.1 |
| Delaware. <br> Maryland | 71,100 153,600 | 329, 887 | 11,869 | 341, 756 |
| District of Columbia | 138, 000 | 74, 515 | 17, 209 | 91, 724 |
| Virginia. |  | 60, 565 | 76, 546 | 137, 111 |
| West Virginia. | 1,000. | 5,865 | 56,509 | 62, 424 |
| North Cavolina | 405, 900 | 179, 860 |  | 179,860 |
| South Carolina | 18,000 | 64, 425 |  | 64, 425 |
| Georgia. | 113, 410 | 45, 91.5 | 41, 271 | 87, 186 |
| Alabama | 90, 000 | 78, 400 | ${ }^{75}$ | 78, 475 |
| Mississippi | 810,500 | 293356 | 915 | ${ }^{9315}$ |
| Texas. |  | 20,663 | 3,865 | 24, 528 |
| Arkansas | 45, 000 | 27,752 | 390 | 28, 142 |
| Kentucky | 305, 100 | 246, 261 | 95, 197 | 341, 458 |
| Tennessee | 116, 900 | 28, 052 | 38, 229 | 66, 081 |
| Missouri | 94, 580 | 184, 373 | 201, 672 | 386, 045 |
| Ohio. | 176, 860 | 518, 318 | 286, 050 | 804, 368 |
| Indiana | 591, 210 | 533, 572 | 1.86, 684 | 720, 266 |
| Illinois. | 370, 890 | 659, 231 | 393, 729 | 1, 052,960 |
| Michigan. | 334, 090 | 141, 110 | 69, 048 | 210, 158 |
| Wisconsin | 44, 1.00 | 90, 399 | 68, 647 | 159,046 |
| Iowa. | 288, 360 | 103,794 | 100, 251 | 204, 045 |
| Minnesota | 119,880 | 116, 537 | 64, 597 | 181, 134 |
| Kansas.. | 7,700 | 20, 137 | 107, 788 | 127, 923 |
| Nebraska | 18,000 | 60, 231 | 7, 975 | 68, 206 |
| Covada. | 108, 900 | 28,508 | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 27, } \\ \hline 810 \\ \hline 14\end{array}$ | 55,722 |
| Utah.. |  |  | 14, 912 | 14,912 |
| Montana | 39,600 |  | 4,120 | 4,120 |
| Dakota .... | 54, 000 |  |  |  |
| Washington............ | 45, 000 |  |  | 1. 088,885 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 16,291,685 \\ & 39,120,885 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8,301,692 \\ 52,700,816 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,684,424 \\ 10,408,933 \end{array}$ |  |
| Surrendered to this office between same dates... | 39, 120, 885 | 52, 700, 816 | 10, 408, 933 | $\begin{array}{r} 63,109,849 \\ 9,130,107 \end{array}$ |
| Total issued and retired from June 20, 1874, to November 1, 1878 | 55, 412, 570 | 61, 002, 608 | 13, 093, 357 | 84, 314,957 |

The following table exhibits the monthly issue and retirement of na-tional-bank notes, and the deposit and retirement of legal-tender notes (for the purpose of retiring national-bank notes), from the passage of the
act of January 14, 1875, to November 1 of this year; also, the amount of legal-tender notes retired from that date to May 31, 1878 :


The following summary exhibits concisely the operations of the acts of June 20, 1874, and of January 14, 1875, from the dates of their passage to November 1, 1878:
National-bank notes outstanding when act of June 20, 1874, was passed. $\$ 349,894,182$ Amount of same issued from June 20, 1874, to January 14, 1875 $\$ 4,734,500$
Amount redeemed and retired between same dates
2,767,232
1,967,268
Increase from June 20, 1874, to January 14, 1875
-

Total amount notes outstanding January 14, 1875
351, 861,450
Amount redeemed aud retired from January 14, 1875, to date. $71,328,733$
Amount surrendered between same dates........................ 10, 218,992
Total redeemed and surrendered ......................... 81, 547, 725
Amount issued between same dates...................................... . $50,678,070$
Decrease from January 14, 1875, to date 30, 869, 655

National-bank notes outstanding at date 320, 991,795
Greenbacks on deposit, in the Treasury June 20, 1874, to retire notes of insolvent and liquidating banks
\$3,813,675
Deposited from June 20, 1874, to date, to retire national-bank notes
$79,910,488$


The cireulation of the nine National Gold Banks located in the State of California, having a capital of $\$ 4,300,000$ and a circulation of $\$ 1,468,920$, is not included in the above table.

## LOST OR UNREDEEMED BANK-NOTES.

The belief is very generally entertained that a considerable proportion of the circulating notes of each national bank will ultimately be lost or destroyed, and will therefore never be presented for redemption. It is also frequently stated that the loss of such notes inures to the benefit of the banks. Neither supposition is correct. Section 5222 of the Revised Statutes requires that all national banks which go into voluntary liquidation shall, within six months thereafter, deposit in the Treasury an amount of lawful money equal to the amount of their circulating notes outstanding. The law also requires that full provision shall be made for the redemption of the circulating notes of any insolvent bank, before a dividend is made to its creditors. Thus it will be seen that no association can close up its business without first providing for the payment of all of its circulating notes, and that the amount deposited for their redemption must remain in the Treasury until the last outstanding note shall have been presented. It is therefore plain that the goverament, and not the bank, receives all the benefit arising from lost or unredeemed circulating notes.

In a previous report returns as to unredeemed circulation were given. for 286 State banks organized under the authority of the legislature of the State of New York. The maximum amount of circulation issued to them was $\$ 50,754,514$, and the amount of urredeemed circulation at the date of the report named was $\$ 1,336,337$, or 2.63 per cent. of the highest amount issued. The maximum amount of circulation issued to 30 State banks in the city of New York, which are stillin operation either as national or State associations, was $\$ 7,763,010$, while the amount remaining unredeemed in October, 1875 , was $\$ 142,365$, or only 1.83 per cent. of the highest. amount issued. The amount of circulation issued to 240 State banks in Wisconsin was $\$ 7,565,409$, and the amount unredeemed is. $\$ 134,747$, the percentage of unredeemed notes being 1.78 only. The maximum issue. to 210 State banks in the six New England States was $\$ 39 ; 245,380$, while the amount remaining unredeemed is but $\$ 792,767$, the proportion of the latter to the former being 2.02 per cent. The returns from 332 State banks in New York, New Jersey, Delaware and Maryland show their maximum circulation to have been $\$ 65,664,1.76$, while the amount unredeemed is $\$ 1,707,428$, and the percentage 2.60. The percentage of unredeemed notes of 25 State banks in Ohio, having a circulation of ${ }^{(2,196,381}$, was 2.79. The greatest amount of circulation issued to 707 State banks, in 12 States, was $\$ 114,671,346$, the amount outstanding $\$ 2,696,282$, and the proportion unredeemed 2.4 per cent.

It is probable 'that, uuder the national system of redemption, the pro-
portion of national-bank notes redeemed will be much greater than that of the State-bank notes under the old systems. The highest amount of circulation issued to 15 national banks which failed previous to 1870 was $\$ 1,554,400$, and the amount outstanding on November 1, 1878, was $\$ 13,440.50$, the proportion of notes remaining unredeemed being only 0.86 per cent. of the amount issued. The total amount issued to 23 national banks which failed previous to the year 1873 was $\$ 3,196,693$; and the amount outstanding on November 1, 1878, was $\$ 57,074$, the proportion of notes remaining unredeemed being but 1.78 per cent. of the amount issued. This is shown in the following table:

| Name and location of bank. | Receiver appointed. | Circulation issued. | Circulation outstauding. | Percentago unredcemed. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| First National Bank, Attica, N. Y. | A pr. 1.4, 1865 | \$44, 00000 | \$348 50 | . 79 |
| Venango National Bank, Franklin, Pa | May 1, 1866 | 85, 00000 | 44150 | . 52 |
| Merehants' National Bank, Washington, D. C | May 8, 1866 | 180, 00000 | 1, 46100 | . 81 |
| First National Bank, Medina, N. Y | Max. 13, 1867 | 40,00000 | 13900 | . 35 |
| Temessee National Bank, Memphis, Tem | May. 21, 1867 | 90,000 00 | 61125 | . 68 |
| First National Bank, Selma, Ala.. | Apr. 30, 1867 | 85,00000 | 68900 | . 81 |
| First National Bank, New Orleans, | May 20, 1867 | 180, 00000 | 2, 13000 | 1. 18 |
| National Unadilla Bank, Unadilla, N. Y | Aug. 20, 1867 | 100, 00000 | 50600 | 51 |
| Farmers and Citizens' National Bank, Brooklyn, N. Y | Scpt. 6, 1867 | 253,900 00 | 2, 1.6400 | . 85 |
| Croton National Bank, New York, N. Y | Oet. 1, 1867 | 180,000 00 | 89100 | . 49 |
| First National Bank, Bethel, Comn. | Feb. 28, 1868 | 26,300 00 | 30100 | 1. 14 |
| First National Bank, Keokuk, Towa | Mar. 3, 1868 | 90,00000 | 67600 | 75 |
| National Bank, Vicksburg, Miss | Apr. 24, 1868 | 25,500 00 | 20125 | . 80 |
| First National Bank, Rockford, Hl | Mar., 15, 1869 | 45,000 00 | 63200 | 1.41 |
| First National Bank of Nevadi, Austin, Nev | Oct. 14, 1869 | 129,700 00 | 2, 24900 | 1.73 |
| Totals and arerage percentage to 1870.. |  | 1, 554, 40000 | 13, $440 \quad 50$ | . 86 |
| Ocean National Bank, New York, N. | Dec. 13, 1871. | 800, 00000 | 20,418 00 | 2. 55 |
| Union Square National Bank, New York, N. Y | Dec. 15, 1871 | 50,00000 | 98400 | 1. 97 |
| Eighth National Bank, New York, N. Y | Dec. 15, 1871 | 243,393 00 | 5,856 50 | 2.41 |
| Fourth National Bank, Philadelphia, Pa | Dec. 20, 1871 | 179,000 00 | 4,91.0 00 | 2.74 |
| Waverly National Bank, Wavelly, N, Y | Aps. 23, 1872 | 71, 00000 | 2,272 00 | 3.20 |
| First National Bank, Fort Smith, Ark | May 2, 1872 | 45,00000 | 1,17500 | 2. 61 |
| Scantinavian National Bank, Chicago, Ill | Dec. 12, 1872 | 135,000 00 | 3,874 00 | 2. 87 |
| Wallkill National Bank, Middletown, N. Y . | Dec.: 31, 1872 | 118, 90000 | 4,144 50 | 3.48 |
| Totals and average percontage to 1873. |  | 3, 196,693 00 | 57, 07450 | 1. 78 |

Of the circulation of 51 national banks in voluntary liquidation previous to 1870 , amounting to $\$ 5,832,940$, there yet remains outstanding $\$ 151,484$, or 2.59 per cent. only, of the amount issued; and of the circulation of 75 banks in liquidation prior to 1872 , amounting to $\$ 8,648,980$, there remains outstanding $\$ 227,448$, which is equal to a percentage of 2.63 ; and of the circulation of 89 banks in liquidation prior to 1873, in amount $\$ 10,764,080$, there remains outstanding $\$ 303.274$, or 2.82 per cent. of the amount issued.

The amount of demand Treasury notes issued from July 17, 1861, to December 31, 1862, was $\$ 60,000,000$, in denominations of five, ten, and twenty dollars; and the amount remaining outstanding on the 1st of November last was $\$ 62,065$, the proportion unredeemed being a little more than one-tenth of one per cent., $\$ 3,627$ having been redeemed within the last two years.

SPECIE IN BANK AND ESTIMATED-SPECIE IN THE COUNTRY.
The table below exhibits the amount of specie held by the national banks at the dates of their reports for the last ten years; the coin, coin-

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certificates, and checks payable in coin, held by the New York City banks being stated separately:

| Dates | Held by national banks in Teew Tork Cow |  |  |  |  | Aggregate |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Iotal |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

The amount of silver coin held by the national banks on June 30 and October 2, 1876 , was $\$ 1,627,566$ and $\$ 2,557,599$ respectively. The amount held on October 1, 1877, was $\$ 3,700,703$, and on October 1, 1878, $\$ 5,387,738$. The aggregate amount of specie held by the State banks in New England, in New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania; Maryland, Louisiana, Ohio, and Wisconsin, as shown by their official reports for 1878, was $\$ 3,023,429$, of which the banks in New York City held $\$ 2,629,839$. In the returns from California the amount of coin is not given separately.

In my last annual report a statement was given from estimates made by the Director of the Mint, showing that the probable amount of coin and bullion in the country on June 30, 1877, was $\$ 242,855,858$, of which $\$ 50,135,628$ was silver. Assuming this estimate to have been substantially correct, the movement of coin and bullion for the year ending June

30,1878 , and the amount in the country at the latter date, is shown, from further estimates of the Director of the Mint, to have been as follows:


Total estimated amount of coin and bullion in the country on Jume 30, 1878

332, 443, 947
Of this amount, $\$ 244,353,390$ was in gold coin and bullion, and $\$ 88,090,557$ in silver coin and bullion. The increase for the fiscal year was $\$ 89,588,089$, of which $\$ 51,633,160$ was in gold coin and bullion and $\$ 37,954,929$ in silver coin and bullion. The Director estimates the amount of gold coin and bullion in the country on September 30, 1878, at about $\$ 259,353,390$, and of silver coin and bullion at about $\$ 99,090,557$, making a total of $\$ 358,443,947$.

## LOANS AND RATES OF INTEREST OF NEW YORK CITY NATIONAL BANKS.

The following table contains a classification of the loans of the national bauks in New York City for the last five years:

| Loans and discounts. | $\begin{gathered} \text { October } 2, \\ 1874 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { October: } 1 \\ 1875 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { October 2, } \\ 1876 . \end{gathered}$ | $\text { October } 1$ $1877 .$ | October 1, $187.8 .$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 48 banks. | 48 banks. | 47 banks. | 47 banks. | 47 banks. |
| On endorsed paper | . $\$ 116,719,349$ | \$120, 189, 537 | \$95, 510, 311 | \$92, 618, 776 | \$83, 924, 383 |
| On single-name paper | 19, 959, 609 | 18, 555, 100 | 16, 634, 532 | 15, 800, 540 | 17, 297, 475 |
| On U.S. bonds on demand | 4, 721, 638 | 4, 934, 674 | 6,277, 492 | 4, 763, 448 | 7,003,085 |
| .On other stocks, \&c., on demand. | 51, 453,682 | $50,179,384$ | 58, 749,574 | 48, 376, 633 | 51, 152, 021 |
| On real-estate security .......... | 278,081 | 868, 160 | 536,802 | 497, 524 | 786,514 |
| Payable in gold | 5,735, 138 | 3, 454, 276 | 4, 681, 570 | 4,319, 014 | 6, 752, 181 |
| All other loans. | 2,909, 557 | 3,908,602 | 1,852, 944 | 2,786, 456 | 2, 670, 371 |
| Totals | 201, 777, 054 | 202,089, 733 | 184, 243, 225 | 169, 162,391 | 169,585,980 |

The average rate of interest in New York City for each of the fiscal years from 1874 to 1878, as ascertained from data derived from the Journal of Commerce and the Financial Chronicle of that city, was as follows:

1874, call loans, 3.8 per cent.; commercial paper, 6.4 per cent.
1875, call loans, 3.0 per cent. ; commercial paper, 5.6 per cent.
1876, call loans, 3.3 per cent.; commercial paper, 5.3 per cent.
1877 , call loans, 3.0 per cent.; commercial paper, 5.2 per cent.
1878, call loans, 4.4 per cent.; commercial paper, 5.1 per cent.
The average rate of interest of the Bank of England for the same years was as follows:

During the calendar year ending December 31, 1874, 3.69 per cent.
During the calendar year euding December 31, 1875, 3.23 per cent.
During the caleudar year ending December 31, 1876, 2.61 per cent.
During the calendar year ending December 31, 1877, 2.91 per cent.
During the fiscal year ending June $30,1878,3.07$ per cent.
The rate of interest in the city of New York, on November 22 of the present year, as quoted in the Daily Bulletin, was, on call loans, from 3 to 4 per cent., and on commercial paper of the best grade, from $4 \frac{1}{2}$ to 5 per cent. The rate of interest of the Bank of Englavd, which, on No-
vember 29 of last year, was 4 per cent., had fallen on Jannary 30 following to 2 per cent., from which date to October 14 there were sever changes, and, with a single exception on May 29 , a gradual increase. The rate was fixed on the date last named at 6 per cent. and reduced on November 21 to 5 per cent.

## SECURITY OF CLRCULATING NOTES.

The following table exhibits the kinds and amounts of United States bonds held by the Treasurer on the 1st day of November, 1878, to secure the redemption of the circulating notes of national banks:


All of these bonds, with the exception of $\$ 53,038.50$ of 6 per cents, are, by the terms of the acts under which they were issued, payable in coin. Of the latter amount, $\$ 36,692,550$ consist of sixes of 1881 , which were issued prior to the passage of the legal-tender act; $\$ 10,762,300$ of fivetwenties, which were issued under the act of March 3, 1865, which law does not specify the kind of money in which the bonds issued under it shall be paid; and $\$ 5,584,000$ of Pacific Railroad currency sixes.

On October 1, 1870, the banks held $\$ 246, \$ 91,300$ of 6 per cent. bonds, and $\$ 95,942,550$ of 5 per cents. Since that time there has been a decrease of $\$ 174,061,550$ in 6 per cent. bonds, and an iucrease of $\$ 100,673,050$ in the 5 per cents.

During the three years ending November 1, 1878, there has been a decrease of $\$ 55,673,462$ in 6 per cent., and of $\$ 42,430,600$ in 5 per cent. bonds, while in the same period $\$ 49,397,250$ of $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cents., and within the last eighteen months $\$ 30,566,300$ of 4 per cents. have been deposited.

## TAXATION, EARNINGS, AND DIVIDENDS.

The Comptroller has in former reports discussed at considerable leugth the question of bank taxation, and he respectfully repeats at the present time his previous recommendations for the repeal of the law imposing a tax upon capital and deposits.

Special attention is called in this connection to the elaborate tables herewith presented, showing, for a series of years, the amount of national and State taxation paid by the national banks, the amount of losses charged off by them, the number of banks which have been compelled to pass dividends, and the low ratio of their earnings and dividends to capital and surplus. It will be seen that the average rate of taxation upon capital for the past four years has been nearly three and one-half per cent., while in the city of New York it has exceeded five per cent.; that cluring the last three years the banks have suffered losses amount ing to more than sixty-four million dollars; and that the ratio of their earnings to capital and surplus was, in 1877, but 5.62 , and in 1878, but 5.14 per cent. No more conclusive proof of the justice of the request
for the repeal of the law imposing these taxes can be given than is contained in these various tables.

The national banks pay annually to the government, in semi-annual installments; a duty or tax of one per cent. upon the average amount of their circulating notes outstanding, one-half of one per cent. upon the average amount of their deposits, and a like rate upon the average amount of their capital stock not invested in United States bonds. The following table exhibits the amount of such duties paid by the national banks yearly, from the commencement of the system to July 1 of the present year:


The amount paid to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue during the same years, by banks and bankers other than national, is shown in the following table:

| Years. | On cireulation. | On deposits. | On capital. | Totals. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1864 | \$2, 056, 99630 | \$780, 72352 |  | \$2, 837, 71982 |
| 1865 | 1, 993, 66184 | 2, 043,841 08 | \$903, 36798 | 4, 940, 87090 |
| 1866 | 990, 27811 | $2,099,63583$ | 374, 07411 | 3, 463, 98805 |
| 1867 | 214, 29875 | 1,355, 39598 | 476, 86773 | 2, 046, 562 46 |
| 1868 | 28,669 88 | $1,438,51277$ | 399,562 90 | 1, 866,745 55 |
| 1869 | 16,565 05 | 1, 734,41763 | 445, 07149 | 2, 196, 05417 |
| 1870 | 15,419 94 | 2, 177,576 46 | 827, 08721 | 3, 020, 08361 |
| 1871 | 22,78192 | 2, 702,196 84 | 919, 26277 | 3, 644, 2415 |
| 1872 | 8, 91.982 | 3, 643,25171 | 976, 05761 | 4, 628, 22914 |
| 1873 | 24,778 62 | 3, 009, 30279 | 736,950 05 | 3,771, 03146 |
| 1874 | 16, 73826 | $2,453,54426$ | 916,878 15 | $3,387,16067$ |
| 1875 | 22,746 27 | 2, 972, 26027 | 1, 102, 241.58 | $4,097,24812$ |
| 1876 | 17,94767 | 2, 999, 53075 | 989, 21961 | $4,006,69803$ |
| 1877 | 5, 43016 | 2, 896, 63793 | 927, 66124 | 3, 829, 72933 |
| 1878 | 1,11872 | 2, 593,687 29 | 897, 22584 | 3, 492,031 85 |
| fggregates | $5,436,35131$ | 34, 900, 51511 | 10,891, 52827 | 51, 228, 39469 |

It will be seen by the above tables that, since 1864, the total taxes collected by the govermment from the banks and baukers of the country amount to $\$ 137,261,949.09$, of which the national banks have paid nearly two-thirds. One object in imposing these taxes upon the national banks was to make the system self-sustaining, so far as cost to the government is concerned; but while the whole expenses of this Office, from its establishment to July 1 of this year, have been but $\$ 4,525,022.66$, the first of the foregoing tables shows that the national banks have returned to the government in taxes during this period the large sum of $\$ 86,033,554$, of which $\$ 39,775,817$ was paid on circulation alone. It is to be further observed that the whole of this amount has been collected without any expense to the government.

From returns made to this office by the national banks in several dif-
ferent years, in response to requests therefor by the Comptroller, the amount of State taxes paid by them for the years $1866,1867,1869,1874$, 1875; 1876, and 1877 has been definitely ascertained. No returns were obtained for the missing years in this series; but from the data furnished for the known years, estimates have been made in this Office for the intervening ones, and the whole amount of taxes, State and national, paid by the national banks from the year 1866 to the present time is shown, yearly, in the table below:

| Years. | Capital stock. | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Ratio of tax to capital. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | United States. | State. | 'Iotal. | United States. | State. | Total. |
| 1866 | \$410, 503, 435 | \$7, 949, 451 | \$8, 069, 938 | \$16, 019, 389 | Per ct. | Per ct. 2.0 | Per ct. 3.9 |
| 1867 | - $422,804,666$ | -9,525,607 | -8, 813, 127 | 18, 338,734 | 2. 2 | 2.1 | 4.3 |
| 1868 : | 420, 143, 491 | $9,465,652$ | 8, 757, 656 | 18, 223, 308 | 2. 2 | 2. 1 | 4.3 |
| 1869. | 419; 619, 860 | 10, 081, 244 | 7, 297, 096 | 17, 378, 340 | 2.4 | 1. 7 | 4.1 |
| 1870 | 429, 314, 041. | 10, 190, 682 | 7, 465, 675 | 17, 656, 357 | 2.7 | 1. 7 | 4.1 |
| 1871 | $451,994,133$ | 10, 649, 895 | 7,860, 078 | 18, 509, 973 | 2.4 | 1. 7 | 4.1 |
| 1872 | 472,956, 958 | 6,703, 910 | 8, 343, 772 | 1.5, 047, 682 | 1. 4 | 1. 8 | 3. 2 |
| 1873. | 488, 778, 418 | 7, 004, 646 | 8, 499, 746 | 15, 504, 394 | 1. 4 | 1. 8 | 3.2 |
| 1874 | 498, 751, 679 | 7, 256, 083 | 0,620, 326 | 16, 876, 409 | 1. 5 | 2.0 | 3.5 |
| 1875 | $508,687,911$ | 7, 317, 531 | 10, 058, 122 | 17, 375, 653 | 1. 5 | 2.0 | 3. 5 |
| 1876. | 501, 788, 079 | 7, 076, 087 | 9, 701, 732 | 16, 777, 819 | 1. 4 | 2. 0 | 3. 4 |
| 1877. | 485, 250, 694 | 6, 902, 573 | 8, 829,304 | 1.5, 731, 877 | 1. 4 | 1. 9 | 3.3 |

In the returns of United States taxes prior to the year 1872, in the above table, are included the special or license tax of two dollars on each one thousand dollars of capital, and an income tax on net eainings.

The following table shows, by geographical divisions, the amount and the ratio to capital of the total taxation of the national banks, for the years 1874 to 1877 inclusive:
1874.

| Geographical divisions. | Capital.* | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Ratios to eapital. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | D. S. | State. | Total. | U. S. | State. | Total. |
| $\backslash$ |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Per ct. | Per ct. |
| New England States | \$160, 517, 266 | \$\$1, 896, 533 | \$2, 980, 484 | \$4, 877, 017 | 1. 2 | 1. 8 | 3.0 |
| Middle States.. | 190, 162, 129 | 3, 325, 425 | 3, 911., 371 | 7, 236, 796 | 1.7 | 2.1 | 3. 8 |
| Southern States. | 33, 558, 483 | 436,540 | 517,792 | 954,332 | 1.3 | 1. 5 | 2. 8: |
| Western States and Terr's. | 109, 513, 801 | 1., 597, 585 | 2, 21.0, 679 | 3,808, 264 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 3.5 |
| United States. | 493, 751, 679 | 7, 256, 083 | 9,620, 326 | 16, 876, 409 | 1.5 | 2. 0 | 3.5 |

1875. 

| Now England States | \$164, 316,333 | \$1, 937, 016 | \$3, 016, 537 : | \$4, 953, 553 | 1. 2 | 1. 8 | 3. 0 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Middle States. | 193, 585, 507 | 3, 300,498 | 4, 062, 459 | 7, 362,957 | 1.7 | 2. 1 | 3. 8 |
| Southem States | 34, 485, 483 | 44.5, 048 | 476, 236 | 921, 284. | 1. 3 | 1.4 | 2.7 |
| Western States and Terr's. | 111, 300, 588 | 1, 634, 969 | 2, 502,890 | 4, 137, 859 | 1.5 | 2. 4 | 3. 9 |
| United States. | 503, 687, 911 | 7,31.7, 531 | 10, 058, 1.22 | 17, 375, 653 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 3,5. |

1876. 

| New England States | \$168, 068, 379 | \$1, 947, 970 | \$2, 914, 808 | \$4, 862, 778 | 1. 2 | 1.7 | 2. 8 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Middle States... | 192, 163, 773 | 3, 190, 247 | 4, 025, 316 | 7, 215, 563 | 1.7 | 2.2 | 3.9 |
| Southern States. | $33,439,193$ | 428, 781 | 431, 1.64 | 854,945 | 1. 3 | 1.3 | 2. 6 |
| Western States and Terr's. | 108, 116, 734 | 1,514, 089 | 2, 330; 444 | 3, 844, 533 | 1.4 | 2. 3 | 3. 7 |
| United State | 501, 788, 079 | 7, 076, 087 | 9, 701; 732 | 16,777, 819 | 1. 4 | 2. 0 | 3.4 |

1877. 

| Geographical divisions. | Capital.* | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Teatios to capital; |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | U. S. | State. | 'rotal. | U. S. | State. | Total. |
| New England States | \$167, 788, 475 | \$1, 907, 776 | \$2, 864, 119 | \$4, 771, 895 | Per ct. 1.1 | Per.ct. | Per ct. $2.8$ |
| Middle States ... | 1.82, 885, 562 | 3, 129, 990 | 3,544,862 | 6, 674, 852 | 1.7 | 1.9 | 3.6 |
| Southem States.. | 32, 212, 288 | 411, 486 | 429, 149 | 840,635 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 2.7 |
| Western States aind Terr's. | 102, 364, 369 | 1,453, 321 | 1, 991, 174 | 3,444, 495 | 1.4 | 2.1 | 3.5 |
| United States | 485, 250, 694 | 6,902,573 | 8,829, 304 | 15,731, 877 | 1.4 | 1. 9 | 3.3 |

The States in which the ratios of taxation to capital were most excessive during the years 1875,1876 and 1877 , are shown in the table below:

| States. | 1875. |  |  | 1876. |  |  | 1875 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | U.S. | State. | Total. | U. S. | State. | Total. | . U.S. | State. | Total. |
|  | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent |
| New York | ; 1.8 | 2.9 | 4.7 | 1. 8 | 3.1 | 4.9 | 1.9 | 2.7 | - 4.6 |
| New Jersey | 1.5 | 2.1 | 3.6 | 1.4 | 2.1 | 3.5 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 3.3 |
| Ohio. | 1. 4 | 2.4 | 3.8 | 1.3 | 2.7 | 4.0 | 1.0 | 2.4 | 3.4 |
| Indiana | 1.2 | 2.6 | 3.8 | 1.2 | 2.5 | 3.7 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 3.5 |
| Ilinois. | 1. 1.8 | 2. 4 | 4.2 | 1.8 | 2.4 | 4.2 | 1.6 | 2.2 | 3.8 |
| Wisconsin | 1.7 | 2.1 | 3.8 | 1.7 | 2.1 | 3.8 | 1. 7 | 2.1 | 3. 8 |
| Kansas | 1. 4 | 3.2 | 4.6 | 1.5 | 3.0 | 4.5 | 1. 7 | 2.6 | 4.3 |
| Nebraska | 2.2 | 2.3 | 4.5 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 4. 7 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 4.6 |
| South Carolina | 1.1 | 3.4 | 4. 5 | 1.0 | 2.7 | 3.7 | 1. 0 | 2.6 | 3. 6 |
| Tennessee | 1.4 | 2.3 | 3.7 | 1. 4 | 2. 1. | 3.5 | 1.6 | 2.2 | 3.8 |

The evil effect of these high rates of taxation may be seen in the reduction of capital and surplus by the banks in the city of New York alone, during the last five years, which has been upou capital $\$ 16,435 ; 000$, and upon surplus $\$ 6,002,981$; making a total of $\$ 22,437,981$. The State banks of the same city are reported to have also reduced their capital $\$ 4,794,000$, and surplus $\$ 1,340,300$; making a total reduction for all of the New York city banks, during that period, of $\$ 28,572,281$.

The inequality in the rate of taxation imposed by State authority upon banking capital in different localities is well illustrated by the following table, which gives the rate of such taxation in the principal cities of the country for the years 1875,1876 , and 1877 , the ratio of United States taxation upon deposits, capital, and circulation combined, being also given for purposes of comparison :

| Cities. | Rates of taxatien. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1875. |  |  | 1876. |  |  | $18 \%$. |  |  |
|  | United States. | State. | 'Total. | United States. | State. | 'Total. | United States. | State. | Total. |
|  | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent | Per cent |
| New Xork | 1.4 2.0 | 1.9 3.1 3.6 | 3.3 5.1 | 1. 4 | 1. 6 | 3. 5.4 | 1.3 2.1 | 1. 2.9 | 2.9 5.0 |
| Albany | 3. 0 | 3.6 | 6.6 | 3.2 | 3.4 | 6. 6 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 6.2 |
| Philadelphia | 2.0 | 0.8 | 2.8 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 2.8 | 2.1 | 0.7 | 2.8 |
| Pittsburgh | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1.9 | 1. 4 | 0.5 | 1.9 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Baltimore. | 1.3 | 2.0 | 3. 3 | 1. 2 | 2. 0 | 3. 2 | 1.2 | 1. 9 | 3.1 |
| Washington | 1. 4 | 0.3 | 1.7 | 1. 2 | 1. 1 | 2. 3 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 2.0 |
| New Orleans | 1. 6 | 0.3 | 1.9 | 1. 6 | 0.2 | 1. 8 | 1.5 | 0.9 | 2.4 |
| Lonisville | 1. 3 | 0.5 | 1.8 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1. 9 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Cincinmati | 2.0 | 2.6 | 4.6 | 1. 7 | 2. 9 | 4. 6 | 1.7 | 2.9 | 4.6 |
| Cleveland. | 1. 1 | 2.3 | 3.4 | 1. 1 | 2.5 | 3. 6 | 1.1 | 2.2 | 3.3 |
| Chicago. | 2. 3 | 2. 5 | 4.8 | 2.2 | 3.0 | 5.2 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 5.8 |
| Detroit | 1. 8 | 1.3 | 3.1 | 1.6 | 1. 5 | 3.1 | 1. 6 | 1.7 | 3.3 |
| Milwankee | 2.3 | 3.0 | 5.3 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 5.1 | 2.4 | 2.6 | 5.0 |
| Saint Louis: | 1. 2 | 2.8 | 4.0 | 1. 3 | 2.6 | 3. 9 | . 1.4 | 2.5 | 3.9 |
| Saint Paul. | 1. 3 | 2.2 | 3.5 | 1. 2 | 1. 8 | 3.0 | 1. 1.3 | 1.7 | 3.0 |

[^12]The following table gives in detail, by States and principal cities, the amount of national and State taxation paid by the national banks for the year 1877, and their ratios to capital:

| States and Territories. | Capital* | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Ratios to eapital. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | United States. | State. | Total. | U.S. | State. | Total. |
|  |  |  |  |  | Per.ct. | Perct. | Per ct. |
| Maine | \$10, $\mathbf{6} 89,837$ | \$113, 855 | \$240, 442 | \$854, 297 | 1.1 | 2.2 | 3.3 |
| New Hampshice | 5, 683, 750 | 63, 252 | 100,700 | 163, 952 | 1.1 | 1. 8 | 2.9 |
| Fermont. | 8, 568, 700 | 88, 659 | 168,551 | 257, 210 | 1. 0 | 2.0 | 3.0 |
| Massachinsetts | 44, 413, 464 | 493, 489 | 828, 064 | 1, 321, 553 | 1.1 | 1. 9 | 3.0 |
| Boston | 52,329, 080 | 684, 562 | 830, 847 | 1, 515, 409 | 1.3 | 1. 6 | 2.9 |
| Rhode Island | 20, 271, 650 | 193, 088 | 273, 227 | -466, 315 | 1. 0 | 1. 4 | 2.4 |
| Commecticnt | 25, 831, 994 | 270, 871 | 422, 288 | 693, 159 | 1. 0 | 1. 6 | 2.6 |
| New England States | 167, 788, 475 | 1, 907, 776 | 2, 864, 11.9 | 4,77.1, 895 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 2.8 |
| New York | $34,118,002$ | 498, 204 | 754, 951. | 1. $258,1.55$ | 1.5 | 2.3 | 3. 8 |
| New York City | 60, 057, 247 | 1,250, 636 | 1, 822,196 | 3, 072, 832 | 2. 1 | 2. 9 | 5. 0 |
| Albany ........ | 2,000,000 | 1, 59,870 | -64, 281 | 124, 1.51 | 3.0 | 3.2 | 6. 2 |
| New Jersey | 14, 278, 350 | 202, 678 | 276, 680 | 479, 358 | 1. 4 | $\checkmark 1.9$ | 3.3 |
| Pennsylvania | 28, 417, 582 | 409, 062 | 200, 84. | 609, 903 | ]. 4 | 0.7 | 2.1 |
| Philadelphi | 16, 985, 667 | 357, 311 | 120,471 | 477, 782 | 2. 1. | 0.7 | 2. 8 |
| Pittsburgh | 10, 347, 500 | 139, 751 | 54, 335 | 1.94,086 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1. 9 |
| Delavare | 1, 66:3, 985 | 23, 398 | 6,842 | 30,240 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 1. 8 |
| Maryland | 2, 302, 459 | 31, 81.8 | 30,395 | 62, 213 | 1.4 | 1. 3 | 2. 7 |
| Baltimore..... | 11, 233,651 | 137, 075 | 205, 833 | 342, 905 | 1. 2 | 1. 9 | 3. 1 |
| District of Columbia | ] 252,000 | 4,317 | . 312 | 4, 629 | 1. 8 | 0.8 | 2. 6 |
| Waslingtou | J., 229, 119 | 15,870 | 7,728 | 23,598 | 1.3 | 0.7 | 2.0 |
| Middle States | 182, 885, 562 | 3,129, 990 | 3, 544, 862 | 6,674, 852 | 1. 7 | 1.9 | 3.6 |
| Virginia | 3,285, 229 | 49,796 | 64, 684 | 11.4, 480 | 1.5 | 2. 0 | 3.5 |
| West Virginia | 1, 746, 000 | 21, 461 | 27,737 | 49, 198 | 1. 2 | 1. 6 | 2. 8 |
| North Carolina. | 2,586, 096 | 30,792 | 33, 945 | 64.737 | 1. 2 | 1. 4 | 2. 6 |
| South Carolina | 2, 927, 643 | 28, 918 | 74, 027 | 102, 945 | 1. 0 | 2. 6 | 3. 6 |
| Georgia | 2, 146, 305 | 25,547 | 42,632 | 68, 179 | 1. 2 | 2. 1 | 3. 3 |
| Florida | 50, 000 | 818 | 1, 023 | 1,841 | 1. 6 | 2. 0 | 3. 6 |
| Alabama. | ]., 668, 000 | 18,653 | 19,372 | 38, 025 | 1. 7. | 1. 2 | 2. 3 |
| New Orlean | 3, 300, 000 | 50, 099 | 26, 387 | 76, 486 | 1.5 | 0.9 | 2. 4 |
| Texas. | 1, 081, 782 | 14,597 | 20,655 | 35, 252 | 1. 4 | 2. 2 | 3. 6 |
| Arkansas | -205, 000 | 2,760 | 3, 601. | 6,361 | 1.3 | 1. 8 | 3.1 |
| Kentucky | 7,008,500 | 77, 141 | 30,636 | 1.07, 777 | 1. 1. | 0.4 | 1. 5 |
| Louisville | 3, 095, 500 | 42, 265 | 15,936 | 58, 201 | 1.4 | 0.5 | 1. 9 |
| Temmessee | 3, 112, 233 | 48,639 | 68,514 | 117, 153 | 1.6 | 2. 2 | 3.8 |
| Southexu States | 32, 212, 288 | 411, 486 | 429, 1.49 | 840, 635 | 1.3 | 1.4 | 2.7 |
| Ohio | 19,944,625 | 269, 544 | 428,902 | 698, 446 | 1.4 | 2.3 | 3.7 |
| Cincimati | 4, 400, 000 | 73, 817 | 1.28, 1.59 | 201, 976 | 1.7 | 2. 9 | 4. 6 |
| Cleveland. | 4, 41.6, 667 | 48, 139 | 97, 59.1 | 145, 730 | 1.1 | 2. 2 | 3. 3 |
| Iudiana | 16,559,568 | 202, 594 | 347, 744 | 550, 338 | 1.2 | 2.3 | 3.5 |
| Illinois | 11, 489,927 | 163,585 | 223, 996 | 387, 581 | 1. 4 | 2. 0 | 3.4 |
| Chicago | 6,472, 418 | 145,367 | 131,744 | 277, 111 | 2. 2 | 2.9 | 5. 8 |
| Michioman | 7, 871, 463 | 94, 201. | 120,716 | 214, 917 | 1. 2 | 1. 7 | 2.9 |
| Detroit | 2, 000, 000 | 31, 105 | 34, 885 | 65, 990 | 1. 6 | 1. 7 | 3.3 |
| Wisconsiu | 2, 81.4, 808 | 43, 360 | 50, 969 | 94,329 | 1. 5 | 1.9 | 3. 4 |
| Milwanke | 650, 000 | 1.5, 395 | 16, 610 | 32, 005 | 2.4 | 9. 6 | 5. 0 |
| Iowa ..... | 6, 090, 538 | 85, 085 | 121, 391 | 206, 376 | 1.4 | 2. 1 | 3. 5 |
| Minnesota | 4, 51.9, 779 | 61, 429 | 93, 923 | 155, 352 | 1. 4 | 2.2 | 3.6 |
| Missouti ....... | 2, 391, 167 | 34, 71.8 | 41, 243 | 75, 961. | 1.5 | 2. 6 | 4.1. |
| Saint Louis | 4, 015, 639 | 56, 81.2 | 65, 722 | 122, 534 | 1. 4 | 2.5 | 3.9 |
| Kansas. | 1, $1.08,833$ | 18,993 | 1.8, 855 | 37, 848 | 1. 7 | 2. 6 | 4.3 |
| Nebraska | - 938,398 | 21, 485 | 19, 922 | 41,407 | 2.3 | 2.3 | 4. 6 |
| Colorado | 976,872 | 20,544 | 23, 95.1 | 44, 495 | 2.1 | 3.0 | 5.1. |
| Oregon. | 250, 000 | 7, 224 | 2,650 | 9,874 | 2.9 | 1. 1. | 4. 0 |
| Califomia $\dagger$. . . . . . | 1, 579, 167 | 18, 416 | 3,940 | 22, 356 | 1.2 | 0.2 | 1. 4 |
| San Francisco $\dagger$ | 2,750, 000 | 23, 292 | . 535 | 23,827 | 0.8 | 0.0 | 0.8 |
| New Mexico | 300,000 | 4, 192 | 3,168 | 7,360 | 1.4 | 1. 1 | 2. 5 |
| Utah. | 200, 000 | -2,779 | 2,750 | 5,529 | 1.4 | 1.4 | 2. 8 |
| Idaho. | 100, 000 | 1, 367 | 3, 184 | 4,551 | 1.4 | 3.2 | 4. 6 |
| Montana. | 350, 000 | 6,795 | 6,432 | 13, 227 | 1.9 | 3.2 | 5. 1 |
| WYoming | 125, 000 | 1,973 | 1., 599 | 3, 572 | 1.6 | 2. 1 | 3. 7 |
| Dakota | 50, 000 | 1, 110 | 693 | 1., 803 | 2.2 | 1. 4 | 3.6 |
| Territories | 102, 364, 369 | 1, 453,321 | 1, 9991, 174 | 3,444,495 | 1.4 | 2.1 | 3.5 |
| Totals | 485,250,694 | 6, 902, 573 | 8, 829, 304 | 15, 731, 877 | 1.4 | 1.9 | 3.3 |

[^13]Tables similar to the foregoing, for the years 1867 and 1869, and from 1874 to 1876 inclusive, appear in the appendix.

The amount of losses charged off by the banks during the last three years have been tabulated from the semi-annual reports of dividends and earnings miade by the banks, and the results appear in the table below, which shows the number of banks which have suffered losses, and the amounts charged off by them, during each of the semi-annual periods ending on March 1 and September 1 of the years named:

| Geographical divisions. | Six months ending- |  |  |  | Aggregate losses. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | March 1, 1878. |  | September 1, 1878. |  |  |
|  | No. of banks. | Losses. | No. of banks. | Losses. |  |
| New England States. | 327 | \$3, 344, 01.2 | 399 | \$4, 016, 814 | \$7,360, 826 |
| Middle States | 417 | 4,506,813 | 449 | 5, 502, 770 | 10, 009,583 |
| Sontheru States | 124 | 672, 032 | 140 | 1, 225,602 | 1., 897, 634 |
| Westeru States and Territories | 436 | 2, 380, 288 | 442 | 2, 818, 469 | 5, 198, 757 |
| - Totals for 1878 | 1, 304 | . $10,903,145$ | 1, 430 | 13, 563,655 | 24, 466, 800 |
| Add totals for 1877. | 980 | 8, 175, 961 | 1, 1.08 | 11., 757, 627 | 19, 933, 588 |
| Add totals for 1876. | 806 | 6,501, 170 | 1, 034 | 13, 217, 857 | 19,719, 027 |
| Aggregate losses and average number of banks, yearly | 1, 030 | 25,580,276 | 1,191 | 38, 539, 139 | 64, 119, 415 |

In his last two reports, the Comptroller gave tables showing the amount of losses thus charged off by the banks in each State and principal city in the Union during the years 1876 and 1877. A similar table is here presented for the present year, which gives the number of bauks and amount of losses for each dividend period, to which are added the losses of the years 1876 and 1877:

| States and cities. | March 1, 1878. |  | September 1, 1878. |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. of lanks. | Losses. | No. of banks. | Losses. |  |
| Maine | 39 | \$82, 39947 | 42 | \$133,457 93 | \$215, 85740 |
| New Hampslite | 23 | 52, 70469 | 31 | 86, 15823 | 138,862 92 |
| Massachusetts | 25 | 160, 02603 | 33 | 218, 40769 | 378,433 72 |
| Boston.... | 116 | 1, 6068,18686 | 146 48 | $1,099,369$ $1,422,010$ 60 | $1,706,304$ <br> $2,490,197$ <br> 18 |
| Rhode Island | 23 | 721, 66120 | 38 | 4.15, 07324 | 1., 136, 73444 |
| Commecticut | 56 | 652, 09823 | $\mathrm{cil}^{1}$ | 642, 33712 | 1, 294, 435 35 |
| New York | 129 | 528,530 28 | 157 | 716, 51478 | 1, 245, 04506 |
| New York City | 40 | 2, 443, 38083 | 42 | 2, 703, 93915 | 5, 147, 31998 |
| Albany | 7 | 128, 1377 | 7 | 145, 25196 | 273,389 68 |
| New Jersey. | 54 | 235, 22434 | 54 | 425, 65062 | 660, 87496 |
| Pemssyvania | 124 | 702, 15874 | 121 | 535,441 55 | 1, 237, 60029 |
| Philadelphia | 20 | 190, 04535 | 22 | 371, 63095 | 561, 67630 |
| Pittsburgh | 13 | 100, 20894 | 18 | 318,827 57 | 41.9, 03651 |
| Delaware | 5 | 11, 21294 | 2 | 12, 08186 | 23, 29480 |
| Maryland | 8 | 25̄, 10177 | 8 | 9, 34137 | 34, 44314 |
| Baltimore | 12 | .138, 67434 | 12 | 230, 2411.65 | 368,915 99 |
| District of Columbia | 1 | 1, 00000 | 1 | 3,375 00 | 4,37500 |
| Washington | 4 | 3,1.38 1.4 | 5 | 30, 47339 | 33, 61153 |
| Virginia | 15 | 88,23587 | 16 | 122,704 26 | 210, 94013 |
| West Virginia | 6 | 12, 80904 | 9 | 22, 43435 | 35, 24339 |
| North Carolina | 12 | 71,363 73 | 12 | 149, 90181 | 221, 26554 |
| South Carolina. | 10 | 70,696 13 | 1.0 | 29,367 83 | 100,063 96 |
| Georgia. | 8 | 26, 83314 | 9 | 59, 24773 | 86, 08085 |
| Florida | 1 | 6,078 48 |  |  | 6,078 48 |
| Alabama. | , | 28, 24460 | 9 | 70,802 41 | 99, 04701 |
| New Orleans | 6 | 40,557 55 | 7 | 297, 93935 | 338, 49690 |
| Texas. | 1.1 | 32,828 1.4 | 9 | 41, 031.60 | 73, 85974 |
| Arkansas | 2 | 14, 40205 | 2 | 11,06018 | 25, 46223 |
| Kentucky | 21 | 103, 34381 | 30 | 163, 17141 | 266,515 22 |
| Louisville | 7 | 85, 19852 | 8 | 1.50, 32753 | 235, 52605 |
| Temnessee | 18 | 91, 44106 | 19 | 107, 61307 | 199, 05413 |
| Ohio | 83 | 358, 85937 | 94 | G06, 8.1.5. 54 | 965, 6744 |
| Cincinnati | 4 | 49,79747 | 5 | 30, 23320 | 80, 03073 |
| Cleveland | 4 | 70, 02504 | 4 | 152,883 00 | 222,908 04 |
| Indiama | 59 | 257, 82349 | 56 | 353, 47440 | 611, 29789 |

Losses of the National Banks-Continued.

| States and cities. | March 1, 1878. |  | September 1, 1878. |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. of banks. | Losses. | No. of banks. | Losses. |  |
| Illinois. | 67 | \$161, 74.193 | 73 | \$288, 72066 | \$450, 46259 |
| Chicago | 9 | 394, 76284 | 9 | 520, 32130 | 915, 08414 |
| Michigan . | 52 | 205,873 19 | 48 | - 165,98878 | 371, 86197 |
| Detroit | 3 | 91, 93574 | 3 | 42, 68127 | 134, 61701 |
| Wisconsin | 18 | 50, 04439 | 1.8 | 27,715 87 | 77,760 26 |
| Milwaukee | 2 | 46,141 17 | 3 | 28, 81.741 | 74, 95858 |
| Iowa. | - 50 | 183, 03346 | 40 | 92, 67324 | 275, 70670 |
| Minnesota | 23 | 128, 38805 | 24 | 98,568 87 | 226, 95092 |
| Missouri | 18 | 65, 47718 | J6 | 47, 82211 | 113, 29929 |
| Saint Louis | 4 | 75, 83852 | 5 | 95, 61.814 | 1.71, 45666 |
| Kansas..... | 9 | 53,597 18 | 11 | 118,305 78 | 166, 90296 |
| Nebraska | 5 | 40,91954 | 8 | 22,978 62 | 63, 89816 |
| Colorado | 10 | 56,94134 | 1.0 | 48,430 80 | 105, 37214 |
| Oregon | 1 | 14,054 46 | J. | 6,805 58 | 20, 86004 |
| Califorvia | 4 | 12,635 37 | 3 | 9, 83406 | 22, 46943 |
| San Franciseo | 2 | 38,24106 | 2 | 14,662 85 | 52, 90391 |
| New Mexico |  | 10,160 57 | 1 | 12, 87237 | 23,032 94 |
| Utah... | 1 | J, 241 | 1 | 11, 49900 | 12,740 01 |
| Montana | 5 | 8,663 39 | 4 | 9, 08252 | 17,745 91 |
| Wyoming | 1. | $3,051.12$ | 2 | 11., 22805 | 14, 27917 |
| Dakota. | 1 | 1, 04117 | 1 | 5,436 00 | 6, 47717 |
| Totals for 1878 | 1,304 | 10, 903, 145 04 | 1, 430 | 13, 563, 65485 | 24,466, 79989 |
| Add for 1877 | 980 | 8, 175, 96056 | 1,108 | 11., 757, 62743 | 19, 933, 58799 |
| Add for 1876 | 806 | 6, 501, 16982 | 1, 034 | 13, 217, 85660 | 19, 719, 02642 |
| Aggregate losses for thee years |  | 25,580, 275. 42 |  | 38, 539, 138. 88 | 64, 119, 41430 |

It will be seen from the foregoing tables that the total losses charged off by the banks during the current year were $\$ 24,466,799.89$; that in 1877 they amomited to $\$ 19,933,587.99$, and in 1876 to $\$ 19,719,026.42$; making a grand aggregate of $\$ 64,119,414.30$ of losses which the banks have sustained during the three years named, and have wiped oft from their books by charging them largely to their previonsly accimulated undivided profit and surplus accounts.
The amount of losses sustained by the banks in the more important cities during the same period is shown in the following table:

| Cities. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New York | \$6, 873, 75997 | \$4, 247, 94166 | \$5, 147, 31998 |
| Boston | 1, 5988,72268 | 2, 192, 05381 | 2, 490, 19746 |
| Philadelphia | 152,976 14 | 333,248 47 | 561, 67630 |
| Pittsburgh... | 333,851 50 | 289, 46659 | 419, 03651 |
| Baltimore.. | 876, 20732 | 200, 59774 | 368,915 99 |
| New Orleans. | 519, 70141 | 286, 25947 | 338, 49690 |

In consequence of the losses above shown, many of the banks have been compelled to entirely forego dividends for a longer or shorter period. A tabular statement is given below, showing by geographical divisions the number of banks, with their capital, which passed diviclends during each of the semi-annual dividend periods of 1877 and 1878:

| Geographical divisions. | Six months ending- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | March 1, 1877. |  | September 1, 1877. |  | March 1, 1878. |  | September 1, 1878. |  |
|  | No. | Capital. | No. | Capital. | No. | Capital. | No. | Capital. |
| New Englaud States. | 25 | \$8, 150, 000 | 35 | \$9, 085, 000 | 37 | \$9, 389, 500 | 51 | \$14, 870, 000 |
| Middle States | 73 | 12,742, 000 | 92 | 15, 573, 200 | 95 | 17, 244, 400 | 114 | 22, 454, 850 |
| Southem States | 27 | 3,720, 000 | 30 | 4, 236, 000 | 36 | 5,266,000 | 44 | 6, 867, 000 |
| Westeru States | 106 | 14, 090, 000 | 118 | 10, 737, 000 | 144 | 15,013, 000 | 132 | 12, 870, 100 |
| PacificStates and Territories | 14 | 1,750, 000 | 13 | 1,585, 000 | 16 | 1,885, 000 | 16 | 1., 675, 000 |
| Totals. | 245 | 40, 452, 000 | 288 | 41, 166, 200 | 328 | 48, 797, 900 | 357 | 58, 730, 950 |

The number of banks passing dividends in the first dividend period of 1876 was 235 , with a capital of $\$ 34,290,320$; and in the second period the number was 273 , and the capital represented was $\$ 44,057,725$. It will be seen that during the last three years, an average amount of $\$ 44,583,516$ of capital of the national banks has paid no dividends whatever to its owners.

But the foregoing table of the number of banks which have passed dividends during the last three years does not fully represent the effect of the great losses suffered by them, nor the diminution of their profits in later years. For, in addition to what is here shown, very many of the banks which have declared dividends have been compelled to reduce them to rates which cannot be considered a fair compensation for the use of the capital employed. This additional effect is shown in the following table, which exhibits the amount of capital, surplus, clividends, and total earnings of all the national banks, for each half year, from March 1, 1869, to September 1, 1878, together with the ratios of such dividends and earnings to capital and surplus:

| Period.of six monthsend. ing- | No. of banks. | Capital. | Surplus. | Total dividends. | Total net earnings. | RATIOS. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Divi. dends to capital. | Dividends to capital and sturplas. | Earnings to capital and sur. plus. |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Per ct. | Per ct. |
| Sept. 1, 1869 | 1, 481 | \$401, 650, 802 | \$82, 105, 848 | \$21, 767, 831 | \$29, 221, 184 | 5.42 | 4.50 | 6. 04 |
| Mar. 1, 1870 | 1, 571 | 416, 366,991 | 86, 11.8, 210 | 21, 479, 095 | 28, 996, 934 | 5.16 | 4.27 | 5.77 |
| Sept. 1, 1870 | 1, 601 | 425, 317, 104 | 91, 630, 620 | 21, 080, 343 | 26; 813,885 | 4. 96 | 4.08 | 5. 19 |
| Mar. 1, 1871 | 1, 605 | 428, 699, 165 | 94, 672, 401 | 22, 205, 150, | 27, 243, 162 | 5.18 | 4.24 | 5.21 |
| Sept. 1, 1871 | 1,693 | 445, 999, 264 - | 98, 286, 591 | 22, 125, 279 | 27, 31.5, 311. | 4.96 | 4.07 | 5.02 |
| Mar. 1, 1872 | 1, 750 | 450, 693, 706 | $99,431,243$ | 22, 859, 826 | 27, 502, 539 | 5.07 | 4. 16 | 5.00 |
| Sept. 1, 1872 | 1, 852 | 465, 676, 023 | 105, 181, 942 | 23, 827, 289 | 30, 572, 891 | 5. 12 | 4.17 | 5. 36 |
| Mar. 1, 1873 | 1, 912 | 475, 918, 683 | 114, 257, 288 | 24, 826, 061 | 31, 926, 478 | 5.22 | 4. 21. | 5.41 |
| Sept. 1, 1873 | 1, 955 | 488, 100,951 | 118, 113,848 | 24, 823, 029 | 33, 122, 000 | 5.09 | 4.09 | 5.46 |
| Mar. 1, 1874 | 1, 967 | 489, 510, 323 | 123, 469, 859 | 23, 529,998 | 29, 544, 120 | 4.81 | .3. 84 | 4.82 |
| Sept. 1.1874 | 1,971 | 489, 938, 284 | 128, 364, 039 | 24, 929, 307 | 30, 086, 811 | 5. 09. | 4.03 | 4.86 |
| Mar. 1, 1875. | 2, 007 | $493,568,831$. | 131, 560, 637 | 24; 750, 816 | 29, 136,007 | 5.01 | 3.96 | 4. 66 |
| Sept. 1, $1875^{\circ}$ | 2, 047 | 497, 864, 833 | 134, 123, 649 | 24, 317, 785 | 28,800, 217 | 4.88 | 3.85 | 4. 56 |
| Mar. 1, 1876 | 2,076 | 504, 209, 491 | 134,467, 595 | 24, 811, 581 | 23,097,921 | 4.92 | 3.88 | 3. 62 |
| Sept. 1, 1876 | 2,081 | 500, 482, 271 | 132, 251,078 | 22, 563, 829 | 20, 540,231 | 4.50 | 3. 57 | 3. 25 |
| Mar. 1, 1877 | 2, 080 | 496, 651,580 | 130, 872, 165 | 21, 803, 969 | 19,592,962 | 4. 39 | 3.47 | 3. 12 |
| Sept. 1, 1877 | 2;072 | 486, 324, 860 | 124, 349, 254 | 22, 117, 116 | 15, 274, 028 | 4.54 | 3. 62 | 2. 50 |
| Mar. 1, 1878 | 2, 074 | $475,609,751$ | 122, 373, 561 | 18,982, 390 | 16, 946, 696 | 3.99 | 3.17 | 2.83 |
| Sept. 1, 1878 | 2, 047 | 470, 231, 896 | 118, 687, 134 | 17, 959, 223 | 13, 658, 893 | 3.81 | 3.04 | 2.31 |

This table shows a gradual and steady decline in the ratio, not only of dividends but of earnings, from 1870 to the present time. The ratio of divi dends to capital has declined from 10.12 per cent. in 1870 to 7.80 per cent. in the present year; the ratio of dividends to capital and surplus, which in 1870 was 8.35 , is this year but 6.21 ; while the ratio of total net earnings to capital and surplus has receded during the same period from 10.96 to 5.14 . The latter fact shows how largely the dividends of late years have been drawn from the accumulated earnings of former periods, and that even the diminished dividends of to day much exceed the actual curreut earnings of the banks.

A table is given in the appendix which shows concisely the ratio of dividends to capital, and to capital and surplus, and of total net earnings to capital and surplus, of each State and principal city in the Union, for each half year from March 1, 1874, to September 1, 1878.

The following table exhibits by geographical divisions ratios similar to those on the foregoing page, for the years 1876 1877, and 1878 :

| Geographical divisions. | 1876. |  |  | 1877. |  |  | 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Dividendsto capital. | Dividends to capital and stur. plus. | Earnings to eapital and surplus. | Dividends to capital. | Divi. dends to capital and sur: plus. | Earnings to capital and sturplus. | Dividendsto capital | Dividends to capital and surplus. | Earnings to capital and sur. plus. |
| Now England | Per ct. | Perct. | Perct. | , Per ct. | Perct. | Per ct. | Per ct. | Per ct. | Per ct. |
| States....... | 8.4 | 6.7 | 6.5 | 7.6 | 6.0 | 4.7 | 6. 9 | 5.5 | 4.3 |
| Middle States . . | 9.8 | 7.7 | 5.5 | 8.5 | 6. 6 | 5.4 | 7.9 | 6.1 | 4. 9 |
| Southern States | 8.8 | 7.6 | 9.6 | 8. 3 | 7.1 | 7.1 | 7.8 | 6.2 | 5.7 |
| Western States and Territo. ries. | 10.3 | 8. 1. | 9.9 | 12.2 | 9.6 | 7.2 | 9.6 | 7.8 | 6.9 |
| Onited States . . | 9.4 | 7.5 | 6.9 | 8.9 | 7.1 | 5.6 | 7.8 | 6. 2 | 5.1 |

## REDEMPTION.

The following table exhibits the amount of national-bank notes received for redemption monthly by the Comptroller of the Currency for the year ending November 1, 1878, and the amount received for the same period at the redemption-agency of the Treasury, together with the total amount received since the passage of the act of June 20, 1874:

| Montlis. | Recoived by Comptroller. |  |  |  |  | Recoived at the redenption. ageucy. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fromnational banks for re issue or sur render. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Front } \\ \text { redemption- } \\ \text { agoney for } \end{gathered}$ roissine. | Notes of national bank: in liquidation. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Under act } \\ & \text { of June } 20, \\ & 1874 . \end{aligned}$ | Total. |  |
| November, 1877 | \$11, 680 | \$3, 107, 800 | \$166, 546 | \$1, 432, 017 | \$4, 718, 043 | \$17, 340, 759 |
| December, 1877 | 17, 590 | 3, 101, 900 | 137500 | 529, 692 | 3, 786, 682 | 17, 222, 396 |
| January, 1878 | 15, 400 | 4, 323, 100 | 258, 189 | 577, 010 | 5, 173, 699 | 18, 040,569 |
| February, 1878 | 30,900 | $3,720,600$ | 203, 750 | 524, 397 | 4, 479, 647 | 13,538, 278 |
| March, 1.878 | J.8, 000 | 3, 534, 800 | 129, 420 | 392, 760 | 4, 074, 980 | 12,025, 805 |
| April, 1878 | J.06, 500 | 4, 001, 700 | 21], 458 | 721, 178 | 5, 040, 836 | 15, 766, 848 |
| May, 1878 | 68,700 | 6, 086, 500 | 326, 31.5 | J, 096, 429 | 7, 577, 944 | 24, 076, 684 |
| June, 1878 | 66, 073 | 5,909, 800 | 492, 043 | 1, 017, 166 | 7, 485, 082 | 23, 615, 670 |
| July, 1878 | 346, 750 | 4, 635,100 | 1.83, 127 | 1, 690,264 | 5, 855, 241 | 22,785, 473 |
| August, 1878 | 115, 405 | 3, 435, 400 | 308, 585 | 625, 507 | 4, 484, 897 | 16, 418,603 |
| September, 1878 | 37, 610 | $\stackrel{2,997,500}{ }$ | 1.77, 911 | 327, 069 | 3, 540, 080 | 13, 292, 206 |
| October, 1878 | 161, 159 | 2, 995, 000 | 89, 580 | 283, 063 | 3, 528, 802 | 8, 376, 449 |
| Total | 995, 757 | 47, 849, 200 | 2, 684, 424 | 8, 216, 552 | 59, 745, 933 | 202, 499, 740 |
| Received fromJune 20,1814, to November 1, 1877 | 10, 974, 288 | 273, 670, 855 | 10, 283, 941. | 52, 805, 216 | 347, 734, 300 | 664, 794, 553 |
| Grand total | 11, 970, 045 | 321, 520, 055 | 12, 968, 365 | 63, 021, 768 | \|407, 480, 233 | .867, 294, 293 |

During the year ending November 1, 1878, there was received at the redemption-agency of the Treasury $\$ 202,499,740$ of national-bank notes, of which amount $\$ 65,847,000$, or about $32 t$ per cent., was received from the banks in New York City, and $\$ 75,396,000$, or about $37 \frac{1}{5}$ per cent., from Boston. The amount received from Philadelphia was $\$ 10,756,000$; from Baltimore, $\$ 1,215,000$; Pittsburgh, $\$ 1,026,000$; Cincinnati, $\$ 2,223,000$; Chicago, $\$ 2,866,000$; Saint Louis, $\$ 814,000$; Providence, $\$ 4,945,000$. The amount of circulating notes, fit for circulation, returned by the agency to the banks during the year was $\$ 151,683,200$. The total amount receired by the Comptroller for destruction, from the redemptionagency and from the national banks direct, was $\$ 57,061,509$. Of this
amount $\$ 5,830,516$ were issues of the banks in the city of New York; $\$ 4,447,325$ of Boston ; $\$ 1,811,160$ of Philadelphia ; $\$ 1,107,323$ of Baltimore $; \$ 1,087,470$ of Pittsburgh ; $\$ 435,200$ of Cincinnati; $\$ 444,398$ of Chicago ; $\$ 169,673$ of Saint Louis ; $\$ 360,281$ of New Orleans ; $\$ 351,800$ of Albany; and $\$ 359,490$ of Cleveland.

There were, on November 1, $\$ 282,991,768$ of natioual-bank notes outstanding upon which the charter number had been printed, and $\$ 36,660,353$ not having that imprint.

The following table exhibits the number and amount of nationalbank notes of each denomination which have been issued and redeemed. since the organization of the system, and the number and amount outstanding on November 1, 1878 :

| Denominations. | Number. |  |  | Amount. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Issuck. | Redeemed. | Outstanding. | Issued. | Redeemed. | Outstanding. <br>  |
| Ones | 22, 478, 415 | 18, 194, 196 | 4, 284, 219 | \$22,478, 415 | \$18, 194, 196 | \$4, 284, 219, |
| Twos | 7, 517, 765 | 6, 226, 692 | 1,291, 073 | 15, 035, 530 | 12, 453, 384 | 2, 582, 146. |
| Fives | 61, 191, 288 | 42, 683, 433 | 18, 507, 855 | 305, 956, 440 | 213, 417, 165 | 92, 539, 275 |
| Tons | 24, 157, 293 | 13, 859, 149 | 10, 298, 144 | 241, 572,930 | 138, 591, 490 | 1.02, 981, 440 |
| Twenties | 7, 344, 167 | 3, 933, 178 | 3, 41.0, 989 | 146, 883,340 | 78,633, 560 | 68, 219, 780 |
| Ififties | 1, 147, 578 | 728, 222 | 419, 356 | 57, 378, 900 | 36, 411100 | 20, 967, 800 |
| One-hundreds | 812, 903 | 541, 859 | 271, 044 | 81, 290, 300 | $54,185,900$ | 27, 104, 400 |
| Five-hundreds | 20,210 | 18,895 | 1., 315 | 10, 105, 000 | 9. 447, 500 | 657, 500 |
| 'Thousands | 6,204 | 5,900 | 3. 304 | 6, 204, 000 | $5,900,000$ $*-11,562$ | $\begin{array}{r} 304,000 \\ +\quad 11,562 \end{array}$ |
| Totals | 124, 675, 823 | $86,191,524$ | 38, 484, 299 | 886, 904, 855 | 567, 252, 733 | $319,052,122$ |

A table showing the number and denomiuations of national-bank notes issued and redeemed, and the number of each dénomination outstanding on November 1 for the last eleven years, will be found in the appendix.

The following table shows the amount of national-bank notes received at this Office and destroyed yearly since the establishment of the system:
Prior to November 1, 1865
175,490 .
During the year ending October 31, 1866........................................... $1,050,382$
During the year ending Octóber 31, 1867...................................... 3, 401, 423
During the year ending October 31, 1868............................................ 4, 602,825
During the year ending October 31, 1869....................................... 8, 603,729.
During the year ending October 31, 1870 ............................................... 14, 305,689-
During the year ending October 31, 1871...................................... 24, 344, 047
During the year ending October 31, 1872.......................................... 30, 211,720.
Duriarg the year ending October 31, 1873..................................... 36, 433,171.
During the year ending October 31, 1874...................................... 49, 939, 741
During the year ending October 31, 1875........................................ 137, 697, 696
During the year ending October 31, 1876......................................... 98, 672,716.
During the year ending October 31, 1877......................................... 76,918, 963 .
During the year ending October 31, 1878....................................... 57, 381, 249
Additional amount destroyed of notes of banks in liquidation.............. 23, 524, 492
Total
567, 263, 333

## INSOLVENT BANKS.

Since November 1, 1877, receivers have been appointed for banks in operation at that date, as follows :

|  | Capital. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Third National Bank of Chicago, Ill | \$750, 000 |
| Central National Bank of Chicago, Ill. | 200, 000 |
| First National Bank of Kansas City, Mo | 500, 000 |
| Commercial National Bank of Kansas City, Mo | 100, 000 |
| First National Bank of Tarrytown, N. Y .- | 100, 000 |
| Washington County National Bank of Greenwich, N. | 200, 000 |

[^14]|  | Capital. |
| :---: | :---: |
| First National Bank of Dallas, Tex | \$50, 000 |
| People's National Bank of Helena, Mont | 100, 000 |
| First National Bank of Bozeman, Mont. | 50, 000 |
| Farmers' National Bank of Platte City, | 50, 000 |
|  | ,100, 000 |

Receivers have also been-appointed, since the date named, for the following banks which had previously gone into voluntary liquidation: First National Bank of Ashland, Pa.; First National Bank of Allentown, Pa.; First National Bank of Waynesburg, Pa.; Citizens' National Bank of Charlottesville, Va.; and Merchants' National Bañk of Fort Scott, Kans. The receivers for the five last-mentioned banks were appointed under authority of an act "authorizing the appointment of receivers of national banks, and for other purposes," approved June 30, 1876. This action was rendered necessary by the complaints of creditors that the affairs of the several banks were not being properly or efficiently settled by the officers or agents having them in charge.

Dividends have been paid to the creditors of six of the banks that have failed during the year, as follows:
Third National Bank of Chicago, Ill
70 per cent.
Central National Bank of Chicago, Ill 40 per cent.
First National Bank of Kansas City, Mo. 30 per cent.

First National Bank of Tarrytown, N. Y........................................... 70 per cent.
Washington County National Bank of Greenwich, N. Y.................... 50 per cent.
The aggregate amount of these dividends is $\$ 1,309,167$; the average arate being 53.8 per cent.

Dividends have also been paid during the year to creditors of banks which failed previous to November 1, 1877, as follows:
First National Bank of Selma, Ala................ $7^{110}$
Ocean National Bank, New York, N: Y .......... 5
Wallkill National Bank, Middletown, N. Y ..... 15 Crescent City National Bark, New Orleans, La.. 15 Atlantic National Bank, New York, N. Y........ 15 New Orleans National Banking Association, La. 20
First National Bank of Carlisle, Pa............... 32
First National Bank of Topeka, Kans............. 13 $3^{3}$
First National Bank of Norfolls, Va................ 10
First National Bank of Tiffin, Ohio .............. . . . 10
Charlottesville National Bank, Va................. 10
Miners' National Bank, Georgetown, Colo........ 25
Fourth National Bank of Chicago, 111 ............. 10
First National Bank of Bedford, Iowa ............ 1iz $\frac{1}{2}$
First National Bank of Osceola, Iowa75
First National Bank of Duluth, Mimn .............. . . 27
First National Bank of La Crosse, Wis ............ 15
City National Bank of Chicago, Ill 10
Watkins National Bank, Watkins, N. Y ........ 12t
First National Bank, Wichita, Kans.............. 25
Northumberland County Nat. B'k, Shamokin, Pa. 25
First National Bank of Winchester, Ill........... 30
National Exchange Bank, Minneapolis, Minn... 15
National Bank of the State of Missomri, Saint
Lonis, Mo
10
First National Bank of Delphi, Ind ............... 25

Lock Haven National Bank, Lock Haven, Pa.... 30

|  |  | r cent. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| er | total, 42 | per |
| er cent | total, 95 | per |
| cent | total, 100 |  |
| er cen | total, 75 | pe |
| per cent | total, 85 | рет |
| per cent | total, 50 | per |
| er cent | total, 72 | per |
| per cent | total, $58{ }_{10}^{3}$ | pe |
| er c | total, 45 | pe |
| er cent | total, 37 | per |
| er cent | total, 30 | per |
| er cent | total, 35 | per |
| cent | total, 50 | per cent. |
| r cent | total, $12 \frac{1}{2}$ | per |
| er cent | total, 100 | per ce |
| per cent | total, 72 | per |
| per cent. | total, 35 | per cen |
| er cent | total, 45 | per cent |
| per cent. | total, 100 | per cent. |
| er cen | total, 60 | per cent. |
| er cent | total, 50 | per |
| per cen | total, 50 | per ce |
| per cent. | total, 65 | per ce |

per cent.; total, 35 per cent. per cent.; total, 50 per cent. per cent.; total, 30 per cent.

The total amount of dividends disbursed by the Comptroller to creditors of insolvent banks during the year ending November 1, 1878, was - $\$ 2,556,551$. The total dividends paid since the organization of the system is $\$ 14,010,313$, upon proved claims amounting to $\$ 23,147,393$, or 60.53 sper cent. of the amount of the claims.

Assessments amounting to $\$ 5,703,500$ have been made upon the share-
holders of thirty-four insolvent banks for the purpose of enforcing their individual liability, of which $\$ 1,458,834$ has been collected.

A table showing the national banks which have been placed in the hands of receivers, the date of appointment of receivers, the amount of capital and of claims proved, and the rates of dividends paid; and also one showing the amount of circulation of such banks, issued, redeemed, and outstanding, on November 1,1878 , will be found in the appendix.

## STATE BANKS AND SAVINGS BANKS.

The laws of the United States require returns of capital and deposits to be made to the Commissioner of Internal Revenue, for purposes of taxation, by all State banks, savings-banks, and private bankers. The data for the following table were obtained from the Commissioner and compiled in this Office. This table exhibits, by geographical divisions, the number of State banks 'and trust companies, private bankers, and savings-banks, and their average capital and deposits for the six months ending May 31, 1878 :

| Geographical divisions. | Number of banks. | Capital. | Deposits. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New England States | 42 | \$8, 189, 517 | \$15, 062, 430 |
| Middle States . . . | 217 | 42, 446, 037 | 122, 008, 847 |
| Southern States. | 233 | 27, 378, 751 | 30, 667, 577 |
| Western States | 296 | 20, 247, 869 | 38, 877, 287 |
| Padific States and Territories | 65 | 26, 085, 088 | 22, 776, 484 |
| Uuited States. | 853 | 124, 347, 262 | 229,482, 625 |

PRIVATE BANKERS.

| New England States | 71 | \$2, 858, 688 | \$3,228, 297 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Middlo States. . | 916 | 34, 482, 781 | 61, 922, 908 |
| Sonthern States | 280 | 7, 298, 396 | 13, 683, 874 |
| Western States | 1,450 | 26, 917, 565 | 75, 167, 656 |
| Pacific States and Temitories | 139 | 6, 240, 798 | 29, 830, 230 |
| United States | 2,856 | 77,798, 228 | 183, 832, 965 |


| savings-banks with capital. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New-England States |  | 1 | \$68, 400 | \$1,139,916 |
| Middle States... |  | 3 | 160,000 | 1, 373, 145 |
| Southern States. |  | 4 | 881, 882 | 1, 278, 900 |
| Western States |  | 11 | 304, 852 | 1,931,700 |
| Pacific States and Territories |  | 4 | 1, 822,. 208 | 20, 456, 307 |
| United States. |  | 23 | 3, 237, 342 | 26, 179,968 |

SAVLNGS-BANKG WITHOUT CAPJTCAL.

| New England States | 441 |  | \$403, 427, 083 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Middle States. | 190 |  | 358, 680, 633 |
| TSouthern States. | 3 |  | 2, 143, 723 |
| Western States | 25 |  | 10, 308, 123 |
| Pacific States and Territories | 9 |  | 28, 739, 783 |
| United States. | 668 |  | 803, 299,345 |

summary.

| Now England States | 555 | \$11, 116, 605 | \$422, 857, 726 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Middle States. | 1,326 | 77, 088,818 | 544, 075, 533 |
| Southern States | 520 | 35, 559, 029 | 47, 774, 074 |
| Western States | 1,782 | 47, 470, 286 | 126, 284,766 |
| Pacific States and Territories | 217 | 34, 148, 094 | 101, 802, 804 |
| United States | 4, 400 | 205; 382, 832 | 1., $242,794,903$ |

The following table exhibits by States, cities, and geographical divisions, the average capital and deposits of the same banks and bankers, and the taxes thereon for the same period:

| States and Territories. | No. of banks. | Capital. | Deposits. | Tax. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | On capital. | On deposits. | Total. |
| Maine | 69 | \$92, 1.08 | \$28, 957, 428 | \$1.8898 | \$1.253 2.1 | \$1, 44219 |
| New Hampshire | 71 | 62, 000 | 28, 309, 624 | 15250 | 4.27050 | 4,42300 |
| Vermont | 21 | 344, 1.67 | 8, 140, 383 | 82933 | 4,096 57 | 4,92590 |
| Massachusetts | 170 | 834, 666 | 157, 816, 81.2 | 1,429 33 | 5, 08519 | 6,514 52 |
| Boston | 59 | 3, 061, 397 | 70, 746, 941 | 3,826 47 | 17, 69404 | 21,520 51 |
| Rhodo Island | 58 | 3, 883, 267 | 50, 028, 328 | 8,188 16 | 39, 30163 | 47,489.79 |
| Comnecticu | 107 | 2, 840, 000 | 78, 858, 210 | 5,604 82 | 31, 27153 | 36, 87635 |
| New England States | 555 | 11, 11.6, 605 | 422, 857, 726 | 20,21959 | 102, 97267 | 123, 19226 |
| New York | 328 | 10, 427, 448 | 148, 258, 669 | 20, 29036 | 100, 97262 | 121, 26298 |
| New York City | 443 | 40, 700, 289 | 247, 964, 314 | 56, 27658 | 21.4. 35685 | 270, 633343 |
| Albamy. | 14 | ${ }^{642,000}$ | 12, 1.53, 1.89 | 70647 | 4,03936 | 4,745 83 |
| New Jersey | 59 | 1; 741; 071 | 19, 326,498 | 3,536 29 | 14, 58716 | 18, 12345 |
| Pennsplvania | 313 | 10, 807, 358 | 29, 979, 01.5 | 25, 17282 | 74, 851.74 | 100, 02456 |
| Philadelphi | 59 | 2, 113, 756 | 42, 552, 729 | 4, 64868 | 61,60426 | 66, 25294 |
| Pittsburgh | 37 | 4, 657, 547 | 13, 727, 252 | 10,284 93 | 22,59996 | 32,884 89 |
| Delaware | 9 | 712, 578 | 1, 798, 521 | ], 66797 | 2, 03154 | 3, 69951 |
| Maryland | 13 | 627, 513 | 559, 703 | 96201. | 91351 | 1. 87552 |
| Baltimore | 41 | 4, 162, 51.6 | 24, 604, 030 | 8,795 49 | 1.5, 74049 | 24, 53598 |
| Washingto | 1.0 | 496, 742 | 3, 1.51, 613 | 51318 | 6,469 94 | 6,983 12 |
| Middle States | 1,326 | 77, 088, 818 | 544, 075, 533 | 132, 85478 | 518,167 43 | 651, 02292 |
| Virginia. | 77 | 3, 281, 667 | 6, 499, 580 | 7,753 69 | 15, 421.29 | 23, 17498 |
| West Virgini | 22 | 1, 496, 792 | 3, 927, 737 | 3, 66837 | 9, 81928 | 13,487, 65 |
| - North Carotina | 13 | 588, 290 | 978, 018 | 1,470 72 | 2,44503 | 3,915'75 |
| South Carolina | 18 | 911, 523 | 1, 004; 868 | 2, 27877 | 2,428 28 | 4,707 05 |
| Georgia | 67 | 4, 31.7, 817 | 3, 948, 488 | 10,711 40 | 9, 19049 | 19,901 99 |
| Florida | ${ }^{6}$ | 89, 483 | 233, 405 | 22370 | 58348 | 80718 |
| Alabama | 22 | 993, 276 | 1, S13, 605 | 2,420 69 | 4, 53393 | 6,95462 |
| Mississippi | 32 | 1, 289, 573 | 1, 732, 597 | 2,535 64 | 4,331 42 | 6, $867{ }^{06}$ |
| Louisiana | 3 | 1].6, 000 | 48, 1.10 | 17750 | 12028 | 29778 |
| New Orleans | 21 | 4, 473, 905 | 7, 994, 123 | 1.0,726 42 | 15, 18495 | 25, 9.1 .137 |
| Texas | 102 | 3, 707, 057 | 4, 626, 420 | 8,744 54 | 11,505 63 | 20,310 17 |
| Arkansas | 15 | 225,576 | 298, 605 | 51424 | 74648 | 1, 26072 |
| Kentucky | 74 | 7, 010, 103 | 6, 287, 262 | 1.6, 65629 | 15,71826 | 32,374 55. |
| Louisville | 17 | 5, 288, 296 | 5, 650, 057 | 12,971 68 | 14, 12504 | 27,096 72 |
| Temues | 31 | 1, 769, 671 | 2, 731, 199 | 4, 23385 | 6,828 00 | 11, 06185 |
| Southern States | 520 | 35, 559, 029 | 47, 774,074 | 85, 08750 | 113, 04184 | 198, 12934. |
| Ohio | 255 | 6, 042,364 | 15, 952,238 | 12,959 68 | 38,776 39 | 51,736 07 |
| Cincinn | 2. | 2, 022,369 | 7, 361, 629 | 3, 38823 | 17, 29538 | 20, 68361 |
| Cleveland | 9 | 898, 623 | 12,244, 967 | 1., 59098 | 17,403 31 | 18,994 29. |
| Indiaua | 150 | 5, 081, 175 | 10, 224, 039 | 11, 72436 | 21, 83878 | 33,503 14 |
| Ilinois. | 319 | 4, 509, 338 | 12,472,557 | 10, 1.5355 | 29,981 71 | 40, 13526 |
| Chicago | 31 | 3, 61.2, 908 | 6, 832, 759 | 4, 89245 | 17,043 45 | 21, 93590 |
| Michigan. | 153 | 2, 636, 707 | 4, 737, 222 | 6,454 25 | 11. 84411 | 18, 29836 |
| Detroit. | 15 | 1, 108, 368 | 5, 179, 009 | 1., 80091 | 11, 03832 | 12,839 23 |
| Wisconsin | 89 | 1, 386, 425 | 3, 714, 069 | 3, 02620 | 9, 28496 | 12, 31116 |
| Milwauk | 11 | 729, 853 | 5,747, 509 | ]., 66966 | 14, 36872 | 16, 03838 |
| Iowa. | 287 | 5, 255, 013 | 8, 224, 785 | 12, 71194 | 20, 37782 | 33, 08976 |
| Minnesot | 77 | 1, 510, 502 | 3,233, 693 | 3,662 47 | 7,950 50 | 11,612 97 |
| Missouri | 176 | 4, 1.24, 269 | 10, 184, 792 | 9,811 03 | 25,461 50 | 35, 27253 |
| - Saint L | 32 | 6, 576, 033 | 16, 387, 002 | 14, 54048 | 40, 96745 | 55, 507 93: |
| Kansas. | 109 | 1, 472, 344 | 2, 598, 746 | 3,441 85 | 6,496 55 | 9, 9384040 |
| Nebraska | 48 | 503,595 | I, 189, 250 | 1,203 76 | 2,972 96 | 4,17672 |
| Western States | 1,782 | 47, 470, 286 | 126, 284,766 | 103, 03180 | 293, 10191 | 396, 13371 |
| Oregon |  | 643, 225 | 1, 489, 547 | 1.,499 49 | 3,602 45 | 5,10194 |
| California | 84 | 9, 943,129 | 17, 422, 175 | 24,733 99 | 37,94600 | 62,679 99 |
| San Fran | 33 | 21, 787, 036 | 78, 070,629 | 46, 25646 | 132, 60159 | 178, 858 05 |
| Colorado | 28 | 526, 190 | 934, 915 | J., 31546 | 2, 33638 | 3, 65184 |
| Nevada | 18 | 412, 268 | .J., 914, 583 | 1, 03066 | 4,78637 | 5,817 03 |
| Utals | 8 | 190, 000 | 714, 555 | 47500 | 1,786 37 | 2, 26137 |
| New Mexico | 4 | 5, 000 | 61, 180 | 1250 | 15295 | 1.6545 |
| Wyoming | 3 | 82, 794 | 148,682 | 19869 | 37170 | 570 5y |
| Idaho | ${ }_{2}^{2}$ | 54, 000 | 16, 358 | 13500 | 4088 | 17588 |
| Dakota. | 12 | 78, 039 | 277, 927 | 19510 | 69480 | 8899 |
| Montana | 8 | 133,413 | 188,918 | 33353 | 47228 | 80581 |
| Washingto | 3 | 208, 000 | 537, 450 | 52000 | 1,343 62 | 1, 863862 |
| Arizona. | 4 | 85, 000 | 25, 885 | 21250 | 6470 | 27720 |
| Pacific States and Territories. | 217 | 34, 148, 094 | 101, 802, 804 | 76, 91838 | 18620009 | 263, 11847 |
| Totals | 4,400 | 205, 382, 832 | , 242, 794, 903 | 418, 11205 | 1, 213,483 94 | 1,631,59599. |

4. They are required to have a paid-up capital of not less than $\$ 100,000$ each, and in cities of 50,000 inhabitants their capital must be not less than $\$ 200,000$ each. In the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury, however, banks with not less than $\$ 50,000$ capital may be organized in places having less than 6,000 inhabitants. The design and effect of these provisions is to prevent, as far as possible, the establishment of feeble organizations, unequal to the wants of the communities in which they are located.
5. At least one-half of the authorized capital must be paid in before commencing business, and the remaining portion must be paid in at the rate of not less than one-fifth monthly from the time the association is authorized to commence business. Proper provision is made for enforcing payment of installments of capital stock subscribed, or for making good any impairment of capital which may occur in the course of business.

0 . The Comptroller is also authorized and required, before issuing his certificate of authority to any association to commence business, to ascertain if such association has in good taith complied with all the requirements of law preliminary to its organization; and he may appoint a special commission for this purpose if thought necessary. He must also obtain a sworn statement of the president and cashier and of a majority of the directors of the proposed association, setting forth all the facts properly bearing on this inquiry.
7. No increase or reduction of the authorized capital of an association can be made without the approval of the Comptroller being first obtained, aud no increase is valid until the whole amount is actually paid in and certified to under oath.
8. Every director must be a citizen of the United States, and threefourths of the directors of any association must be residents of the State, Territory, or District in which it is located. Each director must also, during his whole continuance in office, be the bona-fide owner of not less than ten shares of the capital stock of the association of which he is a director, which shares must not be hypothecated or in any way pledged as security for any loan or debt. To all of which he must make oath.
9. Every director must also, immediately upon his election or appointment, make and transmit to the Comptroller an oath that he will faitifully administer the affairs of his association, and will not knowingly violate, or permit to be violated, any of the provisions of the nationalbank act.
10. The shareholders of every national bank are each made individually responsible, equally and ratably, and not one for another, for all contracts, debts, and engagements of such association, to the extent of their stock therein, at its par value, in addition to the amount invested in such shares; thus giving a double security to the general creditors of these associations.
11. Each national bank, before it is authorized to commence business, must have first deposited with the Treasurer of the United States an amount of interest-bearing, registered United States bonds, not less in any case than $\$ 30.000$, nor less than one-third of the paid-in capital of the bank, except that, by a late act, the maximum deposit of bonds required for any bank is $\$ 50,000$. These bonds are primarily held as security for the redemption of the circulating notes of the bank; but as the amount of circulation issued equals ninety per cent. only of the par value of the bonds deposited, any excess in the value of the bonds above the amount of circulation to be redeemed becomes an added secuirity, in the possession of the government; applicable to the payment
of claims of the general creditors of the association depositing them, should it become insolvent.
12. National banks are forbidden to make transfers or assignments of any of their assets or credits after an act of insolvency, or in contemplation thereof," with a view to the preference of one creditor to another; and any transfer or assignment so made is null and void.
13. Every association in the national system is required to receive at par; for any debt or liability to it, the circulating notes of any and all other banks in the system, and these notes are also receivable by the government for all taxes or other dues, except duties on imports, and are payable for all debts or demands owing by the government, except interest on the public debt. These features give to the notes an additional value beyond that which they possess through a deposit of United States bonds.
14. One of the most invaluable features of the national banking system is that requiring each association to have at all times on hand an available cash reserve of specified proportions as compared with its deposits and circulation.: The proportion required for banks located in the financial centers of the country is 25 per cent. of their deposits. For all other banks the required proportion is 15 per cent. of their deposits. The proportion of reserve to circulation is the same for all banks, namely, five per cent., which amount is to be at all times on deposit: with the Treasurer of the United States, to be held and used by him in the redemption of their notes. This sum is also permitted to be counted as part of the required reserve on deposits. Most stringent means are placed at the disposal of the Comptroller for enforcing compliance by the banks with the requirements of the law relating to the maintenance of a cash reserve.
15. Equal in importance with the requirements as to a cash reserve are the provisions which compel the accumulation by each national bank of a surplus fund, to be set apart by it from time to time out of the profits of its business, and which fund may not be used by the bank for any purpose other than to meet and charge off losses in excess of its current earnings. These provisions require that each association shall, before making any dividend, carry to its surplus fund one-tenth part of its net profits since its last preceding dividend, until the same shall amount to 20 per cent. of its capital stock. It is further provided that ne dividend shall ever be declared by any association to an amount greater than its undivided profits (not surplus) then on hand, deducting therefrom its losses and bad debts, and that if such losses shall equal or exceed its profits on hand other than surplus, no dividend shall be made. Careful provision is thus made for the steady growth of the surplus fund of each national bank, until its sum shall equal one-fifth of the capital of the association, thereby establishing a reserve fund against which it may charge any excess of losses over and above its other profits on hand, and thus preserve its capital stock unimpaired. Under these provisions the amount of surplus accumulated by all the banks now in operation is $\$ 116,897,800$, against an aggregate capital of $\$ 466,147,436$.
16. Another very important feature of the law is the requirement that detailed statements of the condition of each national bank, verified by the oath of its president or cashier, and attested by not less than three of its directors, shall, not less than five times in each year, be made to the Comptroller, and also be published in the city or town where the bank is established; and to guard against the possibility of any bank fortifying itself, in advance of a known day for making a report, so as to make a good showing on that particular day, it is further provided that each report shall be for some past day, to be specified by the Comptroller.

This Office, also, under the law, makes annually a report to Congress, containing a great number and-variety of statistical tables compiled from the various reports of the banks, through the wide distribution of which full information concerning the banks and the working of the system is anmually placed before the public.
17. The national banks are also required to make semi-annual reports to the Comptroller of their dividends declared, and the amount of their profits in excess of such dividends, which returns are also tabulated by him and the results presented to Congress and the country in his annual reports. Full means are provided for enforcing compliance by the banks with the provisions of law concerning both classes of reports here named, by authorizing a severe penalty for any failure or neglect to make and transmit the same.
18. In addition to the means for acquiring a knowledge of the condition of the banks furnished by the reports already mentioned, the law provides for their examination periodically by disinterested persons to be appointed by the Comptroller. These persons visit the banks, inspect their books of account, securities, and assets and liabilities generally, have power to examine their officers and directors under oath and inquire into all matters necessary to a full understanding of their actual, existing condition, and then make immediate and full report in writing of the results of such examination. This feature of the law is an invaluable one, operating not only as a restraint against irregular practices by any banks so disposed, but as a means of detecting them and preventing their recurrence. These examinations may be as frequent as is thought necessary, and their expense is borne by the banks themselves.
19. All necessary publicity as to the ownership of shares in any national banking association is secured by a provision requiring that a list of the names and residences of all its shareholders, and the number of shares held by each, shall be kept in the office where its business is transacted, and shall, during business hours, be subject to the inspection of any shareholder or creditor of the association, and of the officers authorized to asess taxes under State authority. A copy of such list, verified by oath, must also be transmitted to the Comptroller annually.
20. The national banks serve a very useful purpose, both to the government and the public, more especially in localities where there is not a subtreasury, by acting; when so authorized by the. Secretary of the Treasury, as depositories of public moneys and financial agents of the United States. For their services in this regard they receive no direct compensation, and are, moreover, required to give satisfactory security for the faithful performance of their duties and the safe custody and prompt payment of all public moneys intrusted to them, by a deposit with the Treasurer of a sufficient amount of United States bonds.
21. The national banks are prohibited from loaning to any person, company, corporation or firm, an amount exceeding one-tenth part of their capital; and in estimating the liabilities of a company or firm the liabilities of its several members are to be included. They are thus, by law, made conservative in their management, and restrained from granting excessive loans, which would at least lessen their general usefulness to the communities in which they are situated and perhaps impair their safety.
22. They are further prohibited from making any loan or discount whatever on the security of the shares of their own capital stock, or from purchasing or holding the same unless to prevent loss upon a debt previously contracted in good faith. And, even in the latter case, they are not permitted permanently to hold or to cancel shares so obtained, but
must, within six months from the date of their acquirement, sell or dispose of them at public or private sale.
23. They are also prohibited from becoming indebted or in any way liable to an amount exceeding that of their capital stock actually paid in, except on account (1) of their circulating notes; (2) their deposits or collections; (3) bills of exchange or drafts drawn against money actually on deposit to their credit or due to them ; and (4) liabilities to their own stockholders for reserved profits. The purpose and effect of these provisions are to make the national banks lenders and not borrowers of money.
24. They are further forbidden, either directly or indirectly to pledge or hypothecate any of their circulating notes for the purpose of procuring money with which to pay in or increase their capital stock, or for use in their banking operations, or otherwise. This restriction effectually precludes the practice, which was common in some former State systems, of employing the circulating notes of an association in the increase of its own capital, or in furnishing capital for a new association, which practice has at times been carried to an extreme limit.
25. The national banks are restricted in the rate of interest which they may take, receive, or reserve, to the rate allowed by the laws of the State, Territory, or District in which they are located.
26. A system of redemption of the circulating notes of the national banks is provided, whereby not only may they be readily converted into lawful money, but the mass of the circulation may be kept clean through the retirement of such portion as becomes worn or mutilated and the issue of new notes by the Comptroller, in their stead. This redemption is accomplished and compelled by requiring, first, that each national bank shall redeem its circulating notes at its own counter, at par, in lawful money on demand; second, that the notes of all closed banks shall be redeemed by the Treasurer; third, that all worn, mutilated; or defaced national-bank notes which are received by any assistant treasurer or designated depository of the United States shall be forwarded to the Treasury for redemption; and, fourth, by providing that when the notes of any associations, assorted or unassorted, are presented in sums of $\$ 1,000$, or any multiple thereof, to the Treasurer they shall be redeemed by that officer. The government is indemnified for all redemptions made by it, either by the bonds which it holds, as in the case of insolvent banks, or by a deposit of lawful money which is required to be previously made by all other banks.
27. If a national bank fails to pay its circulating notes, the Comptroller is authorized to sell its bonds and provide for their payment. The goverument is indemmified against any possible loss from its guaranty of the payment of such circulating notes, by having reserved to it by law a paramount lien upon all the assets of any association which defaults in the redemption of its notes, to make good any deficiency arising from the sale of its bonds.
28. The destruction of all mutilated notes and of notes of closed banks, redeemed by the Treasurer, is regulated by instructions: of the Secretary, given in pursuance of law. All notes destroyed are previously counted by separate agents or representatives of the Secretary, the Treasurer, the Comptroller of the Currency, and the banks which issued the notes; they are effectually mutilated by clipping and punching, to prevent their possible circulation should they by any remote chance pass out of the possession of the Treasury before destruction; they are, in the presence of each of the agents mentioned, placed in a triple-locked macerating machine, where they are immediately ground
into pulp; and their destruction is certified to by all the agents, both upon proper books in the Treasury department and in certificates sent to the banks of issue.
29. The banks are prohibited, under a severe penalty, from certifying any check drawn upon them, unless the person or company drawing the check has at the time on deposit with them an amount of money equal to that specified in the check.
30. They are also prohibited from making any loan on the security of United States or national-bank notes, or from agreeing for a consideration to withhold the same from use, the purpose of the prohibition being to prevent the "locking up" of money by the national-banks, in the interests of speculators.
31. The officers of national banks are required to make returns under oath to the Treasurer of the United States and to pay to him in semiannual installments an annual duty of one per cent. upon the average amount of their circulating notes, one-half of one per cent. upon the average amount of their deposits, and a like rate upon the average amount of their capital stock beyond the amount invested in United States bonds. This duty is in lieu of all other government taxes.
32. The payment to the United States of the duties named does not, however, relieve the national bauks from any liability to taxation by other than government authority, as it is expressly provided that nothing in the act shall prevent the shares of these associations from being taxed by the' States as is other similar property, or shall exempt their real property from State, county, or municipal taxation, to the same extent as other real property.
33. Should the capital stock of any association become impaired in the course of business, by losses or otherwise, it must, within three months after the association shall have received notice from the Comptroller, be made good by assessment upon the shareholders pro rata for the amount of stock held by them ; and during such impairment the Treasurer is required, upon notification from the Comptroller, to withhold the interest on all bonds held by him in trust for such association. The authorized capital of the banks is thus by law compelled to be kept always intact, for the protection of their creditors.
34. When a national bank goes into voluntary liquidation, it must, within six months thereafter, deposit in the Treasury au amount of lawful money equal to its entire outstanding circulation, which circulation is thereafter redeemed by the Treasurer. Thus the banks, under existing law, derive no benefit from the accidental loss or destruction of any portion of their notes, such beuefit inuring solely to the government.
35. Should any bank become insolvent, the most ample powers are possessed by the Comptroller to take possession of such association, throngh a receiver to be appointed by him, and to proceed to collect its assets, and pay off, by dividends from time to time, the claims of its creditors. The note-holders are in such cases as secure as though the bank had remained solvent, the notes being protected by the bonds held by the government; while the other creditors have as a protection, in addition to the assets of the bank, the individual liability of the shareholders before mentioned, together with the capital paid in, no part of which can be returned to the shareholders until all approved claims against the association shall have been paid.
36. Mention has several times been made herein of the ample means provided in the national-bank act for enforcing compliance with its provisions, by the infliction of penalties for their violation or non-observ.
ance. All of these penalties are severe, and many of them summary, the principal ones being here enumerated:
I. For charging or exacting a usurious rate of interest, the whole interest agreed to be paid is forfeited ; or, if actually paid, twice its amount may be recovered back by the person paying the same.
II. For certifying any check, unlesis the person by whom the check is drawn has on deposit with the association an amount of money equal to that represented by the check, the bank may be immediately closed by the appointment of a receiver.
III. For every day, after five daỳs, in which a national bank'shall fail to make and transmit to the Comptroller any report of its condition called for by him, and for similar delay in transmitting to him the required proof of publication of such report, and also for every day, after ten days, in which a bank shall fail to transmit its semi-annual report of dividends and earnings, a penalty of one hundred dollars is imposed. And if any association fails or refuses to pay the amount of such penalty, when assessed and demanded, the Treasurer of the United States is authorized to retain it, upon the order of the Comptroller, out of the interest, as it may become due to the association, upon the bonds deposited to secure its circulation.
IV. For failure of the president or cashier of any association to report to the Treasurer semi annually, for purposes of taxation, the average amount of its notes in circulation, deposits, and capital stock not invested in United States bonds, a penalty of $\$ 200$ is.imposed, which may be collected as in the preceding paragraph. The Treasurer may also, in such cases, assess the association upon the highêst amount of its ciirculation, deposits, and capital stock, to be ascertained in such manner as he may deem best.
V. If an association fails to pay the duties assessed upon its circulation, deposits, and capital, such duties also may be reserved by the Treasurer out of the interest falling due upon its bonds.
VI.) The making of any loan upon the security of United States or national-bank notes, or agreeing for a consideration to withhold the same from use-in other words, the "locking up" of money-is made'a misdemeanor, punishable by a fine of $\$ 1,000$ and a further sum of onethird of the money so loaned; and the officers making the loan are subject to the further penalty of one-quarter of the money loaned.
VII. Embezzlement of the funds of an association by any of its officers, directors or agents, or any false entry by any of them, in any book, statement or report, with intent to injure or defraud the association or any other company or person, is punishable by imprisonment of not less than five nor more than ten years.
VIII. If any officer or agent of an association whose charter has expired knowingly reissues or puts into circulation any note, draft, check, or other security of such association, he is punishable by a fine of $\$ 10,000$, or by imprisonment of from one to five years, or by both such fine and imprisonment.
IX. If the capital stock of any national bank falls below the minimum amount required by law, through the failure of any shareholder to pay the whole or any part of the amount of his subscription for such stock, and the deficiency in capital shall not be made good within thirty days thereafter, a receiver may be appointed to close up the affairs of the association.
X. Whenever the lawful money reserve of a national bank falls below the limit required by law, and remains below such limit for thirty days after receiving notice from the Comptroller to make its reserve good, a receiver may be appointed and the bank closed.
XI. A receiver may also be appointed for any association which fails to redeem its circulating notes at its own counter or at the Treasury, at par, on demand.
XII. If an association which accepts any shares of its own capital stock in order to prevent a loss upon a debt previously contracted in good faith (which is the only way in which such stock can be legally acquired by it), shall fail to sell such stock, at public or private sale, within six months thereafter, it may be closed by the appointment of a receiver.
XIII. Whenever an association fails to pay up its capital stock as required by law, or an impairment of its capital occurs by losses or otherwise, and it shall not, within three months after receiving notice from the Comptroller, make good the deficiency by an assessment upon its shareholders, it may, unless it consents to go into liquidation, be placed in possession of a receiver and its business closed.
37. Finally, if the directors of any national banking association knowingly violate, or knowingly permit any of its officers, agents or servants to violate, any of the provisions of the national-bank act, all the rights, privileges, and franchises of the association become thereby forfeited; in addition to which, every director who participates in or assents to such violation is held personally and individually responsible for all damages sustained by any person in consequence thereof.

SYNOPSIS OF JUDICIAL DECISIONS.
The synopsis of decisions of the Supreme Court of the United States, and other inferior tribunals as heretofore prepared, is reproduced in this report, but it is not deemed expedient at present to extend it. Within the past year several important cases have been adjudicated in circuit courts which will probably be taken to the Supreme Court and there affirmed or reversed. It is best to await such final results.

In this connection it is proper, however, to note that the case of Casey, receiver, vs. La Societé de Crédit Mobilier et al., cited in the synopsis from 2 Woods, 77, under the head of "Transfers of Assets,". and two other cases in which similar rulings upon similar facts had been pronounced, were reversed by the Supreme Court at its last term; the latter tribunal holding that the attempted pledges on the part of the bank were invalid as against the general creditors. The cases are fully reported in 96 th U.S. ( 6 Otto), pp. 467-496, and are not only important because of the amount involved, but are of interest to bankers and the business public generally, on account of the legal question involved and settled.
Abatement.
I. An action brought by a creditor of a national bank is abated by a decree of a district or circuit court dissolving the corporation and forfeiting its franchises. (First National Bank of Selma vs. Colly, 21 Wallace, p. 609.)
II. Suit by the receiver of the New Orleans National Banking Association (formerly a State organization called the Bank of New Orleans) against a sharelolder to enforce his personal liability. Plea in abatement that "at the date of the appointment of said receiver there was not, nor has there since been, nor is there now, any such corporation as said New Orleans National Association, because said Bank of New Orleans had no power by its charter, nor authority otherwise from the State of Lonisiana, to cliange its organization to that of a national association under the laws of the United States."

On general demurrer this plea was held bad, because no authority from the $S$ Sate was necessary to enable the bank to make such change. The option to do so was given by the forty-fourth section of the banking act of Congress, 13 Statutes, 112. "The power there conferred was ample, and its validity cann th be doulted." (Casey, veceiver; f.e., vs. Galli, 4 Otto, p. 673.)

## Abatement-Continued.

This plea was also held bad upon the additional ground that "where a shareholder of a corporation is called npon to respond to a liability as such, and where a party has contracted with a corporation, and is sued on his contract, neither is permitted to deny the existence and legal validity of such corporation." (Ibid.)
"To hold otherwise," says Mr. Jnstice Swapne (p. 680), "would be contrary to the plainest principles of reason and good faith, and involve a mockery of justice. Parties must take the consequences of the positions they assume." "They are estopped to deny the reality of the state of things which they have made to appear to exist, aud upon whiclo others have been led to rely. Sound ethics require that the apparent, in its effects and consequences, should be as if it were real, and the law properly so regards it."

## Accommodation indorsements.

I. Where bills, indorsed by a national bank for accommodation only, had been negotiated by the bank through its usual channels of communication with its correspondents as its own bills, and the proceeds thereof had been placed to the credit of the bauk, which thereupon gave the same credit to the parties for whom it had thus indorsed, and receiver no benefit therefrom-
Held, That although an acconmodation indorsement by a national bank, in such cases, was void in the hands of holders against whom notice of the character of the indorsement could be concluded, yet that the bank was liable for the same to holders, for value, without notice. (Blair vs. First National Banle, Mansfield, Ohio. United States cireuit court for Ohio, at Cleveland, November term, 1875, Emmons, J.)
Query, whether, under the provisions of section 5202 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, any indorsement by a national bauk is not ultra vires.

## Actions.

I. A national bank may be sued in proper State court. (Bank of Bethel vs. Pahquioque Bank, 14 Wail., 383, p. 395.)
II. Such banks may sue in Federal courts. The word "by" was omitted in section 57 of act of 1864 by mistake. (Kennedly vs. Gibson, 8 Wall., pp. 506-7.)
Receivers may also sue in United States courts. (Ibid, pp. 506-7.)
III. When the full personal liability of shareholders is to be enforced the action must be at law. (Kennedy vs. Gibson, 8 Wall., p. 505; see also Casey, fc., vs. Galli, supra.)
IV. But if contribution only is sought, the proceedings may be in equity, joining all. the shareholders within the jurisdietion of the conrt. (Ibid., pp. 505-6.)
See, also, title "Shareholders, Indivitual Liabilities of," VI, post. Judge Swayne says "may," and Nelson, J., says that "we may sue at lawe."

## Atrachment of asseis.

I. When a creditor attaches the property of an insolvent national bank, he cannot hold such property against the claim of a receiver appointed after the attachment suit was commenced. Such creditor must slare pro rata with all others. (Eirst National Bank of Selma vs. Colby, 21 Wall., p.609.)

See, also, title "Jurisdiction," II, post.

## Attorneys.

I. Section 56 of currency act is directory only, and it cannot be objected by defense that a suit is brought by private attorney instead of the United States district attorney. (Kennedy vs. Gibson, 8 Wall., p. 504.)

By-laws.
I. A national bank camnot by its by-laws create a lien on the slares of a stockholder who is a debtor of the association. (Bullard vs. National゙Bank, fo., 18 Wall., $p$. 589.)
See, also, ease of Bank vs. Lanier, 11 Wall., p. 369, cited under "Loans on Shares," post.
[Note.-In Young vs. Vaugh, 23 N. J. Equity R., p. 325, it was held that a national banls conld by its by-laws prohibit the transfer of shares by a shareholder while indebted to the bank, and that transfers in violation of such bylaws were void. As it is held by the Supreme Court of the United States that such by-laws can create no lien for indebtedness, it would seem that a regulation prohibiting such transfers can be of little practical use, even if the power exists.]

## Checrs.

I. The holder of a check on a mational bank camot sue the bank for refinsing payment, in the absence of proof that it was accepted by the bank. (National Bank of the Repablic vs. Millard, 10 Wall., p. 152.)
II. The relation of banker and castomer is that of debtor and creditor. Receiving deposits is an important part of the business of banking, bat the moment they are received they become the moneys of the bank, may be loaned as a part of its general fund, and the check of the clepositor gives no lien upon them. (Ibid., per Davis, J., p. 155.)
III. Perhaps, on proof that check had been charged to the drawer, and that the bauk had settled with him on that basis, the holder or payee could recover ou a count for " money had and received." (Ibid., pp. 155-6.)
IV. The facts that the bank was a United States depository and the check was drawn by at United States officer to a United States creditor do uot vary the rule. (Ihid., pp. 155-6.)
V. Where a bank pays a check drawn on it, in favor of a party whose indorsement thereon is forged, and the same bas passed through several hands, only reasonable diligence is required to be excrcised in giving notice to prior holders of the forgery, after its discovery, in order to hold them liable. (Schroeder vs. Harvey, 75 Ill., p. 638.)
VI. A clevk of plaintiff's' received from their debtors checks, payable to their (plaiutiffs') order, in payment of sums due. The clerk, wrongfully and without anthority, indorsed the names of the plaintiffs on these checks and transferred them to other persons, appropriatiang the proceeds to his own use. Subsequently these checks were deposited with a banls which in good faith collected them and paid over the proceeds to the depositors.' In a suit by plaintiff's agaiust the bank, to recover the amounts so collected by it: Held, that the bank was liable. (Jolnson vs. First Nutional Bank, 13 N. Y. Sup. Court, p. 121.)
VII. The act of Congress of March 3, 1869, making it unlawful for a national bank to certify checks umless the drawer has at the time funds on deposit to an amonint equal to the amount specified in the check, does mot invalidate a conditional acceptance of a check by such bank, having no funds of the drawer in its hands at the time, bute engaging to pay the same when a draft left with it for collection by the drawer shall bave been paid. (National Bank vs. National Bank, Wost Ta. St., p. 544.)

## Citizenship.

I. National banks are citizens of the State in which they are orgmized and located, and when sned by national banks of other States have a right to demand a removal of the suit from a State to the proper Federal court. (Chatham National Bank vs. Merehants' National Bank, 4 Thomp. f. Ć. (Thompson f. Cook) N. Y. Sup. C., p. 196, and 1 Hunter N. Y., p. 702.)

## Collections.

I. A collcetion agent who receives from his principal a bill of lading of merchandise, deliverable to order, and attached to it a time draft, may, in the absence of special instructions, deliver the bill of lading to the drawee of the draft, npon the latter's acceptance of the draft. It is not the daty of the agent to hold the bill after such acceptance. (National Bank of Commerce vs. Merchants' National Bank, 1 Otto, p. 92.)
II. Woolen \& Co., baukers at Indianapolis, sent to defendant, a bank at Buffalo, a draft on one Bugbee; also bills of lading for sundry car-loads of lumber. The remittance was by letter, which merely stated that the draft and bills were sent to defendant for collection and remittance of proceeds to plaintiffs, Woolen of Co. The draft was drawn by, and to the order of, Coder f. Co., inclorsed by them, by Mayhew, and the planintiffs. By the terms of draft the drawer, indorsers, and acceptor waived presentment for payment and notice of protest and non-payment. It was payable fifteen days after its date, and it was admitted that by ordinary course of transit the lumber would reach its destination eight days prior to the maturity of the draft. There had been no business trensactions between plaintiffs and defendants, save one collection similar to this. Defendants presented the draft to Bugbee for acceptance, and, upon such acceptance, delivered to him the bills of lading. Bugbee failed before the draft matured, and plaintitt's sued defendants for delivering the bills of lading to Bugbee before payment of the draft. It was conceded that the draft was drawn for the price or value of the lumber: Held, per Wallace, $J$., that, the draft being on time, it must be presumed that it was the intent of parties that Bugbee should realize from sale of the lumber the funds to meet the draft at maturity. Therefore, upon lis acceptance of

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the draft, he was entitled to the bills of lading, and defendants were not liable for thus delivering them, but if the draft had not been upon time, a different rule might have prevailed. (Woolen of Webb vs. N. $\bar{Y}$. and Erie Bank, 12 Blatchf., p. 359.)
III. The Corn Exchange National Bank of Chicago sent defendant, the Dawson Bank at Wilmington, N. C., a draft drawn upon one Wiswall, living at Washington, N. C., for collection. Defendant by letter acknowledged the receipt of the draft, stating that it had been credited to the Corn Exchange Bank, and entesed for collection. Thereupon defendant sent draft to Burbank of Gallagher, bankers at Washington, N. C., for collection. The latter house collected the draft, but failed and passed into bankruptey before remitting. In a suit brought by the assignee of the Com Exchange National Bank against the Dawson Bank to recover the proceeds of the draft: Held, per Walluee, J., that the latter bank was liable for the amount. (Kent, Assignee, foc., vs. The Dawson Bank, 13 Blatchf., p. 237.)
[Note.-The court concedes that the authorities are conflicting upon the point involved in this case. In New Fork, Ohio, and in England, the decisions sustain the conclnsion of Jucge Wallace, while in Connecticut, Massaclousetts, Illinois, and Pennsyltuania. precisely the contrary rale prevails. The point was made in this case that the law of Illinois should control the rights of parties, but it was held otherwise.]
IV. In an action by G against a bank it appeared that a note was made to G 's order, indorsed by him and sent throngh the house of B , a banker, for collection, and by B indorsed to the defendant bank, "for collection and credit": Held, that B, by the indorsement, did not become the owner of the note, and had no right to pledge it, or direct its proceeds to be credited to him in payment of his indebtedness to the defendant bank. (First National Banle vs. Gregg, 79 Pa. St., p. 384.)
V. In such case if the defendant bank had made advances, or given new credit to B on the faitll of the note, it would have been entitled to retain the amount out of the proceeds. (Ibid.)
VI. A bank holding a customer's demand-note has a lien mpon the proceeds of drafts delivered to it for collection, after the giving of the note, though collected after the filing of a petition in bankriptcy, and can apply such proceeds upon the notes. (Re Farnsworth, 5 Biss., p. 223.)

## Compromises.

I. In adjusting and compromising contested claims against it, growing out of a legitimate banking transaction, a national bank may pay a larger sum than would liave been exacted in satisfaction of them, so ats to thereby obtain a transfer of stocks of railroad and other corporations, in the honest belief that by turning them into money under more favorable circumstances than then existed, a loss, which it would otherwise suffer fiom the transaction, might be averted or diminished. (First National Bank vs. National Exchamge Bank, 2 Otto, p. 122.)
II. So, also, it may accept stocks in satisfaction of a doubtful debt, with a view to their subsequent conversion into money, in order to make good or reduce an anticipated loss. (lbid.)
See, also, Estate, Real, I, post.

## Comptroller.

I. The Comptroller appoints the receiver, and can therefore remove him. (Kennedy vs. Gibson, 8 Wall., p. 498.)
II. The Comptroller's certificate, reciting the existence of the facts of which he is required to be satisfied, to justifiy the appointment of a receiver, under section 50 of the national-bank act, is sufficient evidence of the validity of such appointment, in an action brought by snch receiver. (Platt vs. Bebee, 57 N . $\bar{Y}$., $p$. 339.)
III. The Comptroller must authorize any increase of the capital stock of a national bank; and such increase must be certified by him as prescribed by sec. 13 of the act of Congress providing for the organization of national banks. (R. S., sec. 5142. Charlcston vs. People's National Bank, 5 S. C., p. 103.)
IV. The Comptroller cannot subject the United States Government to the jurisdiction of a court, though he appears and answers to the suit. (Case vs. Terrill, 11 Wall., p. 199.)
Currency act.
I. The purpose of the currency act was, in part, to provide a currency for the whole country, and, in part, to create a market for the government loans. (Per Strong, J., in Tiffany vs. Missouri, 18 Wall., p. 413.)

Currency act-Continued.
II. National banks organized under the act of Congress of June 3, 1864, are the instruments designed to be used to aid the government in the administration of an important branch of the pablic service; and Congress, which is the sole judge of the necessity for their creation, having brought them into existence, the States can exercise no control over them, nor in any wise affect their operation, except so far as Congress may see proper to permit. (Per Swayne, J., in Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank rs. Dearing, 1st Otto, p. 29.)
III. The constitutionality of the act of June 3, 1864, is unquestioned. It rests on the same principle as the act creating the second Bank of the United States. The reasoning of Secretary Hamilton, and of this court in McCulloch vs. Maryland, 4 Wheat., p.316, and in Osborne vs. Bank U.S., 7 Wheat., p. 708, therefore applies.
IV. The power to create carries with it the power to preserve. The latter is a corollary of the former. (Ibid., per Swayne, J., pp. 33-34.)

## Debtors of national banks.

I. Debtors of an insolvent national bank, when sued by the receiver, camot object that pleadings do not show a compliance with all the steps prescriberd by statutes as preliminary to the appointment of such receiver. (Cadle, Receiver, \&c., vs. Baker \& Co., 20 Wall., p. 650.)
II. Such ordinary debtors may be sued by receiver without jrevious order of the Comptroller: (Bamk vs. Kiennedy, 17 Wall., p. 19.)

## Deposits, genmral.

I. The relation between a bank and its depositors is that of debtor and creditor only, and is not fiduciary. Thus, a note cleposited for collection, if passed to the credit of the depositor in his general account, then overdrawn, becomes the property of the lank, which becomes indebted to him for the proceeds. Upon the bankruptey of the bauk, the proceeds are assets available to the general creditors. And the fact that the account was made good by other deposits, before collection of the note, makes no difference. (In re Bank of Madison, 5 Bissell, p. 515.)
II. A deposit is general, unless the depositor makes it special, or deposits it expressly in some particular capacity. And in case of a general deposit of money with a banker, a previous demand by the depositor, or some other person by his order, is indispensable to the maintenance of an action for the deposit, unless circmmstances are shown which amomet to a legal excuse. (Brahm vs. Adkins, 77 Ill., p. 263.)

## Deposits, cinmtificates of.

I. A certificate of deposit was issued by a bank for a certain sum, subject to the order of the depositor at a certain date, payable on the return of the certificate:
Held, in an action on said certificate against the bank, brought by an assignee, that there could be no recovery without proof of an actual demand and refusal. of payment. (Brown vs. Mc.Elroy, 52 Ind., p. 404.)
II. In a suit against the bank, repon a stolen certificate of deposit given by the defendant to the plaintift, reciting that he had deposited in the bank a certain number of dollars, payable to his order in curront funds, on the return of the certificate properly indorsed:
Held, first, that the instrument should be regarded as the promissory note of the bank, assigmable under the statute (of Indiana), but that it was not negotiable as an inland bill of exchange, being niade payable, not in money, but "in current funds"; second, that the payee could recover on said stolen certificate without giving a bond agaiust a subsequent claim thereunder by another person. (National State Bank vs. Ringel, 51 Ind., $p$ 393.)
III. Where a bank issnes a certificate of deposit, payable on its retionn properly indorsed, it is liable thereon to a bona-fide holder, to whom it was transferred seven years after it was issued, notwithstanding the payment thereof to the original holder. Such certificate is not dishonored until presented. (Nationat Bank Fort Edwavd vs. Washington Co. National Bank; 5 Hun., N. Y. Sup. Court, p. 605.)

## Deposits, spectal.

I. The taking of special deposits to keep, merely for the accommodation of the depositor, is not within the authorized business of national banks; and the cashiers of such banks have no power to bind them on any express contract accompanying, or any implied contract arising ont of, such taking. (Wiley vs. First National Bank, 47 Dt., p. 546:)

## Deposits, sprechal-Continued,

II. If a banking association, under the national-currency act, has power to assume the duties and obligations of a naked bailee of property, either gratuitously or for hire (as to which point the court does not decide, though apparently inclined to deny such power), it is clearly ontside its ordinary business; and it is not within the scope of the general powers or general authority of its executive or ministerial offices to bind such corporation by a contract for such bailment. Therefore, in the absence of proof of special anthority for that purpose, delegated by the board of directors, or evidence that such powers have been exercised by their knowledge and sanction, or that such has been the habit and custom of the bank, it is not responsible for property thas received by its cashicr. (First National Bank Lyons vs. Ocean National Bank, 60 N. Y., p. 278.)
III. A circular issued by such corporation, inviting the correspondence of other banks, and offering to buy and sell securities for them, is no evidence of a consent, on its part, to become a general bailee and depository of such securities for its correspondeuts. (Ibid.)
IV. The corporations formed under the national-currency act are bauks of deposit, as well as circulation. They are authorized to jssue their own notes, and receive from others their money and circulate it. Money so received is termed a deposit, although it has none of the qualifications of a bailment, thus named. There is no trust or promise to redeliver the same money. By the deposit the money becomes the property of the bank, and only the relation of debtor and creditor is created. (Ibid., per Allen, J., p. 288.)
[NOTE.-In the last cited case the cashier of the Ocean National Bank had, at sundry times, received United States bonds belonging to the Lyons bank. Some of these bonds had been purchased by said cishier and the assistant cashier for the Lyons bank. Two or three times, by the order of the latter bank, the coupons of these bonds lad been cut off by said eashier and proceeds credited to the Lyons bank. But there was no proof that these transactions were dene, or that said bonds were kept in the vanlt of said Ocean Bank, with the knowledge of the directors. Wliile said bonds were thus kept, burglars broke in and stole them. The court held, and the opinion was unanimons, that there was no difference under the currency act between such a deposit of United States bonds and a deposit of other valuable property, such as plate, diamonds, or jewelry, for safe-keeping, gratuitously. It was a naked bailment of deposit, without reward, and such an act of the cashier as did not bind the bank.]
For definition of the bailment called "deposit," and the liabilities of such a bailee, see Story on Bailments, section 4, and sections 61 to 135.
As to special deposits of money with a bank, see Story on Bailments, section 88; also Smith vs. First National Bank, 99 Mass., $p$. 605 . In this last case there had been a special deposit of gold coin, to be returned when called for. The cashier embezzled the funds: Held, that the bank was not liable, as there was no gross negligence on the part of the corporation.

## Directors of national banks.

I. Directors of a vational bank may remove the president, both under the law of Congress and the articles of association, where the latter so provide. The power exists if the bank has adopted no by-laws. (Taylor vs. Hutton, 43 Barb., N. F. Sup. Court, p. 195; S. C., 18 Abb. Pr. Rl., p. 16.)

Estate, real.
I: The want of power of a bank, or of its trustee (receiver) in insolvency, to purchase and hold real estate, does not render void an arrangement whereby land subject to a lien in favor of the banls, and to other liens, is,discharged of those other liens by funds from the assets of the bank, the land being then sold, and the entire proceeds of such sale realized to the bank assets, provided the title does not pass through the bank or its trustee. (Zantzingers rs. Gunton, 19 Wall., p. 32.)

## Interest.

I. Under section 30, act of 1864, a national bank in any State may take as high rate of interest as by the laws of such State a natural person may stipulate for, although State banks of issue are restricted to a less rate. (Tiffany vs. National Banl of Missouri, 18 Wall., p.409.)
[NoTe.-In Missouri, natural persons may take ten per cent., but State banks are restricted to eight per cent. In this case the national bauk had taken nine per cent. : Held, legal.]

Interest-Continued.
II. Held, also, that as the action was virtmally brought tor: ecover the penalty for usury, the statute (section 30) mast receive a strict constraction. (Ibid., p. 409.)
See also Title "Usury," post.

## Interest on claims of creditors.

I. Where a national bank is put in charge of a recover, under section 50 of the original currency act (R.S., sec. 5234 ), and a sufficient sum is realized from jits assets to pay all claims against itt and leave a sumplus, the Comptroller ought to allow interest on the claims during the period of administration, before appropriating the surplus to the stockholders of the bauk. An action of assumpsit by the holder of such a claim will not lie agamst the Comptroller, nor against, the receiver, but will lie against the bank. (Chomical National Bank vs. Bailey, 12 Blatchf., p. 480.)
II. In such action interest is recoverable on all demands originating in contract conditioned for the payment of interest, and on all demands for money due and unpaid, by way of damages for non-payment after such demands became due. And interest is recoverable on a balance due a depositor in such bank, although he has made no formal demand of payment. (IVid.) But, as to this last point, see the raling of the Supreme Court.
III. In the case of National Bank of the Commonvealth vs. Mechanics' National Bank, 4 Otto, p. 437, the Supreme Conrt United States, at its last term, decided that a depositor in a national bank, when it suspends payment and a receiver is appointed, is entitled from the date of lis demand to interest upon the deposit; that the claims of depositors in such bank at date of suspension for the amonnt of their deposits are, when proved to the satisfaction of the Comptroller of the Currency, placed upon the same footing as if reduced to judgments; that is to say, they draw interest from the time of such proof and allowance.

It was also decided that, such interest being a liquidated sum at the time of the payment of the deposit, an action lies to recover it, and interest thereon.

## JUDGMENTS.

I. A judgment against a national bank in the hands of a receiver, upon a claim, only establishes the validity of such claim; the plaintiff can have no execution on such judgment, but must await pro rata distribution. (Bank of Bethel vs. Palquioque Bank, 14 Wall., p. 383. Clafford, J., p. 402.)

## JURISDICTION.

I. A United States district court has jurisdiction to anthorize a receiver of an insolvent national bank to compromise a debt. (Matter of Platt, 1 Ben., p. 534.)
II. A resident (citizen) of Kentucky was a creditor of a national bank located in Alabama, and commenced a suit on his claim against said bank in the supreme court of the State of New York, at the same time attaching certain moneys belonging to said bank, in the hands of the National Park Bank, in New York. Subsequently the receiver of the Alabama bank (which liad failed) was, on his own motion, made party defendant to the action pending in the New York supreme court, and pleaded "wont of jurisdiction," and other defenses: The suppeme court overruled his plea to the jurisdiction, rendered judgment against the receiver on the morits, and ordered satisfaction to be made from the moneys attached. Thereupon the receiver filed his bill in chancery in the United States circuit court for the proper circuit, praying an iujunction to restrain the collection of the judgment rendered by said supreme court, and that the moneys attached be paid to him as receiver.
Fleld, that, by the provisions of the currency act, the State court was deprived of jurisdiction of the attachment proceedings; that the receiver was not estopped by the proceedings in said State court from asserting his rights in said circuit conrt, and that he was entitled to the relief prayed for in his bill. (Cadle, receiver, f'c., vs. Tracy, 11. Blatchf., p. 101.)
(Vide Title "Thecrivers, VII," post.)
Loans on shares.
I. National banks are governed by the act of 1864, which repealed the act of 1863, and cannot, therefore, make loans on the security of their own shares, unless to secure a pre-existing debt, contracted in good faith. (Bank, fc., vs. Lanier, 11 Mall., p. 369.)
II. The placing of funds by ono bank on permanent deposit with another bank is a loan within the spirit of section 35 of act of 1864. (Ibid., p. 369.)
III. Loans by such banks to their shareholders do not create a lien on the shares of such bomowers. (Tlvid., p. 369 . Sce also Bullard vs. Bank, 18 Wall., p. 580 ; bud "By-Laws;" supra.)

## Loans in excess.

I. A loan by a national bank in excess of the restriction of section 29 of the act of 1864 (Revised Statates, section 5200), which provides that the total liabilities of any person (borrower) shatil not exceed ten per centam of the capital stock, $\mathcal{E c}$., is not void on that account. The loan may be enforced, though the bank may be liable to proccedings for forfeiture of its privileges, \&c., for making it. (Stewart vs. National Union Banli of Maryland, 2 Abb., United States, p. 424. See also O'Hare vs. Second National Bank, 77 Pa. St., p. 96.)
In Samuel M. Shoemaker vs. The National Mechanies ${ }^{\top}$ Bank, and The Same vs. The National Union Bank, application for injmetion, \&c., United States circnit court, Baltimore, Md., Judge Giles held ****'As to the first charge in this bill. against the defendant, in reference to the amount loaned to Bayne \& Co., in violation of the twenty-ninth section of the act of June 3, 1864, I would only say that the loan made under such circumstances is not void; it can be enforced as any other loan made by the bank." * * *

## llocation.

1. Under sections $6,8,10,15,18$, and 44 of the original currency act ( 13 Stat. at Large, 101), respecting the location of banking associations, a national bank is to be regarded as located at the place specified in its organizationcertificate. If such place is in a State, the aissociation is located in that State. (Manufacturers' National Bank vs. Baack, 8 Blatchf., p. 137.)
Officers.
I. It is the duty of directors of a bank to use ordinary diligence in acquiring knowledge of its business. They cannot be heard, when sued, to say that they were not apprised of facts, the existence of which is shown by the books, accourts, and correspondence of the bark. They should control the sulbordinate officers of the bank in all important transactions. Therefore, under the cincumstances proved in this particular case, they were held liable for the alstraction and sale of special deposit by the latter. (United Society, fe., vs. Underwood, 9 Bush, Ky., p. 609.)
II. The cashier of a national bank, who had exeented no bond, embezzled its funds, discovery whereof might have been effected by use of slight diligence on the part of the directory. They, however, published, according to law, a statement of the condition of the bank, which showe that its affairs were being prodently and honestly administered, and from which the public had a right to believe that he was tiustworthy. Afterward, persons who had seen this report became sureties on the official bond of the cashier, and for his subsequent embezzlements were sought to be held liable thereon: Held, that such sureties, being misled by the statement; were released. They had a right to believe that the divectors, before publishing it, investigated the condition of the bank. (Graves vs. Lebanon National Bank, 10 Bush, Ky., p. 23.)
III. A guaranty againist loss for signing as sureties, given by a bank president, without authority from the directors, to those whom he had solicited thas to sign a note, given to the bank to retire a prior note held by it against their principal, is held to be the individual contract of the president, and not binding upon the bank. (First National Bank ws. Bennett, 33 Mich.; p. 520.)
IV. A cashier, who has made sale of corporate property, and holds a balanco in bis hands, is the agent of the board of directors, and not of the respective stockholders, and cannot be charged by an individual stockholder as holding such balance for his. benefit. (Brown vs. Adams, 5 Biss., p. 181.)
V. A caslier, without special authority, cannot bind his bank by an official indorsement of his individual note, and the onus is on the payee to show such authority. ( West Saint Lonis Savings Banle vs. Shawnee'Co. Bunk, 3 Dill, p. 403.)
VI. Although the cashier of a bank may, in the ordinary course of business, without the action of the directors, dispose of the negotiable securities of the bank, he has not the power to pledge its assets for the payment of an antecedent clebt. (State of Tennessee vs. Davis, 50 How. (N. Y.), p. 447.)
Recervers.
I. The receiver of anational bank is the instrument of the Comptroller, and may be removed by him. (Kennedy vs. Gibson, 8 Wall., $p$. 505 .)
II. Sucll receiver is the statutory assignee of the assets of the bank, and may sue to collect the same in his own name, or in the name of the bank, for his use. (Ilid., p. 506.)
III. In such suit it is not necessary to make the bank or creditors parties. (Ibid., p. 506.)
IV. The receiver of a national bank represents such bank and its creditors, but he in no sense represents the United States Government, and camot sulbject the government to the jurisdiction of any court. (Case vs. Tervill, 11 Wall., p. 199.)

## Receivers-Continued.

V. The decision of a receiver, rejecting a claim against his bank, is not final. Claimant may still sue. (Bank of Bethel vs. Pahquioque Bank, 14 Wall, p. 383.)
VI. The clause of section 50 , act of 1864, which prescribes that the receiver shall be "under the direction of the Comptroller," means only that he shall be subject to his direction, not that he shall not act without orders. He may and nust collect the assets. That is what he is appointed for. (Bradley, J., in Bank vs. Kennedy, 17 Wall., pp. 22-3.)
VII. Receivers of national banks are officers of the United States, within the meaning of the act of Congress of March 3, 1815, giving United States courts jurisdiction of actions by United States officers, and may sue in such courts. (Platt, rectiver', fc., vs. Beach, 2 Ben., p. 303.)
[Nome-The judge places stress upon the provision of section 31 of the act of 1864, which reguires (in that particular instance) that the Secretary of the Treasury shall concur in the appointment of the receiver.]
Set-orf.
I. In an action brought to enforce the individual liability of a shareholder of an insolvent bank, such shareholder cannot set off against such liability the amount due to him as a creditor of the bank. (Garrison vs. Howe, 17 N. Y., p. 458; In re Empire City Bank, 18 N. Y., p. 199.)
[NoTE.-Thongh these cases were decided by a State tribunal (New York court of appeats), and the rulings were based upon provisions of a State constitution and a State statute, yet the principle they eniunciate is recoguized and fully affirmed ins Sawyer vs. Hoag, 17 Wall., p. 610, and Sammon vs. Kimball, 2 Otto, p. 362.]
Shareholders, individual míbility of.
I. Comptroller must decide when and for what amonnt the personal liability of the shareholders of an insolvent mational bank shall be enforced. (Kennedy vs. Gibson, 8 Wall., $p$. 505.)
II. His decision as to this is conchasive. Shareholders camot controvert it. (Ibid., p. 505.)
III. In any suit brought to enforce such personal liability, such decision of the Comptroller mast be averred by the plaintiff, and, if put in issue, must be proved. (Ibid., p. 505.)
IV. The liability of shareholders is several, and not joint. (Ibid., p. 505.)

V The limit of snch liabilities is the par value of the stock held by each one. (Ibid., p. 505.)
VI. Where the whole amount is sought to be recovcred, the proceeding must be at law; where less is required the proceeding may be in equity, and in such case an interlocutory decree may be taken for contribntion, and the case may stand over for the further actiou of the court, if such action shonld subsequently prove to be necessary, until the full amount of the liability is exlyausted. (Ibid., p. 505.)

But in Bailey, receiver, fo., vs. First National Bunk Duluth, U. S. circuit court for Minnesota, Nelson, J., held that even where less than the par value was assessed the suit might be at law; and this would seem to be the true theory. Tide Bankers' Magazine, April 1877, p. 793.
VII. In such equity snit, all shareholders within the jurisdiction of the court should be made parties defendants; but it is no defense that those not within the juriscliction are not joined. (Ibid., p. 506.)
VIII. Suits to enforce personal liability of shareholders may properly be brought before other assets are exhansted. (Ibid., pp. 505-6.)

## Sharieholder, mabmity of transferees.

I. The transferee of shares, when such transfer is absolute on the books of the bank, is liable to creditors to the amonnt of such shares, although in fact he holds them as collateral security for a loan to the shareholder who transferred them. (Hale vs. Walker, 31 Iowa, p. 344.)
[Nore.-This also is a State court adjudication, but it is believed to be in harmony with the rulings of other high and eminent State tribunals upon the same question.] (Alderily vs. Storm, 6 Hill, p. 624, and Worrall vs. Johnson, 5 Barb., p. 210.)
[In the Bankers' Magazine for January, 1875, is a notice of the case of Mann, receiver, vs. Dr. Cheeseman, decided by Blatchford, J., in the United States circuit court, in New York, in which the judge held that until there was a transfer of shares on the books of the bank the shareholder whose name there appeared was liable for the debts of the bank; that an actual sale and the signing the ordinary power of attorney on the back of the certificate will notrelieve the

## Shareholder, liability of transferee-Continued.

seller. The learned judge also held that such shareholder could not question the action of the Comptroller as to the necessity of suing the shareholder.] (See also SET-off, supra.)

In the case of Bowden rs. Farmers and Merchants' National Bank of Baltimove, decided by Judge Giles in the United States circuit court, Maryland district, April, 1877, it was held that the defendant was liable, thongh the shares had originally been transferred to it as security for a loan, which loan had been paid, and though, upon such payment, defendant delivered the certificate of stock to the original owner, with a power of attomey authorizing lim to retransfer the stock to limself.

## SHARES OF STOCK.

I. A national bank whose certificates of stock specify that the shares are transferahle on the books of the bank on surrender of the certificates, and not othervise, and which suffers a shareholder to transfer without such surrender, is liable to a bona fide transferee, for value of same stock, who produces snch certificate with usual power of attorney to transfer; and this is so thongh no notice had been given to the bank of the transfer. (Bank vs. Lanier, 11 Wall., p. 369.)
II. Shares quasi negotiable. (.lbid., p. 369.)

## Taxation of shares.

I. The act of 1864, rightly construed, subjects the shares of the association in the hands of shareholders to taxation by the States, under certain limitations set forth in section 41, without regard to the fact that part or the whole of the capital of such association is invested in national securities which are declared by law exempt from State taxation. (Van Allen vs. Assessors, 3. Wall., p. 573.) (Chasc, C. J., and other judges clissented.)
II. Act thus construed is constitutional. (Ibid., p. 573.)
III. A certain statute of New York, which taxed shares of national-bank stock, deelared void, because shares of State banks were not taxed, although their capital was; the act of Congress preseribing that shares of national banks shall be taxed only as shares of State banks are. (Ibid., p. 573.)

The ruling as to taxing shares of stock reaffimed in Bradley vs. People, 4 Wall., p. 459; National Bank vs. Commonwealth, 9 Wall., p. 353.

In last case, held that a State law requiring the cashier to pay the tax was valid. Held, also, that a certain. State tax law virtually taxed "shares of moneyed corporations," \&e., (Ibid., p. 353.)
IV. Shares of stock in mational banks are personal property, and though in one sense incorporeal, the law which created them conld separate thens from the person of their owner, for taxation, and give them a situs of their own. (Tappan, collector, vs. Bank, 19 Wall., p. 490.)
V. Sec. 41 clid thus separate them and give them a situs of their own. (Ibid., p. 490.)
VI. This provision of the national-cmener act bccame a law of the property (in shares), and every State in which a bank was located acquired jurisdiction, for taxation, of all the shares, whether owned by residents or mon-residents, and power to legislate accordingly. (Ibid., p. 490.)
VII. Under the act of Congross of February 10, 1868, enacting that each State legislatnre may direct the manner of taxing all shares of stock of national bcunks located within the State, subject to the restriction that the taxation shall not be greater than the rate assessed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of such State, and of a certain act of the legislature of Penusylvania which provided that such slates shall be assessed for school, murnicipal, and local purposes at the same late as is now or may hereafter be assessed and imposed upon other moneyed capital in the hands of individual citizens of the State; held, that shares of national-bank stock may be valued for taxation, for connty, school, muvicipal, and loc̣al purposes, at an amount above their par value. (Hepburn vs. School Directors of the Borough of Carlisle, 23 Wall., p. 480.)
[Note.-In this case it appeared that Hepburn owned several thousand dollars of national-bank stock, the par value of which was $\$ 100$ per share, and that it was valned for taxation, for a school tax, at $\$ 1.50$ per share. This assessment was held valid, notwithstanding that by a certain act of the Státe legislature, applicable to the county of Cumberland, in which the borough of Carlisle was sitnated, certain specified kinds of moneyed obligations were exempt from taxation, except for State puposes.]
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Taxation of shares-Continued.
See also Saint Louis National Bank, National Bank of Missouri, Third Nationab Bank, Falley National Bank, and Merchants' National Bank of Saint Louis vs. Papin, in United States circuit court, eastern district of Missouri, September term, 1876. Also, Gallatin National Bank of New Yon:k vs. Commissioners of Taxes, supreme conrt of New York, first department, general term, November, 1876. These latter cases are published in the Bankers' Magazine for December, 1876.

## Taxation of interest and dividends.

I. Under the internal-revenue act of July, 1870, interest paid and dividends declared during the last five months of 1870 are tavable, as well as those declared during the year 1871. (Blake vs. National Banks, 23 Wall., p. 307.)

## License tax.

I. The District of Columbia imposed a license tax on all the national banks in the District, the rate being 50 cents amnally on each $\$ 1,000$ of the capital invested. The Citizens' National Bank refused to pay this assessment, and a test case was made in the District criminal court, Mr. Justice Mac Arthur presiding. This court, after full argument, held the tax illegal and void, as being contrary to the uode of taxation prescribed by Congress, which mode was held to be exclusive.

## Transpers of assets.

I. When binding. The receiver of a national bank cannot repudiate a pledge of its assets made by the bank for adyances to it, either on the ground that the pledge was not formally execnted, or that the transfer was void becanse not anthorized by the charter of the bank, so long as he retains, as assets, the advances, to secure repayment of which the pledge was given. (Casey vs. Le Societé de Credit Mobilier, 2 Wools, p. 77.)

A preference of onc creditor to another, within the meaning of section 5242, Revised Statutes, is a preference given by the bank to secure or pay a preexisting debt. Where a person, knowing that a national bank is cmbarrassed, makes to it a loan, taking as security therefor a pledge of part of the asséts of the bank, this transfer does not give him the preference prohibited by the statute. (Ibid.)
II. When not binding. Under said section 5242, which declares void transfers of its property by a national bank, made in contemplation of insolvency, and with a view to give a preference to one creditor over another, or with a view to prevent the application of the assets of the bank in the manner prescribed by law, such a transfer is void if the insolvency is in the contemplation of the bunk making the transfer, although the party to whom it is made does not know or contemplate the insolvency of the baik. (Case, receiver, vs. Citizens' Bank, 2 Woods, p.23.)
Ultra vimes, what is.
I. National banks cannot sell railroad honds for third parties on commission, or engage in business of that character. (Susan Welcher vs, First National Bank of Hayerstown, Court of Appeals of Maryland, 43 Md., p. 581.)
II. In an action of deceit against a national bank, for alleged false representations of its teller in the sale to plaintiff of certain railroad bonds:
Held, That the selling of such bouds on commission was not within the anthorized business of a national bank, and being thus beyond the scope of its corporate powers, the defense of ultra vines was open to it, and it was not responsible for the deceit of its teller. ( Ibid.)
III. The national-bank act confers no power on a national bank to take a deed of trust of real estate as security for a contemporaneous loan; and such bank has no power not conferred by Congress. A sale under such a deed enjoined. (Mathews vs. Shinner, 62 Mo., p. 329. See also Deposits, special, I, II, III, IV.)

## Ulita vires, what is not.

IV. A national bank took a lien upon real estate to secure a pre-existing debt. Afterward, the bank paid $\$ 500$ to discharge a prior lien upou the land, taking a note and mortgage on land in Kansas to secure this advance. Lien and mortgage held valid and warrauted by law. (Orum ve. National Bunk, 16 Kans., p.341.)
V. A chattel mortgage taken by a national bank to secure a pre-existing debt is valid, aud will be euforced. . (Spofford vs. First National Bank, 37 Iowi, p. 181.)

## Usury.

I. State laws relative to usury do not apply to national banks. (Farmers and Mechanics' National Bank vs. Dearing, 1 Otto, p. 29.)
II. The only forfeiture declared by the 30th section of the act of June 3, 1864 (Revised Statates, section 5198), is of the entire interest which the note or bill carries with it, or which has been agreed to be paid thereon, when the rate knowingly received, reserved, or charged by a national bank is in excess of that allowed by that section; and no loss of the entire debt is incurred by such bank, as a penalty or otherwise, by reason of the provision of the usury law of a State. (Ibid.)

To same effect are National Exchange Bank vs. Moore, 2 Bond, p. 170, and several State decisions.
(The New York court of appeals had decided the other way.)

## APPENDIX.

In concluding, the Comptroller deems it but just that he should gratefully acknowledge the zealous and efficient co-operation of the officers and clerks associated with him in the performance of official duties. JOHN JAY KNOX, Comptroller of the Currency.

## Hon. Samuel J. Randall,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

## APPENDIX.

Names and compensation of officers and clerks in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency.


## Names and compensation of officers and clerks, $\mathcal{f} c$.-Continued.



Expenses of the office of the Comptroller of the Curvency for the fiscal year ending June $30,1878$.
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The contingent expenses of the office are not paid by the Comptroller, bat from the general appropriation for contingent expenses of tho Treasury Department; and, as separate accounts are not kept for the different bureats, the amount canuot be stated.

Amount andrale of taxation (Dnited States and State) of the national banks for the year 1867.

| States and Territories. | Capital stock. | Amownt of taxes. |  |  | Rate of taxation. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | United States. | State. | Total. | United States. | State. | Total. |
|  |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Pr.ct. | Pr.ct. |
| Maino | \$0, 085, 000 | \$180, 119 | \$141; 226 | \$321, 345 | 2. 0 | 1.5 | 3.5 |
| New Hampshice | 4,735, 000 | 88, 773 | 93, 179 | 181, 952 | 1.9 | 1.9 | 3. 8 |
| Vermont.. | 6,510,012 | 122, 214 | 144, 164 | 266, 377 | 1.9 | 2.2 | 4.1. |
| Massachusetts | 79, 932, 000 | 1, 616, 825 | 1, 562, 128 | 3, 178, 953 | 2.0 | 2.0 | 4.0 |
| Rhode Island | 20, 364, 800 | 324, 844 | 195, 355 | 520, 200 | 1. 5 | 1.0 | 2.5 |
| Connecticut | $24,584,220$ | 434, 440 | 387, 146 | 821, 587 | 1.7 | 1.6 | 3. 3 |
| New York | 116, 494, 941 | 3, 022, 662 | 4,058,706 | 7, 081, 368 | 2.6 | 3.5 | 6. 1 |
| New Jerscy | 11, 333, 350 | 253, 359 | 223, 106 | 476, 465 | 2.2 | 2.0 | 4.2 |
| Pennsylvania | 50, 277, 795 | 1, 242, 037 | 278, 268 | 1,520,305 | 2.5 | 0.5 | 3. 0 |
| Delaware | 1, 428, 185 | 32, 621 | 1,261 | 33, 881 | 2.3 | 0.1 | 2.4 |
| Maryland | 12, 590, 203 | 260, 261 | 166, 054 | 426, 315 | 2.1 | 1. 3 | 3.4 |
| District of Colu | 1,350, 000 | 15, 330 | 3, 286 | '18, 615 | 1. 3 | 0.3 | 1.6 |
| Virginia | 2,500,000 | 48,345 | 13, 926 | 62,270 | 1.9 | 0.6 | 2.5 |
| West Virginia | 2, 216, 400 | 46,966 | 51, 457 | 98,424 | 2.1 | 2.3 | 4.4 |
| North Carolina | 583, 300 | 9,049 | 5, 144 | 14, 193 | 1. 5 | 0.9 | 2.4 |
| Georgia. | 1, 700, 000 | 40,845 | 6,050 | 46, 895 | 2.5 | 0.4 | 2.9 |
| Alabama | 500, 000 | 8; 763 | 3,830 | 12,592 | 1. 7 | 1.0 | 2.7 |
| Louisiana | 1, 300, 000 | 35,894 | 20,042 | 55, 936 | 2.8 | 1. 5 | 4.3 |
| Texas | 576, 450 | 6,865 | 2,149 | .9,015 | 1. 2 | 0.4 | 1.6 |
| Arkansas | 200, 000 | 5,745 | 1,351 | 7,096 | 2.9 | 0.7 | 3.6 |
| Kentucky | 2, 885,000 | 59,816 | 17, 467 | 77, 283 | 2. 1 | 0.6 | 2.7 |
| Tennessee | 2, 100, 000 | 52, 460 | 27, 975 | 80, 435 | 2.7 | 1. 4 | 4.1 |
| Ohio | 22, 404, 700 | 514, 681 | $\cdot 520,951$ | 1, 035, 633 | 2.3 | 2. 3 | 4.6 |
| Indiana | 12, 867, 000 | 278, 798 | 200, 372 | 479, 170 | 2.2 | 1. 5 | 3. 7 |
| Inlinois | 11, 620, 000 | 321, 406 | 231, 917 | 553, 323 | 2.8 | 2. 0 | 4.8 |
| Michigan | 5,070,010 | 111, 790 | 68, 061 | 179, 851 | 2.2 | 1. 3 | 3. 5 |
| Wisconsin | 2,935, 000 | 76,583 | 62, 012 | 138,595 | 2.6 | 2.1 | 4.7 |
| Iowa. | $3,992,000$ | 106, 349 | 88, 281 | 194, 631 | 2.7 | 2.2 | 4.9 |
| Minnesota | 1,660, 000 | 39, 132 | 29,522 | - 68,655 | 2. 0 | 1. 3 | 3.3 |
| Missouri | 7, 559,300 | 133, 142 | 189, 248 | 322, 389 | 1. 4 | 2. 0 | 3.4 |
| Kansas | 400, 000 | 10, 229 | 7,801 | 18, 030 | 2.5 | 2. 0 | 4.5 |
| Nebraska | 250, 000 | 10,735 | 7,014 | 17,749 | 4.3 | 2.8 | 7.1 |
| Oregon | 100, 000 | 1, 624 |  | 1,624 | 2.4 |  | 2.4 |
| Colorado | 350, 000 | 9,702 | 1,615 | 11; 317 | 2.8 | 0.4 | 3.2 |
| Utah | 150, 000 | 1, 887 | 1,097 | 2;984 | 1. 3 | 0.7 | 2.0 |
| Idaho. | 100,000 | 479 | 1, 405 | 1; $884-$ | 0.5 | 1.4 | 1.9 |
| Montana. | 100, 000 | 837 | 560 | 1, 397 | 0.8 | 0.6 | 1.4 |
| Total | 422, 804, 666 | 9, 525, 607 | 8,813, 126 | 18, 338, 734 | 2.2 | 2.1 | $4 . .3$ |

Amount and rate of taxation (United States and State) of the national banks for the year 1869.

| - States and Territovies. | Capital stock. | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Rate of taxation. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | UnitedStates. | State. | 'Total. | Cnited States. | State. | Total. |
|  |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Perct | Perct. |
| Maine | \$9, 185, 000 | \$191, 779 | \$164, 1.50 | \$355, 929 | 2.1 | 1.8 | 3.9 |
| New Hampshire | 4, 835, 000 | 97, 245 | 102, 812 | 200, 057 | 2.0 | 2.1 | 4. 1 |
| Vermont. | 6, 385, 012 | 129,059 | 117, 107 | 246, 166 | 2.0 | 1. 8 | 3. 8 |
| Massachusetts | 81, 282, 000 | 1, 691, 620 | 1, 329, 01.8 | 3, 020,638 | 2.1 | 1. 6 | 3. 7 |
| Rhode Island | $20,164,800$ | 344, 687 | 175,466 | 520, 153 | 1.7 | 0.9 | 2.6 |
| Connecticut | 24, 606, 820 | 476, 244 | 366, 457 | 842, 701 | 1.9 | 1. 5 | 3. 4 |
| New Youk | 112, 267, 841 | 2, 958, 089 | 2,980, 104 | 5, 938, 193 | 2.6 | 2.7 | 5.3 |
| New Jersey | 11, 465, 350 | 279,410 | 200, 121 | 479, 531 | 2.4 | 1.8 | 4. 2 |
| Pennsylvania | 49,500, 390 | 1, 312, 419 | 266, 1.80 | 1, 578, 605 | 2.7 | 0.5 | 3. 2 |
| Delaware | 1, 428, 185 | -30, 907 | 3,265 | 34, 172 | 2.2 | 0.2 | 2. 4 |
| Maryland | 12,790, 203 | 277, 590 | 147, $8 \mathbf{5} 4$ | 425, 444 | 2.2 | 1.1 | 3.3 |
| District of Columhia | 1,050, 000 | 23, 814 | 1, 850 | 25, 664 | 2.2 | 0.2 | 2. 4 |
| Virginia | 2, 221, 860 | 59, 281 | 8,882 | 68, 163 | 2.7 | 0.4 | 3. 1 |
| West Virginia | 2,116, 400 | 51, 979 | 37, 053 | 89, 032 | 2.3 | 1.7 | 4. 0 |
| North Caroliza | 683, 400 | 15,712 | 2,455 | 18, 1.67 | 2.3 | 0.4 | 2. 7 |
| South Carolina | 823,500 | 19,763 | - 7,952 | 27, 715 | 2.4 | 1.0 | 3. 4 |
| Georgia. | 1, 500,000 | 45, 824 | 8, 254 | 54, 078 | 3.0 | 0.6 | 3. 6 |
| Alabama. | 400, 000 | 5, 926 | 490 | 6, 416 | 1. 5 | 0.1 | 1. 6 |
| Louisiana | 1, 300, 000 | 27, 455 | 7,107 | 34, 562 | 2.1 | 0.6 | 2. 7 |
| Texas. | 525, 000 | 11, 184 | 4,375 | 1.5, 559 | 2.2 | 0.8 | 3. 0 |
| Arkansas | 200, 000 | 4,284 | 6,998 | 11, 282 | 2.1 | 3.5 | 5. 6 |
| Kentucky | 2, 835, 000 | 62,836 | 10,236 | 73,072 | 2.2 | 0.4 | 2. 6 |
| Tennessee | 1,987, 400 | 47, 164 | 6,570 | 53,734 | 2.4 | 0.3 | 2.7 |
| Ohio | 21, 917, 399 | 635, 935 | 573,576 | 1, 209, 511 | 2.9 | 2.6 | 5.5 |
| Indiana | 12, 752, 000 | 298, 336 | 218, 888 | 5.17, 224 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 4. 1 |
| Illinois. | 12, 370, 000 | 369, 742 | 217, 652 | 587,304 | 3.0 | 1.8 | 4. 8 |
| Michigan | 5,510,000 | 143, 649 | 34, 384 | 178, 033 | 2.6 | 0.6 | 3. 2 |
| Wisconsin | 2, 710,000 | 80,963 | 50, 663 | 131, 626 | 3.0 | 1.9 | 4.9 |
| Iowa. | 3, 717, 000 | 122,162 | 53, 621 | 175, 783 | 3.3 | 1. 4 | 4. 7 |
| Minuesote | 1,770, 000 | 45, 223 | 29,873 | 75, 096 | 2.5 | 1.7 | 4. 2 |
| Missozur | 7, 810, 300 | 171, 198 | 120, 720 | 291, 918 | 2.2 | 1.5 | 3. 7 |
| Kansas | 400, 000 | 17, 443 | 16,009 | 33, 452 | 4.4 | 4. 0 | 8.4 |
| Nebraska | 400, 000 | 14, 593 | 10,838 | 25,431 | 3.7 | 2.7 | 6. 4 |
| Oregon. | 100, 000 | 2,917 |  | 2,917 | 2.9 |  | 2. 9 |
| Colorado | 350, 000 | 11,902 | 11, 286 | 23, 188 | 3.4 | 3.2 | 6. 6 |
| Idalo | 100, 000 | 1,179 | 2,541 | 3,720 | 1.2 | 2.5 | 3.7 |
| Montana | 100, 000 | 1,731 | 2,283 | 4,014 | 1.7 | 2.3 | 4. 0 |
| Totals: | 419, 619, 860 | 10, 081, 244 | 7, 297, 096 | 17,378,340 | 2.4 | 1.7 | 4.1 |

Amonnt and rate of taxation (United States and State) of the national banks for the year 1874.

| States and Territories. | Capital stock. | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Rate of taxation. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | UnitedStates. | State. | Total. | United States. | State. | Total. |
|  |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Perct. | Perct. |
| Maine | \$9, 654, 019 | \$111, 403 | \$192, 290 | \$303, 693 | 1.2 | 2.0 | 3. 2 |
| New Hampshịre | 5,317, 037 | 60, 002 | 106,587 | 166,589 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 3. 2 |
| Vermont. . | 7, 862,712 | 88, 152 | 139, 297 | 227, 449 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 2. 9 |
| Massachusetts | 91, 754, 078 | 1,168; 858 | 1, 878, 368 | 3, 042, 226 | 1.3 | 2.1 | 3. 4 |
| Rhode Island | $20,504,800$ | 201, 317 | 224,540 | 425, 857 | 1.0 | 1.1 | 2. 1 |
| Connecticat | 25, 424, 620 | 271, 801 | 439, 402 | 711, 203 | 1.1 | 1.8 | 2. 9 |
| New York | 106, 599, 708 | 2, 026, 960 | 3, 044, 565 | 5, 071, 525 | 1. 9 | 2.9 | 4. 8 |
| New Jersey | 13, 830, 466 | 205, 451 | 282, 645 | 488, 096 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 3. 6 |
| Pennsylvani | 53, 178, 261 | 871, 220 | 377, 546 | 1,248, 766 | 1.6 | 0.7 | 2.3 |
| Delaware | 1, 523,185. | 20,798 | 6, 630 | 27,428 | 1.4 | 0.4 | 1. 8 |
| Maryland | 13, 720,997 | 181, 249 | 194, 697 | 375; 946 | 1.3 | 1.5 | 2. 8 |
| District of Columbia | 1, 309, 512 | 19,747 | 5, 288 | 25; 035 | 1.5 | 0.4 | 1.9 |
| Virginia | 3, 580, 913 | 54, 957 | 52, 207 . | 107, 164 | 1. 5 | 1.6 | 3.1 |
| West Virginia | 2,375, 216 | 33, 484 - | 34, 507 | 67, 991 | 1.4 | 1.8 | 3.2 |
| North Carolina | 2, 173, 338 | 30,837 | 38, 601 | 69;438. | 1.4 | 1.9 | 3.3 |
| South Carolina. | 3,156, 250 | 34; 421 | 111, 654 | 146, 075 | 1.1 | 3.6 | 4. 7 |
| Georgia. | 2,843, 962 | 31, 656 | 53,872 | 85, 528 | 1.1 | 1.9 | 3.0 |
| Alabama. | 1, 634, 883 | 18, 746 | 25,289 | 44; 035 | 1.2 | 1.7 | 2.9 |
| Louisiana | 4,000, 000 | 61,642 | 52,270 | 113, 912- | 1.5 | 1.4: | 2.9 |
| Texas. | 1, 054, 897 | 14, 384 | 22, 863 | 37, $247 \cdot$ | 1. 4 | 2.3 | 3.7 |
| Arkansas | 205,000 | 2, 488 | 8,030 | 10, 518 | 1. 2 | 3.9 | 5.1 |
| Kentucky | 9, 076, 127 | 103, 635 | 47,655 | 151, 290 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 1. 6 |
| Tennessee | 3, 457, 897 | 50, 290 | 70,844 | 121; 134 | 1. 5 | 2.2 | 3.7 |
| Ohio | 29, 112, 642 | 403,697 | 642, 054 | 1,045, 751 - | 1. 4 | 2.2 | 3.6 |
| Indiana | 17, 936, 404 | 214, 977 | 429,585 | 644; 562 | 1.2 | 2.6 | 3. 8 |
| Illinois | 20,507, 963 | 367, 718 | 420, 461 | 788, 179 | 1. 8 | 2.2 | 4. 0 |
| Michigan | 10, 098, 162 | 134, 052 | 149,720 | 283, 772 | 1. 3 | 1.5 | 2. 8 |
| Wisconsin | 3, 704, 032 | 67, 485: | 76,330 | 143, 815 | 1.8. | 2.3 | 4. 1 |
| Iowa. | $6,048,562$ | 98, 421 | 117, 115 | 215, 536 | 1. 6 | 2.1: | 3. 7 |
| Minnesota | 4, 268, 026 | 63,224 | 76,876 | 140, 100 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 3. 5 |
| Missouri | 9, 308, 198 | 112, 525 : | 190; 140 | 302; 665 | 1. 2 | 2.1 | 3.3 |
| Kansas | 1,783, 235 | 26,182 | 41, 867 | 68, 049 | 1. 5 | 3.3 | 4. 8 |
| Nebraska | 1, 025, 000 | 20, 883 | 34,282 | $55 ; 165$ | 2.0 | 3.3 | 5.3 |
| Oregon | 250, 000 | 5, 808 | 3,488 | 9, 296 | 2.3 | 1.4 | 3.7 |
| California | 3, 358, 594 | 46,044 |  | 46, 044 . | 1. 4 |  | 1. 4 |
| Colorado | 748,581 | 16,983 | 10,750 | 27, 733 | 2.3 | 2.1 | 4. 4 |
| Utah | 439, 402 | 5,387. | 4,137 | 9; 524- | 1.2 | 1.4 | 3.6 |
| New Mexico | 300, 000 | 3,718 | 3,150 | 6,868. | 1.2 | 1.1 | 2. 3 |
| Wyoming | 125, 000 | 1,697 | 1,180 | 2; 877 | 1.4 | 2.5 | 3.9 |
| Idaho | 100, 000 | 1, 393 | 129 | 1; 522 | 1. 4 | 0.1 | 1.5 |
| Dȧkota | 50, 000 | 614 | 1, 225 | 1,839 | 1. 2 | 2.5 | 3.7 |
| Montana | 350, 000 | 6, 777 | 8, 190 | 14,967. | 1. 9 | 2.3 | 4.2 |
| Totals. | *493, 751, 679 | 7, 256, 083: | 9,620, 326 | 16,876, 409 . | 1.5 | 2.0 | 3. 5 |

* Incliding capital of banks from which returns of the amount of State taxation were not received.

Amount and rate of taxation (United States and State) of the national banks for the year 1875.

| States and Territories. | Capital. | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Ratios to capital. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | United States. | State. | Total. | United States. | State. | Total. |
|  |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Per ct. | Per ct. |
| Maine | \$9, 790, 104 | \$112, 652. | \$215, 981 | \$328, 633 | 1.2 | 2.2 | 3.4 |
| New Hampshire | 5, 482, 514 | 61, 006 | 103, 949 | 164, 955 | 1.1 | 1. 9 | 3. 0 |
| Vermont. | 8,216, 467 | 89,360 | 169, 044 | 258,404 | 1. 1 | 2. 2 | 3. 3 |
| Massachusett | 43, 063, 374 | 491, 157 | 865, 198 | 1,356, 355 | 1.1 | - 2.0 | 3.1 |
| Boston | 51, 362, 454 | 703,218 | 957, 283 | 1, 660, 501 | 1.4 | 1. 9 | 3.3 |
| Rhode Island | 20, 548, 433 | 201, 639 | 269, 402 | 471, 041 | 1. 0 | 1.3 | 2.3 |
| Connecticut | 25, 852, 987 | 277, 984 | 435, 680 | 713, 664 | 1. 1 | 1. 7 | 2. 8 |
| New York | 35, 471, 333 | 529, 804 | 962, 982 | 1, 492, 786 | 1.5 | 2. 7 | 4. 2 |
| New York City | 68, 466, 576 | 1,376, 541 | 2, 093, 143 | 3, 469, 684 | 2.0 | 3.1 | 5.1 |
| Albany ........ | 2, 088, 462 | 62, 215 | 71, 740 | 138,955 | 3.0 | 3.6 | 6. 6 |
| New Jersey | 14, 072, 520 | 208,559 | 300, 894 | 509, 453 | 1.5 | 2. 1 | 3.6 |
| Pennsylvania | 29, 655, 994 | 4.10, 928 | 175, 059 | 585, 987 | 1.4 | 0.6 | 2. 0 |
| Philadelphia | 17, 019, 239 | 346, 950 | 128, 996 | 475, 946 | 2.0 | 0.8 | 2.8 |
| Pittsburgh | 10, 059, 041 | 141,545 | 56, 246 | 197, 791. | 1.4. | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Delaware | 1, 523, 185 | 22, 025 | 7, 952 | 29,977 | 1.5 | 0.5 | 2. 0 |
| Maryland | 2, 268, 238 | 30, 468 | - 31, 355 | 61, 823 | 1.3 | 1. 4 | 2. 7 |
| Baltimore | 11, 469,355 | 150, 003 | 230, 368 | 380, 371 | 1.3 | 2. 0 | 3.3 |
| District of Columbia | - 252,000 | 4, 555 | 262 | 4, 817 | 1.8 | 0,1 | 1.9 |
| Washington | 1, 239, 564 | 16,905 | 3,462 | 20,367 | 1. 4 | - 0, 3 | 1. 7 |
| Virginia | 3, 535, 719 | 54, 132 | 70,710 | 124, 842 | 1. 5 | - 2.0 | 3.5 |
| West Virginia | 1, 971, 000 | 25,775 | '30, 102 | 55, 877 | 1. 3 | 1.7 | 3.0 |
| North Carolina | 2, 232, 150 | 31, 406 | 34, 584 | 65,990 | 1.4 | 1. 6 | 3. 0 |
| South Carolina. | 3, 135, 000 | 34, 747 | 106, 760 | 141,507 | 1.1 | 3,4. | 4.5 |
| Georgia | 2, 716, 974 | 29,023 | 45,790 | 74,813 | 1. 1. | 1. 6 | 2. 7 |
| Florida | 50, 000 | 854 | 1, 056 | 1,910 | 1.7 | 2. 1 | 3.8 |
| Alabama. | 1,638, 866 | 18,865 | 22, 204 | 41, 069 | 1.2 | 1.4 | 2.6 |
| New Or | 3, 766, 667 | 59,314 | 9,870 | 69, 184 | 1.6 | 0.3 | 1.9 |
| Texas | 1, 205, 350 | 15,819 | 20,844 | 36, 663 | 1.3 | 1. 7 | 3.0 |
| Arkansas | 205, 000 | 1, 983 | 3,288 | 5, 271 | 1. 0 | 1. 6 | 2. 6 |
| Tennessee | 3, 468, 992 | 47,341 | 78,427 | 125, 768 | 1.4 | 2.3 | 3.7 |
| Kentucky | 7, 201, 765 | 80, 777 | 36, 311 | 117,088 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 1.6 |
| Lonisville | 3,358, 000 | 45, 012 | 16,290 | 61, 302 | 1.3 | 0.5 | 1.8 |
| Ohio | 21, 110, 393 | 292,900 | 507, 231 | 800, 131 | 1.4 | 2. 4 | 3. 8 |
| Cincinnati | 4,000, 000 | 80, 198 | 105, 199 | 185, 397 | 2. 0 | 2. 6 | 4. 6 |
| Cleveland | 4, 5500,000 | 51, 011 | 104, 872 | 155, 883 | 1. 1 | 2. 3 | $\cdot 3.4$ |
| Indiana | 18,588, 189 | 229,606 | 470, 836 | 700, 442 | 1.2 | 2. 6 | 3.8 |
| Illinois | 11, 873, 363 | 186, 188 | 271, 636 | 457, 824 | 1. 6 | 2.3 | 3.9 |
| Chicago | 7, 673, 757 | 173, 506 | 188, 524 | 362, 030 | 2.3 | 2. 5 | 4. 8 |
| Michigan | 8, 568, 270 | 105, 676 | 146, 993 | 252, 669 | 1. 2 | 1. 7 | 2. 9 |
| $\cdots$ Detroit | 1,900, 000 | 33,331 | 24; 744 | 58, 075 | 1.8 | 1.3 | 3.1 |
| Wisconsin | 2, 974, 651 | 47,584 | 55, 156 | 102, 740 | 1. 6 | 1. 9 | 3. 5 |
| Milwaukee | 700,000 | 16, 263 | 19,229 | 35; 492 | 2.3 | 3. 0 | 5. 3 |
| Minnesota | 4, 391, 068 | 60,781 | 93,736 | 154, 517. | 1.4 | 2.3 | 3.7 |
| Iowa. | 6,416, 607 | 104, 667 | 126, 088 | 230, 755 | 1. 6 | 2. 0 | 3. 6 |
| Missonri | 2, 742, 199 | 36,361 | 93,467 | 129, 828 | 1. 3 | 3.5 | 4.8 |
| - Saint Louis | 6, 360, 300 | 75, 135 | 177, 464 | 253, 599 | 1. 2 | 2. 8 | 4. 0 |
| Kansas | 1,588, 821 | 22, 901 | 45,548 | 68, 449 | 1. 4 | 3. 2 | 4. 6 |
| Nelorask | 994,758 | 22, 277 | 21, 689 | 43, 966 | 2.2 | 2.3 | 4.5 |
| Oregon | 250, 000 | 5, 654 | 3,037 | 8, 691 | 2. 3 | 1.2 | 3.5 |
| California. | 1, 552, 622 | 17, 186 |  | 17, 186 | 1.1 |  |  |
| San Erancisco | 2, 917, 112 | 35, 780 |  | 35, 780 | 1.2 |  |  |
| New Mexico | 300, 000 | 4,228 | 3,250 | 7,478 | 1.4 | 1. 1 | 2.5 |
| Colorado | 923, 478 | 18,997 | 25,714 | 44, 711 | 2.1 | 3.3 | 5.4 |
| Utah | 300, 000 | 3,472 | 2,550 | 6, 022 | 1.2 | 1. 3 | 2.5 |
| Idaho | 100, 000 | 1, 429 | 2,367 | 3, 796 | 1.4 | 2.4 | 3.8 |
| Montana. | 350, 000 | 7,047 | - 9,137 | 16, 184 | 2.0 | 2.6 | 4. 6 |
| Wroming | 125, 000 | 2,049 | 3,523 | 5,572 | 1. 6 | 2.8 | 4.4 |
| Dakota | 50, 000 | 742 | 900 | 1,642 | 1.5 | 1.8 | 3.3 |
| Totals. | 503, 687, 911 | 7, 317,531 | 10, 058, $122^{\circ}$ | 17, 375, 653 | 1.5 | 2.0 | 3.5 |

Amount and rate of taxation (United States and State) of the national banks for the year 1876.

| States and Territories. | Capital.* | Amount of taxes. |  |  | Ratios to capital. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | United States. | State. | Total. | United States. | State. | Total. |
|  |  |  |  |  | Per ct. | Per ct. | Por ct. |
| Maine | \$10, 635, 819 | \$115, 272 | \$237, 792 | \$353, 064 | 1. 1 | 2. 2 | 3.3 |
| New Hamps | 5, 615, 000 | 62, 627 | 97, 255 | 159, 882 | 1.1 | 1.7 | 2. 8 |
| Vermont... | -8,722,369 | 91, 777 | 179, 876 | 271, 653 | 1.1 | 2.1 | 3. 2 |
| Massachusetts | 44, 299,557 | 497, 228 | 825, 685 | 1, 322, 913 | 1. 1 | 1. 9 | 3. 0 |
| Boston | 52, 200,000 | 704, 655 | 855, 446 | 1, 560, 101 | 1. 4 | 1. 6 | 3. 0 |
| Rhode Island | 20, 579, 800 | 200, 420 | 279, 765 | -480, 185 | 1. 0 | 1. 3 | 2. 3 |
| Connecticut | 26, 015, 834 | 275, 991 | 438,989 | 714, 980 | 1.0 | 1. 7 | 2.7 |
| New York | 35, 326, 077 | 512,233 | 826, 929 | 1, 339, 162 | 1.5 | 2. 4 | 3.9 |
| New York City | 66, 607, 325 | 1, 278,956 | $\stackrel{2}{2}, 197,681$ | 3, 476, 637 | 1. 9 | 3.5 | 5. 4 |
| Albany -....... | 2, 000, 000 | 63, 650 | 67, 972 | 131, 622 | $3 . .2$ | 3.4 | 6. 6 |
| New Jersey | 14, 238, 634 | 204, 512 | 292, 024 | 496, 536 | 1. 4 | 2.1 | 3.5 |
| Pennsylvania | 29, 354, 981 | 417,324 | 182, 003 | 599, 327 | 1. 4 | 0.6 | 2. 0 |
| Philadelphia | 17, 189, 489 | 356, 204 | 119, 655 | 475, 859 | 2. 1 | 0.7 | 2.8 |
| Pittsburgh | 10, 531, 592 | 142, 232 | 56, 620 | 198, 852 | 1. 4 | 0.5 | 1.9 |
| Delaware | 1, 571, 730 | 22,030 | 6, 900 | 28, 930 | 1. 4 | 0.4 | 1. 8 |
| Marcland | 2, 299, 960 | 31, 280 | 28, 046 | 59,326 | 1. 4 | 1.3 | 2. 7 |
| Baltimore | 11, 491, 985 | 142, 102 | 229, 484 | 371, 586 | 1. 2 | 2. 0 | 3. 2 |
| District of Columbia | 252,000 | 4,478 | 3, 906 | 8,384 | 1. 8 | 1. 2 | 3. 0 |
| Washington | 1, 300, 000 | 15,246 | 14,096 | 29,342 | 1. 2 | 1. 1 | 2. 3 |
| Virginia....... | 3, 339,307 | 51, 297 | 71, 827 | 123, 124 | 1.5 | 2.1 | 3. 6 |
| West Virginia | 1, 746, 000 | 21, 783 | 28,878 | - 50,661 | 1. 2 | 1. 7 | 2. 9 |
| North Carolina | 2, 499,499 | 31, 021 | 39,933 | 70,954 | 1. 2 | 1. 6 | 2.8 |
| South Carolina | 3, 172,500 | 31, 793 | 84, 863 | 116, 656 | 1. 0 | 2.7 | 3. 7 |
| Georgia. | 2, 504, 317 | 26, 265 | 41,764 | 68,029 | 1. 0 | 2.0 | 3. 0 |
| Florida | 50, 000 | 941 | 948 | 1, 889 | 1. 9 | 1.9 | 3. 8 |
| Alabana | 1,690, 412 | 19, 184 | 16, 888 | 36,072 | 1. 1 | 1.0 | 2. 1 |
| New Orleans. | 3,436,786 | 53, 388 | 6,534 | 59,922 | 1. 6 | 0.2 | 1. 8 |
| Texas.. | 1, 038, 782 | 14, 518 | 19,057 | 33,575 | 1. 4 | 1. 9 | 3.3 |
| Arkansas | 205, 000 | 2, 055 | 2, 830 | 4,885 | 1. 0 | 1.4 | 2. 4 |
| Kentucky | 7, 259, 641 | 79, 609 | 32,587 | 112, 196 | 1.1 | 0.5 | 1. 6 |
| Louisvi | $3,095,500$ | 42, 676 | 14,576 | 57, 252 | 1. 4 | 0.5 | 1. 9 |
| Temnessee | 3, 401, 449 | 49,251 | 70,479 | 119, 730 | 1. 4 | 2. 1 | 3.5 |
| Ohio | 20, 757,903 | 274, 814 | 559, 498 | 834, 312 | 1. 3 | 2.8 | 4. 1 |
| Cincinuati | 4, 373, 680 | 74, 720 | 128, 087 | 202, 807 | 1.7 | 2. 9 | 4. 6 |
| Cleveland | 4, 550, 000 | 49, 454 | 114, 072 | 163, 526 | 1. 1 | 2.5 | 3. 6 |
| Indiana | 17, 781, 910 | 210,769 | 424, 904 | 635, 673 | 1. 2 | 2.5 | 3. 7 |
| Illinois | 11, 728, 823 | 173, 495 | 231, 693 | 405,188 | 1. 5 | 2. 0 | 3. 5 |
| Chieago | 6,950, 123 | 154, 246 | 200, 866 | 355, 112 | 2.2 | 3.0 | 5. 2 |
| Michigan | $8,238,899$ | 100, 414 | 128, 446 | 228, 860 | 1. 2 | 1. 6 | 2.8 |
| Detroit | 1,900, 000 | 31, 078 | 28,633 | 59, 711 | 1.6 | 1.5 | 3. 1 |
| Wisconsin | 2,827, 322 | 43, 783 | 53,499 | 97, 282 | 1.5 | 1.9 | 3.4 |
| Milwaukee | 650, 000 | 14, 207 | 18,606 | 32, 813 | 2.2 | 2.9 | 5. 1 |
| Iowa........... | 6, 430, 308. | 91, 667 | 122, 519 | 214, 186 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 3.4 |
| Minnesota | 4, 455, 478 | 60, 336 | 86,923 | 147, 259 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 3.4 |
| Missouri. | 2, 574, 000 | 35, 824 | 53,580 | 89, 404 | 1.4 | 2. 2 | 3. 6 |
| - Saint Louis | 5, 742, 596 | 73,344 | 76,071 | 149,415 | 1. 3 | 2. 6 | 3. 9 |
| Kansas | 1, 369, 167 | 20,722 | 34,518 | 55, 240 | 1.5 | 3.0 | 4.5 |
| Nebraska | 975, 000 | 21,839 | 23,274 | 45, 113 | 2.2 | 2.5 | 4. 7 |
| Oregon | 237, 500 | 6,319 | 2, 550 | 8, 869 | 2. 7 | 1. 0 | 3. 7 |
| Californiat | 1,700, 000 | 17,484 | 3,463 | 20,947 | 1.0 | 0.2 | 1. 2 |
| San Franciscot | 2,875, 000. | 23,526 | 705 | 24,231 | 0.8 |  | 0.8 |
| New Mexico | 300, 000 | 3,976 | 3,513 | 7, 489 | 1.3 | 1. 2 | 2.5 |
| Colorado | 824, 025 | 18,276 | 16,465 | 34, 741 | 2.2 | 2.2 | 4.4 |
| Utah | 250, 000 | - 2, 840 | 2, 625 | 5,465 | 1. 1 | 1. 3 | 2.4 |
| Idaho | 100, 000 | 1, 278 | 2, 370 | 3, 648 | 1.3 | 2.4 | 3.7 |
| Montana | 350, 000 | 6,811 | 9,561 | 16, 372 | 1.9 | 2.7 | 4.6 |
| W yoming | 125, 000 | 1, 976 | 3,367 | 5,343 | 1.6 | 2.7 | 4. 3 |
| Dakota | 50, 000 | 891 | 636 | 1,527 | 1.8 | 1. 3 | 3.1 |
| Total | 501, 788, 079 | 7, 076, 087 | 9, 701,732 | 16, 777, 819 | 1.4 | 2.0 | 3.4 |

[^15]Dividends and earnings of the national banks, arranged by geographical divisions, for semiannual periods from September 1, 1869, to September 1, 1878.

|  | $\begin{gathered} \dot{g} \\ \substack{\text { ght }} \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  | Ratios. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Geographical divisions. |  | Capital. | Surplus. | Dividends. | Net eamings. |  |  |  |
| Sept., 1869, to March, 1870 : |  |  |  | - ${ }^{\circ}$ |  | Pr.ct. | Pr.ct. | Pr.ct. |
| New England States.. | 488 | \$148, 466, 082 | \$27, 335,824 | \$7, 508, 307 | \$10, 148; 574 | 5. 0 | 4.3 | 5. 8 |
| Middle States | 577 | 187, 741, 859 | 43, 043, 795 | 9,550, 034 | 12, 352, 534 | 5. 1 | 4. 1 | 5.3 |
| Sonthern States | 76 | 12, 850, 100 | 1,419,995 | 804, 972 | 1, 035, 938 | 6.3 | 5. 6 | 7. 3 |
| Western States. | 430 | 67, 309, 000 | 14, 318, 596 | 3, 620, 782 | 5, 459, 888 | 5.4 | 4.4 | 6.7 |
| Totals | 1,571 | 416, 366, 991 | 86, 118,210 | 21, 479, 095 | 28, 996, 934 | 5.2 | 4.3 | 5.8 |
| March, 1870, to Sept. 1870 : <br> New England States. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New England States... <br> Middie States | 591 | 152, 700,.033 | 29, 268,791 | 7, 554,081 | 9; 609, 814 | 4.9 | 4.1 | 5. 3 4.8 |
| Southerm States | 81 | 14, 441, 203 | 586, 312 | 809, 439 | 1, 153,852 | 5. 6 | 5.0 | 7.8 |
| Western States | 444 | 70, 044, 000 | 15,320, 088 | 3,466, 043 | 4, 806, 109 | 4.9 | 4.1 | 5. 6 |
| Totals | 1,600 | 425, 317, 104 | 91, 630, 620 | 21, 080, 343 | 26, 813, 885 | 5.0 | 4.1 | 5.2 |
| Sept. 1870 , to Mareh, 1871 : <br> New England States.. | 492 | 153, 419, 032 | 30, 647, 742 | 7,747,077 | 9,547,922 | 5. 0 | 4.2 | 5.2 |
| Midale States | 585 | 189, 066, 559 | 46, 418, 681 | 9, 494, 432 | 11146,367 | 5. 0 | 4. 0 | 4.7 |
| Southern States | 83 | 15, 221, 574 | 1,733, 167 | 924; 477 | 1; 138, 066 | 6. 1 | 5.4 | 6.7 |
| Western States. | 445 | 70, 992,000 | 15, 872, 811 | 4, 039, 1.64 | $5,410,807$ | 5.7 | 4. 6 | 6.2 |
| Totals | 1,605 | 428,699, 165 | 94, 672, 401 | 22, 205, 150 | 27, 243, 162 | 5.2 | 4.2 | 5.2 |
| March, 1871, to Sept., 1871 : <br> New England States. | 493 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Middle States | 591 | 190 |  |  |  |  | 4. | 0 |
| Southern States | 113 | 22,153,463 | 1, 885,311 | 1, 148, 638 | 1, 317,419 | 5.2 | 4.8 | 5. 5 |
| Weitern States. | 496 | 79, 017,900 | 16, 686, 204 | 4, 082, 446 | $5,581,685$ | 5.2 | 4.3 | 5.8 |
| Total | 1,693 | 445, 999, 264 | 98, 286, 591 | 22, 125, 279 | 27, 315, 311 | 5.0 | 4.1 | 5. 0 |
| Sept., 1871; to March, 1872 : New England States.. | 494 | 154, 869, 032 | 33, 163,949 | 7, 713, 428 | 734 | 5. 0 | 4.1 | 4.9 |
| Middle States | 589 | 190, 985,969 | 48, 754, 556 | 9,674,512 | 10, 988,549 | 5.1 | 4.0 | 4. 6 |
| Sonthern States | 129 | 26, 182, 281 | 2, 118,475 | 1,317,525 | 1, 700, 643 | 5. 0 | 4. 7 | 6.0 |
| Western States. | 538 | 78, 656, 424 | 15,394, 263 | 4; 154,361 | $5,660,613$ | 5.3 | 4.4 | 6.0 |
| Tota | 1,750 | 450, 693, 706 | 99, 431, 243 | 22, 859, 826 | 27, 502, 539 | 5. 1 | 4.2 | 5.0 |
| March, 1872, to Sept., 1872 : <br> New Englaud States.. | 497 |  |  |  |  | 4. 9 | 4.0 | 5. 1 |
| Middle States | 594 | 191, 776, 118 | 50, 328, 781 | 9, 432, 709 | 12, 099, 457. | 4. 9 | 3.9 | 5.0 |
| Southern States | 141 | 29,513, 235 | 2, 353, 213 , | 1, 552, 664 | 1,967, 089 | 5.3 | 4.9 | 6.2 |
| Western States. | 620 | 89, 106, 102 | 18, 386, 313 | 5, 216, 367 | 6,784, 880 | 5.8 | 4. 8 | 6.3 |
| Total | 1,852 | 465, 676, 023 | 105, 181, 942 | 23, 827, 289 | $30,572,891$ | 5.1 | 4. | 5.4 |
| Sept., 1872, to Mareh, 1.873 : <br> New Encland States.. | 495 |  |  |  |  | 5.1 |  |  |
| Middle States. | 594 | 192, 845, 669 | 53, 303, 603 | 9, 766, 087 | 11, 642,716 | 5.1 | 4. C | 4. 7 |
| Southern States | 147 | 31, 328, 787 | 3, 207, 788 | 1, 612, 680 | 2, 170, 179 | 5.1 | 4.7 | 6.3 |
| Western States. | 676 | 100, 684, 995 | 20,887, 673 | 5,508, 958 | 7,789, 243 | 5.5 | 4. 5 | 6.4 |
| Totals | 1,912 | 480, 518,683 | 114, 257, 288 | 24, 826, 061 | 31, 926, 478 . | 5.2. | 4.2 | 5.4 |
| March, 1873, to Septi, 1873 : |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| New England States. | 496 | 157, 014, 832 | 38, 302, 887 | 7,941, 687 | 10, 108, 736 | 5. 1 | 4.1 | 5. 2 |
| Mindle States .. | 591 | 192, 234, 009 | 53, 431, 089 | $9,575,193$ | 12, 565,331 | 5. 0 | 3.9 | 5.1 |
| Soutliern States | 163. | 33, 259, 530 | 3,600,607 | 1,544, 046 | 2,246,024 | 4. 6 | 4. 2 | 6.1 |
| Western States | 707 | 105, 592,.580 | 22, 778, 265 | 5, 762, 103 | 8,206, 909 | 5.5 | 4.5 | 6.4 |
| Totals | 1,955 | $488,100,951$ | 118, 113, 848 | 24, 823, 029 | $33,122,000$ | 5.1 | 4.1 | 5.5 |
| Sept., 1873, to March, 1874: <br> New England States. | 503 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Middle States ...... | 588 | 190,368,669 | 59, 931,654 | 9, 9624,682 | 9, 982,704 | 4.8 4.8 | 3.8 3.7 | 4. 9 |
| Southem States | 159 | 32, 605, 522 | 3, 865, 491 | 1, 415, 933 | 1, 750,914 | 4.3 | 3.9 | 4. 8 |
| Western States | 717 | 107, 494, 300 | $23,957,855$ | 5,321, 571 | 7, 127 454 | 4.9 | 4.0 | 5. 4 |
| Totals | 1, 967 | 489,510,323 | 123, 469, 859 | 23, 529, 997 | 29, 544, 120 | 4. 8 | 3.8 | 4. 8 |

Dividends and eavings of the national banks, fo.-Continued.


Table, by States and reserve cities, of the ratios to capital, and to capital and surplus, of

the dividends and earnings of national banks, from March 1, 1874, to September 1, 1878.


Nore.-Figures priated in bold-face trpe in colaran for 1.878 siguify percentage of loss.

Table of the state of the lawful-money reserve of the national banks,
STATES AND

|  | Dates. | No. of banks. | Circulation and deposits. | Reserve' required. | Reserve held. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  | Amount. | Ratio to liabili. ties. |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | Per cent. |
| 1 | Oct. 3, 1872 | 1,689 | \$509, 415, 295 | \$76, 435, 968 | \$97, 765, 876 | 19.2 |
| 2 | Dec. 27, 1872 | J., 707 | $503,568,806$ | 75, 535, 321 | 102, 069, 282 | 20.3 |
| 3 | Feb. 28, 1873. | 1. 717 | 521, 394,885 | 78, 209, 233 | 108, 246, 881 | 20.6 |
| 4 | Apı: 25, 1873. | J., 732 | 522, 649, 052 | 78, 428, 804 | 105, 693, 322 | 20.2 |
| 5 | Junc 13, 1.873. | 1,737 | 527, 741, 608 | 79, 204, 426 | ].08, 935, 374 | 20.6 |
| 6 | Sept. 12, 1873 | J., 747 | 586, 925, 203 | $80,593,659$ | 110, 450, 096 | 20.6 |
| 7 | Dec. 26, 1873 | 1.749 | $486,180,869$ | 72, 985,967 | 1.01, 120, 726 | 20.8 |
| 8. | Feb. 27, 1874 | 1. 748 | 510,946, 655 | 76, 700, 872 | 115, 577, 200 | 22.6 |
| 9. | May 1, 1874 | J., 751 | 521, 953, 283 | 78, 351, 858 | 112, 637, 640 | 21: 6 |
| 10 | June 26, 1874 | 1,755 | 522, 874, 575 | 43, 173,243 | 111. 464,693 | 38.8 |
| 1.1 | Oct. 2, 1874 | 1, 774 | 527, 506, 306 | 44, 077, 914 | 100, 641, 694 | 34.3 |
| 12 | Dee. 31, 1874 | ]. 797 | 535, 679, 077 | 45,487, 042 | 103, 592, 165. | 34.2 |
| 13 | Mar. 1, 1875 | 1., 801 | 536, 289, 193 | 46, 018, 207 | 106, 826, 053 | 34.9 |
| 14 | May 1, 1875 | J., 815 | 536, 716, 262 | 46, 020, 096 | 100, 691, 135 | 32.9 |
| 15 | June 30, 1875 | 1,845 | 541, 385, 844 | 46, 996, 069 | 1.05, 154, 553 | 33.6 |
| 16. | Oct. 1, 1875 | 1, 851 | 537, 418, 449 | 46, 304, 791 | 100, 128, 907 | 32.5 |
| 17 | Dec. 17, 1875 | 1, 850 | $525,303,754$ | 44, 647, 985. | 97, 855, 940 | 32.9 |
| 18 | Mas. 10, 1876 | 1, 853 | 527, 361, 41.3 | $45,535,811$ | 108, 547, 092 | 35.8 |
| 19 | May 12, 1876 | ]., 853 | 521., 137, 335 | 44, 990; 757 | 104, 514, 789 | 34.9 |
| 20 | June 30, 1876 | 1, 855 | 51.7, 605, 821 | 44, 996, 205 | 103, 832, 286 | 34.7 |
| 21 | Oct. 2, 1876 | 1. 858 | 509, 793, 743 | 43, 862, 907 | 99, 985, 627 | 34.3 |
| 22 | Dec. 22, 1876 | 1, 848 | 506, 146, 248 | 43, 416, 361 | 101, 429, 533 | 35.1 |
| 23 | Jan. 20, 1877 | 1, 849 | 516, 509,339 | 44, 978, 935 | 108, 706, 493 | 36.3 |
| 24 | Apr. 14, 1877 | 1, 839 | 511, 110, 102 | 44, 203, 308 | 103, 945, 584 | 35.3 |
| 25 | Jume 22, 1877 | J. 8444 | $505,4.11,087$ | 43, 81.4, 051 | 101, 962, 783 | 35. 0 |
| 26 | Oct. 1, 1877 | 1, 845 | 505, 863, 456 | 43,594, 978 | 95, 379,331 | 32.9 |
| 27 | Dec. 28, 1877 | 1. 834 | $508,016,893$ | 43, 616, 668 | 101, 866, 983 | - 35.1 |
| 28 | Mar. 15, 1878 | J., 83.1 | $504,088,183$. | 42, 990, 670 | 108, 782, 223 | 38.0 |
| 29 | May 1, 1878. | ]. 827 | 501, 295, 836 | 42, 476, 500 | 99, 320, 989 | 35.1 |
| 30 | June 29, 1878. | 1., 824 | $500,160,076$ | 42, 539, 987 | 102, 308, 371. | 36.1 |
| 31 | Oct. 1, 1878. | 1. 822 | 507, 520, 794 | 43, 437, 474 | 106, 045, 159 | 36.7 |

None.-Prior to June 20, 1874, the required reserve in States and Territories was 15 per
RESERVE

|  |  |  |  |  |  | Per cent. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Oct. 3, 1872 | 230 | \$443, 845, 782 | \$11.0, 961, 445 | \$112, 152, 056 | 25.3 |
| 2 | Dcc. 27, 1872 | 238 | 462, 035, 037 | 11.5, 508, 759 | 123, 136, 887 | 26.7 |
| 3 | Feb. 28, 1873 | 230 | 478, 040, 388 | 119,510, 097 | 122, 71.0, 780 | 25.3 |
| 4 | Apr. 25, 1873 | 230 | $465,796,482$ | 11.6, 449, 120 | 119, 676, 330 | 25.7 |
| 5 | June 1.3, 1873 | 231 | 502, 959, 230 | 125, 739,807 | 14.5, 209, 534 | 28.9 |
| 6 | Sept. 12, 1873 | 229 | 475, 521, 916 | 118, 880, 480 | 118, 679, 153 | 25.0 |
| 7 | Dec. 26, 1.873 | 227 | 453, 081, 026 | 113, 270, 257 | 127, 402, 586 | 28.1 |
| 8 | Tob. 27, 1874 | 227 | $518,570,014$ | 1.29, 642, 504 | 158, 940, 175 | 30.6 |
| 9 | May 1, 1874 | 227 | 523, 075, 980 | 130,768, 995 | 155, 563, 677 | 29.5 |
| 1.0 | June 26, 1.874 | 228 | 528, 619, 121 | 106, 380, 827 | 159, 275, 638 | 37.4 |
| 11 | Oct. 2, 1874 | 230 | 521, 561, 727 | 106, 136, 122 | 144, 307, 997 | 34.0 |
| 12 | Dec. 31, 1874 | 230 | 509, 411., 623 | 1.03, 31.7, 529 | 1.32, 348, 803 | 32.0 |
| 13 | Mar. 1, 1875 | 228 | 514, 896, 921 | 105, 569, 1.58 | 132, 217, 368 | 31.3 |
| 1.4 | May 1, 1875 | $23]$. | 507, 208, 290 | 104, 1.99, 595 | 129, 803, 941. | 31.1 |
| 15 | June 30, 1875 | 283. | 532, 175, 922 | 111, 317, 485 | 154, 560, 093 | 34.7 |
| 16 | Oct. 1, 1875 | 236 | 51.2, 848, 868 | 106, 542, 005 | 134, 976, 509 | 31.7 |
| 17 | Dec. 17, 1875 | 236 | 468, 689, 930 | 95, 863, 466 | 118, 29]., 1.25 | 30.8 |
| 18 | Mar. 10, 1876 | 238 | 499, 853, 392 | 104, 535, 425 | 142, 753, 190 | 34.1 |
| 19 | May 12, 1876. | 236 | 472, 260, 505 | 98, 776, 747 | 126, 179, 248 | 31.9 |
| 20 | June 30, 1876 | 236 | 490, 357, 058 | 103, 860,841 | 142, 906, 787 | 34.4 |
| 21 | Oct: 2, 1876 | 236 | 487, 415, 795 | 103, 721, 942 | 136,821, 941 | 34.2 |
| 22 | Dec. 22, 1876. | 234 | 470, 362, 089 | 99, 237, 733 | 122, 279, 996 | 30.8 |
| 23 | Jan. 20, 1877. | 234 | 495, 143, 120 | 105, 461, 297 | 1.42, 409, 11.4 | 33.8 |
| 24 | Apr. 14, 1877 | 234 | 478, 473, 129 | 100, 522, 583 | 127, 205, 252 | 29.0 |
| 25 | June, 22, 1877 | 284 | 552, 836, 716 | 119, 511, 586 | 138, 4.99, 1.97 | 31.6 |
| 26 | Oct 1, 1.877 | 235 | 453, 740, 223 | 94, 748, 175 | 115, 329, 428 | 30.5 |
| 27 | Dec. 28, 1877 | 233 | 452, 799, 159 | 93, 174, 248 | 119, 041, 848 | 31.9 |
| 28 | Mar. 15, 1878 | 232 | 466, 473, 764 | 96, 235, 626 | 131, 607, 266 | 34.2 |
| 29 | May 1, 1878 | 233 | 455, 737, 410 | 98, 468,789 | 121, 342, 350 | 32.5 |
| 30 | June 29, 1878. | 232 | 476, 710, 381 | 98, 868, 369 | 199, 369, 019 | 32.7 |
| 31 | Oet. 1, 1878. | 231 | 471, 702, 867 | 97, 257, 896 | 121,993, 977 | 31.3 |

Note.-Prior to Jume 20, 1874, the required reserve in reserve cities was 25 per
as shown by their reports from Ootober 3, 1872, to October 1, 1878.
I'ERRITORTES.

| Classification of reserve held. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Specie. | Legal tendors. | U. S. certificates of deposit. j | Clearing-house certificates. | Three per cent certificates. | Due from reserve agents. | Redemption fund with Treasurer. |
| \$1, 950, 142 | \$42, 71.7, 294 | \$220, 000 |  | \$335, 000 | \$52, 543, 44.0 |  |
| 1, 978, 383 | 43, 228, 892 | 350,000 |  | 185, 000 | 56, 327, 007 |  |
| 1, 779, 651 | 41., 605, 799 | 1,485, 000 |  | 90, 000 | 63, 286, 431 |  |
| 1, 567, 149 | 48, 202, 852 | 1, 895, 000 |  | 10, 000 | 59, 018, 321 |  |
| ]. 715,293 | 42, 800, 960 | 2, 125,000 |  | 10,000 | 62, 284, 121 |  |
| 2,071, 686 | 42, 279, 728 | 2, 250,000 |  |  | 63, 854, 682 |  |
| 2, 286, 734 | $45,904,389$ | 2, 015,000 |  |  | $50,91.4,603$ |  |
| 2, 475, 202 | 44, 017, 327 | 2, 270, 000 |  |  | 66, 814, 671 |  |
| 2,431, 605 | 47, 608, 805 | 2, 490, 000 |  |  | $60,1.12,230$ |  |
| 2, 256, 951 | $44,633,155$ | 2, 585,000 |  |  | 61, 978, 337 | \$1.1., 250 |
| 2,375, 290 | 32, 885, 197 | 775, 000 |  |  | $52,714,793$ | 11, 891, 414 |
| 1,992, 388 | 34, 952, 061 | 820,000 |  |  | 53, 935, 013 | 1.1, 892,708 |
| 1,652, 694 | 83, 498,083 | 845,000 |  |  | 59, 021, 623 | 11., 813, 653 |
| 1,511, 483 | 34, 414, 616 | 790, 000 |  |  | 52, 061, 059 | 11, 913, 977 |
| 1, 600, 028 | 34, 610, 241 | 890, 000 |  |  | 58, 439, 613 | 11, 61.4, 671 |
| 1, 555, 034 | 32, 783, 502 | 900, 000 |  |  | $53,322,152$ | 111, 568, 219 |
| 1, 452, 639 | 32, 073, 246 | 805,000 |  |  | 52, 078, 208 | 11, 451, 847 |
| 1, 800, 017 | 32, 141, 468 | 1, 180,000 |  |  | $62,102,61.3$ | 11, 322, 994 |
| 1,912, 17.1 | 33, 630, 711 | 1, 285, 000 |  |  | 56, 654, 668 | 11, 032, 239 |
| 2, 469, 391 | 37., 920, 1.20 | 1,280, 000 |  |  | 57, 268, 334 | 10, 894, 441 |
| 2, 763, 198 | 29,793, 138 | 1, 280, 000 |  |  | $56,362,468$ | 10, 856, 823 |
| 3, 427, 133 | 30, 714, 772 | 1, 280, 000 |  |  | $55,244,747$ | 10, 762, 881 |
| 3, 94.1, 358 | 32, 707, 525 | 1, 245,000 |  |  | 60, 110, 762 | 10, 701, 848 |
| 4, 166, 989 | 31, 948, 207 | 1, 180, 000 |  |  | $55,904,422$ | 10, 745, 384 |
| 4, 208,317 | 30, 879, 163 | 1, 250, 000 |  |  | 55, 012, 171 | 10, 613, 132 |
| 4, 155, 631 | 30, 316, 538 | 1, 315,000 |  |  | 48, 885, 195 | 1.0, 706, 697 |
| 4,486, 185 | 32, 730, 224 | 1, 225, 000 |  |  | 52, 587, 886 | 10,837, 688 |
| 6, 305, 680 | 31, 528, 169 | 1, 115,000 |  |  | 58,950, 369 | 10, 883, 005 |
| 7, 007, 260 | 32, 024, 586 | 1, 055, 000 |  |  | 48, 325, 035 | 10, 929, 108 |
| 7,049, 274 | 29, 390, 198 | 1, 040, 000 |  |  | 54, 033, 882 | 10, 795, 017 |
| 7, 988, 990 | 30, 064, 665 | 995, $000 \cdot$ |  |  | 56, 023, 564 | 10, 972, 940 |

centum of circulation and deposits; simee that date, 15 per centum of deposits only.
Cities.

contum of circulation and doposits; since that date, 25 per centum of deposits only.
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Lauful money reserve of the national banks, as shown by the reports
STATES AND

|  | States and Territories. | No. of banks. | Deposits. | Reserve required. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maine |  | 72 | \$6, 033, 118 | \$904, 968 |
| New Hampshil |  | 46 | 3, 338, 031 | 500, 705 |
| Vermont...... |  | 46 | 3, 642, 838 | 546, 426 |
| Massacbusettis |  | 182 | 26,596, 51.5 | 3, 989, 477 |
| Rhode Island. |  | 61 | 8, 432, 644 | ]., 264, 897 |
| Comnectiout. |  | 81. | 16, $1.52,973$ | 2, 422, 946 |
| New York. |  | 225 | 47, 218,546 | 7, 082, 783 |
| New Jersey |  | 69 | 18, 051, 484 | 2, 707, 723 |
| Yennsylvania |  | 180 | 30, 71.8, 323 | 4, 607, 748 |
| Delaware.... |  | 1.4 | 2, 036, 583 | - 305, 487 |
| Maryland ... |  | 1.8 | 2, 563, 660 | 384, 549 |
| District of Coll |  | 1 | -473,404 | 71, 011 |
| Virginia. |  | 19 | $5,664,179$ | 849, 627 |
| West Virginia. |  | 1.5 | 1., 238,718 | 185, 058 |
| North Casolina |  | 1.5 | 2, 614, 634 | 392, 195 |
| South Carolina |  | 1.2 | 2, 047, 279 | 307, 092 |
| Georgia |  | 12 | 1, 642, 420 | 246,363 |
| Florida. |  | 1. | 83,283 | 1.2, 485 |
| Alabama |  | 10 | 1, 090,893 | 1.63, 634 |
| Texas... |  | 1.1 | 1,782, 530 | 267, 379 |
| Arkansas. |  | 2 | 378, 428 | 56, 764 |
| Kentucky |  | 39 | 3, 889, 220 | 583, 383 |
| Tennessce |  | 25 | 5, 954, 242 | 893, 136 |
| Ohio ... |  | 1.51 | 18, 607, 389 | 2, 791, 108 |
| Indiana |  | 95 | 13, 288, 645. | 1, 993, 297 |
| Tlinois |  | 128 | 1.6, 551, 268 | 2, 482, 690 |
| Michigan. |  | 75 | 7, 123, 880 | 1, 068,582 |
| Wisconsin |  | 36 | 4, 208, 224 | 631, 233 |
| Iowa.... |  | $7 \pi$ | 7, 857, 238 | 1., 178, 586 |
| Minnesota |  | 81 | 6, 890, 530 | 1, 033,579 |
| Missouri |  | 19 | 2, 401, 784 | 360, 267 |
| Kamsas. |  | 12 | 1., 971, 367 | 295, 705 |
| Nebraska |  | 10 | 3,352, 824 | 499, 924 |
| Oreson. |  | 1 | 1, 007, 073 | 151, 136 |
| Colorado |  | 12 | 3, 081, 045 | 454, 657. |
| New Mexico |  | 2 | 449, 750 | 67, 462 |
| Utah |  | 1 | 328,791. | 49, 319 |
| Idaho. |  | 1 | 137, 013 | 20,552 |
| Montana |  | 5 | 1, 154, 285 | 1.73, 143 |
| Wyoming |  | 2 | 301., 446 | 45, 217 |
| Dakota.. |  | 2 | 242, 5.51 | 36,383 |
| Washingt |  | 1. | 81, 789 | 12, 268 |
|  |  | 1, 817 | 280, 606, 287 | 42, 090, 943 |
| Califormia |  | 7 | *2, 494, 949 | 449, 044 |
| Totals. |  | 1, 824 | 283, 101, 236 | 42,589,987 |

* Includes $\$ 748,015$ of circolating notes, of

Note.-Prior to June 20, 1874, the required reserve in States and Territories was 15
RESERVE

| Boston | 54 | \$64, 634, 781 | \$16, 1.58, 69.5 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Albany. | 7 | 7, 569, 474 | 1, 892,368 |
| Philadelphia | 31 | 43, 207, 060 | 1.0, 801, 765 |
| Pittsburgh | 22 | 11, 31.3, 055 | 2, 828, 264 |
| Baltimore | 14 | 13, 438, 505 | 3, 359,626 |
| Washington | 6 | 1,732, 916 | 433, 229 |
| New Orleans | 7 | 6, 293, 444 | 1,573,361 |
| Louisville | 8 | 3,271, 338 | 817,835 |
| Cincinnati. | 6 | 7, 341, 554 | 1, 835, 389 |
| Clbveland | 6 | 4, 023, 449 | 1, 005, 862 |
| Chicago | 10 | 21, 529, 577 | 5,382, 394 |
| Detroit. | 4 | 3, 982, 380 | 995, 645 |
| Milwaukee | 3 | 2, 597, 828 | 649,457 |
| Saint Lonis. | 5 | 6, 150, 542 | 1, 537, 636 |
|  | 1.83 | 1.97, 086, 103 | 49,271,526 |
| New York. | 47 | 196, 562, 991 | 49, 140, 7.48 |
| San Francisco | 2 | *1, 824, 383 | 450,095 |

* Includes $\$ 667,400$ of circulating notes, of

Note.-Prior to June 20, 1874, the required reserve in reserve cities was 25 per
of their condition at the close of business on June 29, 1878.
TERRITORIES.

| Reserve held. | Ratio of reserve. | Classification of reserre held. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Specie. | Legal tenders. | United States certificates of deposit. | Due from reserveagents. | Redemption fund with Tre.s. urer. |
|  | Per cent. |  |  |  |  | ' 1 |
| \$2, 795, 580 | 46.3 | \$120, 487 | - \$428,745 | \$5, 000 | \$1, 822, 615 | \$418, 733 |
| 1, 582, 632 | 47.4 | 65,758 | 134, 850 |  | 1, 128, 049 | 258,975 |
| 1, $1,674,285$ | 46.0 | 58,793 | 315, 063 |  | 947,051 | 353,378 |
| 11, 236, 567 | 42. 2 | 655, 282 | 1, 444, 827 | 290, 000 | 7, 052, 454 | 1, 794, 004 |
| 3,550,375 | 42.2 | 170, 430 | 1, 409,371 |  | 2, 370, 896 | 605,678 |
| 7,483, 047 | 46.3 | 416, 575 | 1, 195, 057 | 30,000 | 4, 971, 195 | 870, 220 |
| 14, 085, 538 | 29.8 | 731, 585 | 3, 379, 842 | 380, 000 | $8,297,756$ | ]., 296,305 |
| 8, 072, 888 | 44.7 | 441, 214 | 1, 647, 739 | 110, 000 | 5, 298, 710 | 575, 295 |
| 9, 579, 182 | 31.2 | 701, 638 | 3, 490, 604 | f. 105, 000 | 4, 3.44, 244 | 1, 137, 696 |
| 632, 461 | 31. 1 | 41, 429 | 148, 354 | 40, 000 | 331, 884 | 1,70,794 |
| 751, 125 | 29.3 | 62, 628 | 271, 355 | 10,000. | 316, 170 | 90,972 |
| 265, 708 | 56.1 | 9,330 | 79, 500 | 30,000 | 135, 628. | 11, 250 |
| 1, 609, 760 | 28.4 | 51, 359 | 500,956 | . ............... | 953, 032 | 1.04, 413 |
| 470,087 | 38.1 | 32, 901 | 191, 196 |  | 179, 832 | 66, 158 |
| 582, 837 | 22.3 | 62, 224 | 311, 993 |  | 740, 166 | 68, 454 |
| 636,995 | 31. ]. | 70, 021 | 163,790 |  | 341, 911 | 61., 273 |
| 674, 384 | 41. 1 | 87, 364 | 351,063 |  | 1.42, 583 | 93, 374 |
| 20, 652 | 24.8 | ${ }^{672}$ | 10, 000 |  | 7,730 | 2, 250 |
| 439, 547 | 40.3 | 61., 691 | 169, 024 |  | 147, 587 | 61, 245 |
| 619, 898 | 34. 8 | 132, 245 | 407, 043 |  | 51, 410 | 29, 200 |
| 80, 761. | 21.3 | 5,985 | 35,350 |  | 30,951 | 8,4:5 |
| 1, 546,618 | 39.8 | 61, 090 | 565, 789 | 5, 000 | 647, 316 | 267, 4:3 |
| 2, 334, 608 | 39.2 | 145, 523 | 1, 058, 629 |  | '1, 010, 894 | 119,562 |
| 6, 176, 686 | 33.2 | 391, 162 | 2, 638,357 |  | 2, 432, 927 | 714, 250 |
| 5, 254, 55. | 39.5 | 352, 620 | 2, 228, 453 | 15,000 | 2, 116, 913 | 541, 565 |
| 6, 602, 075 | 39.9 | 409, 304 | 2, 418, 475 | 20,000 | - 3, 388, 580 | 365, 716 |
| 2, 346, 462 | 32.9 | 246, 597 | 889, 916 |  | 1,001, 334 | 208, 615 |
| 1,267, 129 | 30.1 | 1.31, 607 | 491, 438 |  | -657, 981 | 86, 103 |
| 3, 039, 858 | 38.7 | 251, 090 | 1., 325,447 |  | 1, 268, 246 | 195, 069 |
| 1, 772, 924 | 25.7 | 72, 088 | 858, 752 | --........... | 727, 139 | 114,915 |
| 873, 053 | 36.4 | 47,342 | 303, 481 |  | 462, 330 | 59, 900 |
| 627, 533 | 31.8 | 46, 455 | 254, 323 |  | 296, 806 | 29,949 |
| 1, 193, 810 | 35.8 | 125.922 | 387, 254 |  | 646, 413 | 34, 2:1 |
| 226, 052 | 22.4 | 71, 778 | 57, 520 |  | 85,504 | 11., 2.50 |
| 742, 989 | 24.4 | 44, 424 | 375, 133 |  | 291, 495 | 31, 957 |
| 104, 036 | 23.1 | 14. 24.9 | 44, 442 |  | 31, 845 | 18,500 |
| 171, 073 | 52.0 | 27,943 | 137,918 |  | 2,962 | 2, 250 |
| 28,888 | 21.1 | 9, 050 | 15, 338 |  |  | 4,500 |
| 214, 018 | 18.5 | 21, 937 | 139,500 |  | 39,981 | 12, 600 |
| 102, 318 | 33.9 | 18,254 | 67, 456 |  | 1.3,908 | 2,700 |
| 62, 746 | 25.9 | 4,960 | 19, 335 |  | 34, 8 ¢1 | 3, 600 |
| 71, 218 | 87.1 | 40,392 | 27, 520 |  | ]., 056 | 2,250 |
| 101, 608, 954 | 30.2 | 6, 51.3, 404 | 29,390, 198 | 1, 040, 000 | 53, 870, 335 | 1.0, 795, 017 |
| 699, 417 | 28.0 | 535,870 |  |  | 163, 547 |  |
| . 102, 308, 371 | 36.1 | 7, 049, 274 | 29, 390, 198 | 1,040,000 | 54, 083, 882 | 10,795, 017 |

which the reserve required is 25 per cent.
per centum of circulation and deposits; since that date, 15 per centum of deposits only.
CITLES.

| \$18, 755, 947 | 29.0 | \$2, 814, 103 | \$3, 730, 582 | \$2, 830,000 | \$8,048, 855 | \$1, 332, 407 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 2,906, 649 | 38.4 | - 166,556 | - 434,015 | 470,000 | 1, 763, 909 | 72, 169 |
| ]6, 244, 976 | 37.6 | 2, 018, 094 | 4, 863, 700 | 4, 800, 000 | 3, 966,378 | 596, 804 |
| 3, 244,865 | 31.3 | 244, 875 | 1,704, 234 |  | 1,315, 426 | 280, 330 |
| 4,957, 203 | 36.9 | 318, 393 | 1, 038, 042 | 1,515,000 | 1, 805, 676 | 280, 092 |
| 619,618 | 35.8 | 52, 462 | 215, 552 | 35,000 | 277, 904 | 38, 700 |
| 3, 103, 289 | 49.3 | 230,087 | 1, 993, 097 |  | 803, 605 | 76,500 |
| -932, 587 | 28.5 | 62, 235 | -388, 200 |  | 363, 141 | 119, 01. |
| 2, 593, 455 | 35.3 | 63,370 | 669, 158 | 420, 000 | 1, 274, 427 | 166,500 |
| 1, 689,368 | 42.0 | 109, 1.93 | 820, 000 | 5, 000 | 661, 796 | 93, 379 |
| 8, 616748 | 40.0 | 1, 292, 631 | 2, 949,500 | 1,560,000 | 2, 771, 867 | 42,750 |
| 1,723, 132 | 43.3 | 128, 869 | 681, 326 |  | 858, 337 | 59,400 |
| 1,949, 173 | 36.5 | 78, 125 | 420, 087 |  | 438, 436 | ].2,525 |
| 1,903, 847 | 31.0 | 86,067 | 934, 000 | 400, 000 | 465, 330 | 18,450 |
| 68, 540, 857 | 34.8 | 7,665, 060 | 20, 841, 493 | 12, 035,000 | 24, 810, 287 | 3,189,017 |
| 60, 120, 344 | 30.6 | 13, 860, 205 | 2]., 368, 416 | 23, 830, 000 |  | 1, 061, 723 |
| 707,818 | 38.8 | 676,931 |  |  | 30,887. |  |

which the reserve required is 25 per centum.
centom of circulation and deposits; since that date, 25 per centum of deposits only.

Table of the liabilities of the national banks, and of the reserve required and held, at theree dates in each yec. y , from 1874 to 1878.
states and terrtiontes, exclusive of reserve citims

| - Dates. | Number of banks. | Net de. posits. | Reserve req'red. | Reserve held. |  | Classification of reserve. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Amount | Ratio to deposits | Specie. | Other lawful money. | Due from agents. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Redemp- } \\ & \text { tion } \\ & \text { fund. } \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | Milions | Millions | Millions | Per cent | Millions | Mallions | Millions | Millions |
| October 2, 1874 | 1, 774 | 293. 4 | 44.1 | 100.6 | 34.3 | 2.4 | 33.6 | 52.7 | 11.9 |
| May 1, 1875 | 1, 815 | 306. 2 | 46.0 | 1.00. 7 | 32.9 | 1.5 | 35.2 | 52.1 | 11.9 |
| Tune 30, 1875 | 1,845 | 31.2 .6 | 47.0 | 105.1 | 33.6 | 1. 6 | 33.5 | 58.4 | 1.1. 6 |
| October 1, 1875 | 1., 851 | 307.9 | 46.3 | 100. 1 | 32.5 | 1.6 | 33.7 | 53.3 | 11.5 |
| May 12, 1876 | 1,853 | 299.4 | 45.0 | 104.5 | 34.9 | 1. 9 | 34.9 | 56.7 | 11.0 |
| Jane 30, 1876 | 1,855 | 299.5 | 45.0 | 1.03 .8 | 34.7 | 2. 5 | 33.2 | 57.2 | 10.9 |
| October $2,1.876$ | 1, 853 | 291.7 | 43.8 | 99.9 | 34.3 | 2.7 | 31.0 | 55.4 | 10. 8 |
| Apmil 14, 1877 | 1, 839 | 294.2 | 44.2 | 103.9 | 35.3 | 4. 2 | 33.1 | 55.9 | 10.7 |
| Tume 22, 1877 | 1,844 | 291.6 | 43.8 | 101. 9 | 35.0 | 4.2 | 32.1 | 55.0 | 10.6 |
| October 1, 1877 | 1,845 | 290.1 | 43.6 | 95.4 | 32.9 | 4.2 | 31.6 | 48. 9 | 1.0. 7 |
| May 1, 1878 | 1, 827 | 282.7 | 42.5 | 99.3 | 35. J. | 7.0 | 33.1 | 48.3 | 1.0.9 |
| Jume 29, 1878 | 1,824 | 283.1 | 42.5 | 102. 3 | 36. 1. | 7.1 | 30.4 | 54.0 | 10.8 |
| October 1, 1878 | 1, 822 | 289.1 | 43.4 | 106. 1 | 36.7 | 8.0 | 31.1 | 56.0 | 11.0 |
| NEW YORK CITY. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Millions | Millions | Millions | Per cent | Millions | Millions | Millicns | Millinns |
| October 2, 1874 | 48 | 204.6 | 51.2 | 68.3 | 33.4 | 14.4 | 52.4 |  | 1.5 |
| Maby 1, 1875 | 48 | 197.5 | 49.4 | 57.8 | 29.2 | 6.7 | 49.9 |  | 1.2 |
| June 30, 1875. | 48 | 21.8. 4 | 54.6 | 76.6 | 35.1 . | 13.7 | 61.8 |  | ]. 1 |
| October 1, 1875 | 48 | 202.3 | 50.6 | 60.5 | 29.9 | 5.0 | 54.4 |  | 1.1 |
| May 12, 1876 | 47 | 180.5 | 45.1 | 53.4 | 29.6 | 16.0 | 36.5 |  | 0.9 |
| June 30, 1876 | 47 | 1.95. 8 | 49.0 | 65.1. | 33.2 | 18.1 | 46.2 |  | 0.8 |
| October 2,1876 | 47 | 197.9 | 49.5 | 60.7 | 30.7 | 14.6 | 45.3 |  | 0.8 |
| April 14, 1877 | 47 | 191.9 | 48.0 | 54.9 | 28.6 | 15.8 | 38.2 |  | 0.9 |
| June 22, 1.877 | 47 | 243.7 | 60.9 | 61.3 | 25. 1 | 11.7 | 48.7 |  | 0.9 |
| October 1, 1877 | 47 | 1.74.9 | 43.7 | 48.1 | 27.3 | 1.3. 0 | 34.3 |  | 0.8 |
| May 1, 1878 | 47 | 182.0 | 45.5 | 56.9 | 31.3 | 28.1 | 27.7 |  | 1.1 |
| June 29, 1878. | 47 | 196.6 | 49.1. | 60.1 | 30.6 | 13.9 | 45.1 |  | ]. 1 |
| October 1, 1878 | 47 | 189.8 | 47.4 | 50.9 | 26.8 | 13.3 | 36.5 |  | 1.1 |

OTHER RESERVE CITIES.

|  |  | Millions | Millions | Millions | Per cent | Millions | Millions | Millions | Millions |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| October 2, 1874. | 182 | 221.4 | 55.3 | 76.0 | 34.3 | 4. 5 | 36.7 | 81.1 | 3.7 |
| May J., 1875 | 183 | 219.3 | 54.8 | 72. 1. | 32.9 | 2.4 | 37.4 | 28.6 | 3.6 |
| Tune 30, 1.875 | 1.83 | 226.9 | 56.7 | 77.9 | 34.4 | 3.7 | 39.3 | 31.3 | 3.6 |
| October 1, 1875 | 188 | 223.9 | 56.0 | 74.5 | 33.3 | 1.5 | 37.1 | 32.3 | 3.6 |
| May 12, 1.876 | 1.89 | 214.6 | 53.6 | 72.8 | 33.9 | 3.8 | 35.7 | 30.1 | 3.2 |
| June 30, 1876. | - 189 | 219.6 | 54.9 | 77.8 | 35.4 | 4. 7 | 39.4 | 30.7 | 3.0 |
| October 2, 1876 | 189 | 217.0 | 54.2 | 76.1 | 35.1 | 4.0 | 37. 1 | 32.0 | 3.0 |
| A pril 14, 1877 | 187 | 21.0. 2 | 52.5 | 72.3 | 34.4 | 7. 1 | 33.1 | 29.1 | 3.0 |
| June 22, 1.877 | 187 | 234.3 | 58.6 | 77.2 | 32.9 | 5.4 | 41.6 | 27.1 | 3.1 |
| October 1., 1877 | 1.88 | 204.1 | 51.0 | 67.3 | 33.0 | 5.6 | 34.3 | 24.4 | 3.0 |
| May 1, 1878 | 185 | 191. 9 | 48.0 | 64.4 | 33.6 | ${ }^{\prime} 10.9$ | 27.4 | 23.0 | 3.1 |
| June 29, 1878 | 185 | 198.9 | 49.7 | 69.2 | 34.8 | 8.3 | 32.9 | 24.8 | 3.2 |
| October 1, 1878 | 184 | 199.9 | 50.0 | 71.1 | 35.6 | 9.4 | 29.4 | 29.1 | 3.2 |
| SUMMARY. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | Millions | Millions | Millions | Per cent | Millions | Millions | Millions | Millions |
| October 2, 187 | 2,004 | 719.4 | 150.6 | 244.9 | 34.0 | 21.3 | 122.7 | 83.8 | 17.1 |
| May 1, 1875 | 2,046 | 723.0 | 150.2 | 230.6 | 3]. 9 | 10.6 | 122.5 | 80.7 | 16.7 |
| Jume 30, 1875 | 2,076 | 757.9 | 158.3 | 259.6 | 34.3 | 19.0 | 134.6 | 89.7 | 16.3 |
| October 1, 1875 | 2,087 | 734.1 | 152.2 | 235.1 | 32.0 | 8.1 | 125.2 | 85.6 | 16.2 |
| May 12, 1.876 | 2, 089 | 694.5 | 143.7 | 230.7 | 33.2 | 21.7 | 107.1 | 86.8 | 1.5. 1 |
| June 30, 1876 | 2,091 | 714.9 | 148.9 | 246.7 | 34.5 | 25.3 | 118.8 | 87.9 | 14.7 |
| October 2, 1876 | 2,089 | 706.6 | 147.5 | 236.7 | 33.5 | 21.3 | 113.4 | 87.4 | 14.6 |
| Äpril 14, 1877 | 2,073 | 696.3 | 144.7 | 231.1 | 33.2 | 27.1 | 104.4 | 85.0 | 14.6 |
| June 22, 1877 | 2,078 | 770.6 | 163.3 | 240.4 | 31. 2 | 21.3 | 122.4 | 82.1 | 14.6 |
| October 1, 1877. | 2,080 | 669.1 | 138.3 | 210.8 | 31.5 | 22.8 | 100.2 | 73.3 | 14.5 |
| May 1, 1878 | 2,059 | 656.6 | 136.0 | 220.6 | 33.6 | 46.0 | 88.2 | 71.3 | 15.1 |
| Jmio 29, 1878 | 2, 056 | 678.6 | 141.3 | 231.6 | 34.1 | 29.3 | 108.4 | 78.8 | 15.1 |
| October 1, 1878. | 2,053 | 678.8 | 140.8 | 228.1 | 33.6 | 30.7 | 97.0 | 85.1 | 15.3 |

Average weekly deposits, circulation, and veserve of the national bamks in New Fork City, as reported to the New Fork clearing-house, for the months of September and October in each year from 1871 to 1878.

| Week ending- | Liabilities. |  |  | Reserve. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Circulation. | Net deposits. | To | Specie. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Legal-tend } \\ \text { ers. } \end{gathered}$ | Total. | Ratio to liabilities. |
|  |  |  |  | Dollars. |  |  |  |
| Sept. 2, 1871 | $\begin{aligned} & 0.83, ', 1 \\ & 087, \end{aligned}$ | 213,4 |  | $\begin{gathered} 0,190 \\ 9,193 \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ |  | 71, 154, 400 69, 300, 200 |  |
| Sept. 16, 1871 | , | 211, 537, | 241, 609 , | 9, 050 | 56, |  |  |
| Sept. 23,1871 | 29, 944, | 203, 448, | 232, ${ }^{2392}$ | 8, 291,700 | 53,275 | 61,567,300 | 42 |
| Sept. 30,1871 | - | 193, ${ }_{189}$ |  | ${ }_{9}^{11,594,000}$ | ${ }_{49}^{49}$ | 61, 887,900 |  |
| 14, 1871 |  | 18 |  |  | 45, 88, 200 |  |  |
| 71 | 30, | 172, 343 | 203, 577, | 8 8,647, | 44, 079, 000 | 52, 726, 600 |  |
| t. 28, 1871 | 30, 431, 800 | 171, 737, 30 | 202, 169, | 9, 249, 700 | 43, 694,700 | 52, 944, 400 | 26.19 |
| Sept. 7, 1872 | 27, 487, 200 | 183, 510, 100 | 210, 997,300 | 11, 619, 600 | 43, 866, 300 | -55, 486, 100 | - |
| , 21 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 27, ${ }^{2722}$ | 177, 742, 500 | 199, 364, | 16, 531 |  | - $56,270,900$ |  |
| Sept. $28,1872$. |  | ${ }^{165,721,900}$ | 193,4 |  |  | - $49,6976,600$ |  |
| Oct. ${ }_{\text {Oct. }} 12,18872$. | 27, 692, | 16i1, 1616,200 | 189, 509,100 | - 8, ${ }^{8,4090}$, 200 |  |  | 78 |
| Oct. 19, 1872. | 277, 6611,300 | 171, 115,000 | 198, 776, 300 | 10, 6577.400 | 46,260, 100 | 56, 917,500 |  |
| Oct. 26, 1872. | 27, 641, 000 | 174, 086, 400 | 201, 727, 400 | 9, 234, 300 | 46, 885, 000 | 56, 119, 300 | 82 |
| Sept. 6, 1873. | 27, 323, 300 | 182, 775, 700 | 210, ¢99, 000 | 19, 935, 900 | 33, 993, 600 | 53, 929, 500 |  |
| Sept. 13, 1 | , | 177, 850, | 204, 201, 700 | 17, 655,560 | 32, 500, 800 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 16, 1 | 30,0 | 46, 219, 000 |  |
| Sept. 27,1873 | $27,295,400$ $27,393,700$ | $150,171,300$ <br> $131,855,500$ | 179, ${ }^{17969}$, | $\xrightarrow{11,448,100}$ | $17,853,300$ $9,251,900$ | 20, 331, 400 |  |
| 11, 1873 | 27, 419,400 | 131, 958, 910 | 159, 378,3 | 10,506,900 | 8 8, 049 | 18, 556 , |  |
| 187 | 27, 421 |  |  |  | 5, 179 |  |  |
| t. 25, 1873 | 27, 390, 100 | , 671, 300 | 153, 061, 4 | 11, 433,500 | $7,187,300$ | 18,62 | 12.16 |
| Sept. 5, 1874. | ${ }^{25} 5,630,500$ | 20 | 22S, 548,600 |  | 54, 878, 110 |  |  |
| Sept. 12,1874 | ${ }^{27}$ | ${ }_{2}^{20}$ |  | 17, $17.453,2000$ | 54, 54 |  | 20 |
| , | 25, 593 | 187, 139, 700 | 212, 733, | 16, 799, 500 | 977, 900 | 70,777,400 |  |
| Oct. ${ }^{3}$ |  |  |  | 00 | ${ }^{53,297,600}$ | 68,6 |  |
| Oct. 10, | 25. |  |  | 00 | 5i, | ${ }^{64} 54$ | 4 |
| Oct. 24 | 24, |  | 218, 496 |  | 49 8933900 |  |  |
| Oct. 31, 1874 . | 25i, 025,100 | 193, 011,700 | 218, $6366^{\text {c }}$, 800 | 10, 324,200 | 50, 773, 000 | 61, 0977 , e9 | 27.9 |
| Sept. 4, 187 | , | 210, 397, 200 | 228, 490, ,900 | 9, 15 | 810 | ${ }_{6} 67,9$ |  |
| 1, 1 | 725, 000 | 209, 802 | 227, 527, 100 |  |  | 64.39 |  |
| Suppt. 25,187 | 17, $17.202,200$ | ${ }_{205}^{206}$, 183, | 223, 3850800 | 6. ${ }^{6}$ 623,400 | 56, 348, +00 | ${ }_{62,780,800}^{6+, 34,800}$ |  |
| Oct. 2,18 | 17.894, 100 | 201, 409 , | 219, 303, 800 | 5, 438,900 | 56, 181, 500 | $61,620,400$ |  |
| Oct. 9, 1877 | 17, 17200700 | 197 | 215, 37 | 5,716, 200 | 51, 342, 300 | 57, 058, 500 |  |
| Oct. 10 | 17,78.1,200 | 195, 19 | ${ }_{2}^{212.2973}$ | ${ }^{5}, 528,500$ | 48, 582, 700 | 54, 113, 200 |  |
| Oct. | 17, 744 | 189,068 | ${ }_{206}^{209,9138}$ | $5,735,000$ $8,970,600$ | $45,762,800$ | \% 4 \% 73 |  |
| Sept. |  |  | 6, |  |  |  |  |
|  | 339 | 200 | 215, 994,400 | 20, 20 | ${ }^{6999}$ |  |  |
|  | 14, 403, 500 | 34, |  | 20, 068, 900 | 49, 33 | 69 |  |
| ${ }_{30}^{23,18}$ | 14,400, | 200, 794, 800 | 215, 195, | 16,907, 80 | 48,625, 500 | 65, |  |
| $\begin{array}{r}30,1876 \\ 71876 \\ \hline 180\end{array}$ |  | 196, 9.9400 | 211, 206, 20 | $14,751,200$ $17,682,600$ | 47, 53, ${ }^{4555,900}$ | - |  |
| Oct. 14, 187 |  |  | 205, 392, | 16,233 | 43, 00 | 59, 238, 200 |  |
| Oct. 21 |  |  | ${ }^{204,} 83$ |  | ${ }^{41,421}$ | 56, 999, |  |
| ct. 28, | 15, 059 ? 600 | 183, 81, 200 | 198, 869, 8 | 14, 011, 600 | 41, 645, | 55, 657, 200 |  |
| Sept. 1, |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Sept. 15, 18 | 15,551, 700 | 182 | ${ }_{197} 19$ |  | 38,429,900 |  |  |
| Sept. 22,1877 | 15, 570, 700 | 180, 353,700 | 196, 204, 450 | 16,945, 100 | 37, 113, 200 | ${ }^{54,}$, 058,300 |  |
| 29, 187 | 15, 699, 000 | 175, 136, s | 190, 733,500 | 14, 682, 100 | 0 | 100 |  |
| 6, 1877 | 15, 964,900 | 172, 106, 000 | 70, |  |  | 50, 83, 900 |  |
| ct. 13, 18777.. | 116,0.55, 6 | $171,058,500$ | 187, 114, | 14, 12.26 | - ${ }^{35,178,900} 8$ |  |  |
| Oct. $27,1877$. | 16, 6000,7000 | 168, 373,800 | ${ }_{184} 1874,5000$ | 15, 209, 000 | ${ }_{34,367,800}$ | 49, 776 , Su0 | -26. 80 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 14.1878.. | 1.9, ${ }^{19} 5$ | 191, 990,500 | 210, 543, 500 |  | 1, 673,400 | 57, 602, 700 |  |
| t. t 28, 2181878. | 19, ${ }^{19,91,000}$ |  | 209, 5 5, 100 | 15, 1573,400 | - | - $57,485,1100$ |  |
| ct. 5, 1878 | 19, 553,200 | 157, 5688,400 | 207, 1200,600 | 14, 99\%', 800 | 38, 304,900 | 53,300, 700 | 25.73 |
| 12 | 19, 567,800 | 1.84, 82, 40.1 | 204, 393, 20 | 12,184,600 |  |  |  |
| t. $19,1888$. |  | 183, $68.272,100$ | 20, |  | 36, 3766 | ( $50,107,400$ | 5. 7 |

## Aggregateresomees and liabilities of Stale banks from 1874 to 1878.

| resolrces. | 1873-74. | 1874-'75. | 1875-76. | 1876-77. | 1877-78. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | --banks. | 051 banks. | 638 banks. | 592 banks. | 475 banks. |
| Toans aud discounts | \$154, 377, 672 | \$176, 308, 949 | \$178, 983, 496 | \$266, 585, 31.4 | \$169, 391, 427 |
| 0 -erdrafts | 212,772 | 377, 297 | 348, 604 | 516,565 | 319, 959 |
| U:ited States bonds | 1,961, 447. | 344, 984 | 869, 144 | 929, 260 | 2, 150, 880 |
| Other stocks, bonds, | 1.6, 437, 815 | 23, 667,950 | 19.364, 450 | 23, 200, 670 | 19, 398, 287 |
| Dhe from bauks.. | 1.9, 050, 046 | 1.9, 851, 1.46 | 23, 096, 812 | 25, 201, 782 | 25, 107, 149 |
| Ri-al estate. | 5, 372, 186 | 9, 005, 697 | 8, 561, 224 | 12, 609, 160 | 11, 092, 118 |
| Other investmonts | 1, 164,999 | 4, 909, 1.90 | 6, 863, 083 | 6, 442, 710 | 10,694, 390 |
| Expenses | 1, 284, 344 | 1,353, 066 | 1, 559, 404 | 1, 211, 416 | 914, 726 |
| Cash iteans | 1.0, 434, 018 | 8, 624, 086 | 9, 059,547 | 9,816, 456 | 7, 320, 845 |
| Specie | 1, 980, 083 | 1, 156, 456 | 1., 926, 100 | 2, 319, 659 | 3, 041, 670 |
| Lugat-tenders, bamk-notes, \&c.. | 25, 126, 706 | 26, 740, 215 | 27, 623, 988 | 34, 415, 712 | 28, 480, 374 |
| Totals | 237, 402, 088 | 272, 338, 996 | 278, 255, 852 | 383, 257, 704 | 277, 911, 831 |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Capital stock | 50, 305, 532 | 69, 084, 980 | 80, 495, 634 | 110,949,515 | 95, 193, 292 |
| Citculation | 1.53, 432 | 177,653 | 388, 397 | 387, 661 | 388, 298 |
| Suplus fund | 2, 942, 707 | 6, 797, 1.67 | 7, 027, 817 | 5, 665, 854 | 7,983, 996 |
| Undivided profits | 12, 363, 205 | 9, 002, 133 | 10, 457, 346 | 18, 283, 567 | 11, 693, 064 |
| Dividends umpaid | 337, 290 | 88,722 | -393, 419 | 385, 904 | 324, 176 |
| Doposits | 137, 594, 961 | 165, 871, 439 | 157, 928, 658 | 2\%6, 654, 538 | 142, 764, 491 |
| Due to banks | 14, 241, 604 | 10, 530,844 | 13, 307, 398 | 9, 412, 876 | 10, 348, 911. |
| Other liabilities | 10, 463, 357 | 10, 791, 058 | 8,327, 183 | 11, 567, 789 | 9, 215, 603 |
| Sotals | 237, 402, 088 | 272, 338, 996 | 278, 255,852 | 383, 257, 704 | 277, 911, 831 |

Resources and liabilities of trust and loan comparies at the dates named.

| resolrces. | Massachusetts, Nov. 1877. | Rhode Island, Nov. 30, 1877. | Commecti. cut, Oct. 1, 1.877. | New Tork, Dec., 1877. | New Jer. sey, Jan. 1, 1878. | Pennsylvania, Oct., 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 6 banks. | 1 bank. | 11 baulss. | 10 bauks. | 1 bank. | 6 banks. |
| Loans and discounts. | \$6, 400, 604 | \$3, 183, 403 | \$3, 614, 31.2 | \$32, 233, 892 | \$453, 870 | \$13, 417, 246 |
| Overdraits .........- | 427, 809 |  | 11, 565 | 15, 002, 671 | 3. 745 |  |
| Other stocks, bonds, \& c | 581, 145 | 2,891,226 | 708, 580 | 6, 201, 624 | 42, 440 | 6, 871. 292 |
| Bue from banks | 1, 324, 765 |  | 466, 721 | 2, 343, 652 | 26,678 | 1,375, 038 |
| Leal estate |  |  | 498, 364 | 1, 483, 171 | 20,700 | 1, 608, 1.40 |
| Other investments | 222, 200 | 226,215 | 5,242 | *1., 524,521 | -9,937 | 1, 424, 404 |
| Expenses. | 33,294 |  | 166, 271 |  |  | 75, 346 |
| Cashitems |  |  | 40,304 |  |  | 2, 91.1 |
| Specie. |  |  |  |  |  | 360, 831 |
| Legal-tenders, bank-notes, \&e | 297, 406 | 21.0, 251 | 75,138 | 116, 591 | 19,936 | 1., 720,987 |
| Totals | 10, 287, 223 | 6,511, 095 | 5, 586,497 | 58,906, 122 | 577, 306. | 28,975,360 |
| Cupital stock | 2, 250,000 | 500, 000 | 2, 562, 361 | 9, 099, 250 | 100,000 | 6, 675,000 |
| Circulation |  |  | 2, 362,361 | 9,000, 250 | 100, 000 | 0, 15 |
| Suplas foud | 206, 439 | 125, 000 | 545, 295 | $5_{5}, 427,814$ | 28,259 | 1, 592,496 |
| Undivided profits | 45, 81.3 | 114, 598 |  |  |  | 531, 245 |
| Dividends mopaid | 4, 017 |  | 2, 637 |  | 64 | 4,543 |
| Deposits | 7,510,567 | 3,266, 630 | 2, 184, 778 | 40,909, 699 | 448, 983 | 18, 815, 921 |
| Di:e to banks |  |  | 291,426 | 230,000 |  |  |
| Other liabilities | 270, 387 | 2, 504, 872 |  | 2, 339,359 |  | 1, 356, 155 |
| 'Totals | 1.0, 287, 223 | 6,511, 095 | . $5,586,4.97$ | 58, 906,122 | 577, 306 | 28,975, 360 |

[^16]Aggregate resources and liabilities of trust and loan companies, 1875, 1876, 1877, and 1878.


Aggregate resources and liabilities of savings-banks from 1874 to 1878.

| RESOLRCES. | 1873-74. | 1874-75. | 1875-76. | 1876-77. | 1877-78. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | - banks. | 674 banks. | 686 banks. | 675 banks. | 663 banks. |
| Loans on real estate | \$315, 288, 088 | \$351, 336, 551. | \$373, 501, 243 | \$369, 770, 878 | \$408, 921, 60 |
| Loans on other securitics | 168, 308, 332 | 181, 143, 206 | 164, 024, 477 | 1114, 474, 1.63 | 88, 192, 33 |
| United-States bonds | $66,414,629$ | 83, 206, 272 | 108, 1.62, 624 | 115, 389, 880 | 129, 362, 89 |
| State and other stocks and bonds | 148, 456, 23.1 | 1.61, 334, 436 | 169, 801, 399 | 1.84, 116, 602 | 170, 1.55,07 |
| Railroad bonds and stoeks | 17, 981, 807 | 20, 690, 901 | 23, 992, 313 | 24, 586,503 | 21, 752, 65 |
| Bank stock | 29, 545, 071 | 30, 508, 752 | 83, 267, 494 | 34, 571, 531 | 34, 703, 25 |
| Real estate | 11, 378, 364 | 14, 136,748 | 15, 540, 384 | 21, 037, 426 | 29, 952,49 . |
| Other investments | 8,780, 263 | 11, 354, 781. | 20, 730, 050 | 18, 135, 673 | 18, 169, 86 |
| Expenses | 931,989 | 1., 248, 688 | 866, 013 | 1., 029,238 | 216, 69 |
| Due from bank | 18, 481, 846 | 23, 378, 937 | 23, 011, 142 | 23, 522, 572 | 22, 551, 20 |
| Cash | 1.5, 715, 134 | 1.7, 858, 182 | 18,456, 405 | 16, 160, 096 | 17, 469, 08 |
| Totals | 801, 231, 724 | 896, 197, 454 | 951, 353, 544 | 922, 794, 562 | 941, 44.7, 15 |
| Deposits . ............. | 759, 946, 632 | 849, 581, 633 | 891. 459,890 | 866, 498, 452 | 879, 897, 42 |
| Surplas fund | 12, 590, 196 | 16, 499, 565 | 51, 321., 033 | $\cdot 43,835,885$ | 43, 892, 50 : |
| Undivided profits | 26, 623, 850 | 29, 072, 493 | 5, 497, 503 | 9, 200, 778 | 6,964, 17 |
| Other liabilities | 2, 071,046 | 1, 043, 763 | 3,075, 118 | 3, 259, 447 | 10, 693, 04: |
| Totals | 801, 231, 724 | 896, 1.97, 454 | 951, 353, 544 | 922, 794, 562 | 941, 447, 15 |

Table, by States, of the aggregate deposits of savings-banks, with the number of their depositor: and the average amount dhe to each, in 1877 and 1878.

| States. | 1876-77. |  |  | 1877-78. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of depositors. | Amonnt of deposits. | Average to each depositor. | Number of depositors. | Amount of deposits. | Average to each depositor. |
| Maino | 90, 021 | \$26, 662, 150 | \$294 21 | 88, 661 | \$25, 708, 472 | \$303 01 |
| New Hampshire | 98, 683 | 30, 963, 047 | 31.376 | 94,967 | 28,789, 549 | $3031!$ |
| Vermont..... | 25, 671 | 6, 815, 829 | 26550 | 27, 690 | 6, 722, 691 | 2427 |
| Massachusetts | 739, 289 | 243, 340,643 | 32915 | 739, 757 | 244, 596, 614 | 3306 |
| Rhode Island | 99, 865 | 50, 542, 272 . | 50610 | 89, 475 | 48, 1.03, 11.9 | 5376 |
| Connecticnt | 203, 514 | 78,524, 172 | 38584 | 204, 575 | 77, 214, 372 | 3774 |
| New York. | 861, 603 | 31.9, 716, 864 | 37107 | 844, 550 | 312, 823, 058 | $370{ }^{11}$ |
| New Jersey | *84, 026 | $29,318,543$ | 34892 | 63, 447 | 16, 353, 275 | 257 7: |
| Pemmsylvainia | * 67,660 | 17, 577, 468 | 25979 | * 68,000 | 17, 923, 825 | 2635 |
| Maryland . | * 50,197 | 19, 543, 967 | 38934 | *50, 450 | 19, 739, 206 | 3912 |
| District of Colun |  |  |  | 3, 928 | 382,905 | 97 |
| Louisiana |  |  |  | 5,978 | 1, 982, 330 | 323 2 |
| Ohio | 26, 037 | 10,041, 726 | 38567 | *22, 340 | 8,623, 245 | 386 |
| Iudiana | *5,548 | 1., 986,025 | 35800 |  |  |  |
| California | * 42,600 | 31, 185, 600 | 73205 | *96, 967 | 70, 984, 764 | 7320 |
| Totals. | 2,395, 51.4 | 866, 21.8, 306 | 36163 | 2, 400, 785 | 879, 897, 425 | 3665 |

[^17]
## aGGREGATE RES0URCES AND LIABILIPIES

OW

## THE NATIONAL BANKS

FROM

OCTOBER, 1863, TO OCTOBER, 1878.

Aggregate resources and liabilities of the Nationa.
1863.

| Resources. | JANUARY. | APRLL. | JULY. | OCTOBER 5. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\bullet$ |  |  | 66 banks. |
| Loans and discounts. |  |  |  | \$55, 466, 08833 |
| U. S. bonds and securities. |  |  |  | 5, 662, 60000 |
| Other items. |  |  |  | 106, 00912 |
| Due from nat'l and other b'ks. |  |  |  | 2, 625, 59705 |
| Real estiate, furniture, \&c .... |  |  |  | 177,565 69 |
| Current expenses . . . . . . |  |  |  | 53, 80892 |
| Premiums paid |  |  |  | 2, 50369 |
| Checks and other cash items. . |  |  |  | 492, 13858 |
| Bills of nat'l and other banks. |  |  |  | 764, 72500 |
| Specieandotherlawfulmon'y. |  |  |  | 1., 446, 60762 |
| Total |  |  |  | 16,797,644 00 |

1864. 

|  | Jandary 4. | APRJL 4. | JULY 4. | october 3. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 139 banks. | 307 banks. | 467 banks. | 508 banlis. |
| Loans and discounts | \$10, 666, 09560 | \$31, 593, 94343 | \$70, 746, 51333 | \$93, 238, 65792 |
| U. S. bonds and securities | 15, 112, 250 00 | 41, 175, 15000 | 92, 530, 50000 | 108, 064, 40000 |
| Other items. | 74, 57148 | 432, 05995 | 842, 01773 | 1, 434, 73976 |
| Due from national banks |  | 4, 699,479 56 | 15, 935, 730 1.3 | 19, 965, 72047 |
| Due from other b'ks and b'k'rs, | *4, 786, 12458 | 8, 537,908 94 | 17, 337, 558866 | 14, 051, 39631. |
| Real estate, furuiture, \&c.... | 381., 14400 | 755, 69641 | 1, 604, 04946 | 2, 202, 31820 |
| Current expenses..... | 118,854 43 | 352, 72077 | 502, 34131 | 1, 021, 56902 |
| Cheoks and other cash items.. | 577,50792 | 2, 651,916 96 | 5, 057, 12290 | 7, 640, 16914 |
| Jills of mat'l and other barks. | 895, 521. 00 | 1, 660,000 00 | 5, 344, 17200 | 4, 687, 72700 |
| Specieandotherlewfulmon'y. | 5, 018, 62257 | 22, 961, 41164 | $42,283,79823$ | 44, 801, 49748 |
| Total | 37, 630. 69158 | 114, 820, 28766 | 252, 273, 80375 | 297, 108, 19530 |

1865. 

|  | January 2. | APRIL 3. | JULY 3. | October 2. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 638 banks. | 907 bauks. | 1,294 banks. | 1,513 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$166, 448, 71800 | \$252, 404, 20807 | \$362, 442, 74308 | \$487, 170, 13629 |
| U. S. bonds and securities | 176,578, 75000 | 277, 619,900 00 | 391., 744, 85000 | 427, 731, 30000 |
| Other iteras... | 3, 294, 88327 | 4, 275,769 51 | 12, 569,12038 | 19, 048, 51315 |
| Due from national banks. | 30, 820, 17544 | 40, 963, 24347 | 76, 977, 53959 | 89, 978, 98055 |
| Duo from other b'iss and b'k'rs | 19, 836, 07283 | 22, 554, 63657 | 26, 078, 02801 | 17, 393, 23225 |
| Roal estate, furmiture, \&c.... | 4, 088, 22612 | $6,525,11880$ | 11, 231, 25728 | 14, 703, 28177 |
| Current expenses. | 1, 053, 72534 | 2, 298, 02565 | 2, 338, 77556 | 4, 539, 52511 |
| Premiums paid. | 1,323, 02356 | 1, 823,29184 | 2, 243, 21031 | 2, 585, 50106 |
| Checks and other cashitems.. | 17, 837, 49677 | 29, 681, 39413 | 41, 314, 90450 | 72, 309, 85444 |
| Bills of nat'l and other banks. | 14, 275, 15300 | 13,710,370 00 | 21, 651, 82600 | 16,247, 24100 |
| Specie. | 4, 481, 93768 | $6,659,66047$ | 9, 437, 06040 | 18,072, 01259 |
| Legal tenders and fract'l cur'y | 72, 535, 504, 67 | 112, 999, 32059 | 168, 426, 16655 | 189, 988, 49628 |
| Total | 512, 568, 66668 | 771, 514,939 10 | $1,126,455,48166$ | 1, 359, 768, 07449 |

* Including amount due from national banks.

3anks from October, 1863, to October, 1878.
1863.

|  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Liabilities. |

1864. 

|  | January 4. | APRIL 4. | JULY 4. | October 3. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 139 banks. | 307 banks. | 467 banks. | 508 banks. |
| japital stock | \$14, 740, 52200 | \$42, 204, 47400 | \$75, 21.3, 94500 | \$86, 782, 80200 |
| jurplas fund . . . |  |  | 1., 129, 91022 | 2, 010, 2861.0 |
| Jndivided profits | 432, 82781 | 1, 625,656 87 | 3, 094, 33011 | $5,982,39222$ |
| National b'k notes outstanding | 30, 15500 | $9,797,97500$ | 25, 825, 66500 | 45, 260, 50400 |
| udividual and other deposits. | 19, 450, 49253 | 51, 274, 91401. | 119, 414, 23903 | 122, 166, 53640 |
| ?ue to mat'l and other banks*. | 2, 153, 77938 | 6, 814, 930 40 | 27, 382, 00637 | 34, 862, 384.81 |
| jther items | 822,914 86 | 3,102, 33738 | 213, 70802 | 43,289 77 |
| Total. | 37, 630,69158 | 114, 820, 28766 | 252, 273, 80375 | 297, 108, 19530 |

1865. 

|  | january 2. | APRIL 3. | JULY 3. | OCTOBER 2. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 638 banks. | 907 banks. | 1,294 banks. | 1,513 banks. |
| Japital stock. | \$135, 618, 87400 | \$215, 326, 02300 | \$325, 834, 55800 | \$393, 157,206 00 |
| Surplas fand | 8, 663, 311. 22 | 17,318,942 65 | 31, 303, 56564 | 38, 713, 38072 |
| Undivided profits | 12, 283, 81265 | 17, 809, 30714 | $23,159,40817$ | 32, 350, 27819 |
| National b'rnotes outstanding | 66,769, 37500 | 98, 896, 48800 | 131, 452, 15800 | 171, 321, 90300 |
| Individual and other deposits. | 183, 479, 63698 | 262, 961, 47313 | 398, 357, 55959 | 500, 910, 87322 |
| United States deposits........ | 37, 764, 72977. | 57, 030, 14101 | 58, 032, 72067 | 48,170,381 31 |
| Due to mational banks....... | 30, 619, 17557 | 41., 301, 031 16 | 78, 261, 04564 | 90, 044, 837.08 |
| Uue to other b'ks and bankers* | $37,104,13062$ | 59, 692,581 64 | 79, 591, 59493 | 84, 155, 16127 |
| Other items | 265, 62087 | 578, 95137 | 462, 871, 02 | 944, 05370 |
| Total. | $512,568,66668$ | 771, 514, 93910 | 1, 126, 455, 48166 | 1,359, 768, 07449 |

[^18]Aggregate resources and liabilities of the National
186 क.

| Resources. | January 1. | APRIL 2. | JULY 2. | OCTOBER 1. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,582 banks. | 1,612 banks. | 1,634 banks. | 1,644 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$500, 650, 10919 | \$528, 080, 52670 | \$550, 353, 09417 | \$608, 314, 70483 |
| U.S. b'ds dep'd to secure circ'n | 298, 376, 85000 | $315,850,30000$ | 326, 483, 35000 | 331, 843, 20000 |
| Other U.S. b'dsand securities | 142, 003, 50000 | 125, 625, 75000 | 121, 152, 95000 | $94,974,65000$ |
| Oth'r stocks, b'ds, and mortg's | 17, 483, 75318 | 17, 379, 73892 | 17, 565, 91146 | 1.5, 887, 49006 |
| Due from national banks | 93, 254, 55102 | 87, 564, 32971 | 96, 696, 48266 | 107, 650, 17418 |
| Due from other b'ks and b'k'rs | 14, 658, 22987 | 13, 682, 34512 | 13, 982, 61323 | 15, 211, 11716 |
| Real estate, furniture, \&c... | 15, 436, 29616 | 15, 895, 56446 | 16, 730,923 62 | 17, 134, 00258 |
| Current expenses. | 3, 193,717 78 | 4, 927, 59979 | 3, 032, 71627 | 5, 311, 25335 |
| Premiums paid. | 2, 423, 91802 | 2, 233, 51631 | 2, 398,872 26 | 2, 493, 77347 |
| Checks and other cash items | 89, 837, 68450 | 105, 490, 61936 | 96,077, 134 53 | 103, 684, 24921 |
| Bills of national and other b'ks | 20, 406, 44200 | 18, 279, 81600 | 17, 866, 74200 | 17, 437, 77900 |
| Specie | 19, 205, 01875 | 17, 529, 77842 | 12, 629, 37630 | 9, 226, 83182 |
| Legal tenders and fract l cur'y | 187, 846, 548.82 | 189, 867, 85252 | 201, 425, 04163 | 205, 793,578 76 |
| Total. | 1, 404, 77.6, 61929 | 1, 442, 407, 73731 | 1,476, 395, 20813 | 1, 526, 962, 80442 |

$186 \%$.

|  | JAXUARY 7. | APRIL 1. | JULY 1. | OCTOEER 7. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,648 bauks. | 1,642 banks. | 1,686 banks. | 1,642 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$608, 771, 79961 | \$597, 648, 28653 | \$588, 450, 39612 | \$609, 675, 21461 |
| U. S. b'ds dep'd to secure cire'n | 339, 570, 70000 | $338,863,65000$ | 337, 684, 25000 | 338, 640, 15000 |
| U.S. b'ds dep'd to sec're dep'ts | 36, 185, 95000 | 38,465, 80000 | 38,368, 95000 | $37,862,10000$ |
| U.S. b'ds and sec'ties on hand | 52, 949, 30000 | 46, 689,400 00 | 45, 633, 70000 | 42, 460, 80000 |
| Oth'r stocks, b'ds, and mortg's | 15, 073, 73745 | 20, 194, 87521 | 21, 452, 6.15 43 | 21, 507, 88142 |
| Dre from national banks | 92, 552, 20629 | 94, 121, 18621 | 92, 308, 91187 | 95, 217, 61014 |
| Due from other b'ks and b'k'rs | 12, 996, 15749 | 10, 737, 39290 | 9, 663, 32282 | 8,389, 22647 |
| Real estate, furniture, \&c. | 18, 925, 31551 | 19, 625, 89381 | 19, 800, 90586 | 20, 639, 70823 |
| Current expenses | 2, 822, 67518 | 5, 698; 78417 | 3, 249, 15331 | 5, 297, 49413 |
| Premiums paid | - $2,860,39885$ | 3,411, 32556 | $3,338,60037$ | 2,$764 ; 18635$ |
| Checks and other cask items | 101, 430, 22018 | 87, 951, 40513 | 128, 312, 17779 | 134, 603, 23151 |
| Bills of national banks | 19, 263, 718 00 | 12, 873,78500 | 16, 138, 76900 | 11, 841, 10400 |
| Bills of other banks | ], 176, 14200 | 825,74800 | 531, 26700 | 333, 20900 |
| Specie .-...................... | 19, 726, 04320 | 11, 444, 52915 | 11, 128, 67298 | 12, 798,044 40 |
| Legal tenders and fract'l cur'y | 104, 872,371 64 | 92, 861, 25417 | 102, 534,613 46 | 100,550, 84991 |
| Compound interest notes.... | 82, 047, 25000 | 84, 06i5, 79000 | $75,488,22000$ | 56, 888, 25000 |
| Tote | ], 511, 222, 98540 | 1, 465, 451, 10584 | 1, 494, 084, 52601 | 1, 499, 469;060 17 |

## 1868.

| . | January 6. | APril 6. | JULY 6. | OCTOBER 5. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,642 banks. | 1,643 banks. | 1,640 banks. | 1,643 banks. |
| Loans and discounts. | \$616, 603, 47989 | \$628, 029, 34765 | \$655, 729, 54642 | \$657, 668, 84783 |
| U.S. b'ds dep'd to secnre circ'n | 339, 064, 20000 | 339, 686, 65000 | 339, 569, 10000 | 340, 487, 05000 |
| U.S. b'ds dep'd to sec're dep'ts | 37, 315, 75000 | 37, 446, 00000 | 37, 853, 15000 | 37, 360, 15000 |
| U. S. b'ds and sec'ties on hand | $44,164,50000$ | $45,958,55000$ | $43,068,350.00$ | $36,817,600.00$ |
| Oth'r stocks, b'ds, and mortg's | 19, 365, 86477 | 19, 874, 38433 | 20, 007, 32742 | 20, 693, 40640 |
| Due from national banks | 99, 311, 44660 | 95, 900, 60635 | 114, 434, 09793 | 102, 278, 54777 |
| Due from other b'ks and b'k'rs | 8,480, 19974 | 7, 074, 207' 44 | 8, 642, 45672 | 7, 848, 82224 |
| Real estate, fumiture, \&c. | 21, 125, 66568 | 22, 082, 57025 | 22, 699, 82970 | 22, 747, 87518 |
| Current expenses | 2, 986, 89386 | $5,428,460,25$ | 2,938,519 04 | $5,278,91122$ |
| Premiums paid | 2, 464, 536 96 | 2, 660, 10609 | 2, 432, 07437 | 1,819,815 50 |
| Checks and other cash items. | 109,390, 26637 | 114, 993, 03623 | 124, 076, 09771 | 143, 241, 39499 |
| Bills of national banks | 16, 655, 57200 | 12, 573, 51400 | 13, 210, 17900 | 11., 842,97400 |
| Bills of other banks | 261, 26900 | 196, 10600 | 342, 550.00 | 222, $668.00 \cdot$ |
| Fractional currency | 1,927, 87678 | ]., 825, 64016 | 1, 863, 30881 | 2, 262,79197 |
| Specie | 20,981, 60145 | 18, 373,94322 | 20, 755, 91904 | 18, 003, 71389 |
| Legal-tender notes | 114, 306,49100 | 84, 390, 21900 | 100, 166, 10000 | 92, 453, 47500 |
| Gemppound interest notes. | 39, 997, 03000 | 38, 917, 49000 | 19, 473, 42000 | 4,513, 73000 |
| Three per cent. certificates | 8, 245,000 00 | 24, 255, 00000 | 44, 905, 00000 | 59, 080, 00000 |
| Total | 1, 502, 647, 64410 | 1., 499, 668, 92097 | 1,572, 167, 07626 | 1., $559,621,77349$ |

Banks from October; 1863; to October, 1878-Continued.
11866.

| Liabilities. | january 1. | april 2. | July 2. | october 1. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,582 banks. | 1,612 banks. | 1,634 banks. | 1,644 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$403, 357, 34600 | \$409, 273, 53400. | \$414, 270, 49300 | \$415, 472, 36900 |
| Surplus fund.... | $43,000,37078$ $28,972,49370$ | $44,687,81054$ $30,964,422 \mathrm{Fl}$ | $50,151,99177$ $29,286,17545$ | $53,359,27764$ $32,593,48669$ |
| Undivided profits | 28, 972, 49370 | 30,964,422 73 | 29, 286, 17545 | 32, 593,48669 |
| National b'k notes outstanding "State bank notes outstanding | $\begin{array}{r} 213,239,530 \\ 45,449,15500 \\ 05 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 248,886,282 \\ 33,800,865 \\ 00 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 267,798,67800 \\ 19,996,16300 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 280,253,818 \\ 9,748,025 \\ 00 \end{array}$ |
| $\underline{\mathrm{I}}$ Individual deposi | $\begin{array}{r} 522,507,82927 \\ 29,747,23615 \end{array}$ | $534,734,95033$ $\begin{array}{r} 29,150,72982 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}533,338,17425 \\ 36,038 \\ \hline 185 \\ \hline 03\end{array}$ | 564, 616,777 64 |
| U. S. deposits Dep'tsof U.S.disb'sing officers | 29, 747, 23615 | $29,150,72982$ | $\begin{gathered} 36,038,185 \\ 3,066,892 \\ 32 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 30,420,81980 \\ 2,979,95577 \end{array}$ |
| Due to national banks | 94, 709, 07415 | 89, 067, 50154 | 96, 496, 72642 | 110, 531, 95731 |
| Due to other b'ks and bankers | 23, 793, 584.24 | 21, 841,641 35 | 25, 951, 72899 | 26, 986, 31757 |
| Total. | 1, 404, 776, 61929 | 1, 442, 407, 73731 | 1, 476,395, 20813 | 1, 526, 962, 80442 |

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|  | Jandary 7. | APRIL 1. | JULY 1. | October 7. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,648 banks. | 1,642 banks. | 1,636 banks. | 1,642 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$420, 229, 73900 | \$419, 399, 48400 | \$418, 558, 14800 | \$420, 073, 41500 |
| Surplus fund | 59,992, 87457 | 60,206, 01358 | $63,232,81112$ | 66, 695,587 01 |
| Undivided profits | $26,961,38260$ | 31, 131, 08439 | 30,656, 22284 | 33,751, 44621 |
| National b'k notes outstanding | 291, 436, 74900 | 292, 788, 57200 | 291, 769,55300 | 293, 887, 94100 |
| State bank notes outstanding | 6,961, 49900 | 5,460,312 00 | 4, 484, 11200 | 4,092,153 00 |
| Individual deposits | 558, 699, 76806 | 512, 046, 18247 | 539, 599, 07610 | 540, 797, 83751 |
| U. S. deposits ................ | 27, 884,87693 | $27,473,00566$ | 29, 838, 39153 | $23,062,11992$ |
| Dep'ts of U.S. disb'sing officers | 2,477,509 48 | 2, 650, 98139 | 3,474, 19274 | 4, 352, 37943 |
| Due to national banks | 92, 761, 99843 | 91, 156, 89089 | 89, 821, 75160 | 93, 111, 24089 |
| Due to other b'ks and bankers | 24, 416, 58833 | 23, 138, 62946 | 22, 659, 26708 | 19,644, 94020 |
|  |  |  |  | - |
| Total | 1, 511, 222, 98540 | $1,465,451,10584$ | 1, 494, 084, 52601. | 1, 499, 469, 06017 |

## 1868.

|  | January 6. | APRIL 6. | JULY 6. | OCTOBER 5. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,642 bauks. | 1,643 banks. | 1,640 banks. | 1,643 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$420; 260, 79000 | \$420, 676, 21000 | \$420, 105, 01100 | \$420, 684, 51100 |
| Surplus fimd | 70, 586, 12570 | 72, 349, 11960 | 75, 840, 118.94 | 77, 995, 76140 |
| Undivided profits | 31, 399, 87757 | 32, 861, 59708 | 33, 543, 22335 | 36,095, 88398 |
| National b'k notes outstanding | 294, 377, 39000 | 295, 336, 04400 | 294, 908, 26400 | 295, 769, 48900 |
| State bank notes outstanding. | 3, 792, 01300 | $3,310,17700$ | 3, 168, 77100 | 2,906, 35200 |
| Individual deposits | 534, 704, 70900 | 532, 011, 48036 | 575, 842, 07012 | 580, 940, 82085 |
| U. S. deposits | 24, 305, 63802 | 22, 750, 34277 | 24, 603, 67696 | 17, 573, 25064 |
| Dep'ts of U.S. disb'sing officers | 3, 208, 78303 | 4,976,682 31 | 3, 499, 389 99 | 4,570, 47816 |
| Due to oational banks | 98, 144, 66961 | 94, 073, 63125 | 1113, 306, 34634 | 99, 414, 39728 |
| Due to other b'ks and bankers. | 21, 867, 64817 | 21, 323,636 60 | 27, 355,204 56 | 23, 720, 82918 |
| Total | 1, 502, 647, 644 10 | 1., 499, 668, 92097 | 1., 572, 167, 07626 | $1,559,621,77349$ |

## Aggreyate resources and liabilities of the National

1869. 

| Resources. | Jandary 4. | APRIL 17. | June 12. | OCTOBER 9. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,628 banks. | 1,620 banks. | 1,619 banks. | 1,617 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$644, 945, 03953 | \$662, 084, 81347 | \$686, 347, 75581 | \$682, 883, 10697 |
| U. S. bonds to secure circlat'n | 338, 539, 95000 | 338, 379, 25000 | 338, 699, 750, 00 | 339, 480, 10000 |
| U. S. bonds to secure deposits | 34, 538, 35000 | 29,721, 35000 | 27, 625,35000 | 18, 704, 00000 |
| U. S. b'ds and sec'ties on hand. | $35,010,60000$ | $30,226,55000$ | $27,476,65000$. | 25903,95000 |
| Oth'r stocks, b'ds, and mortg's | 20, 127, 73296 | 20, 074, 435 69 | 20, 777, 56053 | 22, 250, 69714 |
| Due from redeeming agents. . | 65, 727, 07080 | 57, 554, 38255 | 62, 912,636 82 | 56, 669, 56284 |
| Due from other national banks | 36, 067, 31684 | $30,520,52789$ | 35, 556, 50453 | 35, 393, 56347 |
| Due from State b'ks aud b'k'rs | 7, 715, 71934 | $8,075,59560$ | 9, 140, 91924 | 8,790, 41857 |
| Real estate, furniture, \&c.... | 23, 289, 83828 | 23, 798, 18813 | 23, 859, $271{ }^{\text {² }} 17$ | 25,169, 18895 |
| Current expenses. | 3, 265, 99081 | $5,641,19501$ | $5,820,57787$ | 5, 646, 38296 |
| Premiams paid | 1, 654, 35270 | 1, 716,210 13 | 1, 809,070 01 | 2, 092, 36485 |
| Checks and other cash items | 142, 605,984 92 | 154, 137, 19123 | 161, 614,85266 | $108,809,81737$ |
| Bills of other mational banks, | 14, 684, 79900 | 11, 725, 23900 | 11, 524,44700 | 10,776, 02300 |
| Fractional currency... | 2, 280, 47106 | 2,088,545 18 | 1, 804, 85553 | 2,090, 72738 |
| Specie | 29, 626, 75026 | 9, 944, 53215 | $18,455,09048$ | 23, 002, 40583 |
| Legal-tender notes | 88, 239, 30000 | 80, 875, 16100 | 80, 934, 11900 | $83,719,29500$ |
| Three per cent. certificates | 52, 075, 00000 | 51, 190, 00000 | $49,815,00000$ | 45, 845, 00000 |
| Total | 1,540, 394, 26650 | 1, 517, 753, 16703 | 1, 564, 174, 41065 | 1, 497, 226, 60433 |

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|  | JANUARY 22. | march 24. | JUNE 9. | OCTOBER 8. | DECEMBER 28. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,615 banks. | 1,615 banks. | 1,612 banks. | 1,615 banks. | 1,648 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$688, 875, 20370 | \$710, 848, 60939 | \$719, 341, 18606 | \$715, 928, 07981 | \$725, 515, 53849 |
| Bonds for circulation | 339, 350, 75000 | 339, 251, 35000 | $338,845,20000$ | $340,857,45000$ | $344,104,20000$ |
| Bonds for deposits. | 17, 592, 00000 | 16, 102, $000 \cdot 00$ | 15, 704, 00000 | 15,381, 50000 | 15, 189, 50000 |
| U. S. bonds on hand | 24, 677, 10000 | 27, 292, 15000 | 28, 276, 60000 | 22, 323, 80000 | 23, 893, 30000. |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 21, 082, 41200 | 20, 524, 29455 | $23,300,68187$ | 23, 614, 72125 | 22, 686, 35859 |
| Daefrom red'gagents | 71, 641, 48605 | 73, 435, 11798 | $74,635,40561$ | 66, 275, 66892 | 64, 805, 06288 |
| Due from nat'l banks | 31, 994, 60926 | 29, 510, 68811 | $36,128,75066$ | $33,948,80565$ | 37, 478, 16649 |
| Due from State banks | 9, 319,560 54 | 10, 238, 21985 | 10, 430, 78132 | 9, 202, 49671 | $9,824,14418$ |
| Real estate, \&c | 26, 002, 71301 | 26, 330, 70124 | 26, 593, 357 00 | 27, 470, 74697 | 28, 021, 63744 |
| Current expen | 3, 469,588 00 | 6, 683, 18954 | $6,324,95547$ | $\overline{5}, 871,75002$ | 6,905,073 32 |
| Preminms paid | 2, 439,591 41 | 2, 680, 88239 | 3, 076, 45674 | 2, 491, 22211 | 3, 251, 64872 |
| Cash items | 111, 624, 82200 | 11, 267, 70312 | 11, 497, 53413 | 12, 536, 61.357 | 13, 229,403 34 |
| Clear'g-house exch'gs |  | 75, 317, 99222 | 83, 936, 515 64 | $79,089,68839$ | 76, 208, 70700 |
| National bank notes | 15, 840, 66900 | $14,226,81700$ | 16, 342, 58200 | 12, 512, 927 00 | 17, 001, 84600 |
| Fractional currency | 2, 476,966. 75 | 2, 285, 49902 | 2, 184, 71439 | 2, 078, 17805 | 2, 150,522 89 |
| Specie | 48, 345, 383, 72 | 37, 096, 54344 | 31, 099, 43778 | - $18,460,01147$ | 26.307, 25159 |
| Legal-tender notes | 87, 708, 50200 | 82, 485, 97800 | 94, 573, 75100 | $79,324,57700$ | 80, 580, 74500 |
| Three percent. cert'fs | 43, 820, 00000 | $43,570,00000$ | $43,465,00000$ | 43, 345, 00000 | 41, 845, 000.00 |
| Total | 1,546,261, 35744 | 1,529,147,735 85 | 1,565,756,909 67 | $1,510,713,23692$ | 1,538,998,105 93 |

1871. 

|  | MARCH 18. | APRIL 29. | JUNE 10. | OCTOBER 2. | DECEMDER 16. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,688 banks. | 1,707 banks. | 1,733 laanks. | 1,767 banks. | 1,790 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$767, 858, 49059 | \$779, 321, 82811 | \$789, 416, 56813 | \$831, 552, 21000 | \$818,996, 31174 |
| Bonds for circulation | 351, 556, 70000 | 354, 427, 20000 | 357, 388, $950 \cdot 60$ | 364, 475, 80000 | $366,840,20000$ |
| Bonds for deposits. | 15; 231, 50000 | 15, 236, 50000 | 15, 250, 50000 | 28, 087, 50000 | $23,155,15000$ |
| U. S. bonds on hand | 23, 911, 35000 | 22, 487, 95000 | $24,200,30000$ | 17, 753, 65000 | 17, 675, 50000 |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 22, 763, 86920 | 22, 414, 65905 | 23, 132,871 05 | 24, 517, 05935 | 23, 061, 18420 |
| Due from red'gagents | 83, 809, 18892 | $85,061,01631$. | 92, 369, 24671 | 86, 878, 60884 | 77, 985, 60053 |
| Due from nat'l banks | 30, 201, 11999 | 38,332, 67974 | 39, 636, 57935 | $43,525,36205$ | 43, 313, 34478 |
| Due from State banks | 10, 271, 60534 | 11, 478, 174.71 | 11, 853, 30860 | 12,772, 66983 | 13, 069, 30140 |
| Real estate, \&c. | 28,805, 81479 | 29, 242, 76279 | $29,637,99930$ | 30, 089, 78385 | 30, 070, 33057 |
| Current expense | 6, 694, 01417 | 6, 764, 15973 | 6, 295, 09946 | $6,153,37029$ | 7, 330,424 12 |
| Premiums paid | 3, 939,995 20 | 4, 414, 75540 | 5, 026,385 97 | $5,500,89017$ | 5, 956,073 74 |
| Cash items | 11, 642, 64474 | 12,749, 28984 | 13, 101, 49795 | $14,058,26886$ | 13.784, 424.76 |
| Clear'g-house exch'gs | 100, 693, 91754 | 130.855, 69815 | 102, 091, 31175 | 101, 165. 85452 | 114, 538, 53993 |
| National bank notes. | 13, 137, 00600 | 16, 632, 32300 | 19, 101, 38900 | 14, 197, 65300 | 13, 085,90400 |
| Fractional currency | 2, 103, 29816 | 2, 135, 76309 | 2, 160, 71322 | 2, 095, 48579 | 2, 061, 60089 |
| Specie.............. | 25, 769, 16664 | 22, 732,027 02 | 19, 924, 955 16 | 13, 252, 99817 | $29,595,29956$ |
| Legal-tender notes.. | $91,072,349$ <br> $37,570,000$ | $106,-219,12600$. $33,985,00000$ | $122,137,660$ 300 690 | 109, 414, 73500 | $93,942 ; 707 \cdot 00$ |
| Three per cent. cert'fs | 37, 570, 00000 | $33,935,00000$ | 30, 690, 00000 | $25,075,00000$ | 21, 400, 00000 |
| Total. | 1,66:7,032,030 28 | 1,694,440,912 94 | \|1,703,415,395 65 | 1,730,566,899 72 | 1,715,861,897 22 |

Banks from October, 1863, to October, 1878-Continued.
1869 .

| Liabilities. | January 4. | APRIL 17. | JUNE 12. | OCTOBER 9. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,628 banks. | 1., 620 banks. | 1,619 banks. | 1,617 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$419, 040, 93100 | \$420, 818, 72100 | \$422, 659, 26000 | \$426,399, 15100 |
| Surplus fund | 81, 169, 93052 | 82, 053,98919 | 82, 218,576 47 | $86,165,33432$ |
| Undivided profi | $35,318,27371$ | $37,489,31482$ | $43,812,89870$ | $40,687,30092$ |
| Nat'l bank notes outstanding. . | 294, 476, 70200 | 292, 457, 09800 | 292, 753, 28600 | 293, 593, 64500 |
| State bank notes outstanding | $2 ; 734,66900$ | 2,615,387 00 | $2,558,87400$ | 2, 455 , 69700 |
| Individual deposits | 568, 530, 934, 11 | 547, 922, 17491 | 574, 307, 38277 | 511. 400, 19603 |
| U. S. deposits ........ | 13, 21.1, 85019 | 10, 114, 32832 | 1.0, 301, 9077. | 7, 112, 64667 |
| Dep'ts U.S. disbursing officers. | 3, 472, 88490 | 3, 665, 13161 | 2, 454,048 99 | $4,516,64812$ |
| Due to uational banks | $95,453,13933$ | 92, 662, 64849 | 100, 933, 91003 |  |
| Due to State banks and b'k'rs | 26, 984, 945 74 | 23,018,610 62 | 28, 046, 77130 | 23, 849, 37162 |
| Notes and bills re-discounted |  | $2,464,84981$ | $2,392,20561$ | 3, 839, 35710 |
| Bills payable.. |  | $1,870,91326$ | $1,735,28007$ | 2, 140, 36312 |
| Total | 1,540, 394, 26650 | 1,517, 753, 167 03 | 1, 564, 174,410 65 | 1,497, 226, 60433 |

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|  | Jandaliy 22. | march 24. | JUNE 9. | OCTOMER 8. | DECEMBER 28. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,615 banks. | 1,615 banks. | 1,612 banks. | 1,615 banks. | 1,648 banks. |
| Capital st | \$426, 074, 95400 | \$427, 504, 24700 | \$427, 235,70100 | \$430, 399, 30100 | \$435, 356, 00400 |
| Sumplas fund | $90,174,28114$ | 90, 229, 95459 | $91,689,83412$ | 94, 061, 438 95 | 94, 705, 74034 |
| Undivided profit | 34, 300, 43080 | 43, 109, 4.7162 | 42, 861, 71259 | 38,608, 61891 | 46, 056, 42855 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 292, 838, 935 00 | 292, 509, 14900 | 291, 183, 61400 | 291, 798, 64000 | 296, 205, 44600 |
| State bank circulation | 2, 351, 99300 | 2, 279, 46900 | 2, 222, 79300 | 2, 138,548 00 | 2, 09], 79900 |
| Dividends unpa | 2, 299, 29627 | 1, 483, 41615 | 1, 517, 69518 | 2, 462,591 31 | 2, 242,556 49 |
| Individual deposits | 546, 236, 88157 | 516, 058, 08526 | 542, 26]., 563.18 | 501. 407, 58690. | 507, 368, 01867 |
| U. S. deposits. | 6, 750, 3.3919 | 6, 424, 42125 | 10, 677, 87392 | 6, 807, 97849 | $6,074,40790$ |
| Dep'ts U. S. dis. offi'rs | 2,592, 00121 | $4,778,22593$ | 2,592, 06754 | 4,550,142 68 | 4, 155, 30425 |
| Due to national banks | 108, 351, 30033 | 1.09, 667, 71595 | 115, 456, 49184 | 100, 348, 29245 | 106, 090, 41453 |
| Due to State banks. | 28, 904, 84914 | 29, 767, 57521 | 33, 012, 16278 | 29, 693, 91080 | 29, 200, 58729 |
| Notes re-discounte | 3, 842,542 30 | 2,462, 64749 | 2, 741. 84353 | 3, 843, 57767 | $4,612,13108$ |
| Bills payable......... | J., 543, 75349 | 2,873,357 40 | 2, 302, 75699 | 4,592,609 76 | 4, 838, 66783 |
| Total | 1,946, 261,357 44 | 1,529,147,735 85 | 1,565,756,909 67 | 1,510,713,236 92 | 1,538,998,105 03 |

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|  | MARCH 18. | APRIS 29. | June 10. | october 2. | DECEMLER 16. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,688 banks. | 1,707 banks. | 1,723 banks. | 1,767 banks. | 1,790 loanks. |
| Capital stock | 444, 232, 77100 | \$446, 925, 49300 | \$450, 330, 84100 | \$458, 255, 69600 | \$460, 225, 86600 |
| Surplus fund | $96,862,081.66$ | 97, 620, 09928 | 98, 322, 20380 | 101, 112, 67191 | 101, 573, 15362 |
| Undivided profits | 43, 883, 85764 | 44, 776, 03071 | 45, 535, 22779 | 42, 008, 71438 | 48,630, 92581 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 301, 71, 46000 | 306, 131, 39300 | 307, 793, 88000 | 315, 519, 11700 | 318, 265, 48100 |
| State bank circulation | $2,035,80000$ | 1,982, 58000 | 1, 968, 05800 | 1, 921., 05600 | 1, 886, 53800 |
| Dividends unpaïd | 1, 263,767 70 | 2,235,248 46 | 1, 408,628 25 | 4, 540, 19461 | 1,393,427 98 |
| Individual deposits | 561, 190, 8304. | $61.1,025,1741.0$ | $602,110,75816$ | $600,868,48655$ | 596, 586,48754 |
| U. S. deposits........ | $6,314,95781$ | 6,521, 77292 | $6,265,16794$ | 20, 511, 93598 | 1.4, 829,52565 |
| Dep'ts U. S. dis. off'r's | 4, 813, 01666 | 3,757,873 84 | 4, 893, 90725 | 5, 393,598 89 | $5,399,10834$ |
| Due to national banks | 118, 9c4, 81584 | 1.28, 037, 46917 | 135, 167, 84769 | 1.31, 730; 71.3, 04 | 118, 657,614 16 |
| Due to State banks... | 37,311 51.913 | $36,113,29067$ | 41, 219, 80296 | 40,211, 97167 | 38, 116, 950.67 |
| Notes re-discounted | 3. 256, 89642 | 3,573,723 02 | 3, 120, 03909 | 3, 964,552 57 | 4,922, 45578 |
| Bills payable. | 5,248, 206, 01 | 5,740,964 77 | 5, 278, 97372 | 4, 528, 19112 | 5, 374,362 67 |
| Total. | 1,627,032,030 28 | 1,694,440,912 94 | 1,703,415,335 65 | 1,730,566,899 72 | 1.715, 86.1,897 22 |

## Aggregate resources and liabilities of the National

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| Resources: | FEBRUALY 27. | APriL 19. | JUNE 10. | OCTOBER 3. | DECEMLEER 27. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,814 banks. | 1,843 bainks. | 1,853 banks. | 1,919 banks. | 1,040 banks. |
| Loans aud discounts | \$839, 665, 07791 | \$844, 902, 25349 | \$871. 531, 44867 | \$877, 197, 92347 | \$885, 653, 44962 |
| Bonds for circulation | 370, 924, 70000 | 374, 428, 45000 | 377, 029,700 00 | 382, 046, 40000 | 384, 458, 50000 |
| Bonds for deposits... | $15,870,00000$ | $15,169,00000$ | 15, 409, 95000 | 15, 479, 75000 | 16, 304, 75000 |
| U. S. bonds on hand. | 21, 323, 15000 | 19, 292, 10000 | 16, 458, 25000 | 12, 142, 55000 | 10, 306, 10000 |
| Other stocks and b'ds | $22,838,33880$ | 21, 538, 91406 | 22, 270, 61047 | 23, 533, 1.5173 | 23, 160, 55729 |
| Duefromred'g agents | 89, 548, 32993 | 82, 120, 01724 | 91, 564,26953 | 80, 717, 071 30 | 86, 401, 45944 |
| Due from nat'l banks. | 38, 282, 90586 | 36, 697, 59281 | 39, 468, 32339 | 34, 486, 59387 | 42,707, 61354 |
| Due from State bauks | 12, 209, 82268 | 12, 299, 71694 | 13, 014, 26526 | 12, 976, 87801 | 12, 008, 84354 |
| Real estate, sec. | 30, 637, 676 75 | 30, 800, 27498 | 31, 123, 84321 | 32, 276, 49817 | 33, 014, 79683 |
| Curreat exponses | 6, 265, 65513 | 7, 026, 04123 | 6, 719, 79490 | 6, 310, 42879 | $8,454,80397$ |
| Premixums paid | 6, 308,821 86 | $6,544,27929$ | 6, 61.6, 17475 | 6, 546, 84852 | 7,097, 84786 |
| Cash items. | 12, 1.43, 40312 | 12, 461, 17140 | 13, 458, 75380 | 14, 916, 78434 | $13,696,72385$ |
| Clear'g-honse exch'gs | 93, 154, 81.974 | 114, 195, 96636 | $88,592,80016$ | 110, 086, 31537 | 90, 145, 48272 |
| National bank notes. | 15, 552, 08700 | 18, 492, 83200 | 16, 253, 56000 | 15, 787, 29600 | 19, 070, 32200 |
| Fractioual curreacy | 2, 278, 14324 | 2. 143, 24929 | 2, 069, 46412 | 2, 151, 74788 | 2, 270, 57632 |
| Specie | 25, 507, 82532 | 24, 433, 89946 | 24, 256, 64414 | 10, 229, 75679 | 19, 047, 33645 |
| Legal-tender notes | 97, 865, 40000 | 105, 732, 45500 | 122, 994, 41700 | 105, 121, 10400 | 102, 922, 36000 |
| U. S. cert'fs of deposit |  |  |  | 6, 71.0, 00000 | 12, 650, 00000 |
| Three per cent. cert's. | 18,980, 00000 | 15, 365, 00000 | 12,005, 00000 | 7, 140, 00000 | 4, 185,000 00 |
| Total. | ,719,415,657 34 | 1,743,652,213 55 | 1.,770,837,269 40 | 1,755,857,008 24 | 1,773,556,532 43 |

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|  | Februaliy 28. | AlPIL 25. | June 13. | SEPTEMBER 12. | DKCEMBER 26. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,947 banks. | 1,962 banks. | 1,968 banks. | 1,976 banks. | 1,976 banks. |
| Loans and discoments | \$913, 265, 18967 | \$912, 064, 26731 | \$925, 557, 68242 | \$944, 220, 11634 | \$856, 816, 55505 |
| Bonds forcircalation | 384, 675, 05000 | 386, 763, 80000 | 388, 080, 30000 | 388, 330, 40000 | $389,384,40000$ |
| Ronds for deposits. | 15, 035, 00000 | 16, 235, 00000 | $15,935,00000$ | 14, 805,00000 | 14, 815, 20000 |
| U. S. bonds on hand. | 1.0, 436, 95000 | $9,613,55000$ | 9,789,400 00 | 8, 824, 85000 | 8, 630,85000 |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 22, 063, 30620 | 22, 449, 14604 | 22, 912, 41.563 | 23, 709, 03453 | 24, 358, 12506 |
| Duefromred'gagents | 95, 773, 07710 | 88, 81.5, 555780 | 97, 1.43, 32694 | $96,134,1.2066$ | 73, 032, 04687 |
| Due from mat'l banks | 30, 483, 70009 | 38, 671, 08863 | $43,32 \mathrm{~S}, 79229$ | 41. 413, 68006 | 40, 404, 75797 |
| Due from State banks | 1.3, 595, 679 17 | 12, 883, 35337 | 14, 073, 28777 | 12, 022, 87341 | 11, 185, 25308 |
| Real estate, \&c | 34, 023, 05777 | 34, 216, 87807 | 34, 820, 56277 | 34, 661, 82321 | 35, 55, 6,74648 |
| Current expenso | 6, 977, 83]. 35 | 7, 410, 04587 | 7, 154, 211.69 | 6, 985, 43699 | 8, 678, 17039 |
| Premiums paid. | 7, 205, 25967 | 7,559,987 67 | 7, 890, 962 14 | 7, 752, 84387 | 7,987,707 14 |
| Cash items.. | 11, 761, 711 50 | 11, 425, 20900 | 13, 036, 48258 | 11, 433, 91322 | 12,321, 972 80 |
| Clear'g.house exch'gs | 1.31, 383, 86095 | 94, 132, 1.2524 | 91, 918,52659 | 88, 926, 003.53 | 62, 881, 34216 |
| National bank notes. | 15, 998, 77900 | 19, 31.0, 20200 | 20, 394, 77200 | 16, 103, 84200 | 21, 403, 17900 |
| Fractional currency. | 2, 289, 68021 | 2, 1.98, 97337 | 2, 197, 55984 | 2, 302,775 26 | 2, 287, 45403 |
| Specie | 17, 777, 67353 | 16, 868, 80874 | 27, 050, 08672 | 19, 368,46945 | 26, 907, 03758 |
| Legal-tender notes. | 97, 141, 90900 | 100, 605, 28700 | 106, 381, 49100 | 92, 522,66300 | 108, 719, 50600 |
| O.S. cert's of deposit | 18, 460, 00000 | 18,370,000 00 | $22,365,00000$ | $20,610,00000$ | 24, 010, 00000 |
| Three per cent. cert's | ], 805, 00000 | 71.0,000 00 | 305,000 00 |  |  |
| Total | 1,889,152,71.5 21 | 1,800,303,280 11 | 1,851, 234, 86038 | 1,830,627,845 53 | 1,729,380,303 61 |

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|  | FEBRUARY 27. | may 1. | June 26. | OCTOBEL 2. | DECEMBER 31. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1.,975 betuks. | 1,978 luanks. | 1,983 banks. | 2,004 banks. | 2,027 banks. |
| Loans and discounts. | \$897, 859, 60046 | \$923, 347, 03079 | \$926, 195, 67170 | \$954, 394, 791. 59 | \$ $\$ 955,862,58051$ |
| Boods for circulation. | 389, 614, 70000 | $389,249,10000$ | 390, 281, 70000 | 383, 254, 80000 | 382, 976, 20000 |
| Bonds for deposits. | 14, 600, 20000 | 14, 890, 20000 | 14, 590, 20000 | 14, 691, 70000 | 14, 714, 00000 |
| U. S. bouds on hand. | 11, 043, 400 00 | $10,1.52,00000$ | 10, 456, 90000 | 1.3, 31.3, 55000 | 15, 290, 30000 |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 25, 305, 73624 | $25,460,46020$ | 27, 010, 72748 | 27, 807, 83692 | $28,313,47312$ |
| Due from res've ag'ts | 101, 502, 86158 | 94, 017, 60331 | 97, 871, 51706 | 83, 885, 12694 | $80,488,83145$ |
| Due from nat'l banks. | 36, 624, 001. 39 | 41, 291., 01.5 24 | 45, 770, 71.5 59 | 39, 695, 30947 | 48, 100, 84262 |
| Due from Stato banks | 11, 496, 71.147 | 12, 374, 39128 | 1.2, 469, 59233 | 11, 196, 61173 | 11, 655, 57307 |
| Real estate, \&c | 36, 043, 741.50 | 36, 708, 06639 | 37, 370,87651 | 38, 112, 92652 | 39, 190, 68304 |
| Corrent exper | $6,998,87575$ | 7,547, 20305 | $7,550,12520$ | 7, 658,738 82 | $5,510,56647$ |
| Premiums pai | 8, 741, 02877 | 8, 680, 37084 | 8, 563, 26227 | 8,376,659 07 | 8, 626, 1.1216 |
| Cash items | 10, 269, 95550 | 11, 949, 02071. | 10, 496, 25700 | 12, 296, 41677 | 14, 005, 51733 |
| Clear'g-house exch'gs | 62, 768, 119.19 | 94, 877, 79652 | 63, 596, 27131 | 97, 383, 68711 | 112, 995,317 55 |
| National bank notes. | 20, 003, 251. 00 | 20, 673, 45200 | 23, 527, 99100 | 18, 450, 013 00 | 22, 532, 33600 |
| Fractional currency | 2,309,919 73 | 2, 187, 18669 | 2, 283, 89892 | 2, 224, 94312 | 2, 392, 66874 |
| Specie. | 33, 365, 86358 | 32, 569, 96926 | 22, 326, 20727 | 21, 240, 94523 | 22, 436, 76104 |
| Legal-tender not | 102, 717, 56300 | 101, 692, 93000 | 103, 108, 35000 | 80, 021, 944600 | 82, 604, 79100 |
| U.S. cert'fs ofdeposit | 37, 235, 00000 | $40,135,00000$ | 47, 780, 00000 | $42,825,00000$ | $33,070,00000$ |
| Dep. witb U.S. Treas |  |  | 91, 25000 | 20,349, 95015 | 21, 043, 08436 |
| Total | 1,808,500,529, 16 | 1, 867,802,796 28 | 1,851,840,913 64 | 1.,877,180,942 44 | 1,902,409,638 46 |

Banks from October, 1863, to October, 1878—Continued.
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| Liabilities. | Ferruary 27. | APRIL 19. | JUNE 10. | octoper 3. | DECEMBER 27. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,814 banks. | 1,843 banks. | 1,853 banks. | 1,919 banks. | 1,940 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$464, 081, 74400 | \$467, 924, 31800 | \$470, 543, 30100 | \$479, 629, 17400 | \$482, 606, 25200 |
| Surplus fund | 103, 787, 08262 | 104, 312, 52581 | 105, 181, 94328 | 110, 257, 51645 | 111, 410, 24898 |
| Uudivided profits. | 43, 310, 34446 | $46,428,59090$ | 50, 234, 29832 | 46, 623,784 50 | 56,762, 41189 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 321, 634, 67500 | 325, 305, 75200 | 327, 092, 75200 | $333,495,02700$ | 336, 289, 28500 |
| State bank circulation | 1, 830,563 00 | 1,763,885 00 | 1,700,935 00 | 1,567,143 00 | 1,511,39600 |
| Dividends | 1, 451, 74629 | 1,561, 91445 | 1,454, 04406 | 3,149,749 61 | 1,356;984 48 |
| Individual deposits | 593, 645,666 16 | 620, 775, 26578 | 61.8,801, 61949 | $613,290,67145$ | 598,114,679 26 |
| U. S. deposits. | 7, 114, 89347 | 6, 355, 72295 | 6, 993, 01.477 | 7, 853,772 41 | 7, 863, 89493 |
| Dep'ts U'S. ${ }^{\text {dis.officers }}$ | $5,024,69944$ | 3, 416, 37116 | $5,463,95348$ | 4,568,883 79 | $5,136,59774$ |
| Due to national banks | 128, 627;494 44 | 120, 755, 56586 | 132, 804, 92402 | 110, 047, 34767 | 124, 218, 39283 |
| Due to State banks.. | 39, 025,165 44 | 35, 00512784 | 39, 878, 82642 | 33, 789,083 82 | 34, 794, 96337 |
| Notes re-discou | 3, 818, 68691 | 4, 225, 62204 | 4, 745, 17822 : | 5,549,43188 | 6, 545, 05978 |
| Bills payable. | 6, 062, 89611 | 5,821, 55176 | 5,942, 47934 | 6, 040, 562.66 | 6, 946, 41617 |
| Tota | 1,719,415,657 34 | 1,743,652,213 55 | 1,770,837,269 40 | 1,755,857,098 24 | 1, 773, 556, 53243 |

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|  | fembuary 28. | APEIL, 25. | JUNE 13. | Smptemiler 12. | DECEMBER 26. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,947 banks. | 1,962 banks. | 1,968 banks. | J, 976 bauks. | 1,976 bauks. |
| Capital stock | \$484, 551, 81100 | \$487, 891, 25100 | \$490, 109, 80100 | \$491, 072, 61600 | \$490, 266,611 00 |
| Surplus fund. | 114, 681, 04873 | 115, 805, 57457 | 116, 847, 45462 | $120,314,49920$ | 120, 961, 26791 |
| Undivided profits | 48,578, 04528 | 52, 415, 34846 | 55,306, 154 69 | 54, 515, 13176 | $58,375,16943$ |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 336, 292, 45900 | 338, 163, 86400 | $338,788,50400{ }^{\text {t }}$ | 339, 08179900 | 341, 320, 25600 |
| State bauk circulation | 1,368, 27100 | 1, 280, 20800 | 1, 224, 47000 | $1,188,85300$ | 1, 130, 58500 |
| Dividends unpai | 1,465,993 60 | 1,462,336 77 | 1, 400,49190 | 1,402,547 89 | 1, 269,474 74 |
| Individual deposits | 656, 187, 551.61 | 616, 848, 35825 | 641, 121, 775.27 | 622, 685, 56329 | 540, 510, 60278 |
| U. S. deposits. | 7, 044, 84834 | 7, 880, 05773 | 8, 691, 00195 | 7, 829, 32773 | 7, 680, 37526 |
| Dep'ts U.S.dis.ofticers | $5,835,69660$ | 4,425; 75014 | 6, 416, 27510 | 8, 098, 56013 | 4,705,593 36 |
| Due to national banks | 134, 231, 84295 | 126, 631, 92624 | 137, 856, 08567 | 133, 672, 73294 | 114, 996, 66654 |
| Due to State bauks | 38, 124, 80385 | 35, 036, 43318 | 40, 741, 78847 | 39, 298, 14814 | $36,598,07629$ |
| Notes re-discounted. | 5, 117, 81050 | 5, 403, 04338 | $5,515,90067$ | 5, 987, 51236 | 3, 811,487 89 |
| Bills payable......... | 5, 672, 532 75 | 7, 059, 12839 | 7,215, 15704 | 5, 480, 55409 | 7, 754, 13741. |
| Total | 1,839,152, 71521 | 1,800,303,280 11 | 1,851,234,860 38 | 1,830,627,845 53 | 1, 729, 380, 30361 |

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|  | mebrualix 27. | may 1. | JUNE 26. | OCTOLER 2. | december 31. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1,975 banks. | 1,978 banks. | 1,983 baniks. | 2,004 banks. | 2,027 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$490, 859, 10100 | \$490, 077, 00100 | \$491, 003, 711 00 | \$493, 765, 12100 | \$495, 802, 48100 |
| Surplus fund | 123, 497, 34720 | 125, 561, 08123 | 126, 239, 30841 | 128, 958, 10684. | 130, 485,64.1 37 |
| Undivided profit | 50, 236, 91988 | 54, 331, 71313 | 58, 332, 96571 | 51, 484, 437 32 | 51, 477, 62933 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 339, 602, 95500 | 340, 267, 64900 | 338, 538, 74300 | 333, 225, 29800 | 331, 198, 15900 |
| State bank circulation | 1, 078, 98800 | 1, 049,28600 | 1, 009, 02100 | 964, 567 00 | 860,41700 |
| Dividends unpa | 1, 991, 05563 | 2, 259, 12991 | 1,242,474 81 | 3,516,276 99 | $6,088,84501$. |
| Individnal depo | 595, 350, 33490 | 649, 286, 29895 | 622, 863, 15444 | 669, 068, 995.88 | 682, 846, 60745 |
| U. S. deposits | 7,276, 95987 | 7, 994, 429 37 | 7, 322, 82085 | 7, 302, 153 58 | 7, 492, 30778 |
| Dep'ts U.S.dis.officers | 5, 034, 624 46 | 3, 297, 68924 | 3,238 65920 | 3,927, 82827 | 3, 579,722 94 |
| Due to national banks | 138, 435, 38589 | 135, 640, 418 24 | $143,083,822 \cdot 25$ | 125, 1.02, 049983 | 129, 188, 67142 |
| Due to State banks | 48, 112, 22340 | 48,683, 924 34 | $50,227,42618$ | 50, 718, 00787 | 51, 629,602 36 |
| Notes re-diseountc | 3, 448, 82892 | 4,581,420 38 | 4, 436, 25622 | 4,197,372 25 | 6,365,652 97 |
| Bills payable. | 4, 275,002 51 | 4,772,662 59 | 4,352,560 57 | 4,950,727 51 | $5,398,90083$ |

## Aggregate resources and liabilities of the National

1875. 

| Resources. | March 1. | MAY 1. | June 30. | October 1. | december 17. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,029 banks. | 2,046 banks. | 2,076 banks. | 2,088 banks. | 2,086 banks. |
| Loans and discounts. | \$956, 485, 93935 | \$971, 835, 29874 | \$972, 926, 53214 | \$984, 691, 43440 | \$962, 571, 80770 |
| Bonds for circulation | 380, 682, 65000 | 378, 026, 90000 | 375, 127, 90000 | 370, 321, 70000 | 363, 618, 10000 |
| Bonds for deposits | $14,492,20000$ | 14, 372, 20000 | $14,147,20000$ | 14, 097, 20000 | $13,981,50000$ |
| U. S. bonds on hand. | 18,062, 15000 | 14, 297, 65000 | 12, 753, 00000 | $13,989,95000$ | 16, 009, 55000 |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 28, 268, 84169 | 29, 102, 19710 | 32, 010, 31.6 .18 | $33,505,04515$ | 31, 657, 96052 |
| Due from res've ag'ts | 89, 991, 17534 | 80, 620, 87875 | 89, 788, 903.73 | 85, 701, 25982 | 81, 462, 68227 |
| Duefrom nat'l banks. | 44, 720, 39411 | 46, 039, 59757 | 48, 513, 38886 | 47, 028, 76918 | 44, 881, 89148 |
| Due from State banks | 12, 724, 24397 | 12, 094, 08639 | 11, 625, 6471.5 | 11, 963, 76890 | 11, 895, 55108 |
| Real estate, \&c...... | 39, 430, 952.12 | 40, 312, 28599 | 40, 969, 02049 | 42,366, 64765 | 41, 583, 31194 |
| Currentexpense | 7,790,681 86 | 7, 706, 70042 | 4, 992, 04434 | 7,841, 21305 | 9, 218, 45547 |
| Preminms paid | 9, 006, 88092 | $8,434,45314$ | $8,742,39383$ | 8,670, 09118 | $9,442,801.54$ |
| Cash items. | 11, 734, 76242 | 13, 122, 14588 | 12, 433, 10043 | 12, 758, 87203 | 11, 238, 72072 |
| Clear'g.houseexch'gs | 81, 127, 79639 | 116, 970, 81905 | $88,924,02593$ | $75,142,863.45$ | 67, 886, 967 04 |
| Bills of other banks.. | 18, 909, 39700 | 19,504, 64000 | 24, 261, 96.1 00 | 18, 528, 83700 | 17, 166, 19000 |
| Fractional currency: | 3, 008, 59212 | 2, 702, 32644 | $2,620,50426$ | 2, 595, 63178 | 2, 901, 02310 |
| Specio. | 16,667, 10617 | 10,620, 36164 | 18, 959, 58230 | 8, 050, 32973 | 17, 070, 90590 |
| Legal-tender notes. | 78, 508, 1.7000 | 84, 015, 92800 | 87, 492, 89500 | 76, 458, 73400 | 70, 725, 07700 |
| U.S. cert'ss of deposit | 37, 200, 00000 | 38, 61.5, 00000 | 47, 310, 00000 | $48,81.0,00000$ | 31, 005,00000 |
| Duefrom U.S. Treas. | 21, 007, 91976 | 21, 454, 42229 | 19, 640, 78552 | 19, 686, 96030 | 19, 202, 25668 |
| To | 1, 869,819,753 22 | 1,909,847,801 40 | 1,913,239,201 16 | 1,882,209,307 62 | 1,823,469,752 44 |

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|  | Matreh 10. | MAY 12. | June 30. | octomer 2. | DECEMBER 22. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,091 banks. | 2, 089 banks. | 2,09]. banks. | 2, 089 banks. | 2,082 banks. |
| Loans and discounts | \$950, 205, 555 | \$989, 895, 08534 | \$933, 686, 530 45 | \$931, 304, 71406 | \$929, 066, 40842 |
| Bonds for circulation | 354, 547, 75000 | 344, 537, 35000 | 339, 141, 75000 | 337, 170, 40000 | $336,705,30000$ |
| Bonds for deposits.. | 14, 216, 50000 | 14, .128, 00000 | 1.4, 328, 00000 | 14, 698, 00000 | 14, 757, 00000 |
| U.S. bonds on hand.. | 25, 910, 65000 | 26, 577, 00000 | 30, 842, 30000 | 33, 142, 15000 | 31, 937, 95000 |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 30, 425, 43043 | 30, 905, 1.9582 | 32, 482, 80575 | 34, 445, 15716 | 31, 565, 91450 |
| Due from res've ag'ts | 99, 068, 36035 | 86, 769, 08397 | 87, 989, 90090 | 87, 326, 95048 | 83, 789, 17465 |
| Due from nat'l banks. | 42, 341, 54267 | 44, 328, 60946 | 47, 417, 02903 | 47, 525, 08998 | 44, 011, 66497 |
| Due from State banks | IL, 180, 562.15 | 1.1, 262, 19396 | 10, 989, 50795 | 12,061, 28308 | 12, 415, 84197 |
| Real estate, \&c. | 41, 937, 61725 | 42, 183, 95878 | 42, 722, 41527 | 43, 121, 94201. | 43, 498, 44549 |
| Current expense | 8, 296, 20785 | $6,820,573 \quad 35$ | $5,025,54938$ | 6, 987,64446 | 9, 818, 42288 |
| Preminms paid | J.0, 946, 71.31 .5 | 10, 414, 34728 | 10,621, 634.03 | 10, 715, 25116 | 10, 811, 30066 |
| Cash items.. | 9, 517, 86886 | $9,693,18637$ | 11., 724, 59267 | 12, 043, 13968 | 10, 658, 70926 |
| Clear'g-houseexch'ss | 58, 863, 1.8243 | 56, 806, 63263 | $75,328,87884$ | 87, 870, 81706 | 68, 027,01640 |
| Bills of other banks.. | 18, 536, 50200 | 20, 347, 96400 | 20,398, 42200 | 15, 910, 31500 | 17, 521, 66300 |
| Fractional currency . | 3, 215, 59430 | 2, 771, 88626 | 1, 987, 89744 | 1, 417, 20366 | 1, 146, 74194 |
| Specie | 29, 077, 34585 | 21, 711, 59436 | $25,218,46992$ | 21, 360, 76742 | 32, 999, 64789 |
| Legal-tendernotes..- | 76, 768, 44600 | 79, 858, 66100 | 90, 836, 87600 | $84,250,84700$ | 66, 221, 40000 |
| U.S. cert'fs of deposit | $30,805,00000$ | 27, 380, 00000 | 27, 955, 00000 | 29, 170, 00000 | 26, 095.00000 |
| Duefrom U.S. Treas. | 18, 479, 11279 | 16,911, 68020 | 17, 063, 40765 | 16, 743, 69540 | 16, 359, 49173 |
| Total | 1,834,369,941 70 | 1.,793,306,002 78 | 1,825,760,967 28 | 1,827,265,367 61 | 1,787,407,093.76 |

1877 .

|  | Jandary 20. | April 14. | JUNE 22. | OCTOBER 1. | DECEMBER 28. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,083 banks. | 2, 073 banks. | 2,078 banks. | 2, 080 banks. | 2, 074 banks. |
| Loans and discournts | \$920, 561, 01.865 | \$911, 946, 83388 | \$901, 731, 41603 | \$891. 920, 59354 | \$881, 856, 74487 |
| Bonds for circulation | 337, 590, 70000 | $339,658,10000$ | 337, 754, 10000 | 336, 810, 95000 | $343,869,55000$ |
| Bouds for deposits. | 1.4, 782, 00000 | 15, 084, 00000 | 1.4, 971, 00000 | 14, 903, 00000 | '13, 538, 00000 |
| U. S. bonds on hand. | 31, 988, 65000 | 32, 964, 25000 | 32, 344, 05000 | 30, 088, 70000 | $28,479,80000$ |
| Other stocks and b'ds | 31, 819, 98020 | 32, 554, 59444 | 35, 653, 75529 | 34, 435, 99521 | 32, 169, 49103 |
| Duefromres'veag'ts. | 8S, 698, 30885 | 84, 942, 71841. | 82, 132, 09996 | 73, 284, 13312 | 75,960,087 27 |
| Duefrom nat'l baiks | $44,844,61658$ | 42, 027,778 81 | 44, 567, 30363 | $45,217,24682$ | 44, 123, 92497 |
| Due from State banks | 13,680, 99088 | 11, 911, 43736 | 11, 246, 34979 | 11, 415, 76160 | 11, 479, 94565 |
| Real estate, \&c. | 43, 704, 33547 | 44, 736, 54909 | 44, 818, 72207 | 45, 229, 98325 | 45, 511, 93225 |
| Current expenses | $4,1.31,51648$ | 7, 84, 2, 29686 | 7, 910, 86484 | $6,915,79250$ | : 8, 958, 90360 |
| Premiums paid | 10,991, 71450 | 10, 494, 50512 | 10, 320, 67434 | 9, 219, 17462 | 8,841, 93909 |
| Cash items ........... | 10, 295, 404.19 | 10, 41.0, 62387 | 10, 099, 98846 | 11, 674, 58750 | 10, 265, 05949 |
| Clear'g-houseoxch'gs | 81, 117, 88904 | 85, 159, 42274 | 57, 861, 48113 | $74,525,21589$ | 64, 664, 41501 |
| Bills of other banks.. | 1.8, 418, 72700 | 1.7, 942, 60300 | 20, 182, 94800 | $15,531,46700$ | 20,312, 69200 |
| Fractional currency. | 1, 238, 22808 | 1, 114, 82009 | 1, 055, 1.23 61 | -900, 80547 | 778, 08478 |
| Specie............... | 49,709, 26755 | 27, 070, 08778 | 21., 335, 99606 | 22, 658, 82031 | 32, 907, 75070 |
| Legal-tender notes. | 72, 689, 71000 | $72,351,57300$ | $78,004,38600$ | 66, 920,68400 | $70,568,24800$ |
| U.S. cert'fs of deposit | $25,470,00000$ | 32, 100, 00000 | $44,430,00000$ | 33, 410, 00000 | 26, 515, 00000 |
| Due from U.S. Treas. | 16, 441, 50998 | 16, 291, 04084 | 17, 932, 574 60 | 1.6, 021, 75301 | 16, 493, 57708 |
| Total | 1,818,174,517 68 | 1,796,603,275 29 | 11,774, 352,833 81 | 1,741,084,663 84 | 1,737,295,145 79 |

## Banks from October, 1863, to October, 1878—Continued.

1875. 

| Liabilities. | March 1. | MAY 1. | JUNE 30. | OCTOEER 1. | DECEMBER 17. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,029 banks. | 2,046 banks. | 2,076 banks. | 2,088 banks. | 2,086 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$496, 272, 90100 | \$498, 717, 14300 | \$501, 568, 56350 | \$504, 829, 76900 | \$505, 485; 86500 |
| Surplus fund. | 131, 249, 07947 | 131, 604, 60866 | 133, 169, 09479 | 134, 356, 07641 | 133, 085, 42230 |
| Undivided profits | 51, 650, 24362 | 55, 907, 61995 | . $52,160,10468$ | 52, 964, 95350 | 59, 204, 957 81 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 324, 525, 34900 | 323, 321, 23000 | 318, 148, 40600 | 318, 350, 37900 | $314,979,45100$ |
| State bank circulation | 824, 87600 | 815, 22900. | 786,844 00 | 772,348 00 | 752, 72200 |
| Dividends unpaid | 1,601, 25548 | 2, 501, 74239 | $6,105,51934$ | 4, 003,534.90 | 1,353,396 80 |
| Individual deposits | 647, 735, 87969 | 695, 347, 67770 | 686, 478,630 48 | 664, 579, 619'39 | 618, 517, 24574 |
| U. S. deposits. | 7, 971, 93275 | 6, 797, 97200 | 6, 714, 32870 | 6,507, $331 \cdot 59$. | 6, 652, 55667 |
| Dep'ts U.S.dis.officers | 5,330,414 16 | 2, 766, 38741 | $3,459,06180$ | 4, 271, 19519 | 4, 232, 55087 |
| Due to national banks | 137, 735, 12144 | 127, 280, 03402 | 138, 914, 82839 | 129, 810, 68160 | 119, 843, 66544 |
| Due to State banks... | $55,294,66384$ | 53, 037, 58289 | $55,714,05518$ | 49, 918, 530 95 | 47, 048, 17456 |
| Notes re-discounted.. | $4,841,60020$ | 5, 671, 03144 | 4, 261, 46445 | 5, 254, 45366 | 5, 257, 16061 |
| Bills payable.. | 4, 786,436 57 | 6, 079,632 94 | 5, 758, 29985 | 6,590, 23443 | 7, 056, 58364 |
| Total | 1,869,819,753 22 | 1,909,847,891 40 | 1,913,239,201 16 | 1,882,209,307. 62 | 1,823, 469, 75244 |

1896

|  | march 10. | May 12. | JUNE 30. | OCTOBER 2. | DECEMBER 22. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,091 banks. | 2,089 banks. | 2,091 banks. | 2,089 banks. | 2,082 banks. |
| Capital stock | 8504, 818, 66600 | \$500, 982, 00600 | \$500, 393, 796.00 | \$499, 802, 23200 | \$497, 482, 01600 |
| Surplus fund | 133, 091, 73950 | 131, 795, 19994 | 131, 897, 19721 | 132, 202, 28200 | 131, 390, 66467 |
| Undivided profit | 51, 177, 03126 | 49, 039, 27875 | 46, 609, 34151 | 46,445, 21559 | 52, 327, 71508 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 307, 476, 15500 | 300, 252, 08500 | 294, 444, 67800 | $291,544,02000$ | 292,011, 57500 |
| State bank circulation | 714, 53900 | 667, 06000 | 658,938 00 | 628, 847. 00 | 608, 54800 |
| Dividends unpaid | 1, 405,82906 | 2, 325,523 51 | 6, 116, 67930 | 3, 848, 70564 | 1,286,540 28 |
| Individual deposits.. | 620, 674, 21105 | 612, 355, 09659 | 641, 432, 88608 | 651, 385, 21019 | 619,350, 22306 |
| U. S. doposits. | $6,606,39490$ | $8,493,87818$ | 7, 667, 72297 | 7, 256, 80142 | $6,727,15514$ |
| Dep'ts U.S.dis.officers | $4,313,91545$ | $2,505,27330$ | 3, 392, 93948 | 3, 746, 78158 | 4,749,615 39 |
| Due to national banks | 139, 407, 88006 | 127, 880, 04504 | 131, 702, 16487 | 131, 53596904 | 122, 351, 81809 |
| Due to State banks... | 54, 002, 13154 | 46, 706, 96952 | 51, 403, 99559 | 48, 250, 11163 | 48, 685, 39214 |
| Notes re-discounted | 4, 631,882 57 | 4, 653, 46008 | 3, 867, 62224 | 4, 464, 40731 | 4, 553, 15876 |
| Bills payable......... | 6, 049,566 31 | $5,650,12687$ | 6,173,006 03 | 6, 154, 78421 | 5,882, 67215 |
| Tot | 1,834,369,941 70 | 1,793,306,002 78 | 1,825,760,967 28 | 1,827,265,367 61 | 1,787, 407, 09376 |

1877 。

|  | Jandary 20. | APRIL 14. | JUNE 22. | OCTOBER 1. | december 28. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,083 banks. | 2,073 banks. | 2,078 banks. | 2,080 banks. | 2,074 banks. |
| Capital stock | \$493, 634, 61100 | \$489, 684, 645 00 | \$481, 044, 77100 | \$479, 467, 77100 | \$477, 128, 77100 |
| Surplus fund. | 130, 224, 16902 | 127, 793, 32052 | 124, 714, 07293 | 122, 776, 12124 | 121, 618, 45532 |
| Undivided profits | 37, 456, 53032 | 45,609,418 27 | 50, 508, 35170 | 44, 572, 67872 | 51, 530, 91018 |
| Nat'l bank circulation | 292, 851, 35100 | 294, 710, 31300 | 290, 002, 05700 | 291, 874, 23600 | 299, 240, 47500 |
| State bank circulation | 581,24200 | . 535,96300 | 521, 61100 | 481, 73800 | 470,540 00 |
| Dividends unpaid | 2, 418, 90970 | 1,853,974 79 | 1,398,101 52 | 3,623,703 43 | 1, 404, 17834 |
| Individual deposits .. | 659, 891, 96976 | 641, 772, 52808 | 636, 267, 52920 | 616, 403, 98712 | 604, 512, 51452 |
| U. S. deposits........ | 7, 234, 69696 | 7, 584, 26772 | 7,187, 43167 | 7, 972, 71475 | 6,529, 03109 |
| Dep'ts U.S.dis.officers | 3, 108, 31655 | 3, 076, 87870 | 3, 710, 16720 | 2,376,983 02 | 3,780, 75943 |
| Due to national banks | 130, 293, 56636 | 125, 422, 44443 | 121, 443, 601 23 | 115, 028, 95438 | 115, 773, 66058 |
| Due to State banks.. | $49,965,77027$ | 48, 604, 82009 | 48,352, 58390 | 46, 577, 43988 | 44, 807, 95879 |
| Notes re-disicounted. . | 4,000,063 82 | $3,985,45975$ | 2,953, 12858 | 3, 791, 21947 | 4, 654, 78451 |
| Bills payable......... | $6,483,32092$ | 5, 969, 24194 | 6, 249, 42688 | 6, 137, 11683 | 5,843, 10703 |
| Total | 1,818,174,517 68 | 1,796,603,275 29 | 1,774,352,833 81 | 1,741,084,663 84 | 1, 737, 295, 14579 |

## Aggregate resources and liabilities of the National

1878. 

| Resources. | march 15. | May 1. | . June 29. | october 1. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,063 banks. | 2,059 banks. | 2,056 banks. | 2,053 banks. |
| Loans and discomnts | \$854, 750, 70887 | \$847, 620, 39249 | \$835, 078, 13313 | \$833, 988, 45059 |
| Bonds for circulation | 343, 871, 35000 | 345, 256, 35000 | 347, 332, 10000 | 347, 556, 65000 |
| Bonds for deposits | 13, 329, 00000 | 19, 536,000 00 | 28, 371, 00000 | 47, 936, 85000 |
| U. S. bonds on hand. | 34, 881, 60000 | $33,615,70000$ | 40. 479, 90000 | 46, 785, 60000 |
| Other stocks and bouds | 34, 674, 30721 | 34, 697, 32053 | 36, 694, 99624 | 36, 859, 53482 |
| Due from reserve agents | 86, 016, 99078 | 71, 331, 21927 | 78, 875, 05592 | $85,083,41851$ |
| Due from national banks | 39, 692, 10587 | 40,545, 52272 | 41, 897, 85889 | 41, 492, 91875 |
| Due from State banks. | 11, 683, 0501.7 | 12, 413, 57910 | 12, 232, 31630 | 12, 314, 69811 |
| Real estate, furniture, \& | 45,792, 36373 | 45, 901, 53693 | $46,153,40935$ | 46, 702, 47626 |
| Current expenses | 7, 786, 57242 | 7, 239, 365.78 | 4, 718, 61866 | 6, 272, 56673 |
| Premiums paid | 7, 806, 25200 | 7, 574, 25595 | 7, 335, 45449 | 7,134, 73568 |
| Cash items.. | 10,107, 58376 | 10, 989, 44078 | $11,525,37607$ | 10, 982, 43289 |
| Clearing-house exchang | $66,498,96523$ | $95,525,13428$ | 87, 498, 28782 | 82, 372, 53788 |
| Bills of other banks.. | 16,250, 56900 | 18, 363,335 00 | 17, 068, 57600 | 16, 929, 72100 |
| Fractional currency | 697, 39886 | 661, 04469 | 610, 08425 | 515, 66104 |
| Specio ............. | 54, 729, 55802 | 46, 023, 75606 | 29, 251, 46977 | 30,688,606 59 |
| Legal.tender notes | 64, 034, 97200 | 67, 245,975 00 | 71, 643, 40200 | 64, 428, 60000 |
| D. S. certificates of depo | 20, 605, 00000 | 20, 995, 00000 | $36,905,00000$ | 32, 690, 00000 |
| Due from J. S. 'Ireasure | 16, 257, 60898 | 16, 364, 03047 | 16, 798, 66762 | 16, 543, 67436 |
| Total. | 1, 729, 465, 95690 | 1, 741, 898, 95905 | 1,750, 464, 70651 | 1, 767, 279, 13321 |

Banks from October, 1863, to October, 1878—Continued.
1878.

| Liabilities. | MARCH 15. | May 1. | JUNE 29. | OCTOBER 1. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 2,063 banks. | 2,059 banks. | 2,056 bancks. | 2,053 banks. |
| Capital stock. | \$473, 952, 54100 | \$471, 971, 62700 | \$470, 393, 36600 | \$466, 147, 43600 |
| Surplus fund | 120, 870, 29010 | 119, 231, 12613 | 118, 178, 53075 | 116, 897, 77998 |
| Undivided profits | 45, 040,851 85 | $43,938,96198$ | 40, 482,522 64 | 40, 936, 21358 |
| National bank circnlation | 300, 926, 28400 | 301, 884, 704. 00 | 299, 621, 05900 | 301, 888, 09200 |
| State bank circulation. | 439, 33900 | - 426,504 00 | 417, 80800 | 413, 91300 |
| Dividends unpaid | 1, 207, 47268 | 1,930,669 58 | $5,466,35052$ | 3, 118,389 91 |
| Individual deposits | 602, 882, 58517 | 625, 479, 771:12 | $621,632,16006$ | 620, 236, 17682 |
| U. S. deposits | 7, 243, 25329 | 13, 811, 47414 | 22, 686, 61967 | 41, 654, 81208 |
| Deposits U.S. disburs'gofficers | 3, 004, 06490 | 2,392, 28161 | 2,903,531 99 | 3, 342, 79473 |
| Due to national bank | 123, 239, 44850 | 109, 720, 39670 | 117, 845, 49588 | 122, 496,513 92 |
| Due to State banks | 43, 979, 23939 | 44, 006, 55105 | 43, 360,527 86 | 42, 636, 70342 |
| Noter re-discounted | 2,465,390 79 | 2, 834, 01200 | 2, 453, 83977 | 3, 007, 32485 |
| Bills payable | 4, 215, 19623 | 4, 270,879 74 | 5, 022, 89437 | 4, 502,982 92 |
| To | 1,729, 465, 95690 | 1. 741, 898, 95905 | 1, 750, 464, 70651 | 1, 767, 279, 13321 |

## REPORT OF THE DIRECTOR OF THE MINT.

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## DIRECTOR OF THE MINT.

Treasury Department, Office Director of the Mint, November 1, 1878.

SIr: In compliance with section 345, Title VII, Revised Statutes United States, I have the honor to submit the following report of the operations of the mints and assay-offices for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878:

The amounts of gold and silver deposits and purchases, coins struck, and bars mannfactured were as follows:

## DEPOSITS AND PURCHASES.

| Gold deposits | \$65, 251,773 22 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Silver deposits and purchase | 39, 843, 12707 |
| Total amount received and operated upon | 105, 094, 90029 |
| Deducting redeposits, bars made and reposited at another, the deposits were- | stitution and |
| Gold. | \$52,669, 21789 |
| Silver | 35, 586,623 1.2 |
| Total. | 88,255, 84101 |


|  | COINAGE. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Pieces. | Value. |
| Gold |  | 2, 934, 832 | \$52, 798, 98000 |
| Silver (trade-dollars) |  | 11,378, 010 | 11, 378, 01.000 |
| Silver (standard dollars) |  | 8,573,500 | 8, 573,500 00 |
| Silver (fractional coin) |  | 30, 172, 240 | 8, 339, 315.50 |
| Minor coin. |  | 3, 059, 800 | 30,694 00 |
| Total.. |  | 56,118,382 | 81, 120,499 50 |

BARS.

| Fine gold | \$7,452,915 46 | \$12,501, 92623 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Unparted gold | 778, 25401 |  |
| Mint gold. | 4,270,75676 |  |
| Fine silver | 11,325, $690 \cdot 29$ |  |
| Unparted silver | 408, 29060 |  |
| Standard silver | 87,928 29 |  |
| Mint silver | 32,476 69 |  |
|  |  | 11,854, 33587 |
| Total | ... | 24,356,312 10 |

The distribution of the gold and silver bullion deposited and purchased, including redeposits, was as follows:


The coinage at the different mints during the fiscal year was as follows:

|  | Pieces. | Value. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mint at Philadelphia : |  |  |
| Groht coinage ..........i. | $\begin{array}{r}778,384 \\ 2866 \\ \hline 10\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 10,882,80000 \\ 2866010 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
| Silver coinage (standard dollars) | 4, 907, 500 | 4, 907, 50000 |
| Silver coinage (fractional coin) | 1.6, 1.90, 240 | 4, 516, 31.550 |
| Minor coinage | 3, 059, 800 | 30, 69400 |
| Total | 27, 321, 934 | 22, 733, 31950 |
| Mint at San Francisco : |  |  |
| Srolver coinage . ${ }^{\text {co.............. }}$ | 2, 102, 100 | 4],039, 50000 |
| Silver coinage (standard dollars) | 2,552,000 | ${ }_{2}^{2,552,} 00000$ |
| Silrer coinage (fiactional coin) | 8, 352,000 | 2, 734, 00000 |
| Total. | 21, 588, 100 | 54, 907, 50000 |
| Mint at Carson : |  |  |
| Gold coinage ........ | 54,348 | 866, 68000 |
| Silver coinage (trade-dollars) | 410,000 | 410,000 00 |
| Silver coinage (standard dollars). | 1, 11.4, 000 | 1, 114, 00000 |
| Silver coinago (fractional coin) | 5, 630, 000 | 1, 089,00000 |
| Total. | 7, 208, 348 | 3, 479, 68000 |
| Total coinage. | 56, 118, 382 | 81, 120, 49950 |

## The bars made at the mints and assay-offices were as follows:

|  | Fine gold. | Unparted gold. | Mint gold. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Miut at Philadelphia | \$61, 75383 |  |  | \$61, $753{ }^{\circ} 83$ |
| Mint at San Fraucisco. |  |  |  |  |
| Mint at Denver |  | \$355,095 56 |  | 355, 0950 |
| Mint at New Orleans. |  | 4,593 37 |  | 4, 59337 |
| Assay-office at New York | $7,391,16163$ |  | \$4,270, 75676 | 11, 661, 91839 |
| Assay-oftice at Boise. |  | 61, 43309 |  | 61, 43309 |
| Assay-oftice at Helena |  | 331, 46051 |  | 331, 46051 |
| Assay-eflice at Charlotte |  | 25, 67148 |  | 25, 67148 |
| Total gold | 7, 452, 915 . 46 | 778, 25401 | 4, 270, 75676 | 12, 501, 92623 |


|  | Tine silver. | Standard silver. | Onparted silver. | Mint silver. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Mint at Philadelphia | \$101, 73926 |  |  |  | \$101, 73926 |
| Mint at San Francisco | 14, 88986 |  |  |  | 14,889 86 |
| Mint at Carson | 171, 379.07 |  |  |  | 171, 37907 |
| Mint at Denver |  |  | \$7, 71209 |  | 7,71209 |
| Mint at New Orleans |  |  | 13, 96080 |  | 113,96080 |
| Assay-office at New York | 11, 037, 68210 | \$87, 92829 | 13, | \$32,476 69 | 11, 158, 08708 |
| Assay-oftice at Boise... |  |  | 1, 15545 |  | 1, 15545 |
| Assay-office at Helena |  |  | 385, 27790 |  | 385, 277.90 |
| Assay-office at Charlotte |  |  | 18436 |  | 18436 |
| Total silver | 11, 325, 69029 | 87, 92829 | 408, 29060 | 32,476 69 | 11, 854, 38587 |

The following is a statement of the earnings and expenditures of the mints and assay-offices during the fiscal year:

Seigniorage on coins is not properly an earning of the mint; neither is the expense of distributing the coin manufactured on government account properly an expenditure; but these items are included in the statement as the most convenient place to exhibit them.

The coinage of the last year and bars manufactured is the largest in value ever executed in one year in the history of the mint.

As nearly as can be ascertained, the cost of manufacturing silver coin is, on the average, about four times as great as that of gold when the gold coinage is in denominations less than ten-dollar pieces. Our gold coinage since the suspension of specie payments in 1861 has consisted principally of double eagles, and the relative cost, as stated, of coining the two metals has, therefore, been exceeded. There is practically no difference in the cost of manufacturing a double eagle from that of a silver dollar.

|  | Mints. |  |  |  |  | Assay-offices. - |  |  |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Philadelphia. | San Francisco. | Carson. | Denver. | New Orleans. | New York. | Boise City. | Charlotte. | Helena. |  |
| Earnings: Coinage charse (trade dollar) |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Coinage charge (trade dollar) | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 26,135 \\ 4,210 \\ \hline 64\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 142,47904 \\ 159,829 \\ \hline 62\end{array}$ | $\$ 5,60439$ <br> 19,130 <br> 10 |  |  | \$81, 54248 |  |  |  | $\$ 175,018$ $-264,71364$ |
| Seigniorage on fractional silver coin | 585, 11455 | 228, 84499 | 121, 76057 |  |  | -1, 612 |  |  |  | 935, 72011 |
| Seigniorage on standard silver dollars. | 388, 00696 | 200,009 60 | -82, 91337 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 670, 92993 |
| Swecps and grains from deposit melting-room. | 56658 |  |  | \$901 40 |  | 4,022 76 |  |  | \$210 15 | 5, 70089 |
| Gain on minor coinage . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 14, 1.9752 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14, 19752 |
| Profit on medals | 4,434 44 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4, 43444 |
| Proceeds sale of old material | 75327 | 4,147 30 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6500 | 4,965 57 |
| Assay of ores, \&c | 16625 |  |  | 41400 | \$3 00 | 35250 | \$6600 | \$151 50 | 19600 | 1,349 25 |
| Alloy and tonghening charges |  | 3, 77139 | 16622 |  |  | 1, 824 |  |  |  | 5,762 60 |
| Premium on drafts............... |  | 20124 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 20124 |
| Melting, assaying, and stamping |  |  |  | 45563 | 2365 |  | 20889 | 1072 | 89230 | 1, 59119 |
| Surplus bullion (weigh-room) | 14158 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 14158 |
| Total | 1, 024, 52699 | 739,283 18 | 229, 57545 | 1,771 03 | 2665 | 87, 742 73 | 27489 | 16222 | 1,363 45 | 2, 084, 72659 |
| Expenditures: Salaries........... | 34,85000 | 24, 90000 | 23, 54990 | 7,950 00 | 4,707 92 | 32, 90000 | 2, 00000 | 1,500 00 | 4,000 00 | 136, 35782 |
| Wages of workmen | 284, 57231 | 274, 99181 | 79,990 13 | 6, 45900 | 2,968835 | 19, 48900 | 50144 |  | 2, 00000 | 670, 97204 |
| Contingent expenses. | 67, 645 93 | 80,368 20 | 42, 03645 | 3, 80000 | 1,362 16 | 8, 424 60 | 1,328 33 | 25000 | 3,000 00 | 208, 21567 |
| Parting and refining expenses .... | 4, 38719 | 129,917 43 | 22, 41660 |  |  | 73, 58171 |  |  |  | 230, 30293 |
| Expenses distributing fraetional silver coin. | 40,11247 2,90844 | 50,306 40 | 16, 245 50 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 106,66437 2,90844 |
| Expenses manufacture fraetional silver coin | $\rightarrow 35559$ | 21, 70458 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 22, 06017 |
| Expenses manufacture standard dollars. | 53, 953 41 | 14, 11757 | 9, 72895 |  |  |  | .-.... |  | - | 77, 79993 |
| Wastage operative officers.... | 13, 10526 | 10, 40778 | 2, 21190 |  |  |  |  | -..... |  | 25,724 94 |
| Loss on sale of sweeps. | 6,580 17 | 7, 888.92 | 3, 24308 |  |  | 3,065 04 |  |  |  | 20,77721 |
| Expenses distributing standard dollars | 6,942 75 | 27018 | 9,38750 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 16,600 43 |
| Loss on recoinage old light coin. | $\begin{array}{r}195 \\ 10 \\ \hline 169\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}1 \\ 10,91695 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
| Freight on coin and bullion | 10,916 27 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | ].0,916 27 |
| Total | ¢26, 33174 | 614, 87287 | 208, 81001 | 18, 20900 | 9,038 43 | 137, 46035 | 3,829 77 | 1,750 00 | 9, 00000 | 1, 529, 30217 |

## SILVER PURCHASES.

The Director being charged with the supervision of the details of the purchases of silver bullion made by the Secretary of the Treasury, it is proper that a brief account of the purchases should be submitted in this report.

Purchases of silver bullion were made during the year under the provisions of the specie-resumption act and also the act to authorize the coinage of the standard silver clollar. Those made under the former act were for the requirements of the fractional coinage, and under the latter, for the coinage of the dollar.

Purchases of bullion for the fractional coinage were made from time to time during the year until February 28, 1878, and amounted to $5,984,693.64$ fine ounces, at a cost of $\$ 7,114,548.69$, an average of 118.879 cents per ounce fine. The London rate for silver bullion during this period averaged. 54.3107 pence per ounce, British standard, equivalent to 119.055 cents per ounce fine.

The total amount of silver bullion purchased by the government for coinage into fractional coins from January, 1875, to February 28, 1878, at which time this coinage was intermitted, was $31,603,905.87$ fine ounces, for which $\$ 37,571,148.04$ was paid in gold coin, an average of 118.881 cents per ounce fine. The average London rate during the above-mentioned period was 54.674 pence, the parity of which is 119.911 cents per ounce fine.

At the date of the authorization of the standard silver dollar there was on hand in the Treasury and mints in fractional silver coins $\$ 6,253,624.76$; and the demand for these coins being light, this amount' was regarded as sufficient to meet any probable demand for some time to come, and the coinage of fractional silver was temporarily suspended and preparations made to work the mints to their full capacity in striking the clollar.

Purchasing silver for the dollar coinage was commenced in March, and continued from time to time as advantageous offers of the same were made, or as the mints required additional bullion for their current work.

The total amount purchased for the dollar coinage up to September 30 was $17,925,701.99$ fine ounces, at a cost to the government of $\$ 21,057$,369.17, an average cost of 117.47 . cents per ounce fine. The average London rate during this period was 53.1208 pence, which, calculated at the par of exchange, is equivalent to 116.447 cents per ounce fine. In arriving at the parity of the London rate in all purchases that have been made, the price of sterling exchange is an element in the calculation. The average rate for sterling exchange from March to September, inclusive, was $\$ 4.88$, at which rate the parity of 53.1208 pence is 116.77 cents per onnce fine.

At the coining rate for standard silver dollars, $\$ 1.16 \frac{4}{\frac{4}{11}}$ per standard ounce, the above amount purchased will produce $\$ 23,176,665.19$.

All silver is purchased at its gold value, and of the amount paid for silver bullion for the dollar coinage $\$ 7,672,792.95$ was paid in gold coin, and $\$ 13,384,576.22$ in standard silver dollars.

Soon after the passage of the act authorizing the coinage of the standard silver dollar, and an attempt being made to procure the requisite bullion for it's coinage at the mints on the Pacific coast, it was found that the producers and dealers would not sell silver to the government at the equivalent of the London rate, but demanded in addition thereto an amount equal to the cost of bringing it from London and laying it down in San

Francisco. These terms being deemed exorbitant were rejected, and arrangements were immediately made to bring the capacity of the Mint at Philadelphia to its maximum with a view to meet the provisions of law, which required two millions of silver dollars to be coined in each month, and the available supplies of silver from domestic sources being entirely insufficient for the coinage of this amount, the foreigu market was indirectly resorted to and an amount sufficient to meet the requirements of law secured.

In.July, 1878, the principal holders of bullion on the Pacific coast receded from their position and accepted the equivalent of the London rate, at which price sufficient bullion was purchased to employ the mints at San Francisco and Carson on the coinage of the dollar. All purchases since made have been of domestic bullion.

## PURCHASES OF GOLD BULLION.

Arrangements have been made, under the provisions of existing laws and pursuant to your instructions, for the purchase by the government of gold bullion deposited at the mint at Denver and the assay-office at Charlotte, N. C.

Heretofore bullion deposited at these institutions has been melted and assayed and the resulting unparted bar or bars returned to the depositor, a charge being imposed for the operation.

While this benefited the depositor in so far as it enabled him to ascertain the value of his bullion, which was placed also in a more convenient marketable shape, yet to obtain the value in money he was necessitated to resort to local bullion-dealers.

By the arrangement lately consummated, however, the government becomes the purchaser, and takes the bullion at its coining value, paying for the same in United States legal-tender notes at par, or in standard silver dollars, at the option of the seller. In addition to the charge for melting and assaying, the usual mint charges are imposed for parting, refining, or toughening, should any of these operations be required to fit the metal for coinage, and also the cost of transportation to the Mint at Philadelphia, where the bullion is coined on government account. Bullion so purchased is transmitted to the Mint at Philadelphia in registered packages by mail as third-class mail matter.

The purchase of gold bullion at the assay-offices at Helena, Mont., and Boise City, Idaho, will also be commenced so soon as satisfactory arrangements can be made with the express companies for the trausportation of the bullion to the mints. The insecurity of the mail, which is carried by stage-coach through the Territories named, precludes sending government bullion by that method.

This measure, by which the miners can exchange their bullion at its mint value for circulating money, will no doubt prove of great advautage to the mining interests, and will remove all necessity for additional coining facilities for many years to come.

## THE MLN' AT NEW ORLEANS:

At the last session of Congress provision was made for reopening the mint at New Orleans for coinage purposes. Some little delay was occasioned in preparations for this object from the fact that the square of ground upon which the mint is located belonged to the city of New Orleans, and had been deeded to the government, at the time of the erection of the building, for only so long as it should be used by the government for minting purposes.

The act of Congress making appropriations for the mint at New

Orleans provided that no expenditure of money should be made for that mint until the city should release all title and claim and all conditions of forfeiture to the lands or premises upon which the mint is located, and negotiations looking to that effect were entered into with the city authorities, which resulted in the square of ground being deeded in feesimple to the government.

During the late war much of the machinery, apparatus, \&c., had been injured and otherwise rendered ineffective from disuse and other causes incident to war, and extensive repairs besides additional machinery were required.

As soon as the title to the property had been secured to the government, and the officers of the mint had been appointed, the necessary repairs were commenced, but they have been impeded to a considerable extent by the prevalence of yellow fever in New Orleans, which not only delayed the repairs but prevented skilled mint operatives from going to that city until the epidemic should subside. As many mint operations require special skill and knowledge on the part of the operatives, a few of the appointees to that mint were assigned to duty at the mint at Philadelphia in order to familiarize themselves with the work which they will be called upon to perform, and will be transferred to New Orleans as soon as it is safe for them to go there.

The various operative rooms in the mint have been placed in good condition, the melting and annealing furnaces restored, the eugine and machinery repaired, and such additional machinery as is required to render this mint effective for coinage has been procured, and it is believed that by the end of the current calendar year everything pertaining to the mint will be in a condition to commence coinage. The New Orleans mint will add to the coining capacity of the mints about $\$ 1,000,000$ in silver dollars per month, but this capacity would be somewhat reduced if called upon to execute any considerable amount of gold or fractional silver coinage.

## PRECAUTIONS AGAINST COUNIERFEITING.

I have long been impressed with the belief that the worst danger which threatens our gold coin, from counterfeiters, is the filling with an inferior metal or alloy. By this art the piece presents gennine exteriors, but the inner part having been removed, a disk of platinum, pure or alloyed, is inserted in its place and closed with a ribbed rim of gold. It is, therefore, partly genuine and partly comnterfeit, and its value is reduced by several dollars, differing according to the denomination of the piece.

The largest chance of spoliation of course occurs with the twentydollar piece, but the pieces of ten and five dollars have also been filled. So far the mischief has been very limited, as it evidently requires firstclass workmen, and is slow work; but pieces of this sort are, of all false issues, the most difficult to detect.

Some experiments were made at the Philadelphia mint in 1860 to determine whether this fraud might not be prevented by materially lessening the thickness of the coin and consequently enlarging its diameter, at the same time giving the disks a slight concavity, so as to make the piece of a minimum thickness at the center. A pair of dies were engraved for the halfeagle, and a few specimens prepared on this basis.

Nothing further was done, for in fact in the very next year gold disappeared from circulation and has so continued, until we are now on the eve of resuming its use. I have therefore thought it desirable, in order to give our gold coin greater security, to experiment still farther in this
line, and to this end experimental dies are being prepared for the half and quarter eagle denominations. The larger piece will be expanded to nearly the surface of the present eagle, and adjusted both to ordinary and metrical scales, viz, one inch or about twenty-six millimeters in diameter.
The smaller piece will be of the diameter of the present three-dollar piece, about four-fiftlis of an inch, or twenty millimeters.

These measures make the planchet so thin that sawing out the interior part would be a very critical, not to say impossible, feat, and not likely to pay for the labor. At the same time the coins would be thick enough at the raised border to be easily taken up by the fingers and stiff enough to resist bending.
The dimensions of our coins have never been a matter of legal enactment, and alteration could be made, if so desired, with the approval of the Secretary of the Treasury.

## THE TRADE-DOLLAR.

The purpose for which the trade-dollar was instituted and the mode in which these coins were supplied by the mints are already well known, and it is unnecessary to advert in this report to that subject. It is sufficient to state that wherever they have been introduced in China they lave met with a favorable reception and continue to grow in the estimation of the Chinese.

It is only in the southem ports, Lowever, of the Chinese empire, that the people are familiarized with these coins; in the northeru part they are as yet unknown. The extracts* from reports made by the Hong-

[^19]Kong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, and the Oriental Bank, two of the principal foreign banking companies, dated respectively January 30 and 31, 1877, as well as the dispatches from the United States legation in China and consuls at the various ports (contained in the appendix) establish satisfactorily the fact that the trade-dollar has proved beneficial to the Chinese, the American merchant, and the producer of silver. It has benefited the Chincse by giving them a coin of nore uniform fincness and value and of better execution than any other current in their country; it has proved advantageous to the American merchant by furmishing him a coin more acceptable to his foreign customer and at a cheaper rate to himself; and the producer of silrer has not only obtained a better price for his silver, but an-increased demand for the same has been created.

So long as gold continued at a premium and silver bullion commanded a price sufficient to keep the bullion value of 420 grains of standard silver, together with the coinage charge for a trade-dollar, above the gold value of a United States legal-tender dollar note, there was no likelihood of trade-dollars finding their way into domestic circulation, at least not to any embarrassing extent; but when, from the appreciation of United States notes as comparedewith gold, and the decline in the value of silver, a trade-dollar added to its coinage charge became of less intrinsic value than the gold value of a dollar note, owners of silver. bullion deposited the same at the mints for returns in trade-dollars, and placed them in circulation at a profit to themselves. This state of affairs first manifested itself in the latter part of 1877, and in October of that year the Secretary of the Treasury directed that the receipt of deposits of silver for coinage into trade-dollars should be discontinued at the coinage mints and at the assay office at New York.

In Norember of the same year an increased demand arose on the Pacific coast for trade-dollars for Chinese new-year settlements, and as it was alleged that the coins were required for export, the Secretary so far modified the former order for discontinuance as to authorize receipts at the Western mints for returns in these coins.

It subsequently transpired that trade-dollars manufactured under this authorization at the mint at San Francisco were not all shipped to China, but the larger portion were transported to the Mississippi Valley as well as to the Eastern States, and there placed in circulation ; accordingly, on Febrtary 22, 1878, an order was issued for the final discontinuance of the receipt of deposits for returns in trade-dollars at the Western mints.

At the time of the order being issued to the Philadelphia mint and New York assay-office, October, 1877, there was due depositors for bullion previously deposited at those institutions 590,795 trade-dollars, and at the San Francisco mint at the date of the final order, February, 1878, 1,695,819 trade-dollars; the superintendent was instructed to settle for these deposits in trade-dollars, upon satisfactory evidence being given that the same would be exported, or, if the depositor preferred, he could receive his silver back in fine mint-bars. The bullion was accordingly coined, and settlement made with the depositors; the last coinage for this purpose being executed at Philadelphia in the beginning of December, 1877, and at San Francisco early in the ensuing April, since which time none have been coined.

At the mint at Carson no trade-dollars were due depositors for deposits made prior to the date of the order for discontinuance, and the coinage, therefore, ceased with the reception of the order.

The total amount of trade-dollars struck at the mints since the passage
of the act authorizing their coinage las been $35,959,360$, and the total number exported, as shown by the returns of the United States customs collectors, has been 25,703,950, leaving a balance of $10,255,410$, a considerable portion of which has found its way out of the country through Chinese returning to their own land. It is impossible to ascertain with any degree of accuracy what this last may amount to, but I estimate that during the past five years it would not fall far short of $\$ 5,000,000$, leaving about five and a quarter millions held by California banks and in circulation as money ; about $\$ 106,000$ of this last amount has been melted as bullion at the mints.
The principal portion of trade-dollars now in circulation were coined since the passage of the act depriving them of their limited legal-tender quality, and they were manufactured for depositors with the distinct understanding that they were to be exported and not placed in domestic circulation; and it was also well understood that they had been deprived of their limited legal-tender character (to the extent of five dollars) by the act of July 22, 1876. The government, having received nothing whatever for executing these coins except the actual expense of coinage, is in no degree responsible for their redemption. It would not do to give them a legal-tender character, lest it should result in bringing back large amounts from other countries; nor would it be right to add a large per centage to the value of these coins by making then a legal tender or redeeming them in legal-tender money. If made a legal tender, the purposes of the act authorizing their coinage would be practically destroyed.
It appears from the dispatches of Minister Seward to the Department of State that all efforts to induce the Chinese Government to establish a mint have failed, and it is quite certain that that empire must depend on foreign coins, the use of which has been gradually increasing for some years past at the principal ports of the empire. It will be to our advantage to furnish these coins, so far as we can without detriment to our own money system, and the trade-dollar having attained such a favorable position in China, it would not appear to be advisable to repeal the law authorizing its coinage.
The Secretary of the Treasury possesses the power under existing laws to restrict this coinage to the actual export demand. Silver is the money standard of Oriental nations, and the extent of our silver producing territory justifies the belief that our production, together with the silver that our trade will naturally command from Mexico and South America, will, in the near future, be in excess of any probable demand for our coinage purposes, and we must look to China principally for a market for our surplus.

## circulation of the mexican silver dollar.

After trade-dollars could no longer be procured to be placed in domestic circulation, money dealers and speculators imported Mexican silver dollars to a large extent, and placed them in circulation at par in the same manner as had previously been done with the trade-dollar. On these coins being offered on deposit or in payment at the banks and sarings institutions by persons who had taken them at par, they were refused.
This was followed by the receipt at the Treasury Department of numerous letters from different parts of the country, in which the question was in almost all cases asked why the United States Treasury would
not receive these coins. To furnish accurate and uniform information upon the subject, as well as to protect the people as far as possible from the imposition practiced upon them, it was decided, after consultation with the Secretary, to issue a circular, in which should be plainly stated. the fact that these coins were not a legal tender in the United States, and could be received only at the mints as bullion.

The trade-dollar, occupying the same position in respect to legal tender, was also referred to in the circular. The effect of this circular was to put an almost immediate stop to the placing of Mexican dollars in circulation in the United States.

## DOMESTIC PRODUCIION OF GOLD AND SILVER.

All available means have been employed to ascertain as accurately as possible the domestic production of gold and silver, and the following are the estimates and actual returns which have been furnished of the outturn from the various States and Territories during the last fiscal year, the aggregate of which, however, appears to be somewhat below, in gold at least, the actual amount cleposited at the mints.

|  | Locality. | Gold. | Silver. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| California |  | \$15, 260, 679 | \$2, 373, 389 | \$1.7, 634, 068 |
| Nevadia |  | 19, 546,513 | 28, 130, 350 | 47, 676, 863 |
| Colorado |  | 3, 366, 404 | 5, 394, 940 | 8,761, 344 |
| Montana |  | 2, 260, 511 | ]., 669, 685 | 3, 930,146 |
| Trlaho |  | 1, 150, 000 | -200,000 | ],350, 000 |
| Utah |  | 392,000 | 5, 208, 000 | $5,600,000$ |
| Alizona |  | 500, 000 | 3, 000, 000 | 3,500,000 |
| New Mexico |  | 175, 000 | 500, 000 | 675, 000 |
| Oregon |  | 1,000,000 | 100,000 | 1, 100,000 |
| Washiugton |  | 300, 000 | 25,000 | 325,000 |
| Dakota. |  | 3,000, 000 |  | 3,000,000 |
| Iake Superior. |  |  | 100,000 | 100, 000 |
| North Carolina |  | 150,000 |  | 150,000 |
| Georgia |  | 100,000 |  | 100, 000 |
| Other sources |  | 25,000 | 25, 000 | 50, 000 |
| Total. |  | 47, 226, 107 | 46, 726,314 | $93,952,421$ |

The returns from California, Nevada, Colorado, Montana, and Utah; the largest bulliou-producing States and Territories in the country, hare been compiled from reports made by the express companies and State officials, and for the other States and Territories from the best known and most reliable sources of information obtainable. A considerable amount of gold bullion, produced chiefly in California and Colorado, does not appear in the returns made by the express companies ; in California being taken clirect to the mint at San Francisco by the owners, and in Colorado being shipped from the State through private hands. I estimate that this would add to the gold product as above given of California at least $\$ 2,500,000$, and to that of Colorado $\$ 500,000$. These amomits added to the foregoing returns would bring the total gold production for the year to $\$ 50,226,107$, an estimate which I believe to be not far from the actual amount.

The records of the mints show that $\$ 48,075,123.76$ of domestic gold bullion was actually deposited; and the reports of the customs authorities exhibit $\$ 205,319$ of domestic bullion exported, thus leaving about $\$ 2,000,000$ of the estimated production of the country unaccounted for, an amount most likely consumed in manufactures and also held by private parties, particularly in the Black Hills region and other remote mining sections of the country.

The returns of silver as made by the express companies more nearly approximate the actual production of the respective States and Territories, as silver, from its greater bulk and weight, is not so readily transported by private parties as gold. A considerable amount is extracted, however, from ores shipped as freight and not by express.

During the fiscal year, $\$ 28,795,195.80$ of domestic silver was deposited at the mints or purchased by the government, and $\$ 15,035,045$ of the domestic production was exported in the form of bullion. At the close of the year a large amount was being held for higher prices by the principal producers on the Pacific coast (sold a short time afterward to the govermment), and this, together with the amount consumed in the arts and manufactures, probably in all about $\$ 5,000,000$, would bring the total domestic production of silver for the year to about $\$ 49,000,000$.
In view of the near approach to specie resumption and the placing of our curency upon a sound basis, it is very gratifying to know that during the past year the mines of the United States have added to the solid wealth of the country nearly one hundred millions of dollars in the precious metals, and that this large production is not only likely to continue, but probably will increase in the near future.

## MONEY STATISTICS.

In estimating the stock of gold and silver coin and bullion in the country, the principal difficulty encomntered is to ascertain the amount consumed in the arts and manufactures. I estimate, however, that during the past year no greater amount of the precious metals has been thus consumed than during the previous year, and the estimate is sufficiently large to be a safe amount to deduct from the net amount on hand Jume 30, 1877, added to the year's production and excess of importatious over exportations, in order to ascertain the net or available stock of coin and bullion on hand June 30, 1878.

Basing an estimate for the past fiscal year upon the estimate of the previous year, 1877, we have:

| Amount of gold coin and bullion on hand June 30, 1877 | \$192, 720, 230 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Add the product of the mines during the year, about | 50, 000, 000 |
| Importations....... | 13, 330, 715 |
|  | 256, 050, 945 |
| Deduct exportations ..................... ...... ............ $\$ 9.19$, 197, 555 |  |
| And probable amount used in arts and manufactures........ 2, 500,000 | 11, 697, 5:5 |
| Leaves a net balauce of | 244, 353, 390 |
| as the amount of gold bullion and coin in the country June | , 1878. |
| The estimaterl amount of silver coin and bullion June 30, 1877 | \$50, 135, 628 |
| Production of the past yeur | 49, 000, 000 |
| Importations.. | 16, 490, 599 |
|  | 115, 626, 227 |
| Deduct exportations ......................................... $\$ 24,535,670$ |  |
| And probable amount used in arts and manufactures. ....... 3, 3, 000,000 |  |
|  | 27, 535, 670 |

Leaves a net balauce of
88,090,557
as the stock of silver coin and bullion in the country June 30, 1878; a total of both gold and silver of $\$ 332,443,947$; an increase during the year of $\$ 89,588,089$.

During the first quarter of the current fiscal year, July to September inclusive, the imports of gold exceeded the exports by $\$ 225,485$, and the
domestic production would probably reach $\$ 15,000,000$, that portion of the year being the season of greatest activity in gold-mining operations. It would be safe to add at least this last amount to the stock of gold coin and bullion in the country at the close of the fiscal year, making a total of $\$ 259,353,390$ September $30,1878$.

During the quarter the imports of silver exceeded the exports by $\$ 1,036,096$, and the domestic production may be placed at $\$ 10,000,000$, thus giving an addition of about $\$ 11,(000,000$, or a total of $\$ 99,090,557$ as the stock of silver coin and bullion September 30, 1878.

The large excess of imports of silver over the amount exported during the quarter ended September 30,1878 , is due to the fact that the United States has been during that time a large buyer of domestic silver for the coinage of the dollar, and to the additional fact that, owing to the decline in the value of silver, United States fractional silver coins are returning in large quantities from the West India islands and South America, where they have been hitherto circulating at par, aggregating over $\$ 1,000,000$ within the three months mentioned.

## TEEE COURSE OF SILVER BULLION.

At the date of the passage of the act authorizing the coinage of the dollar of 4121 grains, the price of bar-silver was about 55 pence per ounce, British standard. From that date, February 28 last, the price gradually declined until it reached $49 \frac{1}{2}$ pence, on the 17th of October; the price at the date of this report is $50 \frac{1}{2}$ pence.

From the foregoing it will be seen that the expectation entertained by many, that the remonetization of the silver dollar would be followed by an appreciation in the value of silver, has not as yet been realized. The causes of the clecline in value during the present calendar year have been a very large decrease in the demand for export to India and China, the continued closure of the mints of the States of the Latirs Monetary Union and of the Netherlands against the coinage of legal-tender silver coins, the use of irredeemable paper currency by Austria and Russia, and the readiness of the German Government to meet any fair market with free supplies, making a sale recently in London of $£ 100,000$ as low as $51 \frac{3}{4}$ pence per ounce.

It will, of course, be readily understood that as long as the supply of silver is in excess of the demand there can be no permanentrise in value. An increased demand of any magnitude can only arise for India and China, or in the event of the resumption of the coinage of legal-tender silver coins by France, Belgium, and the Netherlands.

When the report of the United States Commissioners to the Paris International Monetary Convention shall have been received, we will be better able to form an opinion as to the probable action of France and other countries in reference to the opening of their mints to silver than we are with our present information.

While this complicated, uncertain, and unsatisfactory condition of affairs with reference to the relative value of gold and silver contioues, it will require that the course to be pursued by the United States should be very cantious in respect to the issue of legal-tender silver coins in which silver is rated so much above its market value, if gold is to be retained as the principal money of payment and of commerce.

It should be added in this connection that while silver is the monetary standard of the Austrio-Hungarian and Russian Empires, their more recent public loans have been made upon the gold basis, which will require their tariff duties to be collected in that metal. The foreign exchanges are likewise settled on the gold basis.

## anNuAl settlement, etc.

The annual settlement of the accounts of the operative officers of the various mints, made at the close of the fiscal year, was in all respects highly satisfactory, the wastages having been unusually light.
The mints and assay-offices operated during the fiscal year upon $\$ 105,094,400.29$ in gold and silver bullion, and returned the same in the form of coin and bars, and, so far as the Director is informed, without a single complaint on the part of a depositor or seller of bullion or, in fact, of any person having business transactions with these institutions, and the bullion and ordinary expense accounts have been promptly rendered and settled according to law.
These results attest the skill and fidelity with which the mints and assay-offices are managed and conducted, and reflect credit upon all connected with the coinage.

The usual detailed statements of the various operations of the mints and assay-offices will be found in the appendix, to gether with information respecting the trade-dollar in China, quotations for silver bullion during the year, and reparts from various mining sections of the country in reference to the present and probable future yield of the mines of precious metals, and for which I am under obligations to State and Territorial officials and others conneoted with the mining interests of their respective localitios. I have, however, for obvious reasons, omitted the names of individual mines and mining oompanies.
My acknowledgments are especially due to my assistants and clerks for their faithful and efficient attention to their responsible duties.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully,

H. R. LINDERMAN,<br>Director of the Mint.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

## APPENDIX.

I. Deposits and purchases of bullion during the fiscal year.
II. Coinage executed during the fiscal year.
III. Bars manufactured during the fiscal year.
IV. Deposits of gold and silver (including purchases of silver) of domestic production during the fiscal year.
V. Total deposits and purchases of domestic bullion from the organization of the Mint.
VI. Total coinage from the organization of the Mint.
VII. Coinage and medal dies manufaetured at the Mint at Philadelphia during the tiscal year.
VIII. Medals struck at the Mint at Philadelphia during the fiscal year.
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X. Minor coins redecmed, reissued, and exchanged during the fiscal year.
XI. Imports and exports of gold and silver coin and bullion during the fiscal year.
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XIII. Coins of the United States, authority for coining, and changes in weight and fineness.
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X VIII. Domestic bullion production.
I.-Deposits and purchases of gold and silver bullion during the fiscal year ended June 30, 187量:

II.-Coinage executed during the fiscal ycar ended June 30, 1878.

|  | Denomination. | Mint at Pliladelphia. |  | Mint at San Francisco. |  | Mint at Carson. |  | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Pieces. | Value. | Pieces. | Value. | Pieces. | Value. | Pieces. | Value. |
|  | GOLD. | 494.765 | \$0, 895, 30000 |  |  | 38552 |  |  |  |
| Eagles. |  | 717 | 7,170 00 | 11,500 | 115,000 00 | 3,332 | 33, 32000 | 15,549 | \$51, 406,44000 |
| Half-eagles |  | 105, 072 | 525,360 00 | 20,200 | 101, 000.00 | 12,464 | 62,32000 | 137, 736 | 688, 68000 |
| Three dollars |  | 45,950 | 137, 85000 |  |  |  |  | 45, 950 | 137, 85000 |
| Quarter-eagles |  | 130, 160 | 325, 40000 | 33,400 | 83, 50000 |  |  | 163, 560 | 408, 90000 |
| Dollars. |  | 1,720 | 1,720 00 |  |  |  |  | 1, 720 | 1,720 00 |
| Total gold. |  | 778, 384 | 10, 892, 80000 | 2, 102, 100 | 41, 039, 50000 | 54,343 | 866, 68000 | 2, 934, 832 | 52, 798, 98000 |
| Trade-dollars. | silver. | 2, 386, 010 | 2, 386, 01000 | 8,582, 000 | 8,582,000 00 | 410,000 | 410,000 00 | 11, 378, 010 | 11, 378, 01000 |
| Dollars. |  | 4,907, 500 | 4, 907, 50000 | 2, 552,000 | $2,552,00000$ | 1, 114,000 | 1, 114,000 00 | 8,573,500 | 8,573,500 00 |
| Half-dollars |  | 4,598, 510 | 2, 299, 25500 | 3, 052, 000 | 1, 526,000 00 | 100,000 | - 50, 00000 | 7,750, 510 | 3,875, 25500 |
| Quarter-dollars |  | $7,052,110$ | 1, 763, 02750 | 4,520,000 | 1, 130,000 00 | 3,240, 000 | 810,000 00 | 14, 812, 110 | 3,703, 02750 |
| Twenty cents |  | 710 | 1, 14200 |  |  |  |  | -7, 710 | -14200 |
| Dimes... |  | 4,538, 910 | 453,891 00 | 780, 000 | 78,000 00 | 2,290,000 | 229,000 00 | 7, 608, 910 | 760, 89100 |
| Total silver |  | 23, 483, 750 | 11, 809, 82550 | 19, 486,000 | 13, 868, 00000 | 7, 154, 000 | 2, 613,000 00 | 50,123, 750 | 28,290, 825 50 |
| Tive cents. | ninor. | 1,600 | 8000 |  |  |  |  | 1,600 | 8000 |
| Three cents |  | 1,600 | 4800 |  |  |  |  | 1,600 | 4800 |
| One cent |  | 3, 056, 600 | 30,566, 00 |  |  |  |  | 3,056, 600 | 30,566 00 |
| Total minor |  | 3, 059, 800 | 30,694 00 |  |  |  |  | 3,059, 800 | 30,694 00 |
| Total coinage |  | 27, 321, 934 | 22, 733, 31950 | 21, 588, 100 | 54, 907, 50000 | 7, 208,348 | 3,479,680 00 | 56, 118, 382 | 81, 120, 49950 |

III.-Bars manufactured during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

| Description. | Mints. |  |  |  |  | Assay offices. |  |  |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Philadelphia. | San Fran. cisco. | Carson. | Denver. | New Orleans. | New Fork. | Boise. | Helena. | Charlotte. |  |
| Fine bars ........ | \$61, 75383 |  |  |  |  | \$7, 391, 16163 |  |  |  |  |
| Mint bars. |  |  |  |  |  | 4, 270, 75676 |  |  |  | 4, 270, 75676 |
| Unparted bars |  |  |  | \$355, 09556 | \$4, 59337 |  | \$61,433 09 | \$331, 46051 | \$25, 67148 | 778, 25401 |
| Total gold | 61,753 83 |  |  | 355, 0955 | 4, 59337 | 11, 661, 91839 | 61, 43309 | 331, 46051 | 25,67148 | 12, 501, 92623 |
| Fine bars .......... | 101;739 26 | \$14, 88986 | \$171, 37907 |  |  | 11, 037, 68210 |  | . |  | 11,325, 69029 |
| Mint bars.... |  |  |  |  |  | 32, 47669 |  |  |  | 32,476 69 |
| Standard bars. |  |  |  |  |  | 87, 92829 |  |  |  | 87, 92829 |
| Unparted bars |  |  |  | 7,712 09 | 13, 96080 |  | 1,155 45 | 385, 27790 | 1.8436 | 408, 29060 |
| Total silver | 101,739 26 | 14, 88986 | 171, 37907 | 7,712 09 | 13,960 80 | 11, 158, 08708 | 1, 15545 | 385, 27790 | 18436 | 11, 854, 38587 |
| 'Total gold and silver. | 163,493 09. | 14,88986 | 171,379 07 | 362,80765 | 18,554 17 | 22, 820, 00547 | 62,588 54 | 716,738 41 | 25, 85584 | $24,356,31210$ |

IV.-Deposits of gold of domestic production during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

IV.-Deposits of gold of domestic production during the fiscal yêar ended June 30, 1878-Continued.

| Locality. | Mints. |  |  |  |  | Assay otices. |  |  |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Philadelphia. | San Tran. cisco. | Carson. | Denver. | New Orleans. | New York. | Boise. | Helena. | Charlotte. |  |
| Contained in gold. . <br> Other sources ..... | \$1, 270, 33097 | \$1, 008, 57492 |  | \$4, 58479 |  | ........... | \$1, 436 83 | \$3,635 11 |  | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 9,65673 \\ 2,278,90589 \end{array}$ |
| Total. | 3,532,528 45 | 12, 848, 442 40 | \$2, 447, 27959 | 12, 33227 |  | \$9, 567, 48247 | 1,70880 | 385, 27790 | \$14386 | 28,795, 19580 |
| Total gold and silver | 3, 823, 07037 | 51, 033, 416 80 | 3,184, 99944 | 364,49855 |  | 17, 659, 58070 | 62, 43389 | 716, 73841 | 25,581 40 | 76, 870, 31956 |

V.-Gold and silver of domestic production deposited at the mints and assay-oflices from their organization to the close of the fiscal year ended June $30,1878$.

| Locality. | Gold. | Silver. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Alabama | \$217, 23331 |  | \$217, 23331 |
| Alaska. | 22, 85289 |  | 22,852 89 |
| Arizona | 1,935, 63190 | \$586,677 96 | 2, 522,309 86 |
| Califomia | 686, 506, 69269 | 1, 246, 96277 | 687, 753,655 40 |
| Colozado | 29, 984, 15859 | 15, 446,87920 | 45, 831, 03779 |
| Dikota | 2, 289, 835 58 |  | 2, 289, 83558 |
| Georgia | 7, 527, 85091 | 40383 | 7,528,254 74 |
| Idaho. | 22, 815, 44052 | 504, 93883 | 23, 320,379 35 |
| Iowa. | 1.9258 | 46800 | 66058 |
| Kansas. | 956, 85910 |  | 956, 85910 |
| Lake Superior |  | 2, 524, 91946 | 2, 524, 91946 |
| Maryland. | 40212 |  | 4021.2 |
| Massachusetts |  | 91756 | 9.1756 |
| Michigan |  | 1,196 87 | 1., 1.9687 |
| Montana | 45, 007, 14750 | 2, 004, 46807 | 47, 011, 61.557 |
| Nebraska | 46, 83256 | 749,730 71 | 796, 56327 |
| Nevada | 12, 108, 58994 | 61, 208, 12345 | 73, 316,71309 |
| Newf Hampshive | 10, 299, 00 |  | 10, 299900 |
| New Mexico | 1,388, 67201 | 1, 479,469 64 | 2, 868, 14165 |
| North Carolina. | 10, 445, 61490 | 44, 88502 | 10,490,499 92 |
| Oregon. | 14, 256, 1.0692 | 3,232 12 | 14, 259,339 04 |
| Sonth Carolina | 1, 384, 55024 | 445 | 1,384, 55469 |
| Temmessee | 80,565 99 |  | 80, 565 99 |
| Otah. | 357, 48495 | 7,387,783 29 | 7,745,268 24 |
| $\nabla$ Vermont | 1.10, 80041 |  | 10, 80041 |
|  | 1, 6448, 71.809 |  | 1, 648,71.8 09 |
| Washington Tervitory | 153, 05171 |  | 153, 05171 |
| W yoming 'Territory | 672, 38992 | 11,793 86 | 684, 78378 |
| -Refined bullion. | 164, 249, 34332 | 32, 979, 22939 | 197, 228, 77271. |
| Parted from silver | 11, 130, 71.089 |  | 11, 130, 71.089 |
| Contained in silver | 9, 321, 10750 |  | $9,321,10750$ |
| Parted from gold. |  | 6, 407, 87901 | 6, 407, 87901. |
| Contained in gold |  | 512, 47290 | 512, 47290 |
| Other sources | 10, 019, 65890 | 4, 851., 691.07 | 14, 571,34997 |
| Total | 1,034, 548, 99464 | 138, 354, 127. 46 | 1,172, 903, 12210 |

VI.-Statement of coinage from the organization of the Mint to the close of the fiscal year. ended June 30, 1878.

GOLD COINAGE.

\begin{tabular}{|c|c|c|c|c|c|c|}
\hline Period. \& Double-eagles. \& Eagles. \& Half-eagles. \& Quarter-eagles. \& Three dollars. \& Dollars. <br>
\hline 1793 to 1795. \& \& \$27, 950 \& \$43,585 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1796. \& \& 69, 340 \& 30,980 \& \$2, 40750 \& \& <br>
\hline 1797. \& \& 83,230
79
740 \& 18,045 \& 2, 147750 \& \& <br>
\hline 1799. \& \& 174, 830 \& 184,

37 \& 1,20000 \& \& <br>
\hline 1800. \& \& 259, 650 \& 58, 110 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1801. \& \& 292,540 \& 130, 030 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1802. \& \& 150,900 \& 265, 880 \& 6,530 00 \& \& <br>
\hline 1803. \& \& 89, 790 \& 167, 530 \& 1, 05750 \& ........... \& <br>
\hline 1804. \& \& 97, 950 \& 165, 1515 \& 8, 31750 \& \& <br>
\hline 1.806 \& \& \& 320, 465 \& 4,040 00 \& \& <br>
\hline 1807. \& \& \& 420,465 \& 17,030 00 \& \& <br>
\hline 1808. \& \& \& 277, 890 \& 6,775 00 \& \& <br>

\hline 181.0 \& \& \& | 169,375 |
| :--- |
| 501 |
| 135 | \& \& \& <br>

\hline 1811. \& \& \& 497, 905 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1812. \& \& \& 290, 435 \& . \& \& <br>
\hline 1813. \& . \& \& 477, 140 \& ............. \& \& <br>
\hline 1814. \& \& \& 77, 270 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1815. \& \& \& 3,175 \& \& \& <br>

\hline $$
\begin{aligned}
& 1816 . \\
& 181.7 .
\end{aligned}
$$ \& \& \& \& \& \& <br>

\hline 1818. \& \& \& 242,940 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1819. \& \& \& 258, 61.5 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1820. \& \& \& 1, 319,030 \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1821. \& \& \& 173, 205 \& 1.6, 12000 \& \& <br>
\hline 1822. \& \& \&  \& \& \& <br>
\hline 1824. \& \& \& 86, 700 \& 6,50000 \& \& <br>
\hline 1825. \& \& \& 145, 300 \& 21,085 00 \& \& <br>
\hline
\end{tabular}

VI.-Statenuent of coinage from the organization of the Mint, sc.-Continued.

| Period. | Double-eagles. | Eagles. | Half-eagles. | Quarter eagles | Three dollars. | Dollars. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1826 |  |  | \$90, 345 | \$1, 90000 |  |  |
| 1827 |  |  | 124560 | 7,000 00 |  |  |
| 1828 |  |  | 340, 1.45 |  |  |  |
| 1.899 |  |  | 287, 210 | 8,507 50 |  |  |
| 1830 |  |  | (81, 755 | 11, 35000 |  |  |
| 1831 |  |  | 702, 970 | 11, 30000 |  |  |
| 1832 |  |  | 787, 435 | 11, 00000 |  |  |
| 1833 |  |  | 968, 1.50 | 10,400 00 |  |  |
| 1834 |  |  | 3, 660, 845 | 293, 42500 |  |  |
| 1835 |  |  | 1., 857, 670 | 328, 50500 |  |  |
| 1836 |  |  | 2, 765, 735 | 1,369, 96500 |  |  |
| 1837. |  |  | 1. 035,605 | ]12, 70000 |  |  |
| 1838 |  | \$72, 000 | 1, 600, 285 | 137, 31000 |  |  |
| 1839 |  | 382, 480 | 802,745 | 170, 660000 |  |  |
| 1840 |  | 473,380 | 1, 048, 360 | 153, 56350 |  |  |
| 1841. |  | 656,310 | 380, 725 | 54, 502 50 |  |  |
| 1842. |  | 1, 089, 070 | 655, 330 | 89, 77000 |  |  |
| 1.843 |  | 2, 506, 240 | 4, 275, 425 | 1, 327, 132 20 |  |  |
| 1844 |  | 1,250, 61.0 | 4, 088, 275 | 89,34500 |  |  |
| 1845. |  | 736,530 | 2, 743,640 | 276, 27750 |  |  |
| 1846. |  | 1,015, 750 | 2, 736, 1.55 | 279, 27250 |  |  |
| 1847 |  | 14, 337, 640 | 5, 401, 685 | 482, 06000 |  |  |
| 1848. |  | 1, 813, 340 | 1, 868, 560 | 98,612 50 |  |  |
| 18 |  | 6, 775, 180 | 1, 1.84, 64.5 | 111, 14750 |  | \$936,789 |
| 1850 | \$ $\$ 266,225,220$ | 3, 489, 510 | 860, 160 | 895,54750 |  | 511, 301 |
| 1851 | 48, 043, 100 | 4, 393, 280 | 2, 651, 955 | 3, 867,337 50 |  | 3, 658,820 |
| 1852 | 44, 860, 520 | 2, 811, 060 | 3, 689, 638 | $3,283,82750$ |  | $2,201,145$ |
| 1853 | 26, 646, 520 | 2,522, 530 | 2, 305, 095 | 3, 51.9, 61.5 00 |  | 4, 384, 149 |
| 1854. | 18, 052, 340 | 2, 305, 760 | 1, 513, 195 | 1, 896,397 50 | \$491, 21.4 | 1, 657, 012 |
| 1855 | 24, 636, 820 | ], 487, 010 | 1,257, 090 | -600,700 00 | 171, 465 | 824,883 |
| 1856 | 30, 277, 560 | 1, 484, 900 | 1, 751, 665 | 1, 213, 11750 | 181, 530 | 1, 788, 996 |
| 1857 | 14, 056, 300 | 129, 160 | 673, 610 | 320, 46500 | 38, 490 | 593, 532 |
| 1858. | 28, 038, 880 | 629, 900 | 772, 775 | 515,63250 | 66, 177 | 280, 361 |
| 1859. | 16, 236, 720 | 146, 000 | 406,710 | 213, 01000 | 34, 572 | 259, 065 |
| 1860. | $15,458,800$ | 342, 180 | 301., 145 | 128,980 00 | 61, 206 | 93, 215 |
| 1861. | 59, 316, 420 | 552, 050 | 402, 590 | 338, 44000 | 18,216 | 15,521 |
| 1862. | - 36,247,500 | 972, 990 | 3,287, 160 | $3,208,12250$ | 17, 355 | 1,799, 259 |
| 1863 | 20, 387, 720 | 126, 580 | 117, 010 | 62, 47500 | 117 | 1, 950 |
| 1864 | 21, 465, 640 | 85, 800 | 51, 500 | 23, 1.8500 | 16,470 | 6, 750 |
| 1865. | 24, 879, 600 | 93, 750 | 86, 075 | 30,502 50 | 10,065 | 7, 225 |
| 1866. | 27, 494, 900 | 376, 100 | 300, 750 | 122,975 00 | 12, 090 | 7, 130 |
| 1867. | 27, 925, 400 | 51, 1.50 | 154, 475 | 73, 06250 | $\begin{array}{r}7,875 \\ 14 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 5,225 |
| 1868. | 17,705, 800 | 155, 500 | 153,750 | 74, 12.2500 | 14, 700 | 10,550 |
| 1869 | 21, 270, 500 | 209, 850 | 228,925 | 105,862 50 | 7,575 | 5,925 |
| 1870. | 22, 018, 480 | 89, 130 | 94, 625 | 35, 1.3750 | 10, 605 | 9,335 |
| 1871. | 20, 919, 240 | 163, 250 | 158, 625 | 53,400 00 | 4, 020 | 3, 940 |
| 1872 | 19,798,500 | 254, 600 | 243, 700 | 72, 575 00 | 6, 090 | 1, 080 |
| 1873 | 34, 765, 500 | 204, 650 | 237, 525 | 39,062 50 | -75 | 2,525 |
| 1874. | $48,283,900$ | 388, 480 | 809, 780 | 516,150 00 | 125, 460 | 323,920 |
| 1875 | 32, 748, 140 | 500, 840 | 203, 655 | 2, 25000 | 60 | 20 |
| 1876. | 37, 896, 720 | 153, 610 | 71. 800 | 53, 05250 | 185 | 3,645 |
| 1877. | 43, 941, 700 | 56, 200 | 67, 835 | 5,780 00 | 4,464 | 2, 220 |
| 1878. | 51, 406, 340 | 155,490 | 688, 680 | 137, 85000 | 408, 900 | 1, 720 |
| Total. | 861, 004, 780 | 56, 862, 710 | 70, 101, 495 | 26, 933, 60000 | 1; 708, 982 | 19,346, 158 |

VI.-Statement of coinage from the organization of the Mint, foc.-Continued.

|  | Period. | Trade dollars. | Dollars. | Half-dollars. | Quarter-dollars. | Twenty-cents. | Dimes. | Halfdimes. | Thrce-cents. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1793 to |  |  | \$204, 791 | \$161, 57200 |  |  |  | \$4, 32080 |  |
| 1796. |  |  | 72, 920 | 1,959 00 | \$1,473 50 |  | \$2, 21350 | 51150 |  |
| 1797. |  |  | 7,776 |  | 6300 |  | 2, 52610 | 2,22635 |  |
| 1798. |  |  | 327, 536 |  |  |  | 2, 75500 |  |  |
| 1799. |  |  | $423,51.5$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1800. |  |  | 220,920 |  |  |  | 2,17600 | ]. 20000 |  |
| 1801. |  |  | 54,454 | 15, 14450 |  |  | 3,464 00 | 1, 69550 |  |
| 1802. |  |  | 41, 650 | 14, 94500 |  |  | 1, 09750 | 165050 |  |
| 1803. |  |  | 66, 064 | 15, 85750 |  |  | 3,30400 | ],892 50 | . |
| 1804 |  |  | 19,570 | 78, 25950 | 1,68450 3034850 |  | ${ }^{82650} 5$ |  |  |
| 1805. |  |  | 321 | 105,86100 <br> 419,788 <br> 00 | 30,348 50 |  | 12, 67800 | 78000 | . |
| 1806. 1807. |  |  |  | 419,78800 525,78800 | $5], 531$ <br> 55 <br> 5160 <br> 15 |  | 16,500 00 |  | . $\cdot$........ |
| 1808. |  |  |  | 684, 30000 | 5, 16075 |  | 10,500 00 |  | . |
| 1809. |  |  |  | 702, 90500 |  |  | 4,47100 |  |  |
| 1810. |  |  |  | 638, 13800 |  |  | 63550 |  |  |
| 1811. |  |  |  | 601, 82200 |  |  | 6,518 00 |  |  |
| 1812. |  |  |  | 814, 02950 |  |  | ,518 |  |  |
| 1813. |  |  |  | 620, 95150 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1814. |  |  |  | 519,537 50 |  |  | 42, 15000 |  |  |
| 1815. |  |  |  |  | 17,308 00 |  |  |  |  |
| 1816. |  |  |  | 23,57500 | 5, 00075 |  |  |  | -............ |
| 1817. |  |  |  | 607,783 50 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1818. |  |  |  | 980, 16100 | 90, 29350 |  |  |  |  |
| 1819. |  |  |  | 1, 104, 00000 | 36,000 00 |  |  |  |  |
| 1820. |  |  |  | -375,56100 | 31, 86100 |  | 94, 25870 |  |  |
| 1821 |  |  |  | 652, 89850 | 54, 21275 |  | 118,65120 |  |  |
| 1.822. |  |  |  | 779,786 50 | 16,020 00 |  | 10,00000 |  |  |
| 1823. |  |  |  | 847, 10000 | 4,450 00 |  | 44,000 00 |  |  |
| 1824. |  |  |  | 1,752, 47700 | , |  | , |  |  |
| 1825. |  |  |  | 1, 471, 58300 | 42,000 00 |  | 51, 00000 | S |  |
| 1826. |  |  |  | 2,002,090 00 |  |  |  |  |  |
| 1827. |  |  |  | 2, 746, 70000 | 1,000 00 |  | 121,500 00 |  |  |
| 1828. |  |  |  | $-1,537,600.00$ | - 25,50000 |  | -12,500 00 |  |  |
| 1829. |  |  |  | 1, 856, 07800 |  |  | 77,000 00 | 61,500 00 |  |
| 1830. |  |  |  | 2,382, 40000 |  |  | 51, 00000 | 62,00000 |  |
| 1837. |  |  |  | 2, 936, 83000 | 99, 50000 |  | 77, 1.3500 | 62,13500 |  |
| 1832. |  |  |  | 2, 398,500 00 | 80,00000 |  | 52, 25000 | 48,25000 |  |
| 1833. |  |  |  | 2, 603, 00000 | 39, 00000 |  | 48,500 00 | 68,50000 |  |
| 1834. |  |  |  | 3,206,00200 | 71, 50000 |  | $63,50000$. | 74,00000 |  |
| 1885. |  |  |  | 2, 676,00300 | 488, 000 60 |  | 141, 00000 | 138,000 00 |  |
| 1836. |  |  | 1, 000 | 3, 273, 10000 | 118, 00000 |  | 119,000 00 | 95, 00000 |  |
| 1837. |  |  |  | 1, 81,4, 91.000 | 63,100 00 |  | 104;200 00 | 113, 80000 |  |
| 1838. |  |  |  | 1, 773, 00000 | 208,00000 |  | 239, 49300 | 112, 75000 |  |
| 1839. |  |  | 300 | 1, 717, 28050 | 122, 78650 |  | 229, 47150 | 106, 45750 |  |


|  | Period. | Trade-dollars. | Dollars. | Half-dollars. | Quarter dollars. | Twenty'cents. | Dimes. | Half-dimes. | Three-cents. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1840. |  |  | \$61, 005 | \$1, 145, 05400 | \$158, 33175 |  | \$253, 35800 | \$113, 95425 |  |
| 1841 |  |  | 173, 000 | 355, 50000 | 143, 00000 |  | 363, 00000 | 98, 25000 |  |
| 1842 |  |  | 184, 618 | 1,484, 88200 | 214, 25000 |  | 390, 75000 | 58, 25000 |  |
| 1843 |  |  | 165, 1.00 | 3, 056, 00000 | 403, 40000 |  | 152, 00000 | 58,250 00 |  |
| 1844. |  |  | 20, 000 | 1,885, 50000 | 290, 30000 |  | 7, 25000 | 32,500 00 |  |
| 1845. |  |  | 24,500 | 1, 341, 50000 | 230, 50000 |  | 198,500 00 | 78, 20000 |  |
| 1846. |  |  | 169, 600 | 2, 257, 00000 | 127, 50000 |  | 3, 13000 | 1, 35000 |  |
| 1847. |  |  | 140,750 | 1, 870, 00000 | 280,50000 |  | 24, 50000 | 63,700 00 |  |
| 1848. |  |  | 15,000 | 1, 880, 00000 | 36,500 00 |  | 45,15000 | 63, 40000 |  |
| 1849. |  |  | 62, 600 | 1,781, 00000 | - 85,00000 |  | 113, 90000 | 72,45000 |  |
| 1850. |  |  | 47, 500 | 1,341,50000 | 150, 70000 |  | 244, 15000 | 82, 25000 |  |
| 1851 |  |  | 1, 300 | 301, 37500 | 62, 00000 |  | 142,650 00 | 82, 05000 | \$185, 02200 |
| 1852 |  |  | 1, 100 | 110, 56500 | 68, 26500 |  | 196,55000 | 63, 02500 | 559,90500 |
| 1853 |  |  | 46, 110 | 2,430,354 00 | 4, 146,555 00 |  | 1, 327, 30100 | 785, 25.100 | 342, 00000 |
| 1854 |  |  | 33, 140 | 4, 111, 00000 | 31466,00000 |  | . 624,00000 | 365, 00000 | 20,130 00 |
| 1855. |  |  | 26, 000 | 2, 284, 72500 | 861, 35000 |  | 207,500 00 | 117,500 00 | 4, 17000 |
| 1856. |  |  | 63,500 | 1, 908,50000 | 2, 129, 50000 |  | 696, 00000 | 299, 00000 | 43,74000 |
| 1857. |  |  | 94, 000 | 114,000 00 | 583, 00000 |  | 489, 00000 | 197, 00000 |  |
| 1858. |  |  |  | 4, 430, 00000 | 3, 019,750 00 |  | 226, 00000 | 327, 00000 | 37, 98000 |
| 1859. |  |  | 288, 500 | 4, 005, 50000 | 1, 428,000 00 |  | 229, 00000 | 195, 00000 | 41, 40000 |
| 1860. |  |  | 600, 530 | 1, 627, 40000 | 330,450 00 |  | 98, 60000 | 96,500 00 | 16, 44000 |
| 1861 |  |  | 559,900 | -959,650 00 | 771, 55000 |  | 167, 30000 | 139, 35000 | 7,950 00 |
| 1862. |  |  | 1,750 | 1, 785, 42500 | 730,93750 |  | 158, 40500 | 117, 62750 | 18, 25650 |
| 1863. |  |  | 3.1, 400 | 983, 63000 | 113, 96500 |  | 34, 07100 | 8, 22300 | 2, 80380 |
| 1864. |  |  | 23, 170 | 483, 98500 | 22,492 50 | . | 14, 03700 | 4,518 50 | 11 1) |
| 1866. |  |  | 32, 500 | 503, 579250000 | 27,650 9,712 180 | ........... | 17,160 <br> 21,065 <br> 1, | $\begin{array}{r}4,880 \\ 10,73250 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 618 679 60 |
| 1867. |  |  | 57, 000 | 897, 45000 | 18,175 00 |  | 13, 67000 | - 43500 | 14100 |
| 1868. |  |  | 54, 800 | 946,750 00 | 37, 47500 |  | 73,315 00 | 24, 29000 | 12000 |
| 1869. |  |  | 231, 350 | 561, 67500 | 23, 13750 |  | 23, 90500 | 52750 | 15150 |
| 1870. |  |  | 588,308 | 1, 000, 37500 | 23, 04750 |  | 98, 18500 | 48,222 50 | 11550 |
| 1871. |  |  | 657, 929 | 1, 242, 77100 | 29,971 75 |  | 10,707 50 | 14, 39025 | 12975 |
| 1872. |  |  | 1, 112,961 | 1, 486, 49250 | 550,09625 |  | 222, 47150 | 152, 75175 | 6105 |
| 1873. |  |  | 977, 150 | 1, 199, 77500 | 174, 36250 |  | 419, 04000 | 175,442 50 | 2550 |
| 1874. |  | \$3, 588, 900 |  | 1, 438, 93000 | 458,515 50 |  | 497, 25580 |  |  |
| 1875. |  | 5, 697, 500 |  | 2, 853, 50000 | 623, 95000 | \$5, 85800 | 889, 50000 |  |  |
| 1876. |  | 6, 132, 050 |  | 4, 985, 52500 | 4, 106, 252.50 | 263,56000 | 3, 639, 10500 |  |  |
| 1877. |  | 9, 162, 900 |  | 9, 746, 350 00 | 7, 584, 17500 | 1, 44000 | 2, 055, 07000 |  |  |
| 1878. |  | 11, 378, 010 | 8,573,500 | 3,875,255 00 | 3,703, 02750 | 14200 | 760,891 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 35, 959, 360 | 16, 619, 338 | 122, 744, 79550 | 38, 477, 14900 | 271,000 00 | 16, 902, 67730 | 4,906, 94690 | $1,281,85020$ |

VI.-Statement of coinage from the organization of the Mint, foc.-Continued.

VI.-Statement of coinage from the onganization of the Mint, fe.-Continued.

| Period. | Minor coinage. |  |  |  |  | Total coinage. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Five-cents. | Three-cents. | Two-cents. | Cents. | Falf-cents. | Gold. | Silver. | Minor. | Total. |
| 1837 |  |  |  | \$55, 58300 |  | \$1, 148, 305 00 | \$2, 096, 01000 | \$55, 58300 | \$3, 290, 89800 |
| 1838 |  |  |  | 63,70200 3 |  | 1, 809, 509500 | 2, 33, 24300 | ${ }^{63,724.00}$ | 4, 206,54000 |
| 1840 |  |  |  | 24, 22700 |  | 1, | - $1,726,70300$ | 31,286 <br> 24,627 <br> 100 | $3,563,46761$ $3,426,63250$ |
| 1841 |  |  |  | 15,973 67 |  | 1, 091,597 50 | 1, 132, 75000 | 15,973 67 | 2, 2411, 32117 |
| 1842 |  |  |  | 23, 83390 |  | 1, 834,17000 | 2, 332, 75000 | 23, 83390 | 4, 190, 75390 |
| 1.843 |  |  |  | 24, 2888 |  | $8,108,79750$ | 3, 334, 75000 | 24, 28320 | 11,967, 83070 |
| 1844 |  |  |  | 23,987 <br> 38,948 <br> 1 |  | $5,428,23000$ $3,756,447$ 50 | 2, 233,55000 <br> $1,873,200$ | 23,9875 <br> 38,948 <br> 04 | -,687, 76752 $-5,668,595$ 54 |
| 1846 |  |  |  | 4], 20800 |  | 4, 034,17750 | 2, 5558,58000 | 41, 20800 | 6, 633, 96550 |
| 1847 |  |  |  | 61,83669 |  | $20,221,38500$ | 2, 379, 45000 | 61, 83669 | 22, 662,67169 |
| 1848 |  |  |  | 64, 15799 |  | 3,775, 51250 | 2, 040, 05000 | 64, 15799 | 5, 879, 72049 |
| 1849 |  |  |  | 41,78500 44,26844 | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 19932 \\ 199 \\ \hline 196\end{array}$ | 9, 007, 76150 | $2,114,950$ <br> $\mathrm{~J}, 866,100$ | 41,98432 44,467 50 | $11,164,695$ $33,892,306$ 80 |
| 1851 |  |  |  | 98,897 07 | 73836 | 62, 614, 49250 | 774, 39700 | 99, 63543 | $33,892,30600$ <br> $63,488,524$ <br> 18 |
| 1852 |  |  |  | 50,63094 |  | 56, 846, 18750 | 999, 41000 | 50, 63094 | 57, 896, 22844 |
| 1853 |  |  |  | 66,411 31 | 64847 27679 | 39, 377, 90900 | 9, 977,57100 | 67, 05978 | 48, 522,539 78 |
| 1855 |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}276 \\ 289 \\ 280 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | $8,619,27000$ <br> $3,501,245$ | 42, 63385 | $34,577,82685$ <br> $32,495,243$ <br> 19 |
| 1850 |  |  |  | 26,904 63 | 20215 | 36, 697,76850 | 5, 135, 24000 | 27,.10678 | $32,495,243$ <br> $41,860,115$ |
| 1857 |  |  |  | 63, 33456 | 17590 | 15,811,563 500 | 1,477, 00000 | 63, 51046 | 17, 352,073 46 |
| 1858 |  |  |  | 234, 00000 |  | 30, 253, 72550 | $8,040,73000$ | 234,00000 | 38, 528,45550 |
| 1859 |  |  |  | 307,000 <br> 342,000 <br> 00 |  | 176, 296, 0757000 | $6,187,40000$ $2,769,920$ | 307,000 342,000 00 |  |
| 1861 |  |  |  | 101, 66000 |  | 60, 693, 23700 | 2, 605, 70000 | 101, 66000 | -19,557, $63,400,597000$ |
| 1862 |  |  |  | 116, 00000 |  | 45, 532, 38650 | 2, 812, 40150 | 116, 00000 | 48,460, 78800 |
| 1863 |  |  |  | 478, 45000 |  | 20,695, 85200 | 1, 174, 09280 | 478, 45000 | 22, 348, 39480 |
| 1864 |  |  | \$36, 450.00 | 427, 35000 |  | 21, $649 ; 34500$ | 548, 21410 | 463, 80000 | 22,661, 35910 |
| 1866 | \$66, 24000 | 270, 27000 | 122, 98000 | 187, 08000 |  | 25, 21313,94500 | 636,308 <br> 680 <br> 264 <br> 50 |  | $26,926,85550$ $29,640,77950$ |
| 1867 | 1,562,500 00 | 133, 41000 | 69, 88000 | 113, 75000 |  | 28, 217, 18850 | 986, 871100 | J, 879, 54000 | 31, 083,59850 |
| 1868 | 1, 445, 10000 | 108, 39000 | 61, 33000 | 98,565 00 |  | 18, 114, 42500 | 1, 136,750 00 | $1,713,38500$ | 20, 964,56000 |
| 1869 | 1, 101, 25000 | 64,380 00 | 34, 61500 | 78, 81.000 |  | 21, 828, 637750 | 840,746 50 | 1, 279, 05500 | 23, 948,439 00 |
| 1871 | 171, 95000 | 2T, 63000 | 22, 105 00 | 62,07500 |  | 21, 302, 47500 | 1, $1,75 \overline{50} 90525$ |  | ${ }_{23,}^{24,636,011,000}$ |
| 1872 | 89, 20000 | 18, 33000 | 6,170 00 | 9,32000 |  | 20, 376, 495000 | 3, 029, 8340.5 | 123, 02000 | 23, 529, 34905 |
| 1873 | 352, 40000 | 34, 32000 |  | 107, 33000 |  | 35, 249, 33750 | 2,945,795 54 | 494, 05000 | 38,689, 18300 |
| 1874 | 244, 35000 | 29, 64000 |  | 137, 93500 |  | $50,442,69000$ | 5, 983, 60130 | 411, 92500 | 56, 838,21630 |
| 1875 | 94, 65000 | 12,540 00 |  | 123, 18500 |  | 33, 553, 90500 | 10, $070,368 \mathrm{~S} 0$ | 230,37500 | 43, 8594,70800 |
| 1876 1877 | $\begin{array}{r}132,700 \\ .25, \\ 250 \\ \hline 80\end{array}$ | 7,560 00 |  | 120, 090000 |  | 38, 178,96250 | 19, 126, 50250 | 260,350000 | 57, 565, 815000 |
| 1878 | 8000 | 4800 |  | 30, 5660 |  | 52, 798, 98000 | 28, 290, 82550 | 30, 69400 | $81,120,49950$ |
| FRASTotal. | 5, 773, 17000 | 855, 13800 | 912, 02000 | 5, 335, 143 44 | 39, 92611 | 1,035, 958, 67500 | 237, 163, 11690. | 12, 015, 3975 | 1, 286, 037, 18945 |

VII.-Coinage and medal dies manufactured at the Juited States mint at Philadelphia during the fiscal year ended June 30, $1878 . \quad$ /

| Denomination. | Philatelphia. | San Francisco. | Carson. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| For gold coinage: |  |  |  |  |
| Double-cagle........ | 58 | 46 | 50 | 154 |
| Eagle ..... | 2 | 12 | 10 | 24 |
| Half-eagle | 7 | 8 | 6 | 21 |
| Three-dollar | 1 | 2 |  | 3 |
| Quarter-cagle. | 6 | 8 |  | 14 |
| One-dollar .... | 59 |  |  | 59 |
| Total. | 133 | 76 | 66 | 275 |
| For silver coinage: |  |  |  |  |
| Standavd rollar:- | 92 | 192 | 100 | 384 |
| Half dollar. | 32 | 225 | 92 56 | 349 233 |
| Quarter-dollar | 87 | 28 | . 56 | 171 |
| Dime......... | 41 | 46 | - 60 | 147 |
| Total. | 344 | 576 | 364 | 1,284 |
| For minor coinage : Five-cent. . |  |  | . | 5 |
| Three-cent .... | 4 |  |  | 4 |
| One-cent. | 45 |  |  | 45 |
| Total. | 54 | - . . . . . . . - | ............ | 54 |
| Total coinage dies | 531 | 652 | 430 | 1,613 |

Total mumber of dies.
Gold coinage ..... 275
Silver coinage ..... 1, 284
Minor coinage ..... 54
Experimental dies ..... 23
Specimen dies ..... 18
Valley Forge Centemial ..... 2
President Hayes ..... 2
Life-saving medal ..... 2
McDonough's victory (reproduction) ..... 2
Annual assay ..... 1
Total ..... 1, 663
VIII.-Mcdals manufactured at the United States mint at Philadelphia during the fiscalyear ended June 30, 1878.


YIII.-Medals manufactured at the United States Mint at Philadelphia, fo.-Continned.

IX.-Medals and proof-sets of United Statos coins sold during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

|  | Description. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number } \\ & \text { sold. } \end{aligned}$ | Valuc. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | medalis. |  |  |
| Gold medals |  | 42 | \$. $\mathrm{C}, 43700$ |
| Silver medals. |  | 820 | 2,305 77 |
| Bronze medals. |  | 2,869 | 3, 00075 |
| Total |  | 3,731 | 6,743 52 |
|  | PROOF-SETS. |  |  |
| Gold proof-sets <br> Silver proof'sets |  | 81.1 | $\begin{array}{r} 86000 \\ 2,635 \quad 75 \end{array}$ |
| Total |  | 831 | 3,495 75 |

X.—Minor coins redeemed, reissued, exchanged, and melted during the fisoal year ended June 30, 1878.

| Denomination. | Picces. | Valuc. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| REDREMED. |  |  |
| Copper, one cent picces. | - 239,360 | \$2, 39360 |
| Nickel, one.cent picces | 2, 280, 434 | 22, 80434 |
| Bronze, one-cent piecos | 9, 632, 192 | 96,321 92 |
| Bronze, two-cent pieces. | 880,748 | 17, 61496 |
| Nicke, three-cent pieces. | 1, 41.4, 258 | 42, 42774 |
| Nickel, five-cent pleces | 5, 711, 602 | 285, 58010 |
| Total. | 20, 158, 504 | 467, 14266 |
| Reissuled. |  |  |
| Bronze, one-cent pieces : | 9, 745, 500 | 97, 45500 |
| Nickel, three-cent pieces. | 599,000 | 17,970 00 |
| Nickel, five-cent pieces . | 7,261, 800 | 363, $090 \cdot 00$ |
| Total. | 17,606,300 | 478,515 00 |
| EXCHANGED, |  |  |
| Nickel, one-cent pieces | 1 | 01 |
| Nickel, theecent picces. | 1,695 | 5085 |
| Nickel, five-cent pieces | 5,366 | 26830 |
| Total. | -7,062 | 31910 |
| MELTED, |  |  |
| Bronze, one-cent pieces (mutilated). | $274,000$ | 2,74000 |
| Bronze, two-cent pieces.... | 363, 000 | 7,260 00 |
| Total. | 637, 000 | 10,000 00 |

XI.-Statemenit of imports and exports of gold and silver during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878 (from monthly retiuns of the Bureau of Statistics).
imports.

| Ports. | Gold. |  | Silver. |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Bullion. | Coin. | Bullion. | Coin. |  |
| NEW YORK. |  |  |  |  |  |
| July, 1877 | \$34, 515 | \$115, 264 | \$10, 132 | \$184, 571 | \$344, 482 |
| August, 1877 | 27, 190 | 742, 622 | 4, 606 | 121, 981 | 896, 405 |
| September, 1877 | 25, 989 | 2, 665, 232 | 5,545 | 258, 883 | 2, 950, 599 |
| October, 1877 .. | 12, 437 | 706, 275 | 28,269 | 123, 177 | !870,158 |
| November, 1877 | 372, 570 | 719,775 | 12,631 | 522, 808 | 1, 627, 784 |
| December, 1877 | 14,425 | 615,252 |  | 198,767 | 828, 444 |
| Jaumars, 1878 | 10,202 | 406,331 | 6,019 | 402, 762 | 825, 31.4 |
| February, 1878 | 500, 647 | 2, 184, 84.1 | 5,261. | 168, 002 | 2,858,751 |
| March, 1878... | 9,500 | 55, 855 | 980, 785 | 522, 526 | 1., 568, 666 |
| April, 1878. | 18, 071 | 87, 626 | 4, 259, 911 | 962, 069 | 5, 327, 677 |
| May, 1878. | 14, 267 | 605, 420 | 27, 116 | 774, 334 | 1., 421, 137 |
| June, 1878 | 24, 591. | 553, 434 | 8,930 | 275, 718 | 862, 673 |
| Total | 1, 064, 410 | 9, 457, 927 | 5, 349, 205 | 4, 510, 548 | 20,382, 090 |
| July, 1877. | 84, 507 | 5, 300 | 109, 375 | 204, 671 | 403, 853 |
| August 1.877 | 95, 718 | 51, 231 | 171, 587 | 350, 67.1 | 669, 207 |
| September, 1877 | 157, 984 |  | 136, 654 | 303, 565 | 598, 153 |
| October, 1877 | 146, 639 | 9, 150 | 198, 277 | 219, 426 | 573, 492 |
| November, 1877 | 236,962 | 28,935 | 36,980 | 201, 484 | 504, 361 |
| December, 1877 | 86, 448 | 5,340 | 122, 282 | 385; 144 | 599, 214 |
| Jamaary, 1878. | 25,098 | 45,354 | 110, 21.5 | 270, 271 | 450,988 |
| February, 1878 | 14,517 | 29,525 | 195, 367 | 218, 81.8 | 458, 227 |
| March, 1878. |  | 56, 442 | 80, 093 | 301, 537 | 438,072 |
| April, 1878. | 40,218 | 27, 84.1 | 63, 400 | 451, 941 | 583, 400 |
| May, 1878. |  | 49,919 | 155, 178 | 304, 830 | 509, 927 |
| June, 1878 |  | 65, 427 | 39, 800 | 32,632 | 137, 859 |
| Total | 888, 041 | 374, 464 | 1, 419, 208 | 3,244, 990 | 5, 926, 703 |
| All other ports. |  |  |  |  |  |
| July, 1877. | 3,914 | -65,884 | 26, 257 | 163, 435 | 259, 480 |
| August, 1877 |  | 37, 350 | 13,406 | 25,775 | 76, 531 |
| September, 1877 | 1,322 | 9,967 | 39,573 | 240, 768 | 291, 630 |
| October, 1877 |  | 241,738 | 1, 113 | 31, 292 | 274, 143 |
| November, 1877 | 800 | 38, 477 | 641 | 94, 020 | 133, 938 |
| December, 1877 | 4, 760 | 13, 820 | 34,420 | 189, 601 | 242, 607 |
| Jannavy, 1878 | 50 | 325, 574 | 1, 766 | 187, 322 | 514, 712 |
| February; 1878 | 704 | 347, 739 | 525 | 24, 165 | 373, 133 |
| March, 1878. | 1,921 | 72, 174 | 4, 666 | 102, 1.88 | 180, 949 |
| April, 1878 |  | 69, 465 | 10,475 | 275, 830 | 355, 770 |
| May, 1878. | 1, 000 | 198, 173 |  | 154, 981 | 354, 104 |
| June, 1878 | 5,734 | 105, 301 | 70,594 | 273, 895 | 455, 524 |
| 'I'otal | 20, 211 | 1,525, 662 | 203, 436 | 1, 763, 212 | 3, 512, 521 |
| Total imports. | 1, 972, 602 | 11, 358, 053 | 6, 971, 849 | 9,518, 750 | 29, 821, 314 |

EXPORTS (FOREIGN).

| NLW XORK. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| July, 1877 |  | 31, 830 |  | 80,847 | 118,677 |
| August, 1877 |  | 139, 715 | 10,284 | 50, 304 | 200, 303 |
| September, 1877 |  | 315, 800 | 23, 656 | 58,964 | 398, 420 |
| October, 1877 |  | 131., 755 | 11, 270 | 3,462 | 1.46, 487 |
| Novemluer, 1877 | 1, 200 | 7, 480 |  | 156, 491 | 165, 171 |
| December, 1877 |  | 14, 100 | 25, 000 | 115, 473 | 154, 573 |
| Jamuary, 1878. |  | 75,969 | 5,110 | 11.0,572 | 191, 641 |
| Februavy 1878 |  | 115,520 | 9, 345 | 43,350 | 168, 215 |
| March, j. 878. |  | 301, 029 |  | 218, 497 | 519,526 |
| April, 1878. |  | 674, 489 | 8,210 | 111, 892 | 792, 591 |
| May, 1878. |  | 108,274 | 25,040 | 93, 21.5 | 226, 529 |
| June, 1878 |  | 109, 607 | 8,017 | 356, 916 | 474,540 |
| Total | ], 200 | 2,023,558 | 125,932 | 1,403, 983 | 3, 556, 673 |

IX.-Statement of imports and exports of gold and silver-Continued.

EXPORTS (FOREIGN).


EXPORTS (DOMESTIC).

| Ports. | Gold. |  | Silver. |  |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Bullion. | Coin. | Bullion. | Tyade dollars. | Fractioual. |  |
| NEW YORK. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July, 1877 |  | \$660, 170 | \$386, 700 | \$396, 500 | \$17, 600 | \$1, 469,970 |
| August, 1.877 |  | 32,500 | 405,000 | 137, 000 | 16, 000 | 590,500 |
| September, 1877 |  | 86,509 | 370, 260 | 20,000 | 18, 100 | 494, 869 |
| October, 1877 |  | 35, 411 | 768, 399 |  | 1,000 | 804,810 |
| November, 1877 |  | 10, 700 | 440,800 |  | 18,895 | 470, 395 |
| December, 1877. |  | 41,506 | 876, 089 |  | 7,235 | 924, 830 |
| January, 1878 | \$22, 031. | 122, 000 | 1, 489, 309 | 61, 500 | 5,200 | 1,300, 040 |
| Feburuar ${ }^{\text {c }} 1878$ | 37, 165 | 40,034 | 407, 375 |  |  | 484,574 |
| Maich, 1878 | 5, 003 | 1, 769, 316 | 210, 466 |  | 50 | 1,984,835 |
| April, 1878 | 87, 216 | 1,937, 690 | 119,608 | 193, 843 |  | 2,338,363 |
| May, 1878 | 30, 428 | 407, 200 | 151, 275 |  | 6,350 | 595,253 |
| June, 1878 |  | 52, 549 | 110, 610 | 128, 172 | 600 | 300, 931 |
| Total. | 181, 843 | 5, 204, 591 | 5, 344, 891 | 937, 015 | 91,030 | 11., 759, 370 |
| ban prancisco. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July, 1877 | 4,735 | 29,497 | 1, 727,529 | 933, 692 |  | 2,695, 453 |
| August 1877 | 445 | 18,617 | 635,754 | 401., 176 |  | 1,055,992 |
| September, 1877 | 4, 430 | 13,962 | 1, 014, 074 | 609,768 |  | 1, 642, 234 |
| October, 1877 | 1,890 | 55,442 | 412, 500 | 381, 658 | 12,081 | 863, 571 |
| November, 1.877 | 3, 120 | 26, 514 | 57, 6.54 | 487, 177 |  | 574, 465 |
| December, 1877. | 6,317 | 51, 117 | 12, 872 | 531, 30.1 | 10,000 | 611, 607 |
| January, 1878 | 229 | 8, 530 | 1, 568, 964 | 319,737 | 14, 549 | 1, 01.2, 009 |
| Fehruary, 1878 |  | 22,690 | 226,589 | 101, 761 | 40, 250 | 391, 290 |
| Match, 1878 |  | 39, 767 | - 53,725 | 131, 250 | 9, 180 | 233, 922 |
| April, 1.878 | 900 | 42, 403 | 72, 666 | 96,992 | 15,000 | 227, 961 |
| May, 1878 |  | 6030 | 2, 001, 380 | 85,300 |  | 2, 092, 916 |
| June, 1878. | 1,410 | 97, 413 | 1, 906, 247 | 149, 173 |  | 2, 154, 243 |
| Total | 23,476 | 411, 982 | 9,690, 154 | 4, 228, 991 | 101., 060 | 14, 455, 663 |

## XI.—Statement of imports and exports of gold and silver-Continued.

EXPORTS (DOMESTIC)-CContinued.

| Ports. | Gold. |  | Silver. |  |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Bullion. | Coin. | Bullion. | Trade dollars. | Fractional. |  |
| all other polms. |  |  |  | - |  |  |
| July, 1877 |  | \$27, 000 |  |  | \$5,500 | \$32, 500 |
| Aumist, 1877 |  | 1.2, 365 |  |  | 6,500 | 18, 865 |
| September, 1877 |  | 107.850 |  |  | 403 | 102, 318 |
| October, 1877 |  | 25,000 152,640 |  |  | 202 233 | 25,202 152,873 |
| December, 1877. |  | 2, 138 |  |  | 871 | 3, 009 |
| Jimuary, 1878 |  | - 400 |  |  | 18,547 | 18,947 |
| Tebmary, 1878 |  |  |  |  | 212 | 212 |
| March, 1878. |  | 14, 972 |  |  | 257 | 15, 229 |
| April, 1878 |  | 360,713 |  |  | 560 | 361,273 |
| May, 1878 |  |  |  |  | 1,079 | 1, 079 |
| Јune, 1878 |  | 106, 700 |  |  | 1,750 | 108,450 |
| Total. |  | 803,778 |  |  | 36, 174 | 839, 952 |
| Total exports (domestic) | \$205, 319 | 6,420,351 | \$15, 035, 045 | \$5, 160,006 | 228, 264 | 27,054,985 |

XII.-Weelly fluctuations in the gold value of fine bar-silver, so., during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878 (propared from quotations fumished by Pixley \& Abell, London).

|  | Date. |  | Price per ounce fine in United States gold coin. |  | Relative value of gold to silver. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1877. |  |  | Cents. |  |
| July 5. |  |  | \$1 18.10 | 91. 34 | 1 to 17.50 |
| July 12 |  |  | 1.18.37 | 91.55 | 17. 46 |
| July 19. |  | $54{ }^{5}$ | 1. 12. 19 | ${ }^{92.198}$ | 17. 34 |
| July 20. |  | 54.3 | 118.92 | 91.88 | 17. 38 |
| August $\%$. |  | 548 | 1 18. 64 | 91.76 | 17. 42 |
| August 9. |  | 544 | 118.82 | 91.38 | 17. 38 |
| August 10. |  | 546 | 118.64 | 91.76 | 17. 42 |
| August 23. |  | 54.3 | 118.64 | ${ }^{91.170}$ | 17. 42 |
| August 30. |  | 542 | 118.92 | ${ }^{91 .} 98$ | 17. 38 |
| September 6. |  | 54 | 118.92 | 91.98 | 17.38 |
| September 13. |  | $54 \frac{1}{2}$ | 11.892 | 91.88 | 17.38 |
| Suptember 20. |  | 54 砏 | ${ }^{1} 19.19$ | 92.19 | 17. 34 |
| September 27. |  | 54 | 120.01 | 92. 82 | 17.22 |
| October 4 |  | 55 ¢ | 1. 21. 66 | 94.10 | 16. 99 |
| October 11. |  | 54 | 120.01 | 92.82 | 17. 22 |
| October 18. |  | 54. | 120.01 | 92.82 | 17.22 |
| Octoher 25. |  | 55 | 121.38 | 93. 88 | 17.02 |
| November 1 |  | 55 | 120.56 | 93. 25 | 17.14 |
| November 8 |  | 55 | 120.56 | 93. 25 | 17.14 |
| November 15 |  | 542 | 118.92 | 91. 98 | 17.38 |
| November 22. |  | $54 \frac{1}{4}$ | 118.92 | 91. 88 | 17.38 |
| November 29 |  | 54 | 118.37 | ${ }^{91 .} 55$ | 17.46 |
| December 6 |  | 544 | 118.92 | 91. 98 | 17.38 |
| December 13 |  | 581 | 117.82 | 91.12 | 17. 54 |
| December 20 |  | 54 | 118.37 | 91.55 | 17. 46 |
| Deeember 27 |  | 54 | 118.37 | 91.53 | 17. 46 |
|  | 1878. |  |  |  |  |
| January 3 |  | 533 | 117.82 | 91.12 | 17. 54 |
| January 10 |  | 54 | 118.37 | 91.55 | 17. 46 |
| January 17 |  | 533 | 117.82 | 91. 12 | 17.54 |

XII.-Weekly fuctuations in the gold value of fine bar-silver, fo. -Continued.

XIII.-Coins of the Onited States, authority for coining, and changes in weight and fineness.

GOLD COINS.

## Doublc-eagle.

Anthorized to be coined, act of March 3, 1849.
Weight, 516 grains; fineness, 900.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, $\$ 351,001,780$.

## Eagle.

Anthomized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 270 grains ; fineness, $916_{3}^{2}$.
Weight changed, act of Junc 28, 1834, to 258 grains.
Fineness changed, act of Jane 28, 1834, to 899.225.
Fineness changed, act of Jannary 18, 1837, to 900.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, \$56,862,710.

## Half-eagle.

Anthorized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 135 grains; fineness, $916 \frac{2}{2}$.
Weight changed, act of June 28, 1834, to 129 grains.
Fineness changed. act of June 28, 1834, to 899.225 .
Fineness changed, act of Jannary 18, 1837, to 900.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal ycar ended June 30, 1878, $\$ 70,101,495$.

## Quarter-eagle.

Authorized to be coined, act April 2, 1792.
Weight, 67.5 grains; fineness, $916{ }_{3}^{2}$.
Weight changed, act of June 28, 1834, to 64.5 grains.
Fineness changed, act of June 28, 1834, to 899.225 .
Fineness changed, act of January 18, 1837, to 900.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, $\$ 26,933,600$.

## Three-dollar piece.

Anthorized to be coined, act of February 21, 1853.
Weight, 77.4 grains; fineness, 900 .
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended Jume 30, 1878, $\$ 1,708,932$.
One-dollar.
Anthorized to be coined, act March 3, 1849.
Weight, 25.8 grains; fineness, 900.
'Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended Jume 30,1478 , $\$ 19,346,158$.

## SILVER COINS.

## Dollar.

Anthorized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792:
Weight, 416 grains; fineness, 892.4.
Weight changed, act of January 18, 1837, to $412 \frac{1}{2}$ grains.
Fineness changed, act of January 18, 1837, to 900.
Coinage discontinued, act of February 12, 1873.
Total amount coined, $\$ 8,045,838$.
Coinage reauthorized, act of February 28, 1878.
Amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, $\$ 8,573,500$.

## Trade-dollar.

Anthorized to be coined, act of February 12, 1873.
Weight, 420 grains; fineness, 900.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June $30,1878, \$ 35,959,360$.

## Half-dollar.

Anthorized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 208 grains; fimeness, 892.4.
Weight changed, act of January 18, 1837, to 2061 grains.
Fimeness changed, act of January 18, 1837, to 900.
Weight changed, act of Tebruary 21, 1853, to 192 grains.
Weight changed, act of February 12, 1873, to 124 grams, or 192.9 grains.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June 30, 1878, $\$ 1 \mathbf{1 2}, 744,795.50$.
Quarter-dollar.
Authorized to be coined, net of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 104 grains; fineness, 892.4.
Weight changed, act of January 18,1837 , to 1031 grains.
Fineness changed, act of January 18, 1837, to 900 .
Weight changed, act of February 21, 1853, to 96 grains.
Weight changed, act of February 12, 1873, to $6 \frac{1}{4}$ grams, or 96.45 grains.
'Total amonnt coined to close of fiscal year ended June 301878 , $\$ 38,477,149$.
Twenty-eent piece.
Anthorized to be eoined, act of March 3, 1875.
Weight, 5 grams, or 77.16 grains; fineness, 900.
Coinage discontinued, act of May 2, $18 \% 8$.
Total amount coined, $\$ 271,000$.

## Dime.

Authorized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 41.6 grains; fimeness, 892.4.
Weight changed, act of Jannary 18, 1837, to 414 grains.
Fineness changed, act of Jamary 18, 1837, to 900.
Weight changed, act of February 21, 1853, to 38.4 grains.
Weight changed, act of February 12, 1873, to 2t grams, or 38.58 grains.
Total amount coined to closio of fiscal year cuded June 30, 1878, \$16,902,677.30.

## Half-dime.

Authorized to be coinerd, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 20.8 grains; fineness, 892.4 .
Weight changed, act of Jaunary 18, 1837, to $20 \frac{5}{8}$ grains.
Fineness changed, act of January 18, 1837, to 900 .
Weight changed, act of Febriary 21, 1853, to 19.2 grains.
Coinage discontinued, act of Febrinary 12, 1873.
Total amount coined, $\$ 4,906,946.90$.

## Three-cent piece.

Authorized to be coined, act of March 3, 1851.
Weight, $12 \frac{8}{5}$ grains; fineness, 750 .
Weight changed, act of March 3,1853 , to 11.52 grains.
Fineness changed, act of March 3, 1853, to 900 .
Coinage discontinued, act of February 12, 1873.
Total amount coined, $\$ 1,281,850.20$.
MINOR COINS.
Five-cent (nickel).
Authorized to be coined, act of May 16, 1866.
Weight, 77.16 grains, composed of 75 per cent. copper and 25 per cent. nickel. Total amount coined to close of tiscal year ended June 30, 1878, \$5,773,170.

## Three-cent (nickel).

Authorized to be coined, act of March 3, 1865.
Weight, 30 grains, composed of 75 per cent: copper and 25 per cent. nickel.
Total amount coined to close of fiseal year ended June 30, 1878, \$855,138.
Two-cont (bronze).
Authorized to be coined, act of April 22, 1864.
Weight, 96 grains, composed of 95 per cent. copper and 5 per cent. tin and zinc. Coinage discontinued, act of February 12, 1873.
Total amount coined, $\$ 912,020$.
Cent (copper).

Authorized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 264 grains.
Weight changed, act of January 14, 1793, to 208 grains.
Weight changed by prochamation of the President January 26, 1796, in conformity with act of March 3,1795 , to 168 grains.
Coinage discontinued, act of Febraary 21, 1857.
Total amount coined, $\$ 1,562,887.44$.
Cont (nickel).

Authorized to be coived, act of February 21, 1857.
Weight, 72 grains, composed of 88 per cent. copper and 12 per cent. nickel.
Coinage discontinued, act of April $22,1864$.
Total mount coined, $\$ 2,007,720$.

## Cont (bronze).

Coinage anthorized, act of April 22, 1864.
Weight, 48 grains, composed of 95 per cent. copper and 5 per cent. tin and zinc.
Total amount coined to close of fiscal year ended June 30,$1878 ; \$ 1,764,546$.

## Half-cent (copper):

Authorized to be coined, act of April 2, 1792.
Weight, 132 grains.
Weight changed, act of Jannary 14, 1793, to 104 grains.
Weight changed by proclamation of the President, January 26, 1796, in conformity with act of March 3 , 1795 , to 84 grains.

Coinage discontinued, act of February 21, 1857.
Total amount coined, $\$ 39,926.10$.

## XIV.-THE UNITED STATES TRADE-DOLLAR IN CHINA.

No. 398.]

## United States Legation; Peking, February 7, 1878.

SIm: In view of the decision of the Chinese Government to take no steps for the establishment of a mint and a currency, I have thought the moment opportune to inquire of our consuls whether the frade-dollar is coming into circulation, and whether any official action may be taken which will increase the demand for it. I inclose the form of a 1-3e8 letter, which I am addressing to them.

You will notice that in my 2-398 letter to the ofticer at Canton, I point out the fact that an official assay of the coin mentioned, made at his port in 1873, did not produce a correct result, and ask whether it is desirable to request another assay.

The Canton assays are accepted by the customs at other ports, and the matter seems important under these circumstances. In point of fact, however, foreign coins are not imported for use at their bullion value, but to be put into circulation at the higher value which their convenience for circulating purposes creates. I have understood that the trade-dollar sometimes commands two or three per cent. premiunn at Canton, but it has not come into circulation, so far as I have heard, elsewhere.

At Shanghai, in 1876, the singular spectacle was seen of Mexican dollars ranging in value in the local currency from 72.6 per cent. of the tael to 82.5 per cent., a fluctiation of 10 per cent. between silver in the form of dollars and silver as bullion. A nore pertinent commentary on the fact that the Chinese would appreciate a coinage system could not well be offered.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
GEORGE F. SEWARD.
Hon. William M. Evarts,
Secretary of State.
[Dispatch No. 398, inclosure 1.]
Mr. Seward to Mr. Stahel.
No. 107.]
February 5, 1878.
SIIR: Please be so good as to inform me whether the trade-dollar has come into circulation at your port; if so, to what extent, and whether official action may be taken which will be likely to create or increase demand for it.

I am, \&e.,
GEORGE F. SEWARD.
Same sent mutatis mutandis to consuls at Amoy, Foo-Chow, Ningpo, Chín Kiang, Hankow, New Chwang, and Tien-Tsin.
[Dispatch No. 398, inclosure 2.]
Mr. Seward to Mr. Lincoln.
No. 31.]
Eebruary 5, 1878.
Sir: By an assay, made at your port in 1873, the trade-dollar was declared to be 896.1 fine, and 111.9 taels weight of them to be equal in value to 100 taels Haikwan (or pure) sycee.

In point of fact, however, the trade-dollar is 900 fine, and 111.11 taels weight of them should be equal to 100 taels Haikwan sycee. By the same assay 100 trade-dollars were found to weigh 72 taels 6 m .8 c . The Haikwan tael is declared to weigh, however, 1 oz. 4 dwt. 3.84 grains, or, say 579.84 grains. The trade-dollar weighs 420 grains, and its weight by the Haikwan standard should be 72-4-3-2 taels.

Please be so good as to inform me whether, looking to the facts recited above and
to the course of exchange and any other considerations which may be involved, it is worth while for us, in your opinion, to ask for another assay of the trade-dollar. Please advise me also whether any official action may be taken, which, in your opiaion, will tend to iagcrease the demand for trade-dollare in this country.

1 am, d.c.,


Sir: Recurring to Mr. Seward's dispatch, No. 398, of February 7 last, inclosing a cops of a circular-letter addressed to our consuls at the several ports, inquiring whether the trade-dollar is coming into circulation, and whether any official action may be taken which will increase the demand for it, I now have the honor to hand to you copies of the several replies which have been received.

From these you will see that the coin in question has obtained no circulation in China, except at Amoy, Canton, Foo-Chow, Swatow, and the Formosa ports. At these places it seems to be preferred by the natives to the Mexican, and to command a small prenium.

The burden of opinion would appear to be that no official effort to extend its circulation is advisable, unless it can be, made a legal tender for the payment of customs dues at a fixed rate.

I desire to request your special attention to the remarks contained in the dispatches from the consuls at Amof, Foochow, and Ningpo as to the desirability of preventing, if possible, the "choppiag" or matilation of the trade-dollarr.

This practice, which had its origin in a rule made by mercantile houses in the south of China, requiring each firm to guarantee the geuuineness of dollars paid out by affixing to each coin its "chop" or Chinese firm name, and which was done by stamping with a die upon the surface of the coin, has grown into such an abuse that current dollars are defaced beyond all possibility of recognition, and not infrequently coins are fond in circulation through which koles have been pnnched.

In some cases indeed there is good reason to believe that the die has been displaced by a gouge, and a small portion of the metal has thus been abstracted from the coin:
In this connection $I$ inclose a copy of a memorial upon this subject presented to the governor of Hong-Kong in June, 1877, by thé leading bankers and merchants of that colony, in which the evils of the "chopping" system are set forth.

It is evident that the mutilation and defacement of any coin tends largely to limit fand interfere with its circulation. Whether it is wise to undertake negotiations with this government at the present time, looking to a suppression of this practice in China so far as it affects United States coins, is a question for the department to decide.

I desire, however, to point ont that steps in that direction, if entered upon at all, should be undertaken simultaneously in Peking and London, as the practice referred to is not more common in this country than in Hong-Kong, which, as you are aware, is a British colony.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

## CHESTER HOLCOMBE.

Hon. Willlam M. Evarts, Secretary of'State.

[Dispatch No. 10, inclosure 1.]

## Mr. Henderson to Mr: Seward.

## No. 77.]

Amov, May 2, 1878.
Sir: I now have the honor to snbmit the following in reply to the inqniries made in your dispatch No. 46. The American trade-dollar is and has been for more than two years past in use at the ports in this consular district, though not so extensively as the Mexican. At present it commands a preminm to buyers of one and a half centis at the cash shops in Amoy, and payers everywhere have a decided preference for it. One thousand tradendollars are 1-23-6 too heavy, or over the weight of 72 Amoy currency. But for the universal and unrestricted tendency of people who have payments to make to procure and use the worst dollars that will pass, they might, for anght I can see, become the exclusive currency. They are better than the Japanese trade-dollars, and neither the tael nor "dollar Spanish" bas any existence in reality. Any official actiou that would restrict or prevent the cirenlation of debased or mutilated coins, or those of lesser weight and value, would necessanily promote the use of the trade-dollar. Any measure of this kind would, however, encounter the opposition bf the schroffs, money-brokers, and compradores, as well as those concerned for the moneys of other countries affected by it.

If the Chinese Government conld be induced to make it the only legal-tender for customs-duties, mach would be gained for it, but this could not be easily accomplished, and might not be desirable. I have for a year past required all official fees at the consulate to be paid in clean trade-dollars; but the amount collected has been small, and no favorable influence of the plan can be perceived.

I am, \&e.

# J. A. HENDERSON, Consul. 

## Mr. Lincoln to Mr. Seward.

## No 9.]

1
Canton, March 9, 1878.
Sur: I had the honor to receive your dispatch, No. 31, of February 5, 1878, regarding the weight and circulation of the United States trade-dollar, on the 4th instant.

Inasmuch as this coin is taken here at its actual fineness (900), I do not think it would be advantageous to have another assay.

Some montlis since the German consul wrote me on the subject of assaying the coins in circulation here, as per copy of his letter marked Inclosure No. 1.
After due consideration aud consultation with my colleagues, I wrote him as per Inclosure No. 2.

Regarding its circulation, I wrote the department some time since, as per Inclosure No. 3.

I am convizced that the trade-dollar is gradually increasing in' circulation; that it is better liked than the Mexicans. I find that in cases where money is hoarded up or laid by, by the natives, the trade-dollar is invariably selected. Believing inclosures Nos. 2 and 3 give my views fally on the subject,

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
C. P. LINCOLN;
[Inclosure No. 1.]
German Consulate, Canton, June 22, 1877.
Dear Sir and Colleague: According to article 22 of the treaty between Germauy and China, payments due to the Chinese customs may be made in bars or in foreign coin whose relative value to the Chinese sycee silver shall be fixed by special agreement, according to circumstances, between the consular officers and the superintendent of customs.

The provisions of the article of this treaty lave as yet not been carried out at Canton, inasmuch as the above-mentioned agreement between the German cousul and the superintendent of customs there has never been entered into.
I have theiefore lately been instructed to cause the relative value of the coins current at the Chinese cnstoms to the Chinese sycee silver to be fixed in the manner provided by the article in question.
The motive for the instruction is the following:
As regards the value of the Mexican dollar. The result of 52 assays lately made at the Japanese imperial mint at Osaka wais that the fineness of Haikwan silver varies between 984.5 and 986.5 , and that by far the greater number of pieces examined showed a fineness of 985.5 , containing besiles from 002 to $.002,2$ of gold.
The loss incurred by melting $54,018.34$ ounces was 83.03 ounces.
Accordin'g to American assays, weight and fineness of the Mexican dollar are: the old Mexican dollar, 415.68 grains troy and 901 fineness ; the new Mexican dollar (balance dollar), 415.68 grains troy and 902.5 fineness.

By an assay made on the 23d December, 187.3, by Her Britannic Majesty's consulate and the Chinese authorities at Canton, the value of 100 old Mexican dollars was fixed at 63.9 Haikwan taels, and that of the new dollar at 64.8 Haikwan taels-that is to say, 100 Haikwan taels are 154.32 new aud 156.49 old Mexican dollars.
This unfavorable proportion can ouly be traced to the fact that the loss sustained by melting, \&c., of the dollars was more considerable than what it would have been in the event of a careful and conscientious manipulation.

The weight of 100 dollars being 72.67 Haikwan taels, and assuming the fineness of the tael to be 1,000 and that of the dollar 900 , which is too favorable for the former and too unfavorable for the latter, $\$ 15 \because 90$ would have to be paid for 100 Haikwan taels.
It hence follows; since Mexican dollars are of an actual fineness of, respectively, 900 and 902.5 , instead of 900 , and the average fineness of Haikwain taels not being 1,000 , but only 985.5 , that for every 100 . Haikwan taels $\$ 4.06$ are paid in excess of their value in new and $\$ 5.93$ in old Mexicau dollars.

All consuls of the treaty powers having a right, and, in view of the above facts, sufficient cause, to desire the relative values of the current coins regulated upon a sound basis, I embrace the opportunity, dear sir and colleague, to inform you of my intention of engaging the Chinese authorities to subject the different coins to a fresh assay.
As this is a matter of common interest to all foreigners, I beg to inquire if you will
act conjointly with me and our other colleagues, to whom I have addressed a similar letter. It will be a matter for future consideration in what manner the new assay has to be carried out in order to be just and reliable.
Requesting the favor of an early reply,
I have, \&c.,
Charles P. Lincoln, Esq., Uniteal States Consul, Canton.
$\qquad$
[Inclosure No. 2.]
No. 32.]
United States Consulate at Canton, July 5, 1877.
Sir: I have had the honor to receive your dispatch regarding a reassay of the current coins at this port.

- I am fully convinced that such an assay would not prove beneficial to those whom I know it is your desire, as well as my own, to serve.

The assays heretofore made at this port of the American trade and Mexican dollar do not agree with the assays made in the United States of the same coins, these coins being declared here a little less fine than their true value, though I understand they are taken for customs duty and by all bankers and merchants at 900 fineness.

While it would be desirable to know the exact value of a Haikwan tael, I fear it is da thing not so easily ascertained, as I learn that by some strange arithmetical calculation, known only to those familiar with its working, the value of the Haikwan varies as much as the rates of exchange upon Europe or America.

1 am, \& E.

C. P. LINCOLN,<br>United States Consul.

Baron von Soden,
H. I. German Consul, Canton.

## Mr. Colby to Mr. Sewart.

No. 69.]
Chinimtang, March 12, 1878.
Sin: In response to the inquiry made in your No. 27, in regard to trade-dollars, I beg to say that there are none in circulation at this port, and, from the best information I can gather on the subject, any effort to introduce them commercially would be attended with a considerable loss to the introducer, as they would uot be received except at a discount of at least five per cent, as compared with the Mexican dollar, now in universal use here.

I am, sir, your obedient servant,

J. C. S. COLBY, Consul.

## M. M. De Lano to Mr. Seward.

Foochow, March 4, 1878.
Sir: I lave to acknowledge the receipt of your dispatch No. 52, making inquiries about the circulation of the American trade dollar at this port.

In reply I have to say that the annual import of the dollar, say for three years past, has been from ten to twenty lakhs. It is eagerly sought for by the Chinese, when not mutilated, and wheu brought up from Hong-Kong without having beeth subjected to the process of "chopping" it is taken in preference to the Mexican dollar.

Upon first appearance of the trade-dollar here, there was an effort made to place it at a discount of two per cent. as compared with the Mexican, but at my instance the Chinese authorities were induced to order it to be taken for customs duties at the same cate as the Mcxican, also to issue public proclamations commending it to the people and forbidding its mutilation. This action had the effect to bring it into notice, and it is still looked upon by the natives with much favor.

I know of no official action which would tend to increase its circulation here unless means could be taken to prohibit the chopping of it in Hong-Kong and Canton.

I am of the opinion that if official action could be taken to place it at par with the Mexican dollar at Shanghai, its circulation in China would thereby be increased fourfold.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

M. M. DE LANO, - Consul.

Mr. Shepard to Mr. Seward.
No: 18.]
STR: I have the honor to and 43.
Referring to the first, I have to report, from inquiries of merchants and the bank, I cannot learn that an American trade-dollar was ever seen in Hankow. The Chinese are very notional abont "dollars," and while the "sun-dollar" is taken without question, the "scale-dollar" is at a heavy discount. As you know, both are Mexicans, and even the manager of the Hong-Kong Bank tells me he does not know any real difference in their value.

Intelligent compradores assert, that if the trade-dollar were introduced, the Mandarins " would order it boiled, chop, chop"; $i$. $e_{\text {c, condemn it to be smelted. I have no }}$ doubt such would be the case, and I can, therefore, recommend no official action to create or increase a demand for it at this particular point.
Its recognition as the standard at banking institutions, and by native officials, would doubtless pave the way for unquestioned circulation. I see no way to this result otherwise, except by the very slow process of a gradual familiarity with the coin, extending from the great ports of Shanghai and Hoag-Kong.

I am, sir; your obedient servant,

ISAAC F. SHEPARD, Consul.

## Mr. Baudinel to Mr. Seward.

No. 14, 482.]
New ChWang, February 27, 1878.
SIR: In'reply to your excellency's dispatch, No. 36, of the 5 th instant, I have the houor to state, the trade-dollar has come into circulation at this port, but only to a very limited extent ; it is sold at a premim as a curiosity to dealers from the interior, but can only be passed at a discount in general business. Official intervention wonld, I think, be undesirable as tending to prejudice the Chinese commercial mind against anything thus recommended, unless, indeed, it would be proper to insist on the foreigu customs taking them (and Mexican dollars) in payment of duties, tomiage dues, \& $\mathbb{C}$. At present they only accept dollars as matter of favor, not of right, and then at a discount on the market rate.

Dollars, with the above exception, are seldom used here, except for ships' disbursements and at the foreign stores; the native currency of the port and district being sycee (small and in shoes) copper cash and tiao notes.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant;

FREDK. BAUDINEL, Vice-Consul.

## Mr. Lord to Mr. Sevard.

No. 88.]
Ningro, Hebruary 23, 1878.
SIR: In reply to your inquiries relating to the introduction of the trade-dollar at this port, I have to say that it has not been introduced here to any extent whatever.

It would have been a great blessing if it could have been introdnced; for we are suffering very grievous evils for the want of it or something like it.

The Mexican dollar, the only coin (Chinese cash excepted) now current here, is so nucertain in its value and so liable to be counterfeited that there is for us no end of trouble, and this trouble has greatly increased of late. There have been several. attempts made here to coin this dollar by natives, and the work produced was so well executed that only schroffs or experienced money-changers could detect them. The value of some of them was also quite fair, being only sliort some four or five per cent.

I think the trade-dollar or any other invariably good and well-executed one would find great difficulty in coming into use here withont official action. Bankers and
schrofts control the currency here, and it is for their interest to have this as defective and difficult as possible so as to, gain from those who are ignorant. For this reason the bright or newly coined Mexican dollar is usually at a discount here.
I am inclined to think that if an arrangement could be made with the customs authorities to take the trade-dollar in payment of dues, and at a fair rate of exchange, it might be brought into use, and if in addition it could be made a penal offense for the Chinese to melt, deface, or counterfeit it, I think there would soon be a large demand for it.

The practical currency now of this port is the dollar. The tael is becoming more and more nominal, and the old method of keeping accounts and prices in cash is fast, changing into dollars and cents.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
EDWARD C. LORD,
United States Consul.

## Mr. Staluel to Mr. Seward.

No. 619.]
Shangitar, April 3, 1878.
SIR: Referring to your dispatch No. 107, I have now the honor to inclose copy of a letter just received from the vice-chairmain of the Shanghai Chamber of Cominerce, to which body I applied for information on the shbject, being myself so little acquainted with matters in China.

I have, \&e.,

J. STAHEL, Vice-Consul-General.

## Chamber of Commerce to Mr. Stahel.

## Shanghai, Maroh 30, 1878.

Your letter of 21st February on the subject of the introduction of the trade-dollar was briefly aeknowledged on the 23 l of the same month, and the committee has since gathered information which shows that there is no present prospect of inducing the natives to accept the coin or of iufluencing official action on the part of the Chinese authorities to facilitate its recognition as a legal tender.
The dollar has been imported in small quantities and has failed to make its wap, having always been refused at its full value, while application to the Taontai for assistance in introducing it has led to no result beyond a declaration of the inability of the officials to move in the matter, as the currency of this port for trade purposes is sycee sílver.

Those parcels of trade-dollars which have been received have therefore been reshipped. to the south, where the coin is easier of exchange.

I have, \&c.,

F. B. FORBES,<br>Fice-Chairman.

## Mi. Denny to Mi. Seward.

No. 8.]
Tikn-Tsin, February 14, 1878.
SIR: In reply to your dispatch of the 5th instant, I have the honor to say that the American tradedollar is not known as a circulating medium at this port. As you are aware, zothing will be received in payment of obligations in. the interior but sycee silver or copper cash, and the same rule is also observed at this port in most all transactions. For this reason the larger proportion of Mexican dollars shipped to this port are converted into sycee, leaving very few in circulation.

The trade-dollar being of equal fineness with the Mexican, and a trifle heavier in weight (its weight being 420 grains troy), and also more accurately and uniformly milled, there would be snfficient inducement for the Chinese to use it in preference to the Mexican if coined money circulated here as it does in western countries by its nominal value rather than by weight or iutrinsic value; but under the prevailing custom of circulating by weiglit alone, I do not see that any official action can be taken that would be of practical use to create or increase demand for our trade-dollars to any considerable extent in this part of the country. Greater familiarity with the new dollar will perhaps overcome the present strong prejudice of the natives in favor of the Mexican, but itsscirculation as a dollar would even then be limited, as the clean Mexican now is, to small transactions with foreigners.

I am, \&c.;
O. N. DENNY,

Consul.

# XV.-THE JAPANESE TRADE-DOLLAR. 

United States Legation, Japan,
Tokei, June 6, 1878.
SIR: This governgent on the 27 th ultimo issued additional coinage regulations, declaring that the silver trade-dollar of 420 grains, authorized ly the regulations of 1878, shall hereafter be free to circulate generally, and shall be used in paying taxes and in all business transactions, public and private, and shall also be legal tender to any amount. I have the honor to inclose berewith translations of the several notifications on the subject as issued by his excellency Sanjo Saneyoshi, His Imperial Majesty's prime minister.

I note and inclose herewith an article on this subject which appeared with the notifications in the Japanese Times of the 1st inst., in which, among other things, the English editor predicts that the British dollar will push out of China at least the Mexican dollar and the Japanese yen. This is the same editor who issued the article transmitted with my No. 766, in which he claimed that the treaty powers were entitled to demand of Japan guarantees when restoring " her imperial right of coinage" by treaty revision. It seems that Japan paid no heed to the editor's proclamation of last March that "the. Japanese trade-dollar must be abolished," and has ordered this extended coinage without waiting for "the restoration of her imperial right of coinage" by treaty revision and the favor of the treaty powers, as, in my opinion, she: had the right to do.

I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,

## Hon. William M. Evarts,

Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.

## THE FINANCE NOTIFICATIONS.

The following important negotiations respecting the trade-dollar and revising certain of the coinage regulations were issued in Tokio on the 27th instant:
[Notification No. 12, by the prime minister.]
It is hereby notified that the silver trade-dollars which have hitherto been coined for the convenience of trade in all the open ports, but which have hitherto only been circulated within the limits of those ports, slall hereafter be free to circulate generally, and may therefore be used in paying taxes and in all business transactions, either public or private.

## SANJO SANEYOSHI, <br> Prime Minister:

## [Notification No. 13, by the priméminister.]

It is hereby notified that silver trade-dollars having, by Notification No. 12, been authorized to circulate generally, the coinage regulations notified in Notification No. 108 , the 6th month of the 8th year of Meiji (June, 1878), have been revised as under. The limit of circulation of the coin is enlarged; the charges for coining and the limit of bullion received for coinage are decreased, and the period shortened between receipt of the bullion and delivery of the coin. That is to say, in the'coinage regulations the undermentioned changes are made: In the 5th clanse of Notification 108, in the note to Article 4 of the coinage rules, and in Articles 9, 11, and 13 of the same.

SANJO SANEYOSHI,
Prime Minister:
[Revisions mentioned above.]
Fifth clause of the limit of circulation of coin revised thus:
"These trade-dollars may be used in paying the customs-duties and any other taxes paid by foreigners and in all business transactions between Japanese and foreigners; also in payment of all taxes in the interior, and in all other payments; public or private, the same shall be legal-tender to any amount.
"In note to Article 4 of the coinage regulations (respecting the fixed amount of silver bullion receivable by the mint for coinage), for 'silver bullion will be received in quantities of 1,000 ounces' read 'in quäntities of 500 ounces'; in Article 9 of tlie same (respecting the period to elapse between receipt of bullion and delivery of coin), ; for 'twentieth day' read 'tenth day'. In Article 11 of the same (respecting the charge for coinage), for ' $1 \frac{1}{2}$ (one and a half) per cent.' read ' 1 (one) per cent.;' in Article 13 of the same (respecting the charge for recoining), for ' 10 (ten) per thousand' read ' 5 (five) per thousand.'

## [Extract from the Japan Times, June 1, 1878.]

We should hail these notifications with pleasure, as steps to ward the point at which we are anxious to see Japan arrive-that of issue of coin for the China trade as well as for her own-were the changes made in favor of the Japanese silver yen of the same weight and fineness as the Mexican dollar. But as an attempt to bring into cir ula-
tion as coin the stamped ingots of silver which are called trade-dollars, of 420 grains weight, we regret their publication. Our hope is as far as ever from folfillment, and the expectations of the authors of the notifications will not be attained. The tradedollars will continue to pass out of one set of melting-pots only to go into another; foreign bullion will not be attracted to the Japanese mint; the opportunity now offering in China for a successful attack upon the Mexican dollar will be allowed to slip past unseized ; the Mexican dollar and the tyranny of the schroff will remain excrescences from our trade, or Hong Kong will establish a mint of her own, and then not only will all hope of a profitable coinage business for Japan in the China trade be lost, but the British dollar will push out the Mexican and push out the Japanese yen too.

All the profit hereafter to be made from subsidiary coinage for use in China will also, in 'that case, go' to the Mong Kong establishment instead of to that at Osaka, and whatever bullion Japan may coin into trade-dollars for her own use will coatinue to be drained out of the country as fast as they are produced, and quietly sold back to hër as bar-silver to coin over again.

Another outlet for them, which has evidently escaped the finance minister's obserration, has just been provided, in addition to those previously existing, by recent legislátion in America. Is there no one in the financial bureau of this country who can point out to his chief that it will pay foreign bankers to send Japanese trade-dollars to the United States mints to be coined into the new silver currency just legalized there ?

It will be remarked, also, that in three notifications no mention is made of gold coin. As the law stands at present gold is a legal tender to any amonnt, and row the silver tradedodlar is given equal currency. The finance minister appears bent on committing as many mistakes as he can. He oppresses his country with the evils of bi-metallism at the same time that he orders the mintage of the wrong description of silver coin.

As matters of practice and fact and of interest to the foreign trade, of course these notifications are valueless, becanse trade will le carried on as before, with the Mexican dollar and the paper currency as the media of exchange. Foreigners will certainly not send in bullion to be coined into trade-dollars, and what little bullion government has to coin, gold or silver, will be drained away as before by the Mexicans.

It is vexations to friends of the country and well-wishers of her government to see an opportunity like this lost, and a wrong course taken, in direct opposition to the advice of experts, to the teaching of experience, and to common sense. But we abandon the subject in despair, and the only questions relative to it which retain for us a spark of interest are: Who are the finance minister's advisers? By what arguments have they induced him to the step he has taken, and how will he justify it to his colleagues in the government when his failure is apparent? More than ever, perliaps, are now felt the deficiencies of the native press. We find in it as yet neither attack nor defense of the notifications; the subject appears to be beyond the grasp of native journalists. And regrettable, too, is the nnwisdom whieh killed in its birth what might have grown into a mpst useful means of education-a combined native and alien journalism. Did newspapers now exist couducted by foreign and native editors in partnership, this most ińnportant question of the currency might haye been fülly argued oüt on both sides and in both langriages. The finance minister then, with all the argnments before him in clear light, could hardly liave failed to arrive at a right decision. It would not have been that which we have now to condemn.

## XVI.-UNITED STATES ASSAY OF JAPANESE "PYX" COINS OF THE COINAGE OF THE MINT AT OSAKA FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDED JUNE 30, 1878.

## Legation of Japan;

 Washington, 14th 9th month, Eleventh year, Meiji.SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith, from the mint of Osaka, fourteen packets of samples of money coined and assayed at that mint during the year ending June, 1878. As ou several previous occasious with other specimens, ny government would loe glad to have these samples assiayed at the mint of the United States; and I have only to repeat that I will cheerfnily pay any expenses which may be incurred by this additional request.
"With this letter I also send you ar copy of another, written by Mr. W. Gowland, of the imperial mint, which will enable the assayer of the United States to make comparisons.

Accept, sir, the renewed assurances of my high consideration.
YOSHIDA KIYONARI.
Hon: Whllam M. Evarts,
Secretary of Statc.

# The Imperial Mint, Assay Department, <br> June 25, 1878. 

Sir: Fonr five-yen and four trade-dollar coins, selected by Mr. Yokura this morning from the pyx coins which represent the coinage of the mint for the financial year 18771878, have been individually assayed by me.

The remainder of the five-yen coins, 67 in number, have been melted and cast into a bar, and a cuttiug has been taken from this bar and assayed.

The remainder of the trade-dollar coins, 84 in number; the whole of the 57 coins in the pyx, 92 in number, and 1,000 each of the twenty, ten, and five sen have been melted and "dip assay pieces" taken from the molten metal, and these dips assayed.
Gold five-yen coin, No. 1, October 4, 1877
900. 0

Gold five-yen coin, No. 2, November 26, 1877 ............................................. 900. 3
Gold five-yen coin, No, 3, Febrnary 22, 1878 ............................................... 900.1
Gold five-ven coin, No. 4, March 18, 1878 . .................................................. 900.2
Gold five-yen coin cutting from bar ........................................................ 899.9
Silver trade-dollar coin, No. 1, August 25, 1877............................................ 901.2
Silver trade-dollar coin, No. 2, November 5, 1877.......................................... 900.8
Silver trade-dollar coin, No. 3, March 13; 1878. ................................................ 899.8
Silver trade-dollar coin, No. 4, June 15, 1878............................................................... 901. 0
Silver trade-dollar coin, cutting from dip ...... ........................................... 900.5 5
Subsidiary silver :
Fifty-sen, cutting from dip ......................................................................... 799.6
Twenty-sen, cutting from dip ....... ........................................................... 800.6

Five-sen, cutting from dip............................................................................... 799. 0
Each coin dip and cutting was divided into four parts, aud one part was assayed by me and the other three parts were separately sealed up in your presence aud delivered to you.

In every case the coins are within the limits of the legal remedy as to fineness.
I have the honor to be, sir, your obedient servant,
W. GOWLAND, F. C. S. Associate of the Royal School of Mines.

## The Commissioner.

## Mint of the United States; Philadelphia, September 27, 1878.

Sir: Herewith I offer my report of assays of fourteen samples from the Japanese mint, forwarded to you, with documents by the Director of the United States Mint. The samples represent the gold and silver coinage of the mint of Osaka "during the year ending June, 1878."

Our results agree very well with those given by Mr. Gowland, of the assay department of that mint. I will make a remark upon the subsidiary silver, that the "cuttings from dips" cannot be so uniform as granulations made by casting the dips into water, which prevents segregation. I therefore give the averages:


Very respectfully,

Hon. James Pollock, Superintendent.

WM. E. DU BOIS,
Assayer.

## XVII.--REDUCTION IN VALUE OF COINS OF TUNIS.

## Consulate of the United States, <br> Tunis, June 5, 1878.

Sir : In consequence of a considerable quantity of 4 -piaster silver pieces having been smuggled into the country, the Bey, has sent a cireular to the consuls, informing them that he had decided to reduce the nominal values of the 10 and 5 piasters, gold, and the $4,3,2$, and 1 piaster silver pieces in the proportions mentioned in his communication, a translation of which is inclosed, as well as two printed documents in French on the same subject.

This arbitrary decision has thrown the internal trade of the country into confusion, and the people, particularly the Arabs of the interior, who hold large sums in silver, are in dismay at a measure which at once reduces its value by about one-fifth; for it is unnecessary to say that the offer of the government to pay in promissory notes the difference between the nominal value of the coin and its intrinsic value as fixed by the circular is quite illusory.

It is to be remarked that the coin introdnced from abroad is of the same fineness as that struck at the mint, and there is no pretense that any other coin than the 4 -piaster silver piece has been smuggled into the country.
In 1872 the Bey reduced the fineness of the silver coinage by about 20 per cent., and that of the gold 10 and 5 piaster pieces by $2 \frac{1}{2}$ and 4 per cent. respectively. He issued at the same time a decree, which, after stating that he had been obliged to resort to this measure to prevent the exportation of the subsidiary coinage, limited payments in silver to the sum of 10 piasters. A large quantity of this coin was struck, and the government, disregarding its own decree, at once proceeded to pay its employes and its creditors in general with this depreciated currency. About the same time a lot of spurious gold 10-piaster pieces were brought from Europe and circulated among the Arabs, who, when they discovered the fraud, refused to accept gold of any denomination in payment for their produce, but required to be paid entirely in silver.

In this mauner a vast quantity of the depreciated silver coin is in their hands. The financial commission has also added to the trouble by a bit of sharp practice which has not elevated it in the estimation of the public. They had on hand a considerable sum in silver which they had received for taxes, \&c. Before recommending to the Bey the adoption of the late measure they gradually changed their silver for gold of a larger denomination than 10 piasters, at a small discount (about one-quarter of one per cent.), and having emptied their coffers they induced the Bey.to send the circular.
Silver fell at once 20 per cent. and the price of all articles of daily consumption rose from 25 to 50 per cent. Many shops were closed and for some days the greatest excitement and confusion prevailed. It is stated that about $4,000,000$ of piasters in 4 -piaster pieces have been imported. The inpunity with which this has been done, although the parties are well known, gives rise to the belief that persons in high station near the Bey have had a hand in the fraud.
I. am, sir, very respectfully, your obedient servant,

G. H. HEAP,<br>United States Consul.

Hon. Willeam Hunter,
Second Assistant Secretary of State, Washington, D. C.
[Translation.]
Circular from the Bey modifying the value of certain denominations of coin.
Fraise to God.
The gold piece of ten piasters shall hereafter be worth nine and three-quarters piasters.

The gold piece of tive piasters shall hereafter be worth four and thirteen-sixteenths piasters.
The silver piece of four piasters slall hereafter be worth three and one-quarter piasters.
The silver piece of three piasters shall hereafter pass current for two and sevensixteenths piasters.
The silver piece of two piasters shall hereafter be worth one piaster aud ten-sixteenths.
The silver piece of one piaster shall be worth thirteen-sixteeuths of a piaster.

From the servant of God, \&c., the Musclier Pasha Bey of Tunis, to the illustrious, \&c., G. C. Heap, consul-general of the United States of America at Tunis, \&c.

It has come to our knowledge that a considerable sum in silver coin of the denomination of four piasters has been imported into our capital.
This importation by its extraordinary quantity has caused the exportation of the gold coinage and a fall in the agio of that of silver.
Under these circumstances we have deemed it advisable for the public good to modify the gold and silver coinage in the manner following:
The gold piece of one hundred piasters shall be the standard coin of this country. It does not change in value, and the same may be said in regard to the tifty and twenty-five piaster pieces.
All other gold and silver coins shall be subjected to the modifications indicated above. In this manner transactions will be equal, whether they be in silver or in gold.
The piece of one-half piaster and the copper coinage shall continue to liave the same value as heretofore, only no one shall be obliged to accept payment of more than two piasters in coin of these denominations in accordance with our decree of 12th of Sofat, 1289.

Whoever shall have sums of money of the above-mentioned denominations are required to bring or send them to the mint within a delay of thirty days from the date of these presents, in order to have them struck with a die which shall indicate their modified value, after which they shall be returned to the depositor. As to the difference which shall result from this modification, the depositor will be given a document in which it will be stated, and he will be reimbursed the amount in four equal payments at intervals of six months each.
The first payment shall be made in six months from the date of the document.
Whoever shall not present himself within the time above stated shall forfeit his claim to an indemnity, but the coin not stamped at the mint shall have currency at the rates above mentioned.
We communicate these presents to you that you may bring them to the knowledge of the persons under your jurisdiction.
(Countersigued)
MOHAMMED,
First Minister.
Written the 28tlo of Junad-el arrel 1295 (30th May, 1878). .

# XVIII.-DOMESTIC BULLION PRODUCTION. 

## State of California, Executive Department, Sacramento, Cal., July 27, 1878.

Sir: In response to your inquiry about the gold and silver product of this State, I have the honor to state that we have no means, as state officers, of determining the amount. Wells, Fargo \& Co. do all the carrying of bullion in this State. I wrote to the agent in respect thereto, and received from him the inclosed letter, from which you will see that the product for the year ending June 30,1878 , was $\$ 17,634,068$.

Respectfully,
E. W. MASLIN,

Private Secretary to the Governor:

Hon. H. R. Linderman,<br>Director United States Mint.

## Wells, Fargo \& Co., <br> San Francisco, July 19, 1878.

Sir: The following is the amount of the product of gold and silver for this state from July 1, 1877, to June 30, 1878, as appears from the records in our auditor's department:
Gold-dust and bullion. ................... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . ............... $\$ 15,260,679$
Silver and base bullion 2, 373, 389

17, 634, 068
Yours, truly,

Mr. E. W. Maslin, Private Secretary to the Governor, Sacramento, Cal.

## Mint of the Uneted States, Carson, Nev., August 28, 1878.

SIR: Agreeable to request expressed in your letter under date of 9 th ultimo, I hereith transmit the Nevada State comptroller's report, showing the bullion product of this tate during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.
In your letter of above date, you express a desire to have a report of the total gold nd silver product of Nevada, and state that you do not understand the comptroller's eport to include the value of base bars and concentrated ores shipped east. Respectag this impression, permit me to say that the accompanying report is intended to over every value of gold and silver produced in Nevada, as the returns are made mder oath to the respective assessors of the several counties in this State by the mperintendents and managers of mines and mills, and these returns embrace all lasses of bullion.

Very respectfilly,
JAMES CRAWFORD,
Superintendent.

Hon. H. R. Linderman,<br>Director of the Mint.

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| Home Ticket |  | 103 | 376. | 3,894 72 |
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| Kentuck. |  | 4 | 135 | 35229 |
| Lemon . |  | 46 | 771 | 2,159 73 |
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| Macon City. |  | 54 | 1,544 | 4, 03743 |
| Mountain Boy |  | 56 | 437 | 6, 32328 |
| Magnet . . . . . |  | 9 | 732 | 20137 |
| Moítimer . |  | 28 | 1,650 | 1, 49918 |
| Orange . . . . |  | 47 | 1, 428 | 2, 27150 |
| Other mines.. |  | 31 | 61 31.8 | 2, 82260 |
| Pioneer . . |  | 21 | 336 | 87536 |
| Phenix |  | 567 | 1,960 | 14,154 19 |
| Pleaides |  | 71 | 423 | 2, 84557 |
| Richmond Con |  | 39,715 | 1,450 | 2, 193, 1791.9 |
| Republic. |  | 6 | 351 | 1, 50500 |
| Rocky Point.. |  | 4 | 62.5 | 33345 |

Production of gold and silver from the mines of the State of Nevada, f'c.-Continued.


## Production of gold and silver from the mines of the State of Nevada, $q$ ¢0.-Continued.

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| Hill........ | ${ }^{2}$ | 480 | 24265 |
| Leigh \& Co | 52 | 936 | 11, 85340 |
| Lee, Thomas. | ${ }_{13}^{6}$ | 1,388 1,662 | 1, 54038 |
| Monris, \& Cable | 11 | 1, 1048 | 5, 40455 |
| Morrow. | 9 | 1,670 | 2,123 17 |
| Manhattan Silver Mining Company | 4,754 |  | 447, 19224 |
| McFee. |  | 1,920 | 7,640 88 |
| Mallen. | 5 | 356 | 1,54178 |
| Post \& Ward | 31 | 1,150 | 5, 99534 |
| Patriot | 15 | 300 | 4,454 43 |
| Roseber | 1 | 400 |  |
| Trask. |  | 500 | 41283 |
| Ward | 38 | 862 | 13, 97486 |
| 'rotal yield. | 5,720 | 1, 082 | 582, 58445 |
| Lron country. | Tailings worked. |  | 38,052 62 |
| Atlanta Mill. | 5, 000 |  |  |
| Exacelsior Mill | 1, 195 |  | 32, 03270 |
| French's Mill | 4, 200 |  | 1,500 00 |
| Lyon Mill and Mining Company | 43, 425 |  | 170, 74651 |
| Parific Mill Company... | 7, 000 |  | 70, 00000 |
| French Mill. | 2, 082 |  | 49, 25605 |
| Union Mill and Mining Company | 13, 200 |  | 73, 83952 |
| Woodworth Mill. | 13, 623 |  | 141, 99826 |
| Total yield. | 90, 294 |  | 609, 63263 |
| Alps Silver Mining Company lincoln colnty. | Ores worked. |  | 122,807 43 |
|  | 2,778 | 1, 430 |  |
| Bonanza .................... | 2 | 79 | 44246 |
| Blue Bell | 80 |  | 2, 40000 |
| Clute, E. R | 18 | 990 | 63588 |
| Chance | 6 | 1,400 | 1,829 55 |
| Clymer | 5 | 910 | 1,013 15 |
| Desdamoua | 58 | 510 | 3,544 12 |
| Day Silver Mining Company | 1, 124 | 1, 604 | 80,354 27 |
| Fallis | 2 | 900 | 1.6600 |
| Hillside. | 150 |  | 7, 89983 |
| Jack Rabbit | 11. | 1,205 | 4, 28286 |
| Meadow Valley Mining Company | 1, 285 | 1, 057 | 88,581 866 |
| Mayfower .................... | 80 | 1,284 | 1,538 64 |
| National | 10 |  | 58390 |
| Novada. | 35 | 690 | 2, 22632 |
| Newark. | 79 | 120 | 2, 869545 |
| Peavine. | 8 | 1, 088 | 50500 |
| Pioche | 15 | 1,780 | 1,27094 |
| Raymond \& Ely | 2,778 | 1,560 | 122, 4481.5 |
| Sumbeam | 12 | 1,860 | 1,334 87 |
| Techatticup | 477 | 400 | 30,525 72 |
|  | 9,022 | 867 | 477, 25040 |
|  | 20,621 |  | 1.54, 58028 |
|  | 29,643 | 867 | 631, 83068. |
| nym coundy. |  |  |  |
| Alexander Mining Company | 2, 055 | 127 | 72,099 75 |
| Clipper. | 106 | 1 | 4, 1.1 .888 |
| Gila | 781 | 715 | 49, $2383+$ |
| Highlriadge | ${ }_{4}^{3}$ | 545 | 2. 10411 |
| Illinois . | 424 | 1,884 | 47, 34930 |

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Production of gold and silver from the mines of the State of. Nevada, ve.-Continued.


Production of gold and silver from the mines of the State of Nevada, ge.-Continued.
RECAPITULATION.

| Name of county. | Ores. |  |  | Tailings. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Tons. | Pounds. | Value. | Tons. | Pounds. | Value. |
| Eureka. | 125, 934 | 1, 558 | \$5, 984, 32644 |  |  |  |
| Esmeralda | 19,986 | 159 | 844,791. 57 |  |  |  |
| Elko | 15, 607 |  | 1, 472, 18043 | 225 |  | \$3, 37500 |
| Humboldt | 5, 989 | 600 | 206, 61.622 | 18, 075 | .......... | 90,737 50 |
| Lander. | 5,720 | 1, 082 | 582, 58445 |  |  |  |
| Lyon.. |  |  |  | 90, 294 |  | 609, 63263 |
| Lincoln | 9, 022 | 867 | 477, 25040 | 20, 621. |  | 154, 58028 |
| Nye.. | -25, 169 | 345 | 805, 50955 | -377 |  | 6,743 43 |
| Storey | 508, 536 | 85 | 34, 967, 30734 | 83, 563 | 1,000 | 811, 04045 |
| White Pine | 11, 861 | 1, 263 | 660,188 14 |  |  |  |
| Total | 727,826 | 1, 959 | 46, 000, 75454 | 213, 155 | 1, 000 | 1, 676, 10929 |
| Total ores |  |  |  | 727, 826 | 1,959 | 46, 000, 75454 |
| 'Total tailings. |  |  |  | 213,155 | 1,000 | 1,676,109 29 |
| Grand total: |  |  |  | 940, 982 | 959 | 47, 676,863 83 |

## State Controller's Office, <br> Carson, Nev., Alugust 26, 1878.

I hereby certify that the foregoing is a true and correct statement of the yield of the mines of this State for the year commencing July 1, 1877, and ending June 30, 1878, as compiled from the quarterly reports of the several county auditors, filed in this department.

Witness my haind and seal of office this 26th day of August, A. D. 1878.
[SEAL.]
W. W. HOBART,

State Controller.

## United States Internal Revenue Collector's Office, District of Utah,

 September 6, 1878.SIR: In reply to your letter of July 22, 1878, inquiring as to the gold and silver yield of the Utah mines, I inclose statement of same for calendar year 1877, prepared by J. E. Dooly, agent of Wells, Fargo \& Co. at this point. It takes exact account of everything save a swall amount of gold dust, the product of placer-mining in Bingham Cañon, and gives a total of $\$ 5,588,538.60$. The gold-dust spoken of would make it at least an even $\$ 5,600,000$. About 7 per cent. of this is gold, the rest silver.

It will be noticed that about three-sevenths of the total yield was from milling or silver rock proper; four-sevenths from smelting or lead ores.

For the first six months of 1878 the product of gold and silver from the latter source fell off as compared with the first half of 1877 about $\$ 360,000$, owing to a drop of 50 to 60 per cent. in the price of lead, but the loss was more than made up by the increased product of the nills, particularly in the Leeds district, and the product from leaching-ores, so that the yield of gold and silver for 1878 is not likely to vary much from that of 1877.

Increased attention is being given to purely gold and silver bearing mines, and the prospect is that the yield for 1879 will materially exceed that for either 1877 or 1878 .

Very respectfully,
O. J. HOLIISTER.

Hon. H. R. Linderman,
Director of the Mint.

Wells, Fargo \& Co., Salt Lake City, Utah, January 1, 1878.

Dear Sir: We take pleasure in presenting to you a detailed statement, showing the production of gold, silver, and lead in this Territory for the year ending December 31, 1877, which we have carefully prepared and compiled :


## RECAPITULATION.



> United States Assay Office, Helena, Mont., September 20, 1878.

S1R: In answer to your letter of the 20th of July, I have the honor to submit the following as the yield of gold and silver of Montana Territory for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878:
Gold dust and bars shipped by express $\$ 2,060,511$
Gold held by miners and taken out of the Territory by private hands 200, 000

Total gold
Silver hars by express $\$ 1,119,635$
silver in ore-shipments ..... 250,000
silver in lead bars ..... 300,000Total silver1,669,635

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

Charles rumley, Assayer in Charge.

Hon. H. R. Jinderman,<br>Director of the Mint.

## United States Assay Office. Helena, Mout., September 30, 1878.

SIR: J have the honor to forward herewith statement of the amount of the probable groduct of gold and silyer of Montana Territory for the next twelve months, compiled fom statistics gathered from various camps throughout the Territory by Mr. John W. Eddy, clerk of this office.
I am satisfied the statement will prove nearly correct.
I am, sir, your obedient servant,

CHARLES RUMLEY,<br>Assayer in Charge.

Hon. H. R. Linderman, Director of the Mint.

## Silver and gold mines of Montana.

Silver.-During the last twelve months more rapid and substantial progress has been nade in the development of mines and treatment of the ores than ever before in Monjana. In many localities the character of the ores was for a long time imperfectly unlerstond. The surface-products gave little indication of what elements might be found n combination where the vein-matter was found solidified as depth was attained, and nany of the metallurgical methods adapted to the treatment of the friable surface-ores were found altogether inadequate to reduce the refractory products reached in many places only a few feet below.

In some localities, notably Butte, the ores are sufficiently free to be milled without previous roasting at present; but even there they are more rebellious below water, and the mills are being supplemented by furuaces that will complete the process necessary to extract the precious metals.
Development has progressed sufficiently to determine the probable permanency of the lodes, althongh deep mining is yet unknown, 500 feet being the exceptionally deep working in the Territory. The most prominent and productive silver-mining carnp in the Territory at present is Butte, about fifty miles south of this point. On the 1st of November next about eighty stamps will be operating there, besides four arastras, on res generally good in grade, and in quantity abundant far iblove the present capacity for treatment. A furnace is now in process of erection for matting the heavy ores as aow done in Alma, Colo.

It would not be an unsafe estimate to expect from Butte, in round numbers, one and t half million dollars during the next twelve months succeeding September 1 instant. The mines in the vicinity of Jefferson City have developed recently far beyond expectation, a single one producing at least 2,000 tons of excellent ore, while the reductionworks established there by the Montana Company are already beginning to show profitable results. At Glendale a leaching process is added to their works, and an increased amount of bullion may be expected from that locality.
Probable silver product firom Butte........................................... \$1, 500000 .
Probable silver product from Glendale.................................................. 1,250 . 000
Probable silver product from Plilipsburg ........................................ 350 . 000
Probable silver product from Jeffer:son............................................ 200000
Probable silver product fiom other places........................................ . . 200000 -
Or a total product of ............................................................. 3, 500 000
reasonably expected for the year ending September 1, 1879.
Gold.-In former times the chormonsly rich placers of this region were its chief attraction, and are still a soure of large income. In localities where mines of this character lave been exhansted, or nearly so, the development of the varions quartzlodes is beginning to supply the deficit. Requisite machinery for the proper reduction
of the ores is rapidly supplying the camps wherever sufficient work has been done to reader permanency probable.
The Silver Creek District, recently made famous by the "Penoloscot Bonanza," will add probably not less than one million dollars to the gold product of next year. The ranking mines there are the Penobscot and Snowdrift, Belmont, Whippoorwill, Mount Pleasant, Bluebird, Leopard, \&c.

Forty stamps and two arastras, besides apparatus for concentrating the mineral out of the tailings, are now in operation on rock, some of which, from the first-named mine, still averages nearly one hundred dollars per ton.

Silver Star district, abont seventy-five miles south from here, is also producing well with moderate facilities, and will add about a quarter million dollars to the gross prodnct of gold during the coming year.

The renewed activity in mining has reached the Cable district, and work which, owing to legal complications, has been suspended for a long time is now revived, and about a quarter million dollars ought to be realized from that locality.

Other smaller camps are organizing in many directions and, with advent of suitable facilities for the extraction of the metals fiom the ore, promise to yield generous returns for the ontlay. From the placers not less than one aud a half million dollars ought to be expected with an average supply of water for the seasou's work.
Probable gold product from Silver Creek district. ................................. $\$ 1,000,000$
Probable gold product from Silver Star district ................................................ 250,000
Probable gold product from Cable district ........................................ . 250,000
Probable gold product from other quartz districts......................................... 500,000
Probable gold product from placers
1,500,000
Or a total gold product of ................................................................. 3, 500,000
reasonably expected for the year ending Soptember 1, 1879.


## Mint of the United States, <br> Denver, Colo., October 1, 1878.

Sin: In compliance with your request, I have the honor to report that from the best information ati my command I find tho bullion product in this State for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878 , to be as follows, viz:

sir The silver product has largely increased since July 1, 1878.
I have further to report that I was unable to obtain any reliable information as to the general character of the mines in this State and their probable production in the future, but the continual discoveries of exceedingly rich mines and their present yield would indicate that the bullion resources of this State are inchanstible.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
H. SILVER,

Assayer in charge.
Hon. H. R. Linderman,
Director of the Mint.

> Terbitory of Arszona, Exicutiye Office, Prescott, Fuly 27, 1878.

Sir: In reply to your letter of inquiry of the 8th instant, this day received, I have the honor to report that we have no statistics in this Tervitory as to the production of - either silver or gold as will enable any one to amive at any very certain figures as to
the amount of either ; but from the best estimate that I can form from such facts as have come to my knowledge, I place the production of each of said metals as given below.

I have the honor to be, very respectfully;
Hon. H. R. R. Livdrrman,

[Telegram.]
San Francisco, October 28, 1878.
To Director Mint:
Annual production of silver from Arizona mines estimated at three million dollars at outside.

H. L. DODGE,<br>Superintendent Mint.

## Bureau of Agriculture; Statistics, and Mines, <br> Nashville, Tenn., July 9, 1878.

Sir: Your letter of yesterday, directed to Governor Porter, has been referred to me. The gold mines of Tennessee are worked only to a limited extent, and only when nothing better presents itself. The average yield per man per day does not exceed fifty cents' wortli of gold-dust. All the richest gravel has been washed over, and the amount of gold now taken out does not exeeed $\$ 2,000$. Very small quantities of this are sent to the mint, being used by local jewelry establishments. No silver-mines have yet been discovered in the State.

Respectfully,
J. B. KILLEBREW,

Commassioner.
Hon. H. R. Linderman, Director of the Mint.

United States Assay Office, Charlotte, N. C., September 28, 1878.
Sir: In compliance with your request•of July 20, 1878, I have the honor to report as follows concerning the character, the present rate of production, and the prospective yield of the mines in North Carolina:
The gold-producing area of the State of North Carolina is not far from 25,000 square miles, but the portion productive on a working scale is considerably less, being about 12,000 square miles, and embraces the western half of the State. Gold is produced at intervals over this entire area.
This stretch of country contains at least three different geological formations.
The middle area is best described as granite or syenite, though neither of these terms give a precise description of the formation.
The eastern belt is made up generally of slates, mostly argillaceons; while the western is gneissoid in its structure, verging into hornblendic and mica schist and some minor mineralogical forms.
Each of these areas has furnished veins, placers, and true gravel deposits. About 140 mines of the precious metals are known to us in this State on which some work has been done.
The middle formation has been longest known, and, though the smallest in extent, has been worked the most largely and productive; its placers and gravel deposits were, for the most part, exhausted a gencration ago; only a few patches now remain, and these chiefly because not convenient to water.

With some exceptions the veins of this belt vary in width from 6 iuches to 4 feet, and as there is generally a "front" and a "back" vein-i. e. two parallel seams of oremattar a few feet apart-with intermediate seams of ore-matter, the whole deposit is of good width. The intermediate "country" is usually slaty, and the ore in the upper
part of the mines is also slaty, but in depth loses this peculiarity to a great extent and shows a tendency to become more compact.

Above the permanent water-line, which is rasely more than 40 feet from the top the ore is the highly altered, soft, hydrated peroxide of iron (brown ore as it is locally termed), with little of the sulphnet of iron or copper present which it originally con tained.

This ore is easily mined, readily treated with cheap apparatus, and the precious con te its extracted to a high percentage.

Most of the known mines have been stripped of ore down to the permanent water line, only a few pillans being left for support. Accordingly, the resources of this nature are not worthy of large dependence except many new mines should be disoovered.

The occurrence of sulphurets in large proportion at or near the water-line, togethes with heavy bodies of water requiring expensive machinery, presented a difficult problem to our miners of twenty yeass ago, under the then conditions of mining work; and most of the mines were abandoned and still remain so.

All the belts enmmerated exhibit these general characteristics, but with some peonliarities.

In the eastern or slate belt, the water line is frequently at a lower level, the seams of ore are somewhat larger and more slaty in their structure, and generally not se readily distinguished from the bedded masses in which they oocur; moreover the gold is more finely laminated, resembling gold-leaf, and from this peculiarity, floating of more easily on the water during treatmont.

In the western gneissoid area, immediately bordering the cental belt, the veins are mostly of great width, thirty feet not being uncommon, and yield abundantly lowgrade ores; in their structure they partake of the bedded condition of the country to such a degree as to snggest the idea that they are beds, and not true veins, differing from their associates only in being more highly charged with miveral matter. In the mountainons region of the State, the minetal resources have never yet recejved much attention by reason of difficulty of access; of the character of the anwiferons veins little cam be said, but they are gencrally reputed to be nanrow.

Iron pyrites, and its allered terms, form the chief mineral constituents of all the auriferons ores in this section. Galeua is occasionally found, but rately in any considerable quantity; as an ore it is found in working proportion only in the Silver Hill Mine, Davidson Connty. Zinc blende, iu still smaller proportion, is an almost invariable accompaniment of Galena.

Nickel and Cobalt ores are not known to exist in working quantity, but they are frequently found in traces in many sulplurets. Copper is found in every mine; the black sulphuret (Chalcocite) oceurs to our knowledge in quantity only in the Chick mine in Moore County, and Peacock copper ore (Bornite) only at the Gillis mine in Person County, and at the Copper Knob (Gap Creek) mine in Ashe Connty; both carry considerable gold and silver.

The chief ore of copper is the yellow sulphmet (chalcopyrite) with iron pyrites; at several mines it is fomd in such percentage as to constitnte a true copper ore and valuable for that metal independently of otber constituents, for exanple, Gold Hill, Phonix, Pionear Mills, Croshy, Kerns, and Cathey. None of these are now worked, the first excepted.

Arsenic and antimony are very rarely present to a noticeable per cent. In a word, the ores of this section ine refractory, chietly as the sulphtuets make them so.

Both the eastern and the westem lelts have large meas of gravel, but 10 neither is the extent of the deposits known accumately; the want of water has hitherto prevented extensive work upon them. The eastem uravel deposits are larger and deeper; the best known examples are the Portis mine in Franklin Connty, and the Christian mine in Montgomery Connty, both have been extensively worked in the past and are still worked in a desultory waby, as water can be commanded. In these deposits the gold is largely contained in strings of rich quartz pemeating the looser mass in every direction; a thonong extration of the gold from these strings and howlders involves their pulverization. The Christian minelans gieldedmany finennggets weighing from a few dwts. each to a pomad or: nore.
The gravel of the central amea of which little now remans is spend in a thin layer over the undisturbed soil or bed-roek, and itself covered over with the debris of sinbsequent washes.

The gravel of the westem area ocours similarly, but lies move deeply and here and there by secondary dilnviat action bought again to the surface. The best-known localities are Brindetown and Brackettown in Burke County, both of which have been worked for forty or tifty years.

Within a fow rears, improved methods have been introduced, especially by J. C. Mills, esg., of Brindletown, which has given a new mondse to the bosiness and considerably increased the amonat of wold prodneed.
I an conscions that the alove gentmi statement of the nature of on mines and their

Geological Rooms,
Raleigh, N. C., August 19, 1878.

SIR: Your letter to the governor, making inquiries about the product of gold and silver in North Carolina for the past year, has been referred to me for answer. From the best observation and estimates I can get, I put the aggregate product of our gold mines at $\$ 160,000$. The silver mined in the State is too trifling in amount to be worth mention.

Respectfully, yours,

Hom. H. R. Linderman,
Director of the Mint.
W. C. KERR,

State Geologist.
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## Omaha Smelting and Refining Company, Omaha, Nebr., Augist 3, 1878.

SIR: Replying to yours of the 12 th ultimo., our silver output during the time mentioned, at $\$ 1.29 .29$ per ounce, was $\$ 2,715,624$; gold, at $\$ 20.67 .18$ per ounce was $\$ 427,701$.

We cannot say exactly where above came from; should estimate about as follows:

|  | Silver. | Gold. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Nevada | Per cent | Per cent. |
| Utah. | 25 | 5. |
| Idaho and Montana. | - 10 |  |
| Idaho | - 5 | 5 |
| Colorado | 5 | $2 \frac{1}{2}$ |
| Arizona and California | 5 | 23 |

Yours, respectfully,

## Hon. H. R. Linderman, <br> Director of the Mint.

E. W. NASH, Secretary and Treasurer.

## Pittisburg Landing,

Rancho Los Medanas, Contra Costa County, California, September 9, 1878.
Dear Sir: Mr. Hamilton Simith has handed me your letter of July 20, sent to him through Mr. Glenny, of Nevada Bank, requesting some general information with reference to "the present condition of hydraulic gravel mining in the State of California, \&c."

As Mr. Smith's time is almost entirely occupied in connection with our works, of which he is general manager, he has requested me to write you in answer.

Hydraulic niming in this State has approximated its maximum. The yield of gold from this source for 1878 will reach about $\$ 12,000,000$.
At an important and long-continued trial which took place during July and August last at Marysville, between the owners of land (plaintiffs) claiming to be damaged by debris from the mines and some of the hydraulic miners (defendants), much information as to the yield of gold from this class of mines was elicited in the testimony from mine owners in various portions of the State. The result of this testimony varied from $\$ 11,000,000$ to $\$ 13,000,000$, and it will be safe to assume $\$ 12,000,000$ as the yield for 1878 , from hydraulic, drift, placer, and river mining, not, of course, including any yield from quartz.

It is in my opinion highly probable that this yield will slowly increase during the next five years until it will reach $\$ 15,000,000$, beyond which it will not increase; but this yield, when reached, will continue as an average for fifty years or more thereafter.

The gravel channels are now pretty well known and their limits well established; the principal mines on these cliannels are mostly owned and held by corporations with large capital. Nearly, if not quite all of the outlets or points from which these channels can be reached and worked by deep and long tunnels are held by these corporations, and the same may be said of the water supply and reservoir sites, without which these gravel channels are valueless, as they cannot be worked.

To open properly a gravel or hydraulic mine, so that it can be worked profitably, is a work of many years, requiring a large outlay of capital, as in connection with the ownership of the mine, if it is to be worked, arises the necessity of bringing water, if water can be had, as well as the construction of reservoirs, if a proper site for the same
can be found in the high mountains, to hold water during the long dry season when the streams are dry, or nearly so, as also the construction of long, deep tunnels through which to reach the bottom of the gravel channels and get rid of the water and gravel after the gold is extracted.

The * * * Company were over ten years from date of organization engaged in buying mining claims and in constructing their works, and the * * * Company. have been some seven years engaged in the same work. During this time the two companies have constructed two enormous reservoirs, one requiring a dam of 100 feet height, and which has a storage capacity of $1,000,000,000$ cubic feet of water, the other requiring a dam 145 feet high, with a storage capacity of $800,000,000$ cubic feet. Both of these reservoirs will be completed during the coming month of October.

These companies have also constructed, the one 45 miles of canals, the other 75 miles, in all about 120 miles of canals over a very rongh mountain conntry on the western slope of the Sierra Nevada Mountains, to carry the water from these reservoirs to the mines.
These canals have cost from $\$ 8,500$ to $\$ 10,000$ per mile, and, coupled under the reservoirs, furmish an average supply of water to the mines of these companies of about $90,000,000$ gallons of water per day during the year.
These companies have also constructed four long, deep tumnels, varying from 3,000 to 8,000 feet in length, costing from $\$ 40$ to $\$ 60$ per foot, and the total amount expended by both companies is about $\$ 4,000,000$ in gold coin, exclnsive of interest. Work has progressed steadily since 1866 . By the close of October of this year the construction account will be closed, as the work will be finished.

It must be evident that only permanency in the mines will justify such a large outlay, and it must also be evident that so large an expenditure, extending over such a length of time before returns are reeeived, is beyond individual means, and can be procured only through corporate organizations.

It will be safe to assume the annual gross yield from these mines at $\$ 1,000,000$ a year for the next fifty to seventy-five years. The * * * Company's yield this year will reach $\$ 325,000$. The mining operations of these three companies are the largest in the State, and I merely give you these statements (because I can vouch for their approximate correctness) as a memorandum showing how many mines must be in active operation to produce the $\$ 12,000,000$ or $\$ 15,000,000$ yearly, at which we estimate the gold yield from this class of mines.

The scarcity of reservoir sites in the high Sierras, coupled with the large amount of capital and length of time required to aggregate in a proper locality sufficient mining ground, and construct the works required to store and bring water to the mines, and to open long, deep tunnels to reach the bottom of the gravel channel, and to open up a hydraulic mine on a paying basis, will forbid any very important increase in this class of mining.
It is quite likely, and indeed quite probable, that drift mining upon these gravel channels (where they cannot be reached for hydraulic operations) will increase much more rapidly in the future than has been the case in the past, owing to the decreased costof labor and supplies. This d'ift mining consists in sinking shafts upon the gravel: channels (or in rare instances in reaching them with tumels) from surface to bed-rock, varying from 300 to 500 feet in depth, and then drifting out the gravel where it will pay, hoisting it to the surface throngh the shaft, and washing it in a sluice.
The amount of material which can be hanled, and amount of gold extracted therefrom, as compared with lyydraulic operations, is so small that the gross results cannot materially increase the gross yield of gold from gravel miniag yearlly.
My conclusion, based npon an experience of nearly fifteen years in connection with hydraulic as well as all other kinds of mining upon this coast, is, that the gross yield from gravel mines of all kinds in California will never exceed $\$ 15,000,000$ a year, and that this amount will, with certainty, be realized yearly for the next three or four generations.
Trusting you will pardon the length of this epistle,
Ver'y respectfully, your obedient servant,
L. L. ROBINSON.

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## REPORT OF THE FIRST COMPTROLLER.

## REPORT

OF

## THE FIRST COMPTROLLER.

Treasury Department,
First Comptroller's Office;
Washington, D. C., November 15, 1878.
SIR: The following report, exhibiting the work performed by this office during the fiscal year which ended June 30,1878 , is respectfully submitted:
Warrants, embracing the examining, countersiguing, entering upon blotters, and posting into ledgers, of the following number of warrants :
Treasury proper. ..... 2,725
Public debt ..... 71
Quarterly salaries ..... 1,065
Diplomatic and consular ..... 2, 454
Customs ..... 4, 464
Intermal Revenne ..... 4, 224
Judiciary ..... 2, $8 \mathbf{8} 7$
War, pay ..... 3,528
War, repay ..... 1, 175
Nary, pay ..... 2, 103
Navy, repay ..... 314
Interior, civil ..... 1, 999
Interior, pay ..... 3, 367
Interior, repay ..... 778
Appropriation ..... 123
Customs (covering) ..... 1, 441
Land (covering) ..... 1, 517
Internal Revenue (covering) ..... 1, 631
Miscellaneous (covering) ..... 6,932
Miscellaneous, repay (covering) ..... 2,058
44, 846
The following-accounts from the First and Fifth Auditors of theTreasury and the Commissioner of the General Land Office were re-ceived, recorded, revised, and certified:
Judiciary, embracing the accounts of the United States marshals, for their fees and for thie expenses of the United States courts; the acconnts of the United States district attorneys, and the accounts of the commissioners and clerks of the United States courts ..... 2,713Diplomatic and consular, embracing the accounts of diplomatic officers of theUnited States for their salaries and contingent expenses; accounts of UniterlStates consular officers and commercial agents for salaries and fees, office-rent and miscellaneous expenses, clerk-hire, rent of prisons and pay of keep-ers ; expenses of Uniter States consular courts, pay of marshals and inter-preters; expenses for subsistence, clothing, medical attendance and trans-portation to the Uniteil States of destitute American seamen in foreign coun-tries; expenses of rescuing shipwrecked American seamen, and expenses ofsending home from foreign countries persons charged with crime ; aecountsof the disbursing-clerk of the Department of State for all expenditures relativeto diplomatic and consular affairs; accounts for salaries and expenses of joint,commissions with foreign countries; accounts of the United States bankersat London; accounts relative to the International Exposition at Paris, \&ec..
Internal Revenue, embracing internal revenue accounts with all of the collectors; their compensation accounts, and their accounts as disbursing agents; internal revenue assessors' accounts; direct-tax accounts with commissioners and with the States; stamp agents' acconnts; six different monthly accounts with the Commissioner of Internal Revenue for revenue stamaps; accounts with the disbursing-clerk of the Treasury Department; with the Secretary of the Treasury for fines, forfeitures, and penalties; with the Treasury Department for stationery; with revenue agents and distillery surveyors; also, drawback accounts; accounts for refunding taxes illegally collected; for the redemption of internal revenne stamps; for expenses of detecting and suppressing violations of internal revenue laws, including rewards therefor, \&c
Special tax, spirit and tobacco-stamp books counted and certified ..... 17, 835

Miscellaneous work, as special allowances, tax-list receipts, copies of reports,
suits instituted, \&c
Public lands, embracing the accomts of registers and receivers of land offices, survoyors-general and their clerks, deputy surveyors, and of lands erroneously sold ..... 2,451
Steamboats, embracing accounts for the salaries and incidental expenses of in- spectors of hulls and boilers ..... 704
Minit and assay enbracing the accounts of gold, silver, and nickel coinige; of bullion; of salaries of the officers, and for general expenses ..... 208
Public debt, embracing the account of the United States Treasurer and assistant treasurers for redemption of United States bonds and notes, and for the payment of interest, on the priblic debt; and, also, the general accomets of the United States Treasurer for receipts and expenditnes, embiacing the accounts of the Treasurer for receipts from all sourecs covered into the Treasury and all payments made from the Treasury
Pnblic printing, embracing accounts for printing, tor paper and for bindiug
Congressional, embracing the accounts for salaries of employés, for contingent and other expenses of the United States Senate and House of Representatives145
Territorial, embracing the accounts for the legislative and contingent expenses fincident to the govermment of the Territories270
Miscellaneons, embracing the accounts for salaries of the officers and employes, and the contingent expenses of the executive departments; salaries of Senators and Representatives in Congress, United States judges, district attorneys and marshals; expenses of the coast survey and the geological and geographical survey of the Territories, of public buildings and grounds, the construction of the public buildings, \&e
Express, cmbracing the accounts for transportation of gold and silver coin and bullion, minor and base coins, Unitod States currency, mational-bank notes, complete and incomplete, coin certificates, cancelled and incomplete securities, registered and coupon bonds, matilated currency, internal-revenue moneys, n'ational-bank notes for redemption, stamp-paper, boxes, stationery, \&c.
Letters written on official business
Requisitions examined, entered, and reported as follows:
Diplomatic and consmlar. ................................................................... 1, 195
Internal revenue .... ............................................................................... 1, 1,516
United States marshals....... ............. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 349
Miscellaneous . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 525

The above detailed statement omits a variety of duties requiring in their performance much careful labor and attention. Among these may be mentioned the examination and decision of applications for the issuing of bonds and other securities in place of securities lost or destroyed; the examination of powers-of-attorney for the collection of money due to creditors of the United States and the filing and registering of the same; the examination of official bonds and the filing and registering of the same; the preparation of papers for the commencement of suits and as evidence therein; the recording and briefing of letters received and copying of letters forwarded; and a considerable amount of other business of a miscellaneous character which need not be more particularly specified.
I beg to commend the persons employed in this office for their faithful and efficient service.

Respectfully submitted.
A. G. PORTER, Comptroller.

## REPORT OF THE SECOND COMPTROLLER.

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## REPORT

OF

## THE SECOND COMPTROLLER OF THE TREASURY.

> Treasury Department, Second Comptroller's Office, October 7, 1878.

SIr : In compliance with your request by letter of the 10 th ultimo, I submit herewith a summary statement of the business done in this office during the fiscal year which ended ou the 30th day of June, 1878.

The following table shows the total number of accounts and claims revised and adjusted, with amounts allowed thereon; also referred and other cases, settled and cases otherwise acted on, that do not involve a present expenditure.


These have been duly revised and entered, and the balances due thereon certified for allowance and payment.

The following tables furnish a more detailed statement of the same accounts and claims, showing the number revised, the character of the same, the amounts allowed, and the source from which they were received:

Accounts revised during the year.

| Character of accounts. | Number revised. | Amounts. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From the Second Auditor: |  |  |
| 1. Of Army recruiting-ofticers, for the regular recruiting service. | 54 | \$115, 003 |
| 2. Of Army paymasters, for pay of the Army, including mileage to ofticers and general expenses. | 487 | 10, 130,724 |
| 3. Special accounts settled by the paymasters' division.................. | 1, 404 | 1, 723, 682 |
| 4. Of disbursing-officers of the Ordnance Department, for the expenses of the ordnance service, and for ondnance, ordnance stores and supplies, armories, and arsonals | 214 | 957, 232 |
| 5. Of disbursing-ofticers of the Medical Department, formedical and hospital supplies and medical services. | 118 | 255,545 |
| 6. Of disbursements for contingent expenses of the War Department.... | 95 | 16, 285 |
| 7. Of agents of Indian affairs, for the current and contingent expenses of the Indian service, including amuitics and installments under treaties | 2, 517 | 6, 148, 376 |
| 8. Of disbursing-officers of the Freedman's Bureau | 2 | 8, 088 |
| 9. Of noney received and disbutrsed for the Soldiers' Home | 4 | 5,130 |
| Total | 4,895 | 19,360, 065 |

Accounts revised during the year-Continued.

| Character of accounts. | $\underset{\text { vised }}{\text { Number }}$ re | Amounts. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From the Third A |  |  |
| 1. Of dishnrsing-ofticers of the Quartermaster's Department, for the recular supplies and incidental expenses. | 1, 024 | \$10, 432, 084 |
| 2. Of dislursing-ofticers of the Subsistence Department | ${ }^{1} 692$. | 3, 583,184 |
| 3. Of disbursing-officers of the Engineer Department, for military surveys the construction of fortifications, river and harbor surveys and improvements. | 91 | 4, 446, 065 |
| 4. Of pension agents, for the paymont of pensions, \&e.................. | 561 | 41, 284, 017 |
| Total | 2, 368 | 59, 745, 350 |
| From the Fourth Auditor: |  |  |
| 1. Of the disbursing-ofticers of the Marine Corps | 10 | 707,895 |
| 2. Of the paymasters of the Navy proper | 162 | 3, 598, 205 |
| 3. Of paymasters of the Navy Dopartmont at the navy-yards ............. | 93 | 4, 670,848 |
| 4. Of paymasters of the Navy acting as navy-agents and disbursing-oftcers | 19 | 5, 843, 180 |
| 5. Of Navy pension-agents, for the payment of pensions to the invalids of the Navy and Marine Corps. | 65 | 402,432 |
| Total | 349 | 15, 222; 560 |

Claims examined and allowed during the year.

| Character of claims. | Number revised: | Amonnts. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| From the Second Auditor: <br> 1. Soldiers' pay and bounty. | 3,988 | \$433, 888 |
| From the Thitd Auditor: |  |  |
| 2. Lost property, under act of Mareh 3, 1849........................... | 445 | 59, 828 |
| 2. Quartermaster and conmissary stores and supples, ineluding transportation elaims | 2, 379 | 2, 940, 236 |
| 3. Miscellancous claims | 50 | 477,684 |
| 4. Oregon and Wrashington Territory lindian war-claims. | 51 | 19, 888 |
| 5. State war-claims | 15 | 211, 847 |
| Total. | 2,940 | 3, 709, 483 |
| Frow the Fourth Auditer: |  |  |
| 1. Sailors' pay and bounty. | 3,667 | 954, 848 |
| 2. Prize-money | 205 | 23; 941 |
| Total | 3, 872 | 978, 789 |
| Cases not involving present expenditure: |  |  |
| 1. Duplicate cheoks .. | 278 | 14,045 |
| 2. Financial agents (Navy) | 4 | 3,115,697 |
| 3. Referred cases.. | 2,782 |  |
| Total | 3, 064 | 3, 129, 742 |

Settlements recorded during the fiscal year. ..... 7,838
Requisitions recorded during the fiscal year ..... 11, 148
Differences recorded (pages)
-5, 048
-5, 048
Letters written on official business (pages) ..... 1,245
Bonds filed ..... 101
Contracts filed ..... 1,752
Accounts on hand at the beginning of the fiscal year ..... 808
Accounts on hand at the close of the fiscal year ..... 647
Clerks at begiming of the fiscal year ..... 54
Clerks at end of the fiscal year. ..... 52

The total amount of accounts and claims passed for payment during this fiscal year is somewhat less than during the previous year, while the total number of accounts and claims revised is considerably greater; showing that the labor of the office has been much increased. Simple
justice requires that I should bear testimony to the fidelity and ability with which the chiefs of division and clerks have performed their official duties.

Very respectfully,

W. W. UPTON, Comptroller.

Hon. Secretary of the Treasury.

## REPORT OF THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS.

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## REPORT

OF

# THE COMMISSIONER OF CUSTOMS. 

Treasury Department, Office of Commissioner of Customs, Washington City, D. C., October 23, 1878.

| SIR: I have the honor to submit herewith, for your information, a tatement of the work performed in this office during the fiscal year onding June 30, 1878. |
| :---: |
| The number of accounts on hand July 1, 1877.................................. 293 |
| The number of accounts received from the First Auditor during the year....... 5, 805 |
| 6,098 |
| Sumber of accounts adjusted during the year........................... 5, 839 |
| Number of accounts returned to First Auditor .......................... 10.15 |
| mber of accounts on hand June 30, 1878 .... .................................. 24 |

There was paid into the Treasury from sources the accounts relating wo which are settled in this office-
On account of customs. ............................................................... $\$ 130,170,68020$
On account of marine-hospital tax .................................................. 369,67867
Pn account of steamboat inspections .................................................... 972,703 85
On account of fines, penalties, and forfeitures.................................. 130,997 15
On account of storage, fees, \&c 915, 86721
On account of deceased passengers
5000
131, 859, 97708

## And there was paid out of the Treasury:

On account of expenses of collecting the revenue from customs ......... . $\$ 5,887,44369$
On account of refunding excess of deposits ..................................... 1, 487, 63850
On account of debentures ........................................................... 3,746,212 62
On account of public buildings................................................. 2, 309,600 34
On account of construction and maintenance of lights.....................2, 318,218 01
On account of construction and maintenance of revenue-cutters ........ 890, 06511
On account of marine-hospital service ...................................... 376, 347 00
On account of life-saving stations ............................................. . 326,41684
On account of compensation in lieu of moieties................................... 20,78114
On account of relief acts ...................................................................... 5,602 14

On account of metric standard weights and measures ....................... 4,793 94
On account of investigating committee, act of December 15, 1877........ 13, 15950
17, 412,717 33
The number of estimates received ................................................... 3, 223
The number of requisitions issued ....................................................................... 3, 214
The amount involved in requisitions ................................................... $\$ 10,992,541.34$
The number of letters received ............................................................. 10,298
The number of letters written. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10, 945
The number of letters recorded ......................................................................... 10,333
The value of postage-stamps used ................................................... \$1.59
The number of returns received and examined .................................................... 53,282

The number of appointments registered......................................... 4, 424
The average number of clerks employed . . ................................. 28
21 F

I inclose herewith a statement of the transactions in bonded goods during the year ending June 30, 1878, as shown by the adjusted accounts I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant,
H. C. JOHNSON, Commissioner of Customs.
Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

| Districts． |  |  | 焉 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Albany |  |  |  | \＄108， 94723 |  | \＄108， 94723 |  |  |  |  |
| Alexandria |  |  | \＄259 48 |  | \＄487 | \＄138， 8572 |  |  |  | \＄178 63 |
| Baltimore | $\$ 410,33087$ | \＄1．，279， 03213 | 15， 60914 | 89， 88000 | 28，849 24 | 1，364， 03476 | \＄85， 98870 | \＄35， 83319 | \＄146， 89681 | 190， 94792 |
| Bangor |  | 3，098．91 |  | 22604 |  | 2， 22440 |  |  |  | 1， 10055 |
| Barostabl | 1， 96797 |  | 5，331 13 | 73768 |  | 20353 |  | 6， 02569 |  | 1， 80756 |
| Bath | 3， 05418 | 1．，979 03 | 15，729 04 | 5，51383 | 3978 | 8，000 43 | 75480 | 15，536 35 | 1，306 80 | 68748 |
| Belfast． | 1， 87034 | 43019 | 1，352 96 |  | 879 | 21749 | 896 | 1，54783 | 1，558 90 | 1， 32910 |
| Boston aud Charlestow | 2，881，959 54 | 7，965，047 76 | 124， 89392 | $618,519 \cdot 35$ | 136，590 75 | 7，683， 80373 | 11540893 | 978， 04450 | 647， 08548 | 2，297， 66868 |
| Brazos de Santiago． | 5，528 43 | 302， 19716 | 303， 26417 | 26,89890 |  | 1， 1.9201 | 31， 27653 | 584， 9531.9 | 17764 | 19， 78929 |
| Butfalo Creek | 1，49764 | 25， 03786 | 1，349 82 | 691， 21815 | 1034 | 23， 99253 | 253， 71176 | 438，681 35 |  | 3， 62817 |
| Burlington．．． |  |  |  | 1460 1016 |  | 1.460 |  |  |  |  |
| Capo Vincent |  |  |  | 1，016 00 |  |  | 83705 | 17895 |  |  |
| Castine | 43352 | 1.336 | 94308 |  |  | 28391 |  | 93876 | 15 | 16714 |
| Champlain |  |  | 3683 | 159， 21809 |  |  | 140，997 17 | 18，257 25 |  |  |
| Charleston | 2， 60692 | 17731 | 43774 | 1，43764 | 488 | 3， 91713 |  |  | ． 2960 | $\begin{array}{r}71776 \\ \hline 155 \\ \hline 1789\end{array}$ |
| Chicago | 131，923 26 | 637，376 30 | 52， 01847 | 69， 81.982 | 6， 98689 | 723， 17825 | 7， 03924 | 7，514 50 | 4，663 47 | 155，729 28 |
| Cincinnati | 16，774 54 | 22， 96363 | 6，45015 | 27， 00114 | 1063 | 61， 43068 | 61810 |  |  | 11， 15131 |
| Corpus Christi |  | 1， 30946 | 19，449 17 | 19280 | 86 | 61140 | 18，799 01 |  |  | 1， 54188 |
| Cuyahogit | 3， 20269 | 5， 41400 | 1.9145 | 13，918 77 | 3623 | 21， 32838 |  |  | 9315 | 1，341 61 |
| Delaware | 1，558 09 |  | 16，044 97 | 2，17700 |  | 19， 78006 |  |  |  |  |
| Detroit | 18，951 74 | 9， 63066 | 71，928 42 | 182， 48430 | 8138 | 64， 99505 | －72， 42360 | 129， 13762 |  | 17，220 23 |
| Duluth | 26，257 72 | 2， 62579 |  | 623， 97154 | 753 | 28，883 51 | 70510 | 623,13061 85150 | 14336 |  |
| Erie |  | 13，807 95 |  | 4730 |  | 13， 855 |  |  |  |  |
| Eransville |  |  |  | 1， 1.6721 |  | 1， 1.6721 |  |  |  |  |
| Fairfield |  |  |  | 38260 |  | 33266 |  |  |  |  |
| Fall River |  |  |  | 14，047 90 |  | 14，047 90 |  |  |  |  |
| Frenchman＇s l3ay | 27782 | 246 | 1，326 62 | 10896 | 202 | 6029 |  | 1，377 96 |  | 27963 |
| Galveston | 8,20351 | 23， 21131 | 18，796 88 | 14， 1.113 .5 | 26021 | 15，000 07 | 4，950 12 | 42．939 08 | 83818 | 85581 |
| Gencsee | 6,65503 | 15， 849.01 | 4，682 65 | 5，225 46 | 4973 | 19，328 46 | 3，808 28 | 5273 | 268 | 9， 26973 |
| Georgetown，D： | 1， 82908 | 3090 | 3， 38124 | 1，300 58 | 6855 | 4， 87225 |  |  | 13868 | 1，599 42 |
| Gloucester | 9，915 28 | 39，942 75， | 3， 150.40 |  | 37611 | 18048 | ${ }_{5}^{5} 2288$ | 35，973 38 | 93240 | 15，775 48 |
| Huron |  |  |  | 323， 63370 |  |  | 57， 94289 | 265， 69081 |  |  |
| Kemebonk | $780 \quad 62$ |  |  | 48189 17900 |  |  |  | 43189 |  |  |
| Key West | 34， 74555 | 210， 84511 | 6，430 55 | 17,59077 63800 | 1， 06126 | $\begin{array}{r} 184,85211 \\ \mathbf{6 3 8} \\ 00 \end{array}$ | 24， 12221 | 12311 | 1， 45950 | 60,11631 |
| Louisville． | 2，979 29 | 6，047 77 | 3，092 15 | 6，949 81 |  | 17，611 75 |  |  |  | 1，457 27 |

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| Waldoborough. . Wheeling |  | 40352 |  | 3282,19965 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 24352 \\ 2,19965 \end{array}$ | 160.00 | 32840 | $\|\ldots . . . . . . .$. | .............. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Willamette | 27, 95905 | 25,618 82 | 2,894 25 | 6, 32190 | 1020 | 49, 46748 | 5,221 53 | 297.09 |  | 7, 81812 |
| Wilmington |  | 4, 36358 |  |  |  | 2, 20796 |  | 29860 |  | 1,857 02. |
| Wiscasset | 1,842 04 | 89242 | 1,507 49 |  | 01. | 19492 | 1136 | 2,466 69 | 15974 | 1,409 25 |
| Total | 20, 730, 42499 | $48,374,44704$ | 2, 153, 57427 | 17, 602, 53274 | 1, 173, 90664 | 51, 342, 47635 | 4, 418, 58446 | 16, 817, 05965 | 2, 496,356 52 | 14, 960, 40870 |

## RECAPTTULATION

| Balance July 1, 1877 | \$20, 730, 424.99 | Withdrawal duty paid. | \$51, 342, 47635 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Warehoused and bonded | 48, 374, 44704 | Withdrawal for transportation | 4, 418, 58446 |
| Rewarehoused and bonded | 2,153,574 27 | Withdrawal for exportation | 16, 817,059 65 |
| Constructively warehoused | 17, 602, 53274 | Allowances and deficiencies | 2,496, 35652 |
| Increase of duties ascertained on liquidation | 1,173, 90664 | Balance June 30, 1878. | 14, 960,408 70 |
| Total. | 90, 034, 88568 | Total | 90, 084, 88568 |

## Treasury Department, Office Commissioner of Customs, October $23,1878$.

## statement of difference in balance.

H. C. JOHNSON Oommissioner of Customs.
Less:
Decrease in balamce, Pensacola, May 1, 1877, to June 30, 1877 . $\$ 46880$

Balance taken up in this statement Balance reported by last statement
Difference.
Arising from:
Increase in balance, Boston, June 1 to 30, 1877.
Increase in balance, Chicago, June 1 to 30,1877
Increase in balance, New York, May 1 to June 30,1877

$$
\begin{array}{r}
\$ 274,40231 \\
4,65980 \\
3,283,63420 \\
\hline 3,562,69631
\end{array}
$$

## 120, 730, 42499

$3,440,01060$
$\qquad$

Difference $\qquad$

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## REPORT OF THE FIRST AUDITOR.

# THE FIRST AUDITOR OF THE TREASURY. 

# Treasury Department, First Audifor's Office, <br> October 31, 1878. 

SIR: I have the honor to submit the following exhibit of the business transacted in this office during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 :

| Accounts adjusted. | Number of accounts. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| necespts. |  |  |
| Duties on merchandise and tonnage | 1,279 | \$130, 458, 49104 |
| Steamboat fees | 1,056 | 271, 63519 |
| Fines, penalties, and torfeitures | 577 | 127, 028 60 |
| Marine-hospital money collected | 1,450 | 362, 809 96 |
| Official emoluments of collectors, naval officers, and surveyors | 1, 300 | 733, 274 |
| Moneys received from sale of old material, rents, \&c. | 124 | 40, 52377 |
| Moneys received on account of deceased passengers | 34 |  |
| Moneys retained from Pacific Railroad companies for accrued interest on bonds | 12 | 2,001,682 16 |
| Treasurer of the Onited States, for moneys received | 4 | 715, 879, 54352 |
| Mints and assay-offices | 213 | 108, 302, 095 7J. |
| Captured and abandoned property | 27. | 24679 |
| Receipts from sales of waste paper, \&c. (Public | 9 | 50, 73942 |
| Miseellaneous receipts. | 629 | 693, 54061 |
| Roceipts on counter-warrants | 324 | 698, 593.55 |
| Total | 7,038 | 959, 620, 39382 |
| mibisursemunts. |  |  |
| Expenses of collecting the revenue from customs | 1, 298 | 4, 655, 25364 |
| Official emolnments of collectors, nawal officers, and surveyors. | 1,338 | 753, 51424 |
| Excess of deposits for unascertained duties | 328 | 1,933, 77700 |
| Debentures, drawbacks, bounties, and allowances | 176 | 3, 413, 332866 |
| Marinc-hospital servic | 1, 074 | 371, 87006. |
| Rerenue-cutter disbursements | 414 | 821, 23256. |
| Compensation in lien of moieties ....................................... | 80 | 16, 13073 |
| unclaimed nuerchandise paid. | 780 | 148, 23657 |
| Light-house establishment | 57 | 102, 60730. |
| Sadaries of lighthouse keepers | 391 | 493, 19041 |
| - Expenses of light-vessels. | 1.04 | 163, 92919. |
| ${ }^{-}$Supplies of light-houses. | 53 | 1.63,489 49. |
| Reprairs of light-houses | 23 | 102, 52551 |
| Expenses of buoyage | 40 | 126, 40790 |
| Expenses of fog-signals | 14 | 13,560 86- |
| Construction of light-houscs | 137 | 254, 49747 |
| Inspecting lights |  | 4,607 48 |
| Construction of steam-tenders | 4 | 6,617 35. |
| Judiciary expenses, embracing accounts of Onited States marshals, district aitomeys, clerks, and commissioners, rent of conct-honses, support |  |  |
| of prisoners, \&e..... | 3,132 | 3,499, 39854 |
| Mints and assay-ottrices | 213 | 102, 515, 75205 |
| Teuritorial accounts, embracing contingent expenses of executive offices and expenses of the legislative assemblies | 51 | 85, 06931 |
| Salaries of the eivil-list paid directly from Treasmry | 1,282 | 545,850 67 |
| Defense of suits and collection and examination of vouehers and records relative to captured and abandoned property | 27 | 26, 19651 |
| Refunding proceeds of cotton malawfully seized. | 2 | 1,876 46 |
| Treasurer of the United States for general expenditures | 4 | 643, 259, 99443 |
| Salaties and mileage of Senators | 2 | 408,625 72 |
| Salaries, officers and employes, | 7 | 224,745 26 |
| Contingent expenses of the Scnate | 44 | 285, 286 GT |


| Accounts adjusted. | Number of accounts. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Dishursements-Continued. |  |  |
| Salaries and mileage of members and delegates of the House of Representatives | 1 | \$371, 25900 |
| Salarics of officers of the House of Representatives..................... | 10 | 212, 20104 |
| Contingent expenses, House of Representatives......................... | 59 | 161,967 37 |
| Disbursing-clerks, for salaries of the several departments of the governmont at Washington | 334 | 5, 322,849 66 |
| Contingent expenses of said departments | 214 | 385, 84028 |
| Salaries of employes, Exocutive Mansion |  | 10, 49641 |
| Annual repairs, ${ }^{\text {Improving Capitol }}$ grounds | 6 <br> 6 | 83,12466 194,17222 |
| Lighting Capitol grounds. | 6 | 26, 83354 |
| Salaries, Congressional Libr | 4 | 30, 55181 |
| Library of Congress, purchase of | 22 | 15, 58584 |
| Salaries, Botanic Garden |  | 10,770 28 |
| Improving Botanic Garden | 6 | 5, 97713 |
| Improving brildings, Botanic $G$ |  | 2,408 40 |
| Salaries, officers and employes, Independent | 44 | 323, 50558 |
| Coutingent expenses, Independent Treasury | 43 | 23,893 17 |
| Salaries, Steamboat-Inspection Service |  | 177, 24283 |
| Contingent expenses, Steamboat-Inspection | 710 | 35, 13674 |
| Inquiries into canses of steam-boiler explosions. | 13 | 9,196 85 |
| Salaries, Burcau of Engraving and Printing....................... | 7 | 18,498 50 |
| Extra compensation to discharged employes of Bureaa of Eugraving and Printing. |  |  |
| Labor and expenses of engraving and printing | 9 | 441, 19417 |
| Life-Saving Service, salaries of employes |  | 91, 54654 |
| Life-Saring Service, contingent expense | 77 | 48, 99797 |
| Establishment of life-saving stations. | 73 | 81, 49219 |
| Construction of court-houses and post- | 227 | 1,064, 25059 |
| Construction of custom-houses | 241 | 1, 080,425 07 |
| Construction of branch mints |  | 18,735 08 |
| Construction of subtreasury |  | 22, 10805 |
| Construction of jail, District of | 6 | 6,378 49 |
| Assay-oftice, Helena, Mont | 10 | 5,076 60 |
| Rent of buildings in Washing | 17 | 43,598 86 |
| Fuel, lights, and wator for public buildings | 535 | 402, 05236 |
| Heating apparatus for public butding |  | 107, 54162 |
| Repairs aud preservation of public buildings | 114 | 149, 09642 |
| Annual repairs of Treasury butilding. | 12 | 20,70926 |
| Vaults, safes, and locks for public building | 13 | 35,543 08 |
| Pay of eustodians and janitors ..........iblic buidinge |  | 72,00213 |
| Furuiture aud repairs of furniture for public buildings | 62 | 74, 615300 |
| Purchase of lands for punic building |  | 611, 03577 |
| Redemption of the public debt, princip | 132 | 304, 308,261 21 |
| Payment of interest on public delst... | 144 | 84, 591, 658 |
| Payment of interest on Pacific Railroarl bonds | 22 | 3;863,610 72 |
| Reimbursement of United States Treasurer for legal-tender notes and fractional currency destroyed |  | 103, 940, 62431 |
| Interest on District of Colnmbia 3-65 bouds | 10 | -261,335 85 |
| Interest on Louisville and Portland Canal Company's bo |  | 48,480 00 |
| Tuterest on Navy pension fund | 4 | 420, 000000 |
| Transportation, United States securities, freight, \&c | 174 | 192,092 63 |
| Construction, equipmont, and repairs of revonne | 73 | 57,59170 |
| Survey of the coasts of the United States. | 46 | 540, 87425 |
| Standard of weights and measures ........................... | 7 | 6, 99394 |
| Examinatiou of rebel archives and records of captured property | , | 2,723 40 |
| Ontstanding drafts and checks paid | 90 | 14, 25743 |
| Suppressing counterfeiting pand frand | 11 | 80, 34700 |
| Propagation of food-fishes | 24 | 62,469 22 |
| Inquiry lespecting food.fishes. | 6 | 3, 00291 |
| Tllustrations for report on food-fishes | ${ }^{6}$ | 1,110 70. |
| Salaries add contingent expenses of the Southern Claims |  | 23, 34454 |
| Contingent expenses, Court of Claims |  | 2,385 62 |
| Prosecution of crimes. | 6 | 14, 26607 |
| Prosecution and collection of claims | 2 | 75850 |
| International Exhivition of 1876. | 33 | 15, 64279 |
| Judgments of the Court of Clains | 32 | 685, 24060 |
| Salaries, ottice of Public Printer.... ${ }_{\text {Contingent }}$ | 5 | 13,168 50 |
| Contingent expenses oftriee of Publinting and binding...... | 84 | 2,38869 $1,391,16633$ |
| Printing jeports of Commissioner of | 84 16 | 1, 391, 16633 |
| State, War, aud Nary Department buildings. | 11 | 398, 51343 |
| Prblic buiddings and grounds, Washington. | 15 | 29,561 92 |
| Contingent expenses, Executive Mansion, repairs, lighting, \&c | 10 | 24, 64798 |
| Washington Agueduct ..................... |  | 10, 20765 |
| Pedestal for statue of Gen. George F. Thomas | ${ }^{2}$ | 1,79890 |
| Washington Monument | $\stackrel{2}{4}$ | 17, 60251 |
| Boarrd of Health, Washington, D. C., salaries | 3 | 15, 38398 |


| A.ccounts adjusted. | Number of accounts. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Disbursembaits-Contimued. |  |  |
| Board of Heath, Washington, D. C., expe | 3 | \$6, 39571 |
| Commission for repaving Pemosylvania avenu | 3 | 2, 11910 |
| Collecting agricnltaxal statisties | 7 | 17,496 22 |
| Purchase and distribution of valuable seeds | ${ }^{6}$ | 78, 39271 |
| Special distribution of seeds to grasshopper sufferers | 1 | 20, 00000 |
| Report on forestry | 1 | 2,50000 |
| Experimental garden | 4 | 4,933 92 |
| Furniture, cases, \&c., Agricultural Department | 4 | 4, 53991 |
| Laboratory, Agricultural Department. | 4 | 1,315 78 |
| Improvement of grounds, Agricultural Dopartment | 4 | 6,693 47 |
| Sibrary, Agricultazal Department | 6 | 85416 |
| Maseum, Agricultual Depmrtment | 4 | 1,3319 95 |
| Repairs of Interior Department building | 5 | 18, 39987 |
| Fuel, lights, \&c., for Tinterior Department. ........ | 6 | 15,45896 |
| Removal of Peasion Office and Buread of Education | 2 | 1,50000 |
| Salaries and expenses, Hot Springs Commission............ | 4 | 33, 00020 |
| Protection and inprovement of Hot Springs (salary of superin | 1 | 57744 |
| Depredations on public timber | 5 | 9,141 19 |
| Commission to report on depredations of Rocky Mountain | 2 | 11,817 81 |
| Geological survey of Territories | 9 | 46, 93497 |
| mustrations for report on geological survey |  | 29, 99380 |
| Collecting miving statistics | 2 | 40000 |
| Refonm School, Wistrict of Coltumbia, current expenses | 4 | 21,170 61 |
| Reform School, District of Columbia, buildings aid grounds | 2 | 4,990180 |
| Govermment Hospital for Insane, cureut expenses | 5 | 131, 41188 |
| Goverument Hospital for Insane, erection of buildings | 2 | 6,639 43 |
| Columbia Yustitution for Deaf and Dumb, current oxpenses. | 2 | 23, 04492 |
| Columbia Institation for Deaf and Dumb, erection of building | 2 | 45, 27029 |
| National Soldiers and Sailors' Onphan Home. | 3 | 5,775 54 |
| National Association for Relief of Colored Women | 8 | 15,542 62 |
| Columbia Hospital for Women, curent expenses. | 6 | 24, 85449 |
| Columbia Hospital for Women, buildings | 4 | 7,978 78 |
| Maryland Institution for Instruction of the Blind | 4 | 3, 82083 |
| Freedman's Hospital and Asylum | 5 | 39, 05289 |
| Miscellaneous accounts | 780 | 9, 009, 21555 |
| Transfers by warrant and counter warrant |  | 698,593 55 |
| Total. | 16,381 | 1; 287, 812, 74500 |

Number of reports and certificates recorded....................................... 12, 729
Number of letters recorded.............................................................. 2, 473
Number of powers of attorncy for collecting interest on the public debt registered and filed

4, 626
Requisitions answered................................................................... 533
Judiciary emolument accounts registered and referred................................ 514
Statentent of transactions in bouded merchandise as shown by warehouse and bond accounts adjusted during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.

Number of accomnts adjusted . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 950
Nrmber of reports of "no transactions" received, examined, and referred
588

|  | 1, 538 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Balance of merchandise in warehouse per last report | \$14,382, 11054 |
| - Duties on merchandise warehonsed | 63, 204, 59046 |
| - Duties on mercliandise rewarehonsed. | 2, 521, 36099 |
| Duties on merchandise constructively warehoused | 19, 805, 29464 |
| Increased and additional duties and duties collected in excess | 1,658, 08013 |
| Total. | 101, 571, 43676 |

## Contra:

Duties on merclandise withduawn for consumption ....................... 59, 235, 49743
Duties on merchandise withdrawn for transportation
4, 433, 91960
Duties on merchandise withdrawn for exportation 19, 632,752 71
Allowances for deficiencies, damages, de $3,077,87920$
Duties on withdrawals for construction and repair of vessels 49, 46172
Duties on bouds delivered to district attorneys for prosecution
15,327 90
Balance.-Merchandise in warehouse
$15,126,59820$
Total
101, 571, 43676

In submitting the foregoing report in a condensed form, which gives a complete summary of accounts adjusted during the fiscal year ending June 30,1878 , I wish to say that the exhibit presented gives a very inadequate idea of the amount of labor and care required in their examination and adjustment.

The number and variety of accounts acljusted in this office are increasing annually, growing out of the fact that all accounts of whatever character not specially assigned by statutes to other accounting offices of the Treasury, are properly referred to this office for settlement.

The magnitude of the work will be better understood when it is remembered that the accounts of the United States Treasurer, embracing all receipts and disbursements, amounting last year to over thirteen hundred millions ( $\$ 1,359,139,537.95$ ) of clollars, together with the rouchers attesting their correctness, and showing their exact condition, are rendered to this office for adjustment. All accounts also of receipts from customs, for duties on merchandise imported, steamboat fees collected, marine-hospital tax, and receipts from fines, penalties, and forfeitures, \&c., with expenses of their collections, which embrace the following more prominent accounts techmically known as disbursements for expenses of collecting the revenue from customs, revenue marine service, marinehospital service, light-house establishment, debentures and clrawbacks, excess of deposits refunded, and construction and repair of public buildings, \&c., and other accounts of disbursements of government funds, to amount of over six hundred millions of dollars ( $\$ 644,552,751.67$ ), in addition to the amounts stated in the Treasurer's reports, embracing a great variety of accounts, among which may be mentioned disbursements for redemption of the public debt and payment of interest upon the same. reimbursement of the United States Treasurer for legal-tender notes and fractional currency destroyed, United States Mints, salaries United States Senate and House of Representatives, and also for the several departments at Washington, and contingent expenses of the same, \&c., \&c., a full list of which will be found under the designation of "disbursements," are severally examined and stated in this otfice. These embrace no less than one hundred and thirty-eight separate and distinct classes of accounts, requiring over twenty-three thonsand accounts (23,419) to be examined and stated during the year.

The operations growing out of the several acts authorizing the refunding of the public debt have greatly increased the work in the public debt division during the last two years, and especially so during the last four months. The cancellation of bonds redeemed, and the examination and filing of new powers of attorney, require much additional labor, and this will, doubtless, continue until the whole amount required by law shall be redeemed and refunded. This division has suffered a reduction of force in the face of increased labor: required, and the work has been dispatched promptly by securing additional clerical force drawn, by your direction, from other offices of the department. This became absolutely necessary, as it was found to be impossible to transact the business of that division without such additional clerical force.

In the customs division it is found that in four years three desks have been broken up, which is full 20 per cent. reduction of the force, while the work has gradually increased rather than diminished, and the result is that there is an inadequate clerical force in that division. This compels the chief of the division to examine and state many original accounts which press for settlement, instead of giving his time to the careful examination of the entire work of the clerical force under his superrision.

The same is true of the warehouse and bond division, where the force has been reduced, to the detriment of the public service, as there has been no corresponding decrease of the work required of that division.

While the judiciary division has not suffered a reduction of force, the work increases anmally. This arises from several causes, but chiefly from the increase of districts made necessary in the West and South west, where population and wealth are rapidly increasing, with a consequent growth of business for the courts.

What has been said of the several divisions of this burean is equally true when we examine the miscellaneous or separate desks not embraced in the divisions above mentioned: Accounts embracing the largest part of the anmal disbursements from the United States Treasury are examined and stated by the clerical force assigued to this class of work. The magnitude of the disbursements and the responsibility involved in their preparation and examination strongly suggests the propriety of organizing a new division, to be known as a division of miscellaneous accounts, which should have the careful supervision of a capable chief, who should be in the best sense of the term an "expert" and accurate accountant.

From this hasty review of the condition of work performed in the First Auditor's Office it will be seen that while the labor required in the examination and statement of accounts properly referred to it for settlement has gradually from year to year increased, the legislation of Congress has actually rednced the force in the several appropriations made, which has compelled the Auditor to petition for additional clerical force so as to dispatch the current work pressing for adjustment.

I therefore respectfully ask that the additional force as suggested in the "estimate" forwarded to you for this office be recommended to the favorable consideration of Congress; and I now repeat what was then stated, "this estimate does not increase the actual working force of the office." For many years it has been found necessary to ask for additional force by a transfer of employés from other offices to accomplish the work required of this office. The additional force estimated for is now actually employed in the office, and is necessary for the proper performance of the work in this burean. The public service would be greatly benefited by having these employés upon the regular roll of this office, and for many reasons. A transferred clenk is ever liable to be retumed to the office where he is enrolled, and this often happens when he has become aequainter with the daties of his desk, and then he is of the greatest ralue.

In conclusion I deem it a pleasure as well as a duty to acknowledge the great assistance I have received from the deputy anditor and the several chiefs of divisions in discharging the duties devolving upon me, and I would commend them and the clerks and employés of the office for their diligence, promptness, and fidelity to the public interests in the discharge of their sereral duties, which in many cases have been both onerous and exacting. Respectfully,

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

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## REPORT OF THE SECOND AUDITOR.

## REPORT

## gECOND AUDITOR OF THE TREASURY.

## Treasury Department, Second Auditor's Office, August 14, 1878.

SIR : I have the honor to submit the following report of the operations of this bureau during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878:


In addition to the number of letters written, as stated above, 32,417 were written in the various divisions of the office, making a total of 105,496 .

The average number of clerks employed during the year was 127.
The usual monthly and annual reports and statements have been prepared.

The following figures exhibit, as well as figures may do, what has been the work of this office since its organization in 1817, and furnish interesting statistical information. The first table shows the number of settlements of money accounts and claims during the forty-four years from 1817 to 1861, divided into two periods, prior and subsequent to the Mexican war. The second table is a condensed statement of the money accounts and claims settled by the different divisions of the office from June 30, 1861, to June 30, 1878; and the third table shows the number
of property accounts adjusted, claims rejected, certificates furnished the Paymaster-General and Commissioner of Pensions during the same period.

Number of accounts settled from March 4, 1817, to June 30, 1861.

| Accounts. | From March 4, 1817, to June 30, 1847. | From June 30, 1847, to June 30, 1861. | Total, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ordnance, medical, and miscollaneous. | 13,232 | 6. 695 | 19,927 |
| Recruiting and disbursing officers... | 12, 880 | , 0.47 | 18,977 |
| Arrears of pay, \&c............... . | 6,283 | 21, 360 | 27, 644 |
| Paymasters.. | 1. 759 | 1, 427 | 3,186 |
| Indian agents. | 3,254 | 5,562 | 8,816 |
| Total. | 37, 408 | 41, 142 | 78,550 |

Statement of accounts settled and amounts invelved from June 30, 1861, to June 30, 1878.

| For the year emding- | Paymasters' accounts. |  | Ordnance, medical, and miscellaneous. |  | Indian agents ${ }^{+}$disbursing accounts and Indian claims. |  | Bounty, arrears of pay, \&e. |  | Regular and volunteer recruiting accounts. |  | Freedmen's Brreau accomets. | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No, | Amount. | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. | Amount. | No. | Amount. |
| June 30, 1862 | 141 | \$4, 181, 27633 | 4,017 | \$29, 128, 52630 | 616 | \$3, 335, 88523 | 3, 328 | \$249, 18064 | 1,504 | \$217, 08897 |  | 9,606 | \$37, 111, 95747 |
| June 30, 1863 | 645 | 47, 875, 23136 | 11,802 | 38, 847, 89920 | 590 | 2,099, 25787 | 19, 191 | 2, 443, 29339 | 1,356 | 398, 78594 |  | 33, 584 | 91, 664, 46776 |
| June 30, 1864 | 773 | 88, 944, 41539 | 15,988 | 55, 539,537 64 | 501 | 2, 242, 15474 | 80, 756 | $10,970,52891$ | 1,880 | 2,220,744 15 |  | 99, 898 | 159, 917, 38083 |
| June 30, 1865 | 738 | 90, 094, 84746 | 22, 059 | 42, 647, 07768 | 866 | 3, 231, 44900 | 84, 517 | 14, 047, 59935 | 2,594 | 8, 019, 88156 |  | 110, 774 | 158, 040, 30505 |
| June 30, 1866 | 981 | 110, 209, 71.862 | -7,228 | 26, 902, 78454 | 448 | 2, 881, 25633 | 78,335 | 16, 189, 24717 | 4,317 | 21, 353, 12768 |  | 91, 309 | 177, 536, 13434 |
| June 30, 1867 | 1,451 | 183, 041, 47609 | 3,206 | 23, 050, 181.18 | 821 | 4, 273,208 91 | 59, 121 | 10, 638, 78238 | 3,765 | 19, 891, 43759 |  | -68, 364 | 240, 895, 08655 |
| June 30, 1868 | ]., 038 | 146, 305, 52814 | 1, 897 | 20, 484, 80213 | 962 | 5, 301, 72289 | 203, 980 | 19, 598, 44588 | 2,416 | 5, 262, 14063 |  | 210, 293 | 196, 952, 63967 |
| June 30, 1869 | 1,216 | 183, 052, 98946 | 1,990 | 8, 598, 70604 | 1, 169 | 4, 715, 03943 | 85, 279 | 8, 355, 61822 | 1,478 | 2, 841, 07924 |  | 91, 132 | 207, 563, 43239 |
| June 30, 1870 | 1,083 | 141, 438,680 99 | 1,708 | 3, 571, 10713 | 1,172 | 3, 033, 82741 | 53, 826 | 4, 160, 77631 | 946 | 2, 443, 90648 |  | 58, 735 | 154, 648, 29832 |
| June 30, 1871 | 843 | 124, 063, 652.23 | 2, 394 | 2, 023, 70326 | 1, 482 | $8,194,63463$ | 40, 078 | 2, 348, 16442 |  | 957, 01035 |  | 44,797 | 137, 587, 16489 |
| June 30, 1872 | 2,350 | 131, 057, 41302 | 1, 805 | 1., 566,92496 | 1,649 | 5, 351, 81632 | 22, 170 | 1, 278, 16029 |  | 657, 26602 |  | 27, 974 | 139, 911, 58061 |
| June 30, 1873 | 1, 033 | 27, 116, 62139 | 2, 567 | 1,968, 18301 | 1,871 | 8, 329, 18821 | 32, 420 | 1, 664, 98564 |  | 405, 06044 | \$8, 541, 72508 | 37, 891 | 48, 025, 76377 |
| June 30, 1874 | ], 008 | 17, 257, 09325 | 2,708 | 6, 125, 42970 | 1, 648 | 4, 974, 86643 | 27, 315 | 1, 230, 82794 |  | 220, 48975 | 778, 00328 | 32, 679 | 30, 586, 71035 |
| June 30, 1875 | 506 | 14, 837, 71429 | 2, 264 | 3, 164, 63407 | 2, 107 | $6,033,20725$ | 19,476 | 981, 40774 |  | 223, 96279 | 853, 66813 | 24, 353 | 26,094, 59427 |
| June 30, 1876 | 565 | 1.5, 563, 73975 | 2, 177 | 2, 346,339 07 | 2,242 | 7, 081, 60357 | 11, 433 | 485, 08465 |  | 224, 87789 | 210, 87407 | 16, 417 | 25, 912, 51900 |
| June 30, 1877 | 518 | 12, 604,99841 | 2,207 | 2, 193, 99302 | 2,974 | 8,508, 48073 | 13, 799 | 577, 34079 |  | 132, 6991.6 | 296, 10015 | 19,498 | 24, 313, 61226 |
| June 30, 1878 | 560 | 12,773, 19428 | 1,828 | 2, 290, 15101 | 3,550 | 5, 10], 30806 | 15, 774 | 442, 60159 |  | 418, 77331 | 266, 72798 | 21, 712 | 21,583, 61551 |
| Total | 15,449 | 1, 350, 418, 59046 | 87, 845 | 270, 449,979 94 | 24,668 | 84, 688,907 01 | 850, 798 | 95, 662, 04571 | 20,256 | 65, 887, 78195 | 10,947, 09869 | 999, 016 | 1,878,345, 26304 |

Statement of property accounts adjusted and miscellaneous work performed in conneotion with the settlement of accounts.

| For the year ending- |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| June 30, 1862 | 5,021 | 882 | 14,584 | 37, 473 | 5,589 |  |
| June 30, 1863 | -7,368 | 1,470 | 40,651 108 1083 | 134, 1316 | 5, 5144 |  |
| June 30, 1865 | 163, 429 | 2,210 | 126,569 | 170, 340 | 5 5,995 | 38,904 |
| June 30,1866 | 176, 263 | 19,099 | 370, 220 | 245, 903 | 2, 698 | 74, 041 |
| June 30, 1867 | 141,698 | ${ }^{27,236}$ | 478, 477 | 486, 305 | 2,401 | 134, 328 |
| June 30, 1868 | 129,463 | ${ }^{41,217}$ | 603,698 | 220, 209 | 1, 1,868 | 320, 408 |
| June ${ }^{\text {June } 30,1879}$ | ${ }_{43,689}^{97,32}$ |  | 405,745 <br> 363,565 | 年171, 487 | 2,709 <br> 2,842 <br> 1 | 125,315 16,435 |
| June 30, 1871 | 39, 171 | 22, 955 | 233, 129 | 237, 754 | 2,519 | 18, 138 |
| June 30, 1872 | 237, 675 | 13, 873 | 202, 658 | 133, 957 | 2,606 | 29, 309 |
| June 30,1873 | ${ }^{41,775}$ | 117, ${ }_{17}$ | - 265,544 | 194,574 | 2,679 | 42,399 |
| June 30, 1875 | 31, ${ }_{4}$ | 11, 181 | 13.1, 321 | 188, 602 | $\underset{3}{3,440}$ | 很, |
| June 30, 18776 | ${ }^{4,746}$ | 7,856 | 101, 140 | 94, 464 | 3,386 | 22, 874 |
| June 30, 1877 | 5,613 | $\begin{array}{r}11,569 \\ \hline 16,918 \\ \hline 18\end{array}$ | 106,046 105,496 10 | 116,563 121066 | 3,957 4.481 | 9,046 10,068 |
| June 30, 1878. | 4,712 | 16,918 | 105, 496 | 121, 066 | 4,481 | 10,068 |
| Total | 1, 157, 760 | 262,935 | 3, 894, 492 | 3, 938,718 | 60, 985 | 930, 671 |

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, 4,983 more claims and accounts were presented to this office for examination and settlement, and 3,963 more settlements were made, than in the year ending June 30 , 1877. In the seven months ending July, 1877, there were presented 13,754, and in the corresponding months of the present year, 18,157 have been received, slowing an increase of 4,403 claims and accounts in the last seven months.
As there has been no recent legislation calculated to materially increase the business of the office, this result is believed to be mainly due to the pressure of the hard times and to erroneous statements in the public press regarding bounties to soldiers and their heirs, which stimulate them to apply for what, in many cases, has already been paid, or for what they were never eutitled to under any law. Such claims, which constitute a large portion of those now presented, are disallowed, to the cost and disappointment of claimants, and at the expense to the government of the necessary investigation.
There has been a reasonable expectation that the business of the office relating to claims growing out of the late war would be so materially diminished as to allow of a further reduction of the clerical force, but at the present time the services of all the clerks assigned to the office are needed for the transaction of its business, and it is not possible to indicate the time when any portion can be dispensed with.
The industry, capacity, and fidelity of the gentlemen constituting the clerical force are worthy of special commendation.

I am, sir, very respectfilly,
E. B. FRENCH, Auditor.

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## REPORT OF THE THIRD AUDITOR.

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## REPORT

OF

# THE THIRD AUDIT0R OF THE TREASURY． 

## Treasury Department， <br> Third Auditor＇s Office， October 21， 1878.

SIR：I have the honor to submit herewith report of the operations of this office for the fiscal year ended June 30， 1878.

The following statement shows in tabular form the number and amount of accounts and claims received and adjusted，and the number and amount of accounts and claims on hand unsettled at that date，viz：

| Description of accounts． |  |  | Number of accounts set－ tled in fiscal year end－ ed June 30， 1878. |  | Number of accounts re－ maining unsettled June 30， 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Monthly } \\ \text { and quar:- } \\ \text { terly. } \end{gathered}$ | Monthly and quar－ terly． | Monthly and quar－ terly． | Amoment in． volved． | Monthly and quas：－ terly． | Amount in－ volved． |
| Quartermasters＇money | 180 | 2，320 | 1，895 | \＄9；553， 03857 | 605 | \＄1，721， 56281 |
| Quartermasters＇property | ． 180 | 3，439 | 3， 240 |  | 379 |  |
| Commissaries＇money．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 660 | 1，899 | 1，900 | －3，804， 99945 | 659 | 844，644 29 |
| Pension agents＇money ．．．．．．．．．． | 29.1 | 538 | 715 | $24,138,59152$ | 114 | 11，917， 86237 |
| Engineers＇money ．．．．． | 59 | 1.48 | 185 | 4，328， 61667 | 23 | 1，154， 02870 |
| Signal officers＇money | 17 | 136 | 96 | － 346,95760 | 57 | 187， 73796 |
| Signal officers＇property | 169 | 812 | 940 |  | 41 |  |
| Claims for horsos lost．． | 5，895 | 158 | 588 | 92，75929 | 5，465 | 971， 46182 |
| Claims for steamboats destroyed． | 73 |  | 1 | 1765000 | 72 | 702， 37887 |
| Oregon war claims ．．．．．．．．．．．．．． | 677 | 58 | 72 | 17，089 40 | ${ }^{663}$ | 18， 25444 |
| Miscellaneous claims ．．．．．．．．．． | 11， 239 | 4，232 | 2，899 | 4，283， 10309 | 12； 572 | 8，059， 70783 |
| State war claims | 6 | 5 | 2 | $54,431.64$ | 9 | $3,556,87856$ |
| Total | 19，446 | 13，745 | 12， 533 | 46，615， 23723 | 20，659 | $29,134,51769$ |

## Bookkeeper＇s Division．－（J．F．Jones，chief．）

The duty devolving upon this division is to keep the appropriation and money accounts of disburising－officers，which are settled in this office．

The annexed statement shows the amount drawn out of certain of its appropriation accounts，and also the repayments made through this office into the Treasury，and is a full exhibit of its financial operations during the fiscal year：

Statement showing the financial operations of the Third Auditor's Office during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

|  |  |  |  |  | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| The number of requisitions drawn by the Secretaries of War and the Interior upon the Secretary of the persons is 2,883 , amounting to $\$ 46,906,526.11$, paid out of the following appropriations and in the jus mier herein set forth, viz: | 555, 79246 | \$61, 97168 | \$149 50 |  | \$3, 617, 91364 |
| Incidental expenses, Q.M. $\mathrm{D}^{\text {d }}$ | 790, 25180 | 14, 18072 | ${ }^{43} 88$ |  | \$3,617, 81364 |
| Barracks and quarters, Q.M.D | 1, 096,80780 | 3,283 12 |  |  | 1,100,090 92 |
| Army transportation. | 4, 219,526 38 | 901, 991.07 | 17140 |  | 5, 121, 68885 |
| Clothing, camp and garrison equipage | 802, 4.1 .209 | 1650 | 280 |  | 802, 43139 |
| National cemeteries. | 87, 26516 | 15250 |  |  | 87, 41766 |
| Pay of superintendents of pational cemeteries | 55,671 83 |  |  |  | 55, 67183 |
| Support of military prison at Fort Leav. enworth, Kans | 40,000 00 |  |  |  | 40, 00000 |
| Erection of headstones in national cemeteries | 88,034 48 |  |  |  | 88,034 48 |
| Refunding to States expenses incurred in suppressing the rebellion |  | 99,776 06 |  |  | 99, 77606 |
| Construetion and maintenance of military telegraph lines. | 22, 50000 |  |  |  | 22, 50000 |
| Observations and report of storms. | 300, 03131 |  |  |  | 300, 03131 |
| Claims for quartermaster stores and commissary supplies, act July 4, 1864. |  | 301, 89776 |  |  | 301, 89776 |
| Claims of loyal citizens for supplies furnished during the rebellion |  | 1,803 00 |  |  | 1,803 00 |
| Construction of military poston the $\bar{Y}$ ellowstone and Muscleshell Rivers.. | 50, 00000 |  |  |  | 50, 00000 |
| Cavalry and artillory horses........... | 191, 82584 |  |  |  | 191, 82584 |
| Construction and repairs of hospitals.. <br> Construction of jetties in the Missis. sippi River | 50, 26169 | 1,000,000 00 |  |  | 50,26169 $1,000,00000$ |
| Signal Service............................ | 1.0, 50000 |  |  |  | 10,500 00 |
| Current and ordinary expenses, Military Academy | 46, 10500 |  |  |  | 46, 10500 |
| Miscellaneons items and incidental expenses, Military Academy | 14, 62000 |  |  |  | 14,62000 |
| Buildings and grovands, Military Academy. | 1,700. 00 |  |  |  | 1,700 00 |
| Sundry engineer appropriations. | 2, 966, 11243 | 28798 |  |  | 2, 966, 40041 |
| Subsistence of the Ammy ............ | 2, 798, 59460 | 27,740 07 | 18914 |  | 2, 826, 52381 |
| Lost horses, see. 3483, Revised Statutes. Army pensions | 26, 746, 49272 | 19500 17,89422 | 5802 |  | 26, 764, 144900 |
| Compensation to agents. | -87, 73044 |  |  |  | - $\begin{array}{r}\text { 87, } \\ \hline 830 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
| Fees for preparing vonc | 210,421 25 |  |  |  | 210, 42125 |
| Fees to examining surgeons | 241, 61435 |  |  |  | 241, 61435 |
| Relief of Mirshall P. Thatcher |  |  |  | \$150 00 | 15000 |
| Relief of Hemiotta Groesbeck |  |  |  | 30000 | 30000 |
| Total | 44,474, 27169 | 2, 431, 18968 | 61474 | 45000 | 46, 906, 52011 |

The mumber of credit and counter requisitions dram by the Secretaries of. War and Interior on sundry persons in favor of the Treasurer of the United States is 1,290 , on which repayments into the Treasury bave been made through the 'Third Anditor's Office during the fiscal year ended'June 30, 1878, as follows:


## The Quartermaster's Division.-(I. S. Tichenor, chief.)

The accounts of quartermasters cover a wide range of money and property responsibility. The former embraces disbursements for bar-
racks and quarters，hospitals，storehonses，offices，stables，and trans－ portation of Army supplies，the purchase of Army clothing，camp and garrison equipage，cavalry and artillery horses，fiel，forage，straw，ma－ terial for bedding，and stationery；payments of hired men and of＂per diem＂to extra－duty men ；expenses incurred in the pursuit and appre－ hension of deserters，for the burial of officers and soldiers，for hired es－ corts，expresses，interpreters，spies，and guides，for veterinary surgeons and medicines for horses，for supplying posts with water，and for all other proper and authorized outlays connected with the movements and operations of the Army not expressly assigned to any other department．

Property purchased with the funds of the Quartermaster＇s Department is accounted for upon＂returns＂transmitted through the Quartermaster－ General to this office（with the exception of＂returns of clothing，camp and garrison equipage，＂which come under the supervision of the Second Auditor），showing that the disposition made of it is in accordance with law and Army regulations．

Statement showing the operations of the quartermasters＇division for the fiscal year ending June 30， 1878.

|  | Money accounts． |  | Property returns | Supplemental settlements． |  |  | Signal acoounts． |  |  | Total． |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 年 |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 感 } \\ & \text { 侖 } \end{aligned}$ |  | 安 | 感 |  | 曷 |  |
| On hand per last re． port． <br> Received during the fiscal year． | 180 2320 | $\$ 1,994,989$ 70 $9,279,611$ | 180 3439 | 54 | 332 | \＄51， 60378 | 169 812 | 17 1.36 | $\$ 130,81687$ 403,87869 | 546 7093 | $\$ 2,125,80657$ $9,735,09419$ |
| Total | 2500 | 11，274， 60142 |  | 54 | 332 | 51，603 78 | 98.1 | 153 | 534， 69556 | 7639 | 11，860，900 76 |
| Reported daring the fiscal year | 1895 | 9，553， 03857 |  | 54 | 332 | 51， 60378 | 940 | 96 | 346， 95760 | 6557 | 9，951， 59995 |
| Remaining unsettled | 605 | 1，721． 56285 | 379 |  |  |  | 41 | 57 | 187， 73796 | 1082 | 1，909，300 81 |
| Total | 2500 | 11，274，601 42 |  | 54 | 332 | 51，603， 78 | 981 | 153 | 534， 69556 | 7639 | 11，860， 000 76 |

Number of letters written in quartermasters＇division，6，326；average number of clerks employed， $19 \frac{1}{12}$ ；number of vouchers examined，183，293； number of pages written， 5,102 ．

## Subsistence Division．－（Andrew Cauldwell，chief．）

The subsistence division examines the accounts of all commissaries and acting commissaries in the Army whose duties are to purchase the provisions and stores necessary for its subsistence，and to see to their proper distribution．These commissaries render monthly money accounts， with proper vouchers for disbursements of the funds intrusted to them， together with a provision－return，showing the disposition of provisions and stores purchased or derived from other sources．These accounts are received through the Commissary General of Subsistence，and are examined and audited in this division．

The money accounts and vouchers，together with a certified statement of the result of said examinations，are then referred to the Second Comp－ troller of the Treasury for revision．Upon their return from the Comp－ troller，with the settlement approved，the officers are notified of the re－ sult and called upon to adjust or explain any omissions or errors that may have been discovered．The money and provision accounts，together
with the vouchers and papers belonging thereto, are then placed in the settied files for future reference, and remain permanently in the custody of this office.

Subsistence accounts.


## Engineer accounts.

The engineer branch is engaged in the examination of the accounts of officers and agents of the Engineer Department, who, under direction of the Chief of Engineers of the Army (except the Superintendent of the Military Academy at West Point, whose disbursements are directed by the Inspector-General), disburse moneys out of the various appropriations, now 248 in number, made from time to time by Congress for works of a public nature, which may be classed under the following heads, viz: The purchase of sites and materials for and construction and repairs of the various fortifications throughout the United States. Construction and repairs of roads, bridges, bridge-trains, \&c., for armies in the field. Surveys on the Atlantic and Pacific coasts. Examination and surveys of the northern and western lakes and rivers. Construction and repairs of breakwaters. Repairs and improvement of harbors, both on sea and lake coasts. Improvement of rivers and purchase of snag and dredge boats for the same; and the expenses of the Military Academy at West Point.

The transactions of the engineer branch for the fiscal year are shown by the following statement, viz:

| Engincer accounts. | Money accounts. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number. | Amount involved. |
| On hand per last report, June 30, 1877 | 59 | \$2, 132, 64969 |
| Received during the fiscal year. | 149 | 3, 349, 99568 |
| Total. | 208 | 5, 482, 64537 |
| Audited duriug the fiscal year | 185 | 4, 328, 61667 |
| Reunaining on hand June 30, 1878. | 23 | 1, 154, 02870 |

Number of ronchers examined, 101,333; number of letters written, 1,593 ; number of differences written, 683 ; number of "calls" answered, 554 ; average number of clerks employed, $8 \frac{1}{4}$.
Clamms Division.-(W. S. Stetson, chief.)

This division has the settlement of claims of a miscellaneous character arising in the various branches of service in the War Department and growing out of the purchase or appropriation of supplies and stores for the Army; the purchase, hire, or appropriation of water-craft, rail-
road stock, horses, wagons, and other means of transportation; the transportation contracts of the Army; the occupation of real estate forcamps, barracks, hospitals, fortifications, \&c.; the hire of employés, mileage, courts-martial fees, traveling expeuses, commutations, \&c.; claims for compensation for vessels, railroad-cars, engines, \&c., lost in the military service; claims growing ont of the Oregon and Washington war of 1855 and 1856, and other Indian wars; claims of various descriptions under special acts of Congress, and claims not otherwise assigned for adjudication.

| Miscellaneous claims for fiscal year 1877-78. | Number. | Amount clained. | Amount allowert. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On hand July 1, 1877 | 11,239 | $a \$ 7,111,35610$ |  |
| Received during the year | 4, 232 | b5, 231, 45482 |  |
| Iotal. | 15, 471 | 12, 342, 81092 |  |
| Disposed of during the year | 2, 899 | c4, 283, 10309 | \$3, 436,417 86 |
| On hand July 1, 1878 | 12,572 | $d 8,059,70783$ | $3,436,41786$ |

a This is the amount elaimed in 9,798 cases, the amounts in the other ( 1,441 ) cases not being stated, $b$ This is the amount clamed in 4,054 cases, the amounts in the othor (178) cases not being stated. $c$ This is the anount elamed in 2,780 cases, the amounts in the other (119) cases not being stated. $d$ This is the amount claimed in 11.072 cases, the amounts in the other ( 1.1500 ) cases wot being stated.
Number of letters written during the year, 2,718.

| Oregon and Washington Indian war-claims, 1855-'56. | Number: | Amount clamed. | Amount allowed. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On hand July 1, 1877 | 677 | a\$ $\$ 25,60596$ |  |
| Received during the year. | 58 | 69,73788 |  |
| Total. | 735 | 35,34384 |  |
| Disposed of doring the year | 72 | c17, 08940 | \$8,557 97 |
| On hand July 1, 1878 | 663 | d18, 25444 | 8, 55797 |

a This is the amount clained in 354 cases, the amomnts in the other (323) cases not being stated.
$b$ This is the amount claimed in 24 cases, the amounts in the other (34) eases not being stated
$c$ This is the amount claimed in 36 cases, the amounts in the other ( 36 ) cases not being stated.
$d$ I'his is tbo amount clamed in 342 casos, the amounts in the other (321) eases not being stated.
Number of letters written during the year, 40.

| Lost vessels, \&c., act March 3, 1849. | Nunber: | Amonnt claimed. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On hand July 1, 1877 | 73 | \$703, 02887 |
| Received during the year................................................................................................... |  |  |
| Total. | 73 | 703,028 87 |
| Disposed of during the year | 1 | a650 00 |
| On haud July 1, 1878. | 72 | 702,378 87 |

$a$ Transferred to Miscellaneous Claims Register.
Number of letters written during the year, 16.
State and Horse Claims Division--(I. E. G. Pettengill, chief.)
The duties of this division embrace the settlement, under the various acts and resolutions of Congress relating thereto, of all claims of the several States and Territories for the cost, "charges, and expenses properly incurred by them for eurolling, subsisting, clothing, supplying, arming, equipping, paying, and transporting their troops employed in aiding to suppress the recent insurrection against the United States," and all claims arising out of Indian and other border inyasions.

Also the settlement of claims for compensation for loss of horses and ${ }^{7}$ equipage sustained by officers or enlisted men while in the military service of the United States, and for the loss of horses, mules, oxen, wagons, sleigh's, harnesses, while in said service, by impressment or contract.

| State claims. | Origival account. |  | Suspended account. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. |
| On hand June 30, 1877 | 6 | \$2, 932, 58554 | 30 | \$4, 541, 31904 |
| Received during the fiseal year ending June 30, 1878. | 5 | 678,724 66 | 10 | 81, 250.15 |
| Total | - 11 | 3, 611, 3.020 | 40 | 4, 622, 57519 |
| Reported during the fiseal year endiag June 30,1878 | 2 | 54, 43164 | 16 | 212,665 04 |
| On hand June 30, 1878 | 9 | 3,556,878 56 | 24 | 4, 409,910 15 |
| Horse claims. | Oniginal. |  | Account. |  |
|  | No. | Amount. | No. | Amount. |
| On hand June 30, 1877 . . . . . . . . . |  |  | 5,895 | \$1, 033, 65468 |
| Received during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. |  |  | 117 | 23,547 18 |
| Reconsidered during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. |  |  | 4. | 7,019 25 |
| Total. |  |  | 6,053 | 1,064, 22111 |
| Allowed during the fiscal year euding June 30, 1878. | 462 | \$62,576 04 |  |  |
| Disallowed on same ............................... |  | 14, 203. 41 |  |  |
| Armount-clamed |  | 76,779 45 |  |  |
| Rejected during the fiscal year ending Jume 30, 1878 | . 126 | 15,979 84 |  |  |
| Deduct disposed of during the year |  |  | 588 | 92, 75929 |
| On band June 30, 1878 |  |  | 5,465 | 971,461 82 |

Number of briefs made, 1,802 ; number of claims examined and suspended, 2,309 ; number of letters received, 3,428 ; number of letters written, 6,327 ; number of clerks employed, 7.

## Collection Division.-(J. M. Vale, chief.)

Statement of business transacted by the collection division during the year ended. June 30, 1878.

|  | 1 |  | Special cases. |  |  |  |  | 葥 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July, 1877. |  | 412 | 321 | 2,009 | 11.8 | 369 |  |  |  |
| Augast, 1877. |  | 156 | 240 | 2,881 | 126 | 406 |  |  |  |
| September, 1877 |  | 80 | 150 | 1,860 | 110 | 234 |  |  |  |
| October, 1877 |  | 505 | 192 | 1, 868 | 52 | 224 | 629 |  | 2 |
| November, 1877 |  | 375 | 209 | 2,734 | 80 | 241 | 6, 322 |  | 1 |
| Decenber, 1877 |  | 130 | 243 | 4, 086 | 78 | 312 | 11, 149 | 17 |  |
| January, 1878. |  | 273 | 456 | 6, 144 | 104 | 490 | 17, 492 | 57 |  |
| February, 1878 |  | 350 | 495 | 5,753 | 54 | 518 | 20,680 | ${ }_{46}^{43}$ | 1 |
| March, 1878... |  | 496 | 338 | 4, 410 | 197 | 350 | 17,540 | 46 | ${ }^{2}$ |
| April, 1878 |  | 578 | 358 | 6,593 | 134 | 441 | 9,070 | 63 | 3 |
| May, 1878. |  | -157 | 55.5 | 8, 325 | 494 | 566 | 27, 841 | 59 | 2 |
| June, 1878 |  | 1, 627 | 502 | 6,686 | 702 | 527 | 21,198 | 146 |  |
| Total |  | 6, 139 | 4,119 | 53, 355 | 2, 249 | 4,678 | 131, 921 | 4312 | 11 |

The work of checking property purchased and paid for on Abstracts A, Aa, and B, upon the accountability abstracts of the purchasing-officer, has not been prosecuted during the past fiscal year because of the insufficiency of the clerical force of this division. The importance of continuing this work and pressing it to completion, in order to protect the government from fraudulent and erroneous claims, has been set forth in preceding annual reports. The work of abstracting the names and service of the soldiers of the war of 1812 for the purpose of arrangement in registers, so that the service of any soldier of that war may be traced without reference to the name of the commanding officer of his company or regiment, was commenced in October and continued to the end of the year with such of the clerical force of this office as could be temporarily detached from other business and the help of a few temporary clerks. The increase of seven clerks allowed under the appropriation for the fiscal year ending June 30,1879 , has not enabled me to increase the force employed upon this work, as the employment of that number of additional clerks has become necessary to answer the inquiries of the Pen sion office relative to the service of soldiers of the war of 1812, under the act of March 9, 1878. In order to properly forward the abstracting of these rolls, that they may be completed within a reasonable time, and for the purpose of again resuming the checkiug of property on the accountability abstracts, I have to ask an increase of not less than five clerks for this division.

## Army Pension Division.-(W. H. Whitney, chief.)

The duties of this division embrace the settlement of all accounts which pertain to the payment of Army pensions throughout the United States. The Commissioner of Pensions is charged with the allowance and issue of all certificates for pensions under existing laws. The certificate, when issued, is forwarded directly to the agent for paying pensions, and at the same time a transcript thereof sent to this office for record. This certificate is recorded in a roll-book prepared for each agency, on which is given the name in full, rate, date of commencement, ending, or other data, to assist in the proper adjustment of payments when made by the several agents. An account is kept with each pen-sion-agent, charging him with all moneys advanced for payment to pensioners, under his proper bond and fiscal year. At the end of each month the agent forwards his vouchers, abstract of payments, and money statement direct to this office, where a preliminary examination is made to see if the money advanced is properly accounted for; the receipt of the account is then acknowledged and the account filed for audit. Each voucher is subsequently examined and the payment entered on the rollbook opposite the pensioner's name. Care has to be exercised to see that the rate, whether increased or reduced, to which the pensioner is entitled, is properly paid.

Every odd year each invalid pensioner whose disability does not exempt him is subject to examination by duly-appointed surgeons, and if the rate named in his certificate is less than the rate heretofore paid, the agent can pay only at the reduced rate. The agent's account, when audited, is reported to the Second Comptroller for his revision, and a copy of the statement of errors, if any, sent to the agent for his information and explanation. The account, when revised, is returned by the Second Comptroller to this office and placed in the settled files, where it permanently remains.

The mmerous changes in the laws, the restoration, increasing, and
transferring of pensioners from one agency to another, increase the amount of labor to be performed, and require constant watchfinness to prevent erroneous payments. At the end of each fiscal year all unexpended balances are deposited to the credit of the Treasurer of the United States, and the certificates are forwarded to the Secretary of the Treasury, who refers the same to this office for proper credits to be given, which is done, and the amounts are designated for credit under the appropriations to which they belong. Each pension-agent, at the end of each year, is directed to forward a complete list of all outstanding unpaid checks issued by him, and the funds representer by all checks which remain unpaid over three years are covered into the Treasury to the credit of outstanding liabilities, as provided for by law.

By executive order, dated May 7, 1877, the number of pension-agencies was reduced from 58 to 18 , from and after July 1, 1877. This consolidation saved the government this fiscal year $\$ 142,749.72$ in compensation, and the expenses of consolidation, ordered by the Commissioner and approved by the Secretary of the Interior, thus far amount to $\$ 8,798.17$. Under act March 9, 1878, Congress amended the act February 14, 1871, authorizing peusions to be granted to the survivors of the war of 1812 who served for a period of fourteen days, and to the widows of such soldiers without regard to date of marriage.
Amounts refinded to the credit of the following appropriations during the
fiscal year ending June $30,187 \mathrm{~s}$.

Balance to the credit of appropriation
$1,595,43467$
The above amounts were all carried to the surplus fund.

|  | Amy pensions. | Compensation. | Fees on vonchers. | Feos to surgeons. | Totals. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balance on Land June 30, 1877, appropriation 1877 <br> Amourt refunded and depositod | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 425,40915 \\ 337,35076 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 16817 \\ 1 ., 86169 \end{array}$ | $\left.\begin{array}{\|r} \$ 36,875 \\ 1,286 \\ 1,25 \end{array} \right\rvert\,$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 33,75600 \\ 2,58546 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 496,20857 \\ 343,08416 \end{array}$ |
| Amount paid on settlement of acconnts.. | $\begin{array}{r} 762,75991 \\ 8,95786 \end{array}$ | 2, 024886 | 38, 16150 | $\begin{array}{r} 36,341 \quad 46 \\ 18235 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 839,29273 \\ 9,78339 \end{array}$ |
| Balance to the credit of appropriation, June 30, 1878. | 753, 80205 | 1,386 68 | 38,161 50 | 30, 15011 | 829, 50934 |

Amount appropriated to pay Army pensions for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.

| Army pensions | \$27, 325, 00000 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Compensation. | 215, 00000 |
| Fees on vouchers. | 225, 00000 |
| Fees for surgeons | 235, 000.00 |
| Total. | 28, 000,00000 |

## Amount to credit of appropriation.



The following tabular statement shows the number of accounts received and audited during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 :

| ' | Number. | Amountinvolved. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| , |  |  |
| Accounts on hand June 30, 1877 | 291 | \$2, 857, 30471 |
| Accounts received during the year | 538 | 33, 194, 149.18 |
| Total. | 829 | 36, 051,453 89 |
| Accounts reported to the Second Comptroller | 715 | 24, 133, 59152 |
| Accounts on hand unsettled. | *114 | 11, 917; 86237 |
| Total. | 829 | 36, 051, 45389 |

*The unsettled accounts on hand belong to the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.
Pensioners recorded ............................................................................ 13,241
Pensioners transferred..................................................................................... 12,034

Pensioners restored. .................................................................................... 882
Certificates reissued .................................................................................. 1, 314
Changes noted................................................................................ 7,940
Corrections made.................................................................................... 2, 488
Artificial limbs, second issue .-...................................................................... 24
Pension vouchers examined.... ........................................................ 867,157
Payments entered.............................................................................. 819,328
Pages of abstract added..................................................................................28,720
Pages of miscellaneous copied............................................................. 2, 123
Payments corrected 741
Copies of surgeons' certificates sent to Commissioner................................................. 329
Letters received and entered................................................................................ 4,039
Letters written.................................................................................. 3,983
Letters copied and indexed............................................................................ 3,769
Pension-checks verified before payment, 497, amounting to................... $\$ 14,73554$
Pension-checks reported for cover to "outstanding liabilities," 286, amount-
227 settlements for lost checks were made, involving the sum of........... 7, 430. 66

The following statement exhibits the nunber and amount of accounts on hand and unsettled July 1, 1869, together with those received and audited each fiscal year since:

|  | Number. | Amount involved. | Number. | Amount involved. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| On hand July 1, 1869. | 637 | \$34, 811, 59383 |  |  |
| Received during the fiscal year 1870. | 714 | 27, 743, 81929 | 631 | \$25 596, 876 ; |
| Received during the fiscal year 1871. | 930 | 28, 513, 26244 | 789 | 32, 813, 334 |
| Received during the fiscal year 1872. | 684 | 28, 661, 59726 | 900 | 40, 000, 205 |
| Received during the fiscal year 1873. | 711 | 28, 756, 70292 | 795 | 33, 926,556 T |
| Received during the fiscal year 1874. | 864 | 29, 708, 332 26 | 786 | 26,431, 95671 |
| Received during the fiscal year 1875 | 798 | $29,572,85554$ | 619 | 19,888, 42852 |
| Receired during the fiscal year 1876. | 741 | 28, 348, 16199 | 1,150 | 48, 433, 03692 |
| Received during the fiscal year 1877. | 834 | 27, 899, 35930 | 952 | $34,067,98543$ |
| Received during the fiscal year 1878. | 538 | 33, 194, 14918 | 715 | 24, 133,59152 |
| On hand and received Amount audited..... | 7,451 7,337 | $\begin{aligned} & 297,209,83401 \\ & 285,291,97164 \end{aligned}$ | 7,337 | 285, 291, 97164 |
| Balance on hand June 30, 1878. | 114 | 11,917, 86237 |  | ...... |

The appropriations for the fiscal years 1877 and 1878 were divided under four different heads, instead of the one head of "Army pensions," as in prior years. : In the present fiscal year, for 1879 , there are eight different heads of appropriation.

As Congress intends each year to appropriate a specific amount for the payment of pensions, if the appropriation could be made under one head, "Army pensions," it would facilitate the settlement of accounts, and the amount disbursed for anyspecified purpose could at any time be shown, as the records are so kept in this office. The increase of the number and amount of accounts on hand is owing to the work of consolidating the agencies, transferring names, \&c., which was done by the clerks of the division, without any additional number. The work in this division has been increased, as it requires more labor to audit the accounts under the consolidation than it did prior thereto.

The force employed the past year numbered 37 clerks and 2 copyists, which is 3 clerks less than the previous year.

The following tabular statements exhibit the amount disbursed by the several agents and the unexpended balance in hand to be covered into the Treasury:

Amounts disbursed by pension－agents during the fiscal year ended June 30，1878，as shown by their accounts－curreno－

| States． | Agencies | Agents． | Invalids. |  |  |  |  |  | Compensation． |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| California | San Francisc | Albert Hart | \＄125， 54684 | \＄53， 83879 | \＄6， 95253 | $\$ 18850$ | \＄1，575 00 | \＄1，42400 | \＄4，000 00. | \＄349 74 | \＄193， 87540 |
| Dist．of Columbia． | Washingtom | David C．Cox．．．．．．．．．． | 1，169， 52551 | 623， 74927 | 54， 30557 | 66839 | 15，095 00 | 13， 42375 | 4，000 00 | 1，610 11 | 1，882， 37760 |
| Indiana．．．．．．．．．．． | Indianapolis | William H：H．Terrell |  |  |  |  |  |  | 4348 |  | 1，882，4348 |
| Do | －Do | Frederick Knefler | 917，340 93 | 845， 23077 | 43， 39884 | 6620 | 17， 83550 | 14， 65775 | 3，956 48 | 2，049 01 | 1，844，535 48 |
| Illinois | Chicago | Ada C．Sweet | 1，196， 14982 | 999， 89341 | 46， 49333 | 1，314 80 | 20，801 00 | 17， 40225 | 4， 00000 | 1， 80438 | 2，287， 85899 |
| Iowa | Des Moines | Benjamin F．Gue | 732，452 49 | 463， 54583 | 22， 73820 | 66041 | 12，033 90 | 9，739 75 | 4， 00000 | 1， 49786 | 1，246， 66844 |
| Kentucky | Louisville | Robert M．Kelly | 239， 23414 | 499，697 88. | 50， 53990 | 22391 | 3，961 50 | 5，71975 | 4，000 00 | 89323 | 804， 27031 |
| Louisiana | New Orleans | Robert H．Isabelle | 14， 69745 | 25， 24143 | 13，393 85 | 7985 | 6400 | 31400 | 1， 00000 | 13217 | 54， 92275 |
| Do | Do | William L．McMillen | 120， 12163 | 230， 54056 | 110， 43184 | 12000 | 1， 08100 | 3，110 50 | 2， 51111 | 50903 | 468， 42567 |
| Massachusetts | Boston | Daniel W．Goocle | 854，502 15 | 920， 75897 | 38， 38691 | 61881 | 17， 28300 | 15， 11950 | 4， 00000 | 1， 25216 | 1，851， 92150 |
| Missouri | Saint Lou | Alton R．Easton | 1， 25150 | 8，789 41 | 16800 |  | 4800 | － 3500 | －222 22 | 1， 4739 | 1，10，561 52 |
| Do | Do | Rufus Campio | 805， 17146 | 611， 67310 | 42，685 31 | 62550 | 13， 53100 | 11， 06825 | 3，777 76. | 1，544 25 | 1，490，076．63 |
| Michican | Detroit | Samuel Post． | 658，455 77 | 490， 588.07 | 38，744 79 | 4465 | 13， 01950 | 9，783 75 | 4， 00000 | 1， 603.61 | 1，215， 240.14 |
| New Hampshire | Concord | Edward L．Whitford | 928， 80637 | $874,935 \cdot 39$ | 70， 49546 | 1，093 63 | 18，54930 | 16， 21125 | 4， 00000 | 2， 04338 | 1，916， 13478 |
| New York | Canandaigra． | Leander M．Drury | 951， 01393 | 847,28303 | 99， 96399 | 754.14 | 16， 26900 | 15， 49475 | 3， 99999 | 1， 68572 | 1，936， 46455 |
| Do | New York City． | Frauk E．Howe． | 361， 68188 | 384， 7441.0 | 41， 109.85 |  | 10，547 00 | 6，513 75 | 2， 13333 | 63861 | － 807,36852 |
| Ohio．． |  | Charles R．Coster | 358， 24785 | 394， 14070 | 35， 80907 |  | 2， 418 64 | 6， 32675 | 1， 30000 | 55202 | 798，795 03 |
| Pennsyl | Pittsburgl | Allen T．Wikofi | 1，218， 10451 | 1，209， 36846 | 87， 54694 | 72821 | 23， 83650 | 20， 55950 | 4，000 00 | 1，394 12 | 2，565； 57784 |
| Do | Philadelphia | James McGregor | 699,585 <br> 839 <br> 82 <br> 98 | 582,484 <br> 767,246 | 46， 78186 | 76292 | 11， 102020 | 14,4 | 4,00000 4,000 | 1 1,4468 1999 | $1,341,51909$ $1,689,50598$ |
| Tennessee | Knoxville | Daniel T．Boynton | 267， 38498 | 557， 16399 | 158，701 02 | 73190 | 5， 83100 | 7，635 50 | 4，000 00 | 81442 | 1，002， 26281 |
| Wisconsin | Milwaukee | Edward Ferguson． | 610，458 16 | 500，012 32 | 22，324 00 | 11640 | 10，535 30 | 8，84600 | 4， 00000 | 46295 | 1，156， 75513 |
| Deduct amounts credited on account of overpaymeuts |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 13,069,16593 \\ 2,22811 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 11,890,91455 \\ 1,18970 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,063,45298 \\ \quad 4800 \end{array}$ | 8，798． 22 | $\begin{array}{r} 231,672 \\ 14 \\ 14 \\ \hline 00 \end{array}$ | 208， 19050 | 70， 94437 | $\begin{array}{r} 22,02283 \\ 1350 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 26,565,16164 \\ 3,49336 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  | 13，066， 93782 | 11，889， 72485 | 1，063， 40498 | 8，798 17 | ：231， 65826 | 208， 19050 | 70， 94437 | 22，00933 | 26，561， $668 \cdot 28$ |

Unexpended balances in hands of pension-agents June 30, 1878.


THE FILES.
The number of money settlements made during the year is 4,862 , and the total from March, 1817, is 172,625. Number of property settlements since $1860,37,843$, of which 3,708 were made during the year. Since my last report was made a large portion of the files have been removed and rearranged, and they are now in rooms which communicate with each other.

All vouchers of Army pensioners from 1818 to the present time are kept here, and are in very good condition. A few of the abstracts of said vouchers are considerably mutilated. The other settlements, which include quartermaster and commissary returns and miscellaneous claims, are in a good state of preservation, and there is room for accounts to be received for three or four months, when additional room will be required. Four clerks are employed in the files rooms, which force is deemed sufficient at present.

There were five lady copyists usefully employed during the year. The number of miscellaneous papers registered was 21,146 ; difference sheets registered, 651 ; total, 21,797 . The number of pages copied and compared was: Miscellaneous papers, 20,144; difference sheets, 7,588; letters, 30,532; total, 58,264. Names indexed, 82,774.

## NEEDED LEGISLATION.

The necessity for a fund for special investigation of claims and authority to cause the production of witnesses and papers before the accounting-officers in doubtful cases is becoming more and more pressing. At present, the only provision of that character respecting claims which are presented is in section 3488 of the Revised Statutes. It is limited to claims for compensation for boats and railroad engines and
cars lost in the military service, a class now becoming almost extinct, only four new claims having been presented within two years past.

In the great mass of claims arising in the Quartermaster's, Commissary, or Engineer Departiments, the accounting-officers are, so far as any special investigations are concerned, dependent entirely upon such as may be made by officers or agents of those departments. In many cases I have been convinced that a slight expenditure would probably protect the government from unjust demands. But unless fraud is so apparent as to justify placing a case in the hands of the law officers for criminal prosecution, the investigation must be limited to such as can be made, without expense, by aid of the files, records, and accounts, and such investigation often entirely fails either to establish the fact of the non-liability of the government or to so corroborate the ex-parte evidence produced by the claimant as to free the case from doubt or make the payment of the claim safe for the government. As it now is, in doubtful or suspicious cases, the government must pay when its liability is not satisfactorily established, or perhaps wrong its citizens in refusing to pay demands which upon fuller investigation might bo shown to be justly and wholly due. The government requires the accounting-officers to act as judges between it and its creditors, and yet fails to confer upon such officers those powers which all other judicial officers find indispensable to the efficient and safe administration of their judicial functions. This defect in the powers of the accounting-officers, which constantly threatens the interests of both the government and its creditors and is a perpetual embarrassment to those officers, should be supplied by adequate legislation.

The necessities for a more comprehensive and better-defined statute of limitations, and for more room for the files and records of the office, in conditions rendering them far safer from destruction by fire, were so specifically and urgently presented in my last annual report, that I forbear to again urge them at length, though the necessities have not in any degree diminished.

Respectfully submitted.

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## REPORT OF THE FOURTH AUDITOR.

## REPORT

## THE FOURTH AUDITOR OF THE TREASURY.

## Treasury Department, Fourti Auditor's Office, <br> October 1.5, 1878.

SIR: In pursuance of your request that I should furnish a statement of the transactions and work of this office during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, I annex the following tables, which give the information in a compact and methodical manner.

Statement of accounts, including marine, received and settled in the paymasters' section from July 1, 1877, to June 30, 1878, with the amount of cash disbursed in those settled, and the number of letters, received and written, in relation to the :same. George L. Clark in charge.
paymasters' and marine accounts.

|  | Date. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { S } \\ & 0.8 \\ & 0.8 \\ & 0.8 \\ & 0.8 \\ & 4 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | 1877. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jaly. |  | 54 | 40 | 206 | 158 | 654 | \$804, 45337 |
| Augnst |  | 34 | 41 | 97. | 126 | 481 | 492, 23662 |
| September. |  | 27. | 38 | 103 | 156 | 594 | 477, 13854 |
| October |  | 36 | 28 | 132 | 128 | 767 | 336,95820 |
| November. |  | 48 | 27 | 143 | 160 | 69 | 229, 91380 |
| December. |  | 38 | 34 | 102 | 128 | 348 | 340, 54771 |
|  | 1878. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| January |  | 38 | 37 | 122 | 108 | 853 | 716,705 09 |
| February |  | 34 | 31 | 104 | 126 | 749 | 798, 96799 |
| March. |  | 24 | 31 | 92 | 127 | 655 | 1, 151, 57453 |
| April. |  | 30 | 25 | 125 | 130 | 1,399 | 1, 018,512 87 |
| May.. |  | 34 | 29 | 105 | 122 | 529 | 1973, 29799 |
| June |  | 20 | 36 | 90 | 99 | 981 | 1,573,811 65 |
| Total |  | . 417 | 397 | 1, 421 | 1,568 | 8, 079 | 8,914, 11836 |

Number of accounts on hand July 1, 1877.
Number af accounts on hand June 30, 1878

Statement of work performed in the bookkeepers' section for the fiscal year ending June 30 , 1878. Paris H. Folsom in charge.

| Date. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Number of requisitions } \\ & \text { issued during year. } \end{aligned}$ | Amount of requisitions. |  |  |  |  |  |  | 9 | 8 8 8 8 8 0 0 0 最 8 8 4 |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Checkages against pay for } \\ \text { eriors in settlements. } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1877. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| July .. | 216 | \$1, 731, 90551 | 7 | \$222, 97004 | 186 | 341 | 67 | 32 | 250 |  |  | 55 | 44 |
| Angust | 158 | 1, 202, 91807 | 30 | 38, 49488 | 176 | 300 | 54 | 40 | 211 | 5 | 5 |  | 21 |
| September | 147 | 1, 438, 87493 | 23 | 36, 18276 | 170 | 298 | 34 | 44 | 205 |  |  | 61 | 20 |
| October. | 165 | 1, 448, 06741 | 57 | 157, 02306 | 168 | 308 | 45 | 40 | 200 |  |  | 34 | 47 |
| November | 246 | 1, 718, 190.68 | 93 | 169,635 72 | 126 | 280 | 45 | 38 | 695 | 2 | 2 | 78 | 6 |
| December. | 263 | 2, 157,143'92 | 27. | 113, 80883 | 152 | 318 | 29 | 83 | 1, 007 | 25 | 25 | 32 | 17 |
| 1878. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Jannary | 199 | 1, 864, 71192 | 47 | 564, 04402 | 150 | 310 | 74 | 56 | 677 | 10 | 10 | 35 | 21 |
| February | 108 | 1, 251, 14980 | 18 | 294, 552 06 | 130 | 239 | 140 | 44 | 225 | 2 | 2 | 62 |  |
| March | 180 | 1, 468, 14622 | 31. | 183, 12252 | 171 | 296 | 102 | 37 | 118 | 1 | 1 | 40 | 14 |
| April | 138 | -1, 140, 12769 | 20 | 37, 68642 | 168 | 261 | 100 | 30 | 96 |  |  | 61 | 13 |
| May | 197 | 1, 179, 91245 | 34 | 325, 30963 | 146 | 307 | 34 | 41 | 90 | 1 | 1 | 153 | 11 |
| June. | 263 | 3, 991, 47666 | 39 | - 536,96594 | 202 | 477 | 29 | 50 | 214 | 2 | 2 | 113 | 30 |
| Total | 2, 275 | 20,592, 62526 | 426 | 2,679,795 88 | 1,940 | 3,730 | 753 | 535 | 3,988 | 48 | 48 | 724 | 265 |

Statement of the work performed by the Nawy pay and allotment section for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. William F. Stidham in charge.


Allotment accounts.

| Date. |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Allotments dis- } \\ & \text { continued. } \end{aligned}$ | Date. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1877. |  |  | 1878. |  |  |
| July | 26 | 96 | January .... | 114 | 100 |
| August... | 137 | 115 | February ... | 136 | 83 |
| September | 165 <br> 222 <br> 1 | 112 |  | 188 | 71 |
| October | 113 | 110 | April ........... | 78 108 | 79 151 |
| November.... | 113 34 | 102 42 | May ..... | 108 89 | 151 |
|  |  |  | Total | 1,410 | 1,155 |

Statement of the amounts paid by Navy pay-offcers for allotments during the year 1877.


Accounts remaining on hand June 30, 1878, 514 ; number of vouchers examined, 24,488.

Statement of work performed by the prize-money and record section duriny the fiscal yexr ending June 30, 1878. Benjamin P. Davis in charge.


This section is charged also with the preparation of all reports and tabular statements called for by Congress and the Secretary of the Treasury, keeping a record of appointments, resignations, removals, and absences, the care and issuing of stationery used in the office, and the payment of salaries to employés.

Statement showing the amount disbursed at the different agencies on account of Navy pensions, 1878. Richard Goodhart in charge.

PENSION ACCOUNTS.

| Location. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Boston, Mass. | 419 | 505 | 924 | \$109, 11647 |
| Chicago, 111 | 64 ; | , 52 | 116 | 16, 39309 |
| Columbus, Ohio | 45 | 114 | 159 | 15,52193 |
| Concord, N. H | 114 | 131 | 245 | 32, 03971 |
| Detroit Mich. | 23. | 30 | 53 | 4, 018-15 |
| Knoxville, Tenn | 37. | - 59. | 96 | 14,284 02 |
| Louisville, Ky. | 11 * | 15 | 26. | :2;752 40 |
| Milwankee, Wis | 21 | 27 | 48 | 4,073 78 |
| New York City, N. Y | 400 | 448. | - 848. | 98,214 90 |
| New Orlea s, La.... | 22 | 31. | 53 | 6,089 29 |
| Philadelphia, Pa | 496 | - 593 | 1, 089 | 73, 57022 |
| Pittsburgh, Pa | 33 | - 42 | 1, '75' | 13,062 80 |
| Saint Louis, Mo. | 24 | - 22. | $46^{\circ}$ | 6,089,41 |
| San Francisco, Cal | . 48. | 15. | 63. | 7,54756 |
| Washington, D. C. | 339 | 399 | 738 | 104,331 64 |
| Total. | 2; 096 | '2, $483 \cdot$ | 4, 579 | 507, 10537 |

During the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 , there were 178 pension agents' accounts received, 171 settled, involving an expenditire of $\$ 424,394.86$; also there were 744 letters received, 441 written, and 13,024 vouchers examined. Accounts remaining on hand June 30, 1878, 46.
Statement of the work performed by the general claim section for the year ending June 30, 1878. Robert Kearon in charge.


From the accompanying statements it will be seen that during the year there were settled in the paymasters' section 397 accounts, involving $\$ 8,914,118.36$; in the Navy pay and allotnient section 185 aecounts, involving $\$ 9,226,842.88$; in the prize-money section 221 accounts, involving $\$ 23,912$; in the Navy-pension section 171 accounts, involving $\$ 424,394.86$; in the general claims section 3,631 accounts, involving $\$ 941,415$.

In addition to the settlement of the above-mentioned accounts, there were entered 2,275 pay requisitions, amounting to $\$ 20,592,625.26$; and 426 refunding requisitions, amounting to $\$ 2,679,795.88$; and that 1,410 allotments were registered, and 1,155 discontinued; that reports were made in 531 pension cases, and in 5 applications for admission into the United States Naval Asylum ; and that 18,459 letters were received, and 90.212 written.

I beg leave to call attention to the statement of the work done in the sice from 1863 to 1878 . The statement shows that during that period 165,494 accounts were settled, involving $\$ 723,847,339.29$; and that 428,070 letters were received, and 497,451 written ; that 38,973 allotments wera registered, and 21,887 discontinued.

It gratifies me that I can continue the commendations I have given, during previous years, to the chiefs of sections of this office for their ability and efficiency, and to Mr. William B. Moore, the Deputy Fourth Auditor, for the constant aid, assistance and co-operation I have received from him. The clerks, as a whole, merit praise for the amount of work they have achieved and for the correctness and promptitude with which they have transacted it. Applications for pensions, under the act of March 2, 1867, bounty-land claims, and applications for admission into the United States Naval Asylum (the latter requiring a service of twenty years in the Navy on the part of the applicant), are necessarily somewhat in arrears in consequence of insufficient clerical force, but every effiort in the power of the office is exerted to be as prompt as possible.

A schedule of some of the principal items of work transacted in this office from 1863 to 1878 , inclusive, is here appended:

Statement of work done from 1863 to 1878.


During the past year a number of improved methods of doing business have been introduced, and the office constantly illustrates the advantages which arise from the employment of experienced, capable, and thoroughly trained clerks. The files are in good order and so well arranged for consultation that information is easily and accurately available.

I have the honor to b 3 , sir, very respectfully, your obdient servant, - STEPHEN J. W. TABOR,

Auditor.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

## REPORT OF THE FIFTH AUDITOR.



## REPORT

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## THE FIFTH AUDITOR OF THE TREASURY.

## Treasury Department, Fifth Auditor's Office, Washington, October 30, 1878.

Sir: I have the honor to transmit herewith tabular statements* showing the operations of this office for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

There were received during the year ten thousand three hundred and eleven accounts, and nine thousand eight hundred and ninety-six were adjusted. Nine thousand seven hundred and forty-nine reports were recorded, and three thousand six hundred letters were written.

The adjustments involved the examination of one hundred eightyfour thousand seventy-three vouchers, amounting to $\$ 687,351,843.16$, and were made with commendable promptness and care by the clerks employed in the office, to whom my thanks are due for their attention to duty and strict regard for the interests of the government.

Very respectfully,

J. B. MANN,<br>Acting Auditor.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

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## REPORT OF THE SIXTH AUDITOR.

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## REPORT

## AUDIT0R 0F THE TREASURY FOR THE POST-0FFICE DEPARTMENT.

Office of the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Departinent, Washingtoin, October 18, 1878.

Sir : I have the honor to submit the following report of the business operations of this office for the fiscal year ended Jume 30, 1878. My annual report to the Postmaster-General, now in course of preparation, will exhibit in detail the financial transactions of the Post-Office Department during the past fiscal year. The following is a summary of the principal labors performed by the several divisions during the year, viz:

## Examining Division.-(Benjamin Lippincott, Chief.)

The business of the Examining Division for the last fiscal year has: been fully completed, and the following tables exhibit, as far as may be, the work performed:


Quarter ending March 31, 1878................................................. 38 . 205


Increase .............................................................................

Amount involved in the settlement of quarterly accounts:
Quarter ending September 30, 1877. ..... $\$ 6,689,52262$
Quarter ending December 31, 18
Quarter ending March 31, 1878 ..... 7,521, 22043
Quarter ending June 30, 1878. ..... 7, 189, 47563
Total.. 28, 679, 66311 ..... $1,740,65800$
Number of post-offices of the first and second classes receiving allow-ances for clerk-hire, light, fuel, rent, \&c420Number of post-offices of the third and fourth classes receiving allow-ances for clerk-hire for separating the mails926
Total number of post-offices of all classes receiving allowances ..... 1,346
Registering Division.-(Joseph B. Will, Chief.)During the fiscal year ended June 30,1878 , the number of accountsregistered and amounts therein involved were as follows:

Numiber of changes of postmasters reported from the Appointment Office of the Post-Office Department entered during the fiscal year was as follows ..... 12,818
Increase over last fiscal year ..... 3,420

## Bookkeeping Division.-(James T. Smith, Chief.)

The following tabular statements show the distribution of the work of the division, and, in part, the work performed in making up the auxiliary books prepared on the division:

Ledgers of mail contractors' accounts.

|  | States. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Maine, New Hampsline, Vermont, Massachusetts, Rhode Island, Connecticut, New York, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Delaware, Virginia, West Virginia, Maryland, North Carolina, South Carolina, Georgia, Florida, Alabana, Mississippi, Texas, Louisiana, Arkansas, and Ocean Mail Service. | 6 | 2,940 | 2, 443 |
| 2 | Indiana, Mlinois, Tennessee, Wisconsin, Ohio, Iowa, Missomi, Kentucky, Michigan, IKansas, Nebraska, Oregon, Mimesota, Califormia, Nevada, Cololado, and Territorics. | 6 | 3,200 | 1 2,035 |
|  | Total | 12 | 6,140 | 4,478 |
|  | Increase. Decrease |  | 61 | 2,514 |

Ledgors of postmasters' accounts.

|  | States. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1 | Maine, New Hampshire, Vermont, Massachusetts, Connecticut, Rhode Island, and Mississippi | 5 | 3,756 | 465 |
| 2 | New York and New Jersey............................................. | 5 | 3,540 | 438 |
| 3 | Pennsylvania, Delaware, Maryland, and District of Columbia. | 5 | 4, 035 | 484 |
| 4 | Virginia, West Virginia, North Carolina, and South Carolina | 5 | 4,300 | 473 |
| 5 | Alabama, Georgia, Arkansas, Texas, Louisiana, and Florida | 5 | 4,426 | 977 |
| 6 | Missouri, Kentucky, and Tennessee........ | 6 | 4, 060 | 47 |
| 7 | Ohio and Iowa. | 5 | 3,709 | 586 |
| 8 | Minois and Indiana.................................... | 5 | 3,510 3 | 64 |
| 10 | Michigan, Wisconsin, and Kansas <br> Califormia, Minnesota, Nevada, Nebraska, Oregon, Colorado, and Territories. | 6 4 | 3,810 4,001 | 789 |
|  | Total | 51 | 39, 147 | 5,852 |
|  | Increase |  | 1,745 |  |
|  | Decrease. |  |  | 36 |
|  |  |  |  | 3,570 |
| Number of entries in stamp-journal |  |  |  | 4,478 |
| Number of entries in deposit-book |  |  |  | 7,215 |
|  |  |  |  | 4, 879 |
| Number of entries in transfer'jou |  |  |  | 3, 585 |
| Total. |  |  |  | 23,727 |
|  |  |  |  |  |



## Stating Division.-(Wm. H. Gunnison, Chief.)

The statements following show the amount of work performed during the last fiscal year.
Statement of the number of general postal accounts of postmasters, the increase in the number and the classification of the offices for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

| $\bar{F}$ | States and 'Territories. | Presidential offices. |  |  |  |  | Fourth-class offices. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \stackrel{4}{4} \\ & \stackrel{y y y}{*} \end{aligned}$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { + } \\ & \text { + } \\ & \text { H } \end{aligned}$ |  | 8 0 0 0 0 0 0 0 |  |  | $\left\|\begin{array}{c} 6 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \\ 0 \end{array}\right\|$ | [ | 晨 |  |  |  |  |
| 1 | Maine | 3 | 18 | 5 | 26 | 3 | 780 | 74 | 15 | 15 | 884 | 25 | 910 | 28 |  |  |
|  | New Hamps | 3 | 16 | 7 | 26 | 2 | 377 | 36 | 6 | 3 | 423 | 5 | 448 | 7 |  |  |
|  | Vemmont ...... | 5 | 13 | 2 | 20 | 2 | 41.5 | 41 | 6 | 11 | 473 | 3 | 493 | 5 |  |  |
|  | Massachusetts | 4 | 66 | 35 | 105 | 12 | 537 | 67 | 8 | 20 | 632 | *. 7 | 737 | 5 |  |  |
|  | Tota | 15 | 113 | 49 | 177 | 19 | 2, 109 | 218 | 35 | 49 | 2,411 | 26 |  |  | 2,588 | 45 |
| 2 | New Fork ( $\lambda$ to Q) Nevada.. | 12 | 98 <br> 7 | $\begin{array}{r} 22 \\ 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 132 \\ 10 \end{array}$ | 17 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,345 \\ 69 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 287 \\ 13 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 168 \\ 5 \end{array}$ | 123 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,923 \\ \hline .87 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ \text { * } 1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,055 \\ 97 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 25 \\ & * 1 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | Total. | 12 | 105 | 25 | 142 | 17 | 1,414 | 300 | 173 | 123 | 2,010 | 7 |  |  | 2,152 | 24 |

Statement of the number of general postal accoints of postmasters, fo.-Continned.

| $\dot{\Phi}$ | States and Territories. | Prosidential officos. |  |  |  |  | Fourth-class offices. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { Increase in each } \\ \text { section. } \end{gathered}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | 菏 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Hix } \\ & \text { O } \\ & \text { O } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{3} \\ & \text { 烒 } \\ & \dot{8} \\ & \boldsymbol{\Omega} \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 3. | Pennsylvania (A to Q).. Dakota............... | 3 | 74 3 | 17 | 94 3 | 11. | $\begin{array}{r} 2,106 \\ 186 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 158 \\ 3 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 31 \\ & 15 \end{aligned}$ | 20 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,315 \\ 204 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 63 \\ & 28 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,409 \\ \quad 207 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 74 \\ & 30 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
|  | Total | 3 | 77 | 1.7 | 97 | 13 | 2, 292 | 161 | 46 | 20 | 2, 519 | 91 |  |  | 2,616 | 104 |
| 4 | Wisconsin West Virginia Oregon | 2 | 55 7 6 | $\begin{gathered} 1 \\ \cdots \\ \hline \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 58 \\ 8 \\ 7 \end{array}$ | 7 2 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,084 \\ 796 \\ 291 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 103 \\ 1.8 \\ 13 \end{array}$ | 30 10 18 | 28 | 1,245 <br> 824 <br> 322 | $\begin{aligned} & 17 \\ & 40 \\ & 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,303 \\ 832 \\ 329 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 24 \\ & 40 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| 5 | Total | 3 | 68 | 2 | 73 | 9 | 2, 171 | 134 | 58 | 28 | 2,391 | 74 |  |  | 2,464 | 83 |
|  | North Cavolina South Carolina Georgia . . . . | 1 1 2 | 10 11 21 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 11 \\ & 12 \\ & 23 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1 \\ & 2 \\ & 5 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,193 \\ 512 \\ 762 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 43 \\ & 10 \\ & 34 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 38 \\ 9 \\ 51 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 15 \\ 2 \\ 24 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,289 \\ 533 \\ 871 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 92 \\ & 21 \\ & 64 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,300 \\ 545 \\ 894 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 93 \\ & 23 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| 6 | Total | 4 | 42 |  | ${ }_{1} 46$ | 8 | 2,467 | 87 | 98 | 41 | 2,693 | 177 |  |  | 2,739 | 185 |
|  | Kansas | 1 | 28 | 5 | 34 | 8 | 1,023 | 86 | 85 |  | 1, 194 | 81 | 1,228 | 89 |  |  |
|  | Minnesota | 2 | 18 | 8 | 28 | 5 | 727 | 70 | 75 | 6 | 878 | 52 | 906 | 57 |  |  |
|  | Colorado | 1 | 7 | 6 | 14 | 1 | 191 | 28 | 30 | 2 | . 251 | 28 | 265 | 29 |  |  |
|  | Utah Territory |  | 2 | 1 | 3 |  | 157 | 9 | 20 |  | 186 | 8 | 189 | 8 |  |  |
| 7.7 | Total | 4 | 55 | 20 | 79 | 14 | 2, 098 | 1.93 | 210 | 8 | 2,509 | 169 |  |  | 2,588 | 183 |
|  | Ohio. | 9 | 90 | 12 | 111. | 11. | 1,952 | 150 | 31 | 65 | 2, 198 | 25 | 2,309 | 36 |  |  |
|  | Tota | 9 | 90 | 12 | 111. | 11. | 1,952 | 1.50 | 31 | 65 | 2, 198 | 25 |  |  | 2,309 | 36 |
| -8 | Ilinois | 3 | 149 | 4 | 156 | 27 | 1, 663 | 79 | 32 | 19 | 1,793 | 7 | 1,949 | 34 |  |  |
|  | Delaware. |  | 4 | $\ldots$ | 4 | 1. | 93 | 6 | 1 |  | 100 | *1 | 104 |  |  |  |
|  | District of Columbia... |  | . | 1 | 1. | *1 | 3 | 1 | 1 |  | 5 | 1. | 6 |  |  |  |
|  | Washington Temitory. |  | 3 | ... | 3 |  | 149 | 6 | 14 |  | 169 | 17 | 172 | 17 |  |  |
|  | Montana |  | 6 |  | 6 | 2 | 1.07 |  | 3 |  | 110 | 19 | 116 | 21 |  |  |
| ${ }^{\prime} 9$ | Tota | 3 | 162 | 5 | 170 | 29 | 2, 015 | 92 | 51 | 19 | 2, 177 | 43 |  |  | 2,347 | 72 |
|  | Arkansas Missouri |  | 5 41 | $\begin{aligned} & 3 \\ & 1 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 8 \\ 42 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2 \\ & 2 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 769 \\ 1 ., 452 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 29 \\ & 58 \end{aligned}$ | 22 | 20 | $\begin{array}{r} 800 \\ 1,562 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 82 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 808 \\ 1,604 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 84 \\ & 71 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| 10 | 'Total |  | 46 | 4 | 50 | 4. | 2, 221 | 87 | 34 | 20 | 2,362 | 151 |  |  | 2, 412 | 155 |
|  | Kentucky | 2 | 20 | 5 | 27 | 3 | J., 100 | 42 | 54 | 27 | 1, 223 | 69 | 1, 250 | 72 |  |  |
|  | Peunsylvania (R to Z) .. | 4. | 24 | 6 | 34 | 4 | 794 | 52 | 5 | 8 | 859 | 14 | 893 | 18 |  |  |
|  | Wyoming Territory ... |  |  | 4 | 4 | 1. | 24 | 24 | 3. | .... | 51. | 3 | 55 | 4 |  |  |
|  | Idaho Ternitory . . . . . . |  | 3 | .. | 3 | 1 | 83 | 1 | 4 |  | 88 | 16 | 91 | 17 |  |  |
|  | New Mexico Lerritory. |  | 1 |  | 1. |  | 90 | 2 | 3 |  | 93 | 16 | 96 | 16 |  |  |
|  | Alaska Terxitory |  |  |  |  |  |  | 2 |  |  | 2 |  | 2 |  |  |  |
| 11 | Tota | 6 | 48 | 15 | 69 | 9 | 2, 091 | 123 | 69 | 35 | 2, 318 | 118 |  |  | 2,387 | 127 |
|  | Virginia. | 1 | 23 |  |  | 6 |  | 79 | 50 | 1.4 |  | 106 | 1, 602 | 112 |  |  |
|  | Rhode Islan | 1 | 4 | ${ }_{17}^{6}$ | 1.1 | 1 | 75 | 16 | 4 | 3 | 198 | 1. | 109 | 2 |  |  |
|  | Califormia |  | 27 | 17 | 44 | 3 | 605 | 119 | 31 | 11 | 766 | 38 | 810 | 41 |  |  |
| 12 | Tota | 2 | 54 | 25 | 81. | 10 | 2, 113 | 214 | 85 | 28 | 2, 440 | 145 |  |  | 2,521 | 155 |
|  | Indiana | 1 | 58 | 5 | 67 | 9 | 1, 294 | 1.60 | 33 | 18 | 1. 505 | 18 | $1,572$ | 27 |  |  |
|  | New Jersey. | 1 | 35 | 15 | 51 | 4 | 546 | 36 | 15 | 27 | 624 | 14 | $675$ | 18. |  |  |
| 13 | Total | 5 | 93 | 20 | 11.8 | 13 | 1,840 | 1.96 | 48 | 45 | [2, 129 | 32 |  |  | 2, 247 | 45 |
|  | Iowa | 9 | 81 | 5 | 95 | 6 | 1, 231 | 83 | 52 | 12 | 1],378 | 50 | 1,473 | ,56 |  |  |
|  | Texas. | 2 | 37 | 1 | 40 | 8 | 1, 028 | 29 | 51 | 12 | 1, 120 | 11.8 | 1, 160 | 126 |  |  |
|  | Airizona Territory |  | 2 |  | 2 |  | 46 | 1. | 6 |  | 53 | 11 | 55 | 11 |  |  |
| 14 | Total | 1.1 | 120 | 6 | 137 | 14 | 2, 305 | 113 | 109 | 24 | 2, 551 | 179 |  |  | 2,688 | 193 |
|  | Florida. | 1 | 3 | 4 | 8 | 1 | 226 | 25 | 14 |  | 265 | 31 | 273 | 32 |  |  |
|  | Louisiana |  | 8 | 1 | 9 | 4 | 362 | 1.3 | 8 | 2 | 385 | 34 | 394 | 38 |  |  |
|  | Mississippi |  | 12 | 4 | 16 | 1. | 586 | 13 | 5 | 1 | 605 | 37 | 621 | 38 |  |  |
|  | Tennessee. | 3 | 13 | 1 | 17 | 2 | 1, 064 | 79 | 65 | 14 | 1., 222 | 102 | 1. 239 | 104 |  |  |
|  | T'otal | 4 | 36 | 10 | 50 | 8 | 2,238 | 130 | 92 | 17 | 2,477 | 204 |  |  | 2, 527 | 21.2 |

Statement of the number of general postal accounts of postmasters, \&c.-Continued.

|  | States and Territories.- | Presidential offices. |  |  |  |  | Fourth-class offices. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 夢 } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ |  |  | Fivi |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { स्d } \\ \text { E } \end{gathered}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| 15 | Michigan. <br> Maryland. <br> Connecticut | 9 <br> 2 | $\begin{array}{r} 59 \\ 8 \\ 85 \end{array}$ | 5 4 17 | $\begin{array}{\|l} 73 \\ 12 \\ 44 \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 10 \\ 3 \\ 7 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,039 \\ 563 \\ \mathbf{3 1 5} \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} 101 \\ 48 \\ 65 \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 66 \\ 11 \\ 5 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 16 \\ 8 \\ 8 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,222 \\ 630 \\ 398 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 26 \\ & 15 \\ & * 9 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 1,295 \\ 642 \\ 442 \end{array}$ | 36 <br> 18 <br> *2 |  |  |
|  | Total | 11 | 92 | 26 | 129 | 20 | 1,917 | 214 | 82 | 37 | 2,250 | 32 |  |  | 2,379 | 52 |
| 16 | New York ( R to Z <br> Alabama........... <br> Nebraska | 3 | $\begin{aligned} & 32 \\ & 12 \\ & 12 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r}12 \\ \hline \\ 4 \\ 4 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 48 \\ & 18 \\ & 17 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \hline 9 \\ & 6 \\ & 3 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 610 \\ .999 \\ .576 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 59 \\ & 24 \\ & 31 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 75 \\ & 13 \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 25 \\ 10 \\ 1 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 769 \\ 1,046 \\ 628 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{\|r\|} \hline \begin{array}{r} 3 \\ 197 \\ 30 \end{array} \\ \hline \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 817 \\ 1,064 \\ 645 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 6 \\ 203 \\ 33 \end{array}$ |  |  |
|  | Total | $\cdots$ | 56 | 19 | 83 | 18 | 2,185 | 114 | 108 | $3{ }^{\text {b }}$ | 2, 443 | 224 |  |  | 2, 526 | 242 |

* Decrease.

RECAPITULATION.


## Collecting Division.-(E. J. Evans, chief.)

Summary of principal work on this division for the fiscal year.

|  | Number. | Amoant. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Drafts issued on late and present postmasters during the fiscal year- |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877 .... | 507 | \$48,880 42 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 .................................................. | 538 | 53, 61990 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878................................................ | 5563 | 64, 92205 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 589 | 97,721 31 |
| Total. | 2,197 | \$265, 14368 |
| Increase. | 211 |  |
| Decrease |  | \$18,530 15 |
| Accounts of contractors apon which drafts were issued- |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877............................................................................ | ${ }_{26}^{18}$ | $\$ 12,42119$ |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878.... | 62 | 38, 79457 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878.. | 91 | 292,439 71 |
| Total. | 197 | \$413, 97520 |
| Increase. | 114 |  |
| Decrease |  | \$75, 13011 |
| Acconnts of late and present postmasters reported for payment- |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877. | 91 | \$3,189 94 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 95 | 6,064 64 |
| Quarter ended Maxch 31, 1878. | 74 | 5,089 79 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 67 | 3,468 37 |
| Total. | 327 | \$17, 81274 |
| Decrease | 412 | \$8,899 05 |
| Accounts of late postmastersand contractors submitted for suit during fiscal year- |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877. | 17 | \$116, 38440 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 25 | 131,259 51 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. | 10 | 21, 96895 |
| Quarter ended Jane 30, 1878. | 12 | 5,77165 |
| Total | 64 | \$275, 38451 |
| Amount of collections on judgments, \&c., including interest, during the fiscal year. |  | \$18,842 72 |
| Accounts copied during the fiscal year: |  |  |
| . Quarter ended September 30, 1877. |  | 5,293 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877. |  | 5,566 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. |  | 4,859 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878.. |  | 3,756 |
| Total | - | 19,474 |
| Increase |  | 138 |
| Letters received during the fiscal year: |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877. |  | 89,488 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877. |  | 80,766 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. |  | 86, 847 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878. |  | 81, 803 |
| Total |  | 338,904 |
| Decrease. | - | 5,867 |
| Letters sent during the fiscal year: |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877. |  | 45,998 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 |  | 44, 520 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878 |  | 46,091 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 18\%8.. |  | 43, 827 |
| Total |  | 180, 436 |
| Increasie .... |  | 3,581 |

Number of circulars addressed and transmitted during the fiscal year: Quarter ended September 30, 1877 ..... 12,013
Quarter ended December 31, 1877 ..... 11,787
Quarter ended March 31, 1878 ..... 11, 055
Quarter ended June 30, 1878 ..... 9,943
Total ..... 44, 798
Increase ..... 4, 527
Foreign Mail Division.-(R. S. Widdic̣ombe, chief.)
This division has charge of the postal accounts with foreign countries,and the accounts with steamship companies for ocean transportation ofthe mails.
Amounts paid the United States on the settlement of postal accounts with foreign governments.
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland ..... \$65,217 18
Republic of France ..... 1, 41206
Empire of Germany ..... 97110
Spain ..... 12313
Belgium ..... 10136
Italy ..... 6740
Switzerland ..... 5834
Sweden ..... 4980
Norway ..... 4086
Hong-Kong ..... 7354
Netherlands ..... 2327
Austria ..... 2052
Denmark ..... 1953
Total amount received ..... \$68, 17809
Amounts paid foreign governments on the settlement of postal accounts.
Republic of France ..... \$4, 84312
Belginm ..... 10, 84788
Denmark ..... 2,59158
Italy ..... 1, 2,07856

Number of duplicates registered during the fiscal year.

| Sent to- | Quarter ended- |  |  |  | Received from- | Quarter ended- |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \% |
| The United Kingdo | 344 | 363 | 383 | 366 | The United Kinglom |  |  |  |  |
| German Empire. | 216 | 219 | ${ }^{231}$ | 236 | German Empire. |  |  |  |  |
| Franco.. | 104 | 125 | ${ }_{133}^{133}$ | 152 | France......... |  |  |  |  |
| Belgium. | 112 | 109 | 130 52 | 136 52 | Belgium |  |  |  |  |
| Spain.... | 60 | 60 | ${ }_{69} 6$ | 74 | Spain ..... |  |  |  |  |
| Switzerland | 60 | 62 | 72 | 71 | Switzerland...... |  |  |  |  |
| Norway | 51 | 53 | 52 | 52 | Norway. |  |  |  |  |
| Netherlands | 67 | 69 | 73 | 82 | Netherlands |  |  |  |  |
| Sweden. | 52 | 50 | 52 | 52 | Sweden ..... |  |  |  |  |
| Italy | 60 | 63 | 71 | 75 | Italy. |  |  |  |  |
| West Indies, \&c | 244 | 242 | 224 | 254 | West Indies, \&c | 72 | 86 | 108 | 90 |
| Total. | 1,422 | 1,466 | 1, 542 | 1,602 | Total | 72 | 80 | 108 | 90 |
| Increaso. | 48 | 108 | 147 | 176 | Increase |  |  |  |  |
| Decrease |  |  |  |  | Decrease | 78 | 55 | 24 | 16 |

Total number of duplicates registered ..... 6, 388
Total increase ..... 306
Numbers of reports of oceau postages made to the Postmaster-General ..... 204
Increase ..... 45
Amount of reports in gold ..... $\$ 178,95955$
Amount of reports in currency ..... 31, 15517
Total amount reported ..... $\$ 210,15472$
Increase ..... $\$ 50,73957$
Pay Dtvision.-(R. F. Crowell, Chief.)

Reference is made to the following tabular statement, showing quarterly the number and amount of collections made, the number and amount of accounts adjusted and reported during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878:

|  | No. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Accounts of railroad companies for transporting the mails, settled during the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878 : <br> Quarter ended September 30, 1877. <br> Quarter ended December 31, 1877 $\qquad$ <br> Quarter ended March 31, 1878. $\qquad$ <br> Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 884 912 925 946 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 2,271,98247 \\ 2,343,33208 \\ 2,321,52185 \\ 3,024,842 \end{array}$ |
| Total. | 3,667 | \$9,961, 67867 |
| Increase. | 56 | \$456, 53917 |
| Collection orders sent to railroad companies, and amounts paid thereon by postmasters, during the fiscal Fear: <br> Quarter ended September 30, 1877 $\qquad$ <br> Quarter ended December 31, 1877 <br> Quarter ended March 31, 1878 $\qquad$ <br> Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | $\begin{aligned} & 11,458 \\ & 11,235 \\ & 11,271 \\ & 11,371 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 850,95565 \\ 992,028 \\ 1,070,022 \\ 1,08 \\ 947,392 \\ 29 \end{array}$ |
| Total. | 44,635 | \$3,810,398 09 |
| Increase. |  | \$427, 21165 |
| Decrease | 894 |  |
| Accounts of mail contractors, star service, sottled during the fiscal year: |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877. | 8,991 | \$1, 571, 60022 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 9,025 | 1, 591, 70838 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. | 9,037 | 1, 608, 01883 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 9,053 | 1, 682, 04040 |
| Total. | 36,106 | \$6, 453, 36783 |
| Increase. | 2, 914 | \$735,996 64 |
| Collection orders sent to mail contractors, star service, and amounts paid theceon by postmasters during the fiscal year: |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877........................................... | 21, 420 | \$357, 49790 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 21, 341 | 385, 99236 |
| Quarter euded March 31, 1878. | 21, 440 | 417, 55791 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 21, 102 | 373, 71600 |
| Total. | 85,303 | \$1, 534, 76417 |
| Increase. |  | \$191, 54668 |
| Decrease | 751 |  |
| Accounts of ocean mail aud consular postal service settlod during the fiscal year: Quarter ended September 30, 1877 | 44 |  |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877. | 53 | 51, 24649 |
| Quarter ended March 31, $1878 . .$. | 55 | 62,041 82 |
| Quarter euded June 30, 1878 | 67 | 60, 26144 |
| Total. | 219 | \$217, 76415 |
| Increase. | 43 |  |
| Deorease |  | \$253, 05313 |

Pay Division-Continued.

|  | No. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Number and amount of settlements of special mail-carriers' accounts: |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30,1877................................................. | 1,470 | \$15, 68527 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1, 180 | 13,148 69 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. | 1,181 | 14, 29739 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878. | 1, 146 | 13,572 25 |
| Total. | 4,977 | \$56, 70360 |
| Decrease | 153 | \$2,64400 |
| Number and amoant of settlements of accounts of railway postal clerks, route. agents, mail-route messengers, and local mail-agents: |  |  |
| Quarter ended December 31,1877. | 2,885 | 619, 44663 |
| Quarter euded March 31, 1878. | 2,907 | 620,101 29 |
| Quarter ended June 30,1878 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3, 061 | 634,087 62 |
| Total. | 11, 474 | \$2, 496,663 83 |
| Increase. | 788 | \$59,841 37 |
|  |  |  |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 4,245 | 155, 83771 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. | 4,422 | 165,001 00 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 4, 389 | 164, 228 21 |
| 'Total. | 17,331 | \$648, 93321 |
| Increase. | 64 |  |
| Decrease |  | \$18, 17409 |
| Nomber and amount of settlements of accounts of superintendents assistant superintendents of railway postal service, and special agents of the Post-Office Department: |  |  |
| Quarter ended September 30, 1877. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 205 | \$49, 04441 |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 184 | 45, 18782 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878 | 176 | 43, 37980 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878 | 170 | 42, 67740 |
| Total. | 735 | \$180, 28887 |
| Decrease | . 39 | \$10, 48677 |
| Number and amount of settlements of accounts for free-delivery system : |  |  |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877 | 2,268 | 452, 48805 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878 | 2, 405 | 455,927 64 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878. | 2, 355 | 457,653 83 |
| Total | 9,412 | \$1, 817, 87559 |
| Decrease | 188 | \$75, 74426 |
| Number and amount of settlements of accounts of miscellaneous payments: |  |  |
| Quarter ended December 31, 1877. | 174 | 254, 15940 |
| Quarter ended March 31, 1878. | 260 | 243,36309 |
| Quarter ended June 30, 1878. | 329 | 318, 44412 |
| Total. | 944 | \$984, 25950 |
| Increase. | 116 |  |
| Decrease |  | \$215, 29986 |

## Money-Order Division.-(John Lynch, chief.)

Statement showing the transaetions of the division during the fiscal year ended June 30, 187 E


Statement showing the transactions of the division, \&c.-Continued.

|  | Number. | Value. | Increase. |  | Decrease. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | Number. | Value. | Number. | Value. |
| Money-orders returned for correction | 22,500 |  | 2, 406 |  |  |  |
| Money-order accounts prepared, entered, and submitted for suit. | 13 | \$15, 48660 |  |  | 8 | \$5,025 09 |
| Letters written and trans. mitted. | 6,271 |  | 2,559 |  |  |  |
| Commission and enror circulars transmitted | 66,544 |  | 2,292 |  |  |  |

In conclusion, it affords me great pleasure to state that the work of this bureau in all its branches is in a very satisfactory condition. The accounts of the Post-Office Department for the fiscal year, numbering over four hundred thousand, and involving more than two hundred million dollars of receipts and expenditures, have been promptly audited and settled, and the general accounts of the department closed to the 30th day of June, 1878.
I cannot too highly commend to your favor and confidence the deputy auditor, the chiefs of divisions, and the clerks and employes of this office, to whose fidelity, promptness, and efficiency in the discharge of their duties I am indebted for the gratifying results of the past year.

I am, sir, very respectfully,
J. M. McGREW, Auditor.

## Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

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## REPORT

# THE TREASURER 0F THE UNITED STATES. 

## Treasury of the United States, Washington, November 1, 1878.

SIR: In compliance with departmental regulations, I have the honor to submit the following statements pertaining to the business of this office and the condition of the Treasury for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.

## CONDITION OF THE TREASURY.

The following statement is given to show the resources of the Treasury and its demand liabilities on the 30th day of September, in 1876, 1877, and 1878:

Statement of liabilities and assets of the Treasury of the United States on September 30, 1876, 1877, and 1878.

| - | $\begin{gathered} \text { September } 30, \\ 1876 . \end{gathered}$ | September 30, 1877. | September 30, |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Llabilities-COIN. |  |  |  |
| Disbursing-officers | \$996, 46165 | \$1, 253, 06118 | \$1, 127, 32959 |
| Superintendent of assay-office | 501, 15780 | 1, 185,573 01 |  |
| Late treasurer of assay-office | 878 | 878 |  |
| Comptroller of the Currency. | 38, 10812 | 60, 62383 | 54,458 92 |
| Fund for redemption of national bank go | 671, 99000 | 1,720 00 | 1,720 00 |
| Fund for counter-redemptions, silver | 1,807 75 |  |  |
| Interest-accounts | 599, 00725 | 593, 65225 | 662, 04300 |
| Treasurer's transfer-checks outetanding, gold | 110, 30625 | 732, 71639 | 723, 65157 |
| Treasurer's transfer-chocks outstanding, silver | 200,126 76 | 7,919 91 | 3, 86548 |
| Treasurer's general account, balance............ | 64, 467, 73159 | 129, 749, 79689 | 235, 434, 50603 |
|  | 67, 586, 70595 | 133, 585, 07224 | 238, 007, 57459 |
| ASSETS-COIN. |  |  |  |
| Gold coin and bullion | \$52, 055, 34624 | \$103, 671, 81559 | \$136, 036, 30220 |
| Gold bars. | 3, 367, 71326 | $3,367,71326$ |  |
| Standard silver dollars |  |  | 11, 511, 34200 |
| Silver coin and bullion | 5, 953, 24622 | 7,096, 18026 | 14, 486, 57017 |
| Gold-certificates | 4, 802,180 00 | 18,934, 00000 | 9,392, 92000 |
| Silver-certificates |  |  | 1, 316,470 00 |
| Old demand-notes | 12000 | 1.500 |  |
| National-bank gold-notos | 662, 00000 | 1,72000 | 1,720 00 |
| Fractional currency redeemed in silv | 202, 354 93 | 96,775 26 | 95, 36988 |
| United States bonds and interest.. | 15, 00885 |  |  |
| Quarterly intorest-checks paid | 11,993 11 | 14, 28103 | 180,902 81 |
| Coin-coupons paid. | 111, 81923 | $\begin{array}{r}75,730 \\ \hline 80 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 75,997 35 |
| Registored interest paid | 374, 98425 | 306; 23200 | 340,609 75 |
| Unclaimed interest paid .-...................... | 19,354 00 | 13,905 50 | 10, 16305 |
| Deposits held by national-bank depositaries, sul tion to 4 and $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. loans. |  |  | 64, 552, 50372 |
| Deficite, unavailable funds | 7,585 86 | 6,703 36 | 6,703 38 |
|  | 67, 586, 70595 | 133, 585, 07224 | 238, 007, 57458 |

Statement of liabilities and assets of the Treasury of the United States, \&ro.-Continued.


From the above statement it appears that the total resourees-coin and curreney-were, on September 30, in 1876, $\$ 168,024,47239$, in 187\%, $\$ 243,681,111.25 ;$ in $1878, \$ 337,424,964.74$.

The coin reseurces have steadily increased, under the prosecution of your policy: of specie resumption, from $\$ 67,586,705.95$ on the above date in 1876 , to $\$ 133 ; 585,072.24$ in 1877, and to $\$ 238,007,574.59$ in 1878.

There has been little change in the currency assets, except that they were larger in amount on the above date in 1877 on account of the failure of the appropiation for the military establishinent in the second session of the Forty fourth Congress, which necessitated the withholding of payments to that branch of the service until the assembling of the Forty-fifth Congress in special session in October, 1877.

## ONAVATLABLE EUNDS.

The total amount of unavalable moneys carried in the balances of the accounts kept in this office was as follows, viz :

The difference
3, 64261
arises as follows, viz: $\$ 4,198.46$ received from the First National Bank of Selma, Ala., which failed in 1867, less $\$ 555.85$, the deficiency resulting from the Winslow embezzlement. An account of the latter deficiency appeared in the report for the fiscal year 1877, although the amount had not at that time been carried to the statement of unavailable funds.

## RETIREMENT OF .LEGAL-TENDER NOTES.

At the date of the passage of the resumption act of January 14, 1875 (18 Stat., 296), which provided for the retirement of legal-tender notes equal to eighty per centum of national-bank notes issued, the outstanding legal-tenders amounted to $\$ 382,000,000$, and under the operation of that act there have been redeemed and destroyed notes to the following amounts:

| For the year ended June 30, 1875. |  | \$6, 228, 420 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| For the fiscal year 1876 |  | 5,999,296 |
| For the fiscal year 1877 |  | 10, 007, 952 |
| In July, 1877 | \$670, 112 |  |
| Angust, 1877 | 1,118, 056 |  |
| September, 1877 | 1, 061,232 |  |
| October, 1877. | 2, 424,040 |  |
| November, 1877 | 3, 150,604 |  |
| December, 1877 | 1, 396, 512 |  |
| January, 1878 | 833, 352 |  |
| February, 1878 | 492, 400 |  |
| March, 1878 | 769,312 |  |
| April, 1878 | 1,167, 696 |  |
| Total for ten months ended |  | 13,083, 316 |
| Total retired from January |  | 35, 318, 984 |

By the act of Congress of May 31, 1878, forbidding the further retirement of legal-tender notës, action under the former act ceased. The amount of legal-tenders outstanding at that time amounted to $\$ 346,681,016$, at which volume they remain.

## LEGAL-TENDER NOTES OUTSTANDING.

The following table shows the denominations of legal-tender notes in circulation Jume 30, 1877 and 1878. The odd cents therein arise from the redemption and partial payment of mutilated notes under the rules of the department:

| Denomination: | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| One dollar.. | \$25, 160, 287.80 | \$21, 169, 86430. |
| Two dollars. | 25, 369, 82620 | 21, $190,948.20$ |
| Five dollars | 49, 338, 224 00, | 54, 589, 55650 |
| Ten dollars. | $64,495,71700$ | 65; 113, 654 00 |
| Twenty dollars | 62, 607, 19700 | 62, 560, 64300 |
| Fifty dollars... | 35, 912, 910.00. | 27, 345,38000 |
| One laundred dollars. | 29, 410, 17000 | 31, 817, 97000 |
| Five hundred dollars. | 33, 884, 500 00 | 30, 880, 50000 |
| One thousand dollars. | $34,585,500 \cdot 00$ | 33, 012,50000 |
| Total. | 360, 764, 33200 | 347, 681,01600 |
| Destroyed in sub-treasury in Chicago fire, denominations unknown | 1, 000,000 00 | 1, 000,000 00 |
|  | 359, 764, 33200. | 346, 681, 01600 |

The retirement of legal-tender notes during $\cdot$ the fiscal year 1878 uncler the resumption act was $\$ 13,083,316$. Of this amount, $\$ 3,990,423$ was in one dollar notes, and $\$ 4,178,878$ in two-dollar notes. No attempt was
made, in carrying out the above act, to retire any particular denomination of notes. The destructions were made monthly from notes sent in for redemption by the public, which were held until they equaled 80 per cent. of the national currency issued during the month, and then destroyed.

As will be seen by the provisions of the legal-tender acts cited below, there was originally an attempt to regulate the issue of ones and twos to thirty-five millions of dollars in 1862, but in later acts and in the Revised Statutes it seems fully left in the discretion of the Secretary of the Treasury.

The act of February 25, 1862 (12 Stat., 345), authorized the issue of $\$ 150,000,000$ in United States notes of denominations not less than five dollars each.

The act of July 11, 1862 ( 12 Stat., 532), authorized the issue of $\$ 150,000,000$ in United States notes, not more than $\$ 35,000,000$ of which shoud be of lower denominations than five dollars.

The joiut resolution of January 17, 1863 (12 Stat., 822), authorized the issue of $\$ 100,000,000$ in United States notes of denominations not less than one dollar.

The act of March 3, 1863 (12 Stat., 709), authorized the issue of $\$ 150,000,000$ in United States notes, including the $\$ 100,000,000$ authorized by the joint resolution of January 17, 1863, of denominations not less than one dollar.

Section 3571 of the Revised Statutes declares that " United States notes shall be of such denominations, not less than one dollar, as the Secretary of the Treasury nay prescribe."

## RESERVE FUND.

To maintain the outstanding legal-tender note circulation at its present volume, $\$ 346,681,016$, while there are daily redemptions, a reserve of United States notes is kept on hand at all times. All the notes delivered to this office daily by the Bureau of Engraving and Printing are deposited in this fund and charged to it at the time of delivery, and an amount equal to each day's redemptions of United States notes is each day taken from the reserve fund and issued, thus keeping the volume outstanding at the amount required by law.

This fund is kept separate from all other money in a vault by itself. To this vault are an inner and an outer door, each with a combination lock and a time lock upon the outer door. The vault is usually opened once on each business day, for the purpose of replacing the amount of notes redeemed and destroyed on that day. It is in the custody of two officers, each having a combination unknown to the other, one of the outer door and the other of the inner door. On the 31st of October it contained, in United States notes of all denominations, $\$ 63,455,605$, complete and awaiting issue. They are put up in packages of 4,000 notes, and are taken out, when issued, in numerical order, in unbroken packages, as far as possible.

In the early years of the issue of paper currency, the reserve was not kept as a separate fund, except on the books of the office, but of late years no interchange of notes with the cash of the office is permitted. No notes now enter the reserve except as they come new from the Bureau of Engraving and Printing.

## STANDARD SILVER DOLLARS.

The act of Congress of February 28,1878 , required the coinage of silver dollars of the weight of four hundred and twelve and a half grains
troy of standard silver. The first coins under this act were received at this office from the mint in March, 1878, and were exchanged with the public for gold coin; the amount so exchanged at the mints and at this and other offices was $\$ 1,042,027$.

The total amount of standard silver dollars coined under the above act to date is $\$ 18,282,500$, of which amount there is in the mints and offices $\$ 13,359,877$, and in circulation $\$ 4,922,623$.

Whenever it is permissible to exchange these coins for United States notes under the provision of law which authorizes the payment of transportation charges thereon from the silver-profit fund, they can be distributed very rapidly. There is a demand for them in many portions of the country where, from the locality, it is not possible that they are desired for any other purpose than for circulation in exchange for paper currency. At present, however, they are sent only to depositary banks and the offices of the Treasury, and are used in payment for silver bullion and in payment to express companies on account of their charges for transportation of the coin. The largest payments of silver dollars have been made at New York and San Francisco, but the coins issued at these points immediately find their way back to the Treasury vaults, either as receipts from customs, or as deposits on account of silver certificates, or in payment of subscriptions to the 4 per cent. loan.

The following table shows the amount coined, on hand and outstanding at the close of each month since the coinage commenced:

| Date. | - Coined. | On hand. | Outstanding. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maxch 31. | \$1, 001, 500 | \$810, 561 | \$190, 939 |
| April 30 | 2, 470,000 | 3, 169, 681 | 301, 819 |
| May 31 | 3, 015,000 | 5,950, 451 | 536, 049 |
| Jume 30. | 2,087, 000 | 7,718, 357 | 855, 143 |
| July 31 | 1,847, 000 | 9,550, 236 | 870,264 |
| August 31. | 3, 028,000 | 11, 292, 849 | 2, 155, 651 |
| September 30 | 2, 764,000 | 12, 155, 205 | 4,057, 295 |
| October 31... | 2,070,000 | 13,359, 877 | 4,922,623 |


| Amount of stan |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Depositary banks | \$3,006,995 |
| Other banks. | 368, 000 |
| In all. | 3,374,995 |

Distributed in the States and Territories as follows: Arkansas, $\$ 35,000$; Alabama, $\$ 5,000$; Colorado, $\$ 47,995$; Connecticut, $\$ 39,000$; Dakota, $\$ 1,000$; Delaware, $\$ 14,000$; Florida, $\$ 1,000$; Georgia, $\$ 59,009$; Illinois, $\$ 225,000$; Indiana, $\$ 262,000$; Iowa, $\$ 51,000$; Kansas, $\$ 40,000$; Kentucky, $\$ 118,000$; Maine, $\$ 33,000$; Maryland, $\$ 23,000$; Massachusetts, $\$ 149,000$; Montana, $\$ 12,000$; Michigan, $\$ 189,000$; Minnesota, $\$ 105,000$; Missouri, $\$ 15,000$; Nebraska, $\$ 53,000$; New Hampshire, $\$ 38,000$; New Jersey, $\$ 50,000$; New York, $\$ 220,000$; North Carolina, $\$ 19,000$; New Mexico, $\$ 10,000$; Ohio, $\$ 515,000$; Pennsylvania, $\$ 422,000$; RhodeIsland, $\$ 90,000$; South Carolina, $\$ 91,000$; Tennessee, $\$ 91,000$; Texas, $\$ 57,000$; Virginia, $\$ 78,000$; Vermont, $\$ 60,000$; Wisconsin, $\$ 136,000$; Washington Territory, $\$ 21,000$.

## SILVER CERTIFICATES.

The third section of the act above mentioned authorized the issue of silver certificates, which were, upon the passage of the act, prepared for issue at this office and at the offices of the assistant treasurers in New York and San Francisco in denominations of from ten doilars to one
thousand. The total amount issued to date is $\$ 8,575,780$ : at Washington, $\$ 461,380$; at New York, $\$ 346,000$; and at San Francisco, $\$ 7,768,400$.

There is, however, in circulation but $\$ 1,577,380$; the remainder having been paid into the Treasury through the custom-houses and not reissued. "The certificates issued at San Francisco find their way at once to the New York custom-house. There is no demand for silver certificates in exchange for silver except at points where silver bullion is purchased by the department to be paid for in standard silver dollars.

The offices at Boston, Philadelphia, Chicago, and Cincinnati have been supplied with certificates from this office for issue at those points.

## FRACTIONAL CURRENCY AND FRACTIONAL SILVER COIN.

The substitition of fractional silver coin for fractional currency has progressed during the year, though not with the rapidity of the former year. The amount of fractional currency redeemed since June 30, 1877, is $\$ 4,191,934.15$. Of this amount, however, $\$ 1,118,526.19$, during the present calendar year, was redeemed in United States notes.

The following table shows the retiremient of fractional notes upder the operation of the act of Congress approved April 17, 1876 (19 Stat., 33 ), amounting to $\$ 25,297,539.29$ :

Redemption of fractional curvency.


Since April 18, 1876, there has been issued of fractional silver coin $39,728,166$, and though the coinage has been suspended temporarily
there is still a demand which is supplied from the stock on hand in this office and in the mints, which, together with that in other offices, amounts at this time to $\$ 6,067,960.18$. The amount paid out since June 30,1877 , to date is $. \$ 6,542,893$. Estimating the loss of fractional currency at $\$ 8,083,513.50$, the figures reported by the commission appointed by you, there may stifl be issued, before the limit of fifty millions of dollars is reached, $\$ 8,127,684.69$ in exchange for fractiönal currency and $\$ 2,144,-$ 149.31 for currency obligations.

The amount of factional silver paid out at the several offices of the Treasury from April is, 18i6, to the dates mentioned, is shown by the following táble:

| Office at- | $\begin{gathered} \text { To June } 30, \\ 1876 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To Dec. 31, } \\ & 1876 . \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { To June } 30, \\ 1877 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { To Dec. } 31, \\ 1877 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{gathered} \text { To June 30, } \\ 1878 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To Oct. } 31 \\ & 1878 . \end{aligned}$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ẅashington | \$754, 459 | \$1, 592, 538 | \$2, 298, 295 | \$2, 551, 376 | \$2, 740, 103 | \$2, 982, 408 |
| Baltimore | 534, 908 | - 996,036 | 1, 161, 139 | 1, 285, 077 | 1; 317, 103 | 1,319,626 |
| New York | 3, 776, 265 | 7, 657, 948 | 8, 700, 556 | 9, 305, 417 | 9, 522, 775 | 9, 593, 354 |
| Philadelphia | 1, 118, 153 | 3, 185, 153 | 3, 891, 088 | 4, 190,618 | 4, 241, 393 | 4, 250, 018 |
| Bostọn | 1, 391, 882 | 3, 594, 207 | 3, 989, 072 | 4,116, 964 | 4, 1.78, 423 | 4, 202, 479 |
| Cincinnat | 765, 792 | 2, 323, 017 | 3, 083, 213 | 3, 279, 422 | 3, 308,508 | 3, 321, 207 |
| Chicago | 962, 164 | 2, 726, 366 | 3, 699, 142 | 3, 998, 713 | 4, 020, 466 | 4,020, 466 |
| Saint Lonis | 591, 487 | 1, 490; 285 | 2,000, 457 | 2, 200, 836 | 2, 257, 960 | 2, 280,973 |
| New Orleans | 339, 493 | 820,129 | 1, 010, 998 | 1, 124, 850 | 1, 161, 712. | 1, 164,466 |
| . Charleston | 97, 072 | 194, 960 | 194, 960 | 194, 960 | 194, 960 | 194, 960 |
| Buffialo | 191, 364 | 367, 440 | 367, 440 | 464,883 | 464, 883 | 464,'883 |
| Pittsburgh | 235, 586 | 464, 883 | 464; 883 | 367, 440 | 367, 440 | 367, 440 |
| San Francisco | 168, 313 | 416, 203 | 430, 302 | 431, 200 | 431, 200 | 431, 200 |
| Tucson |  | -1,378 | :2,317 | 2, 352 | 2, $808^{+}$ | .2,808 |
| Mint, Philadelphia |  |  | 1,843, 415 | .4, 592, 180 | 4,876, 903 | 5, 060, 882 |
| Mint, San Francise |  |  | 30, 000 | 50, 000 | 50,000 | 50, 000 |
| Mint, Carson |  |  | ${ }^{*} 17,996$ | 18,996 | 18,996 | 20,996 |
| Total | 10, 926, 938 | $-25,830,543$ | 33, 185; 273 | 38, 175, 284 | 39, 155, 633 | 39, 728, 166 |

Monthly payments of fractional silver.


## MINOR COIN.

The following table shows the amount of minor coin of copper, nickel, and bronze in the various offices. The accumulation, which seemed ex:cessive làst year, has still further increased from $\$ 157,000$ on September 30,1876 , to $\$ 870,000$ in 1877 , and now to $\$ 1,410,898.50$ in 1878, represent. ing at least 150 tons of metal. There is a demand at this time for the bronze one-cent piece, which probably cannot be supplied without coinage. Of all other denominations there is an increasing supply in the vaults.

Minor coins on hand September 30, 1878, by denominations.

| Office at- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | Totals. <br>  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Washington | \$1, 53455 | \$840 00 | \$330 52 |  |  | \$2,486 69 | \$12500 | \$5, 31676 |
| Baltimore | 9,976 10 | 1,426 05 | 65278 |  |  | 10054 | 8300 | 12,238 47 |
| New York | 60, 27500 | 5,820 00 | 7, 05000 |  |  | 10,490 00 |  | 83,635 00 |
| Philadelphia | 807, 70600 | 74, 799000 | 34, 37200 | \$3, 16500 | \$27, 68000 |  | 3,32800 | 951, 05000 |
| Boston . . . . | 9,48500 | 50900 | 18200 |  |  | 64760 | 1300 | 10,836 60 |
| Cincinnati | 8,389 00 | 2, 29400 | 45000 |  |  | 84000 |  | 11,973 00 |
| Chicago | 18,047 15 | 3,905 00 | 2, 00100 | 5, 20500 | 1,209 00 |  |  | 30,367 15 |
| Saint Louis | 15,050 00 | 1,50000 | 1,000 00 | 90096 |  |  |  | 18,450 96 |
| Nevr Orleans | 7, 10000 | 65700 | 11500 |  |  | 1,128 00 |  | 9, 00000 |
| San Francisco | 2, 30000 | 30000 | 10000 |  |  | 21444 |  | 2,914 44 |
| Tucson | 30000 | 20000 | 15000 |  |  | 11982 |  | 76982 |
| Mint, Philadelphia. | 96, 25975 | 53,262 03 | [29,968 86] | 1, 16700 | 85, 60505 |  | 8, 08361 | 274, 34630 - |
| Totals | 1,036,422 55 | 145,512 08 | 76,372 16 | 10,43796 | $114,49405$ | 16,02709 | $11,63261$ | 1,410,89850 |

## DEPOSITARY BANKS.

But little is said of the service rendered by the national banks in: facilitating the collection of the public revenue and safely and economically transferring it to the vaults of the Treasury. The receipts of public money by the clepositary banks during the fifteen fiscal years from 1863 to 1878 amounted to $\$ 3,308,750,346.80$, or over $\$ 220,000,000$ a year, of which only $\$ 255,000$ stands on the books of the department as unavailable by reason of the failure of any depository bank, and the government has security for a large portion of the latter sum. The banks deposit in the Treasury, without expense to the department, all sums drawn by the Treasurer, and upon all-balances to the credit of public disbursing officers therein the banks pay a duty of one-half of one per cent. per annum to this office. The following is given to show the receipts, payments, and transfers of moneys in the transaction of public business through the depositary banks:

| Fiscal years. | Receipts. | Funds transfer. red to depositary banks. | Funds transferred to the Treasury by depositary banks. | Drafts drawn on depositary banks. | Balances at close of years. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1864. | \$153, 395, 10871 | \$816, 00000 | \$85, 507, 67408 | \$28, 726, 69588 | \$39, 976, 73875 |
| 1865. | 987, 564, 63914 | 8,110, 29470 | 583, 697, 912 72 | 415, 887, 76781 | 36, 065, 99206 |
| 1866 | 497, 566, 67642 | 13, 523, 97262 | 363, 085, 56565 | 149, 772, 75611 | 34, 298, 31934 |
| 1867 | 351, 737, 08383 | 8,405,903 63 | 331, 039, 87257 | 37, 218, 61276 | 26,182, 82147 |
| 1868 | 225, 244, 14475 | 9, 404, 39200 | $215.311,46069$ | 22, 218, 18792 | 23, 301,709 61 |
| 1869 | 105, 160,573 67 | 10, 052, 19944 | 114, 748, 87724 | 14, 890, 46375 | 8, 875, 14173 |
| 1870 | 120, 084, 04179 | 2, 466, 52106 | 111, 123, 92618 | 11, 818, 22861 | $8,483,54979$ |
| 1871 | 99, 299, 84085 | 2, 633, 12945 | $89,428,54404$ | 13, 790, 96101 | 7, 197, 01504 |
| 1872 | 106, 104, 85516 | 3,050,444 05 | 94, 938, 60376 | 13, 635, 83749 | 7,777, 87300 |
| 1873 | 169, 602, 74398 | 9,004, 84249 | 108, 089, 78676 | 16, 110, 51907 | $62,185,15364$ |
| 1874 | 91, 108, 84670 | 2, 729, 95881 | 134, 869, 11257 | 13, 364, 55452 | 7,790, 29206 |
| 1875 | 98, 228, 24953 | 1, 737, 44560 | 82, 184, 30405 | 13, 657, 67825 | 11, 914, 00489 |
| 1876 | 97, 402, 22757 | 2, 445,451 49 | 89, 981, 14699 | 13, 909, 61683 | 7, 870, 920.13 |
| 1877 | 106, 470,261 22 | 2, 353, 19629 | $94,276,40035$ | 14, 862, 20088 | 7,555, 77641 |
| 1878 | 99, 781, 05348 | 2, 385, 92038 | 90, 177, 96335 | 12, 606, 87060 | 6, 937,916 32 |
|  | 3, 308, 750, 34680 | 79, 119, 67201 | 2, 588, 461, 15100 | 792, 470, 95149 |  |

## DUTY PAID BY NATIONAL BANKS.

Under section 5214 of the Revised Statutes, there has been assessed and collected by the Treasurer from national banks, since 1864, at an expense of not more than one-tenth of one per cent., $\$ 86,045,771.11$, as
follows: on circulation, $\$ 39,777, \$ 79.14$; on deposits, $\$ 40,332,341.43$, and on capital, $\$ 5,935,550.54$.

By reference to Table XIII., appendix, it appears that from the beginning of the national banking system the amount realized from duty on circulation increased yearly with one exception up to 1874, since which time it has diminished about $\$ 150,000$ a year. The amount realized from duty on deposits increased yearly with two exceptions until 1875, since which time it has decreased about $\$ 100,000$ per annum, the decrease in the two items of circulation and deposits having been $\$ 523,678.39$ since the close of the fiscal year 1875. The revenue from duty on capital increased steadily every year until the calendar year 1877, during which there was a decrease of $\$ 57,113.01$.

The highest amount of duty on circulation was received for the sir months ended December 31, 1873, being $\$ 1,704,902.76$. In the last six months it was $\$ 1,492,224.57$. The highest amount of duty on deposits was received for the six months ended Decernber 31, 1875 , being $\$ 1,782,161.52$. In the last six months it was $\$ 1,622,862.24$. The bighest amount of duty on capital was received for the six months ended December $31,-1876$, being $\$ 341,986.96$. In the last six months it was $\$ 266,023.34$. The total amount collected on the three items for the six months ended June 30, 1878, was $\$ 3,379,252.07$.

REDEMPTION OF NATIONAL-BANK NOTES.
The operations of the national-bank redemption agency for the fiscal year again show an increased amount of work performed at a reduced expense. The number of national-bank notes redeemed, assorted, and charged to the banks of issue was $22,927,842$, an increase of 182,294 over the number assorted in the preceding fiscal year. The expenses of assortment, under which head are included all of the expenses of redemption, with the exception of the charges for transportation, on the other hand decreased from $\$ 167,704.05$ to $\$ 144,521.88$, a diminution of $\$ 23,182.17$, or nearly 14 per cent. A saving was effected in every item of expense as compared with the preceding year. The reduction in salaries was $\$ 14,115.05$; in printing and binding, $\$ 3,943.98$; in stationery, $\$ 728.10$; in postage, $\$ 3,716.66$, and in contingent expenses $\$ 678.38$. The amount appropriated for salaries for the force employed in the Treasurer's office was $\$ 117,736$, of which $\$ 114,282.75$ was expended, and for the force employed in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency $\$ 22,340$, of which $\$ 22,297.88$ was expended, making a saving of $\$ 3,453.25$ in the former and of $\$ 42.12$ in the latter office. The expenses of assortment, in accordance with the rule adopted at the outset, were assessed upon the several national banks in proportion to the number of the notes redeemed for each. When computed in this manner the expense of assortment was $\$ 6.30 \frac{1}{3}$ for each thousand notes, as compared with $\$ 11.37$ for the fiscal year $1875, \$ 10.78$ for the fiscal year 1876 , and $\$ 7.37 \frac{3}{10}$ for the fiscal. year 1877. It will be seen that there has been a steady decrease in the expease of assortment year by year since the first, and that the rate for the last year is but a little more than 50 per cent. of that for the first year. The gradual reduction of expense is represented by the series $20,19,13,11$.

This result has been achieved only by maintaining a careful oversight over the expenses; by the adoption from time to time of more economical methods, whenever they could be introduced without lessening the checks against errors and dishonesty; by curtailing the force whenever,
through the increased efficiency of the employés, the work could be performed with a decreased number, and, above all, by retaining the services of tried and expert employés. Of the 97 persons now employed, 72 were appointed in thie redemption agency during the first fifteen months after its organization, and nearly all of them had had experience on similar work, either in the department or in benks. Of the 25 since appointed, 20 lad been employed for greater or less periods upon like duties in other branches, and all of the persons appointed during the incumbency of the present Treasirrer; with a single exception, were transferred fröm other offices of the department, where they had proved their competency by faithful service:

In considering the rate for the expenses of assortment, it should be remembered that the assortment of national-bank notes is peculiarly difficult by reason of the great number of banks (now 2,400) aind of the similarity of the notes, and that the rate includes not only the bare cost of assorting the notes, but the salaries of all the clerks, book-keepers, counters, provers, messengers, and laborers employed in that branch of the Treasurer's office, and of a portion of the force employed in the office of the Comptroller of the Currency, as well as the cost of printing, binding, stationery, and other supplies.

While the number of notes handled shows an increase over the preceding fiscal year, the amount of money represented by them decreased from $\$ 214,361,300$ to $\$ 203,416,400$, in consequence of an increase in the proportion of notes of the smaller denominations redeemed and assorted. Of the amount assorted, $\$ 151,786,600$ was returned to the banks of issue as fit for circulation, and $\$ 51,629,800$ was unfit for circulation, and was delivered to the Comptroller of the Currency for destruction and replacement with new notes. The former was $\$ 56,100$, and the latter $\$ 10,888,800$, less than during the preceding year.

The amount expended for charges for transportation was $\$ 173,420.60$, and was assessed upon the several national banks as heretofore, in proportion to the amount of their notes redeemed and assorted. When thus computed on the amount assorted, the average rate for express charges was $85 \frac{1}{4}$ cents for each $\$ 1,000$. The charges assessed include those for the transportation of $\$ 210,490,437.56$ in national-bank notes received for redemption, $\$ 23,046,418.44$ in United States notes returned therefor, and $\$ 152,437,300$ in notes fit for circulation forwarded to the banks of issue.

When computed on the amount transported, the average cost for transportation was 45 cents for each thousand dollars. The charges on United States notes forwarded to the Treasurer's office for credit of the five per cent. fund and on incomplete currency forwarded to the banks by the Comptroller of the Currency are not embraced in the assessment. The rates paid under the agreement with the express company, which has been in force since July 1, 1875, were, for national-bank notes forwarded for redemption, $37 \frac{1}{2}$ cents for each $\$ 1,000$, or fraction thereof, to each express company over whose lines the remittances pass, and for each $\$ 1,000$ or fraction thereof in United States notes returned for bank-notes redeemed and in notes fit for circulation forwarded to the banks of issue, 25 cents to Adams Express Company and 35 cents to each other express company by which the remittances are transported. The aggregate assessment is $\$ 317,942.48$, or $\frac{14}{9}$ of 1 per cent. of the amount assorted, as against $\frac{20}{90}$ for the first year, $\frac{18}{9} 0$ for the second year, and $\frac{15}{90}$ for the third year.

The outstanding circulation of the national banks at the close of the
fiscal year was $\$ 324,514,284$. The cost of redemption, when computed upon this amount, was considerably less than one-tenth of one per cent., or less than $\$ 90$ per annum for a bank of $\$ 90,000$ circulation. When weighed against the advantages flowing from a prompt and effectual system of redemption, this expense is scarcely worthy of consideration. These advantages consist not only in keeping the circulating notes of the banks clean and whole, but in providing a ready means of checking any tendency to redundancy in their issues-an advantage which will appear still more conspicuous when specie payments shall have been established-and of relieving the plethora of bank-notes in the money centers, which formerly existed during certain seasons of the year. In discussing the present redemption system, it should not be forgotten that the law establishing it, in consideration of the burden imposed, relieved the banks from the obligation to maintain any reserve upon their circulation. The actual legal-tender reserve required to be maintained on circulation ranged from six per cent. for country banks to twenty-five per cent. for banks in the city of New York. With interest at six per cent. per annum, the expense of maintaining these reserves was from .36 to 1.5 per cent. upon the bank circulation, a burden from three and one-half to fifteen times greater than the expeinse of the redemption system. The act of June 20, 1874, seems, therefore, as a whole, to have reduced the burdens of the banks, while it has conferred a positive benefit upon them, in common with the rest of the community, in furnishing a prompt and inexpensive means of redeeming the bank-notes.

In addition to the amounts assorted and charged to the banlis of issue, there were sorted out $\$ 11,852,100$ in notes of failed, liquidating, and reducing banks, as against $\$ 24,439,700$ during the preceding year.

A large share of the business of the redemption of nationallbank notes is effected through the offices of the assistant treasurers without any actual movement of money. Of $\$ 212,780,335.81$ bank-notes redeemed, $\$ 75,361,427.23$ was paid for by checks on the assistant treasurers in New York, Boston, and Philadelphia. Only \$23,046,418.44 in United States notes was forwarded by express in redemption of bank-notes, the entire remainder, amounting to $\$ 189,733,917.37$, being settled for by checks, credits in account, payments over the counter, or subsidiary silver coin forwarded at the expense of the mint. Of $\$ 205,308,371.37$ credited to the national banks in their five per cent. accounts, $\$ 100,819,824.50$ consisted of deposits with assistant treasurers, the proper entries being made on the Treasurer's books on receipt of the certificates of deposit.

Under the circular issued on the first of October last, requiring the parties making the remittances to defray the express-charges on all national-bank notes forwarded for redemption, redemptions have been considerably reduced; but the order has not been in force long enough to warrant a conclusion concerning its permanent operation.

Of $\$ 210,490,437.56$ in bank-notes received for redemption, $\$ 80,527,000$, or 38.26 per cent., was received from the city of Boston, and $\$ 66,273,000$, or 31.48 per cent., from the city of New York, nearly 70 per cent. of the entire redemptions having been received from these two cities. The monthly redemptions varied from $\$ 12,025,805.15$ in the month of March, to $\$ 24,076,684.12$ in the month of May. The receipts from New York were largest ( $\$ 10,805,000$ ) in May and smallest ( $\$ 3,316,000$ ) in December, while the receipts from Boston were largest $(\$ 9,152,000)$ in Deceember and smallest ( $\$ 2,992,000$ ) in April.

The following table presents an interesting exhibit of the geographical distribution of the banks which issued the notes redeemed during
each of the four years since the establishment of the redemption system, and of the percentage of redemptions to the outstanding circulation of the banks in each State and section:

| States and Territories. | 1874-75. |  | 1875-'76. |  | 1876-77. |  | 1877-78. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Redeemed. | $\left\lvert\, \begin{aligned} & 3.5 \\ & 0.5 \\ & 0.8 \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \end{aligned}\right.$ | Redeemed. |  | Redeemed. |  | Redeemod. |  |
| Maine | \$3, 436, 440 | 43. 24 | \$6,784, 300 | 80.43 | \$7, 783, 900 | 91. 70 | \$8, 476, 000 | 97. 76 |
| New Hampshire. | 2, 036, 120 | 43. 25 | 4, 169, 400 | 84. 03 | 5, 903, 700 | 115.75 | 5, 922, 900 | 113. 84 |
| Vermont | 2, 929, 770 | 42. 47 | 4, 850, 900 | 67. 57 | 5, 937, 900 | 81. 67 | 5, 959,300 | 82.76 |
| Massachnsetts | 26, 641, 170 | 45. 11 | 53, 41.6, 700 | 85.65 | 75, 110,900 | 126. 61 | 80, 470, 900 | 131. 04 |
| Rhode Island | 5, 709, 170 | 43. 02 | 9, 489, 355 | 171.73 | 12, 930, 300 | 99. 36 | 11, 884, 800 | 92.76 |
| Connecticat | 8, 038, 140 | 45. 08 | 11, 139, 500 | 61. 03 | 14, 197, 300 | 81. 35 | 12, 208, 500 | 70. 29 |
| Totals Eastern States. | 48,790, 810 | 44.47 | 89, 850, 155 | 78. 52 | 121, 864,000 | 110.13 | 124, 922, 400 | 110.87 |
| New York. | 22, 675, 035 | 38.24 | 26,782, 200 | 49. 22 | 29, 066, 900 | 60.07 | 26, 939, 100 | 54. 17 |
| New Jersey | 4, 813, 380 | 43,39 | 6, 963, 200 | 62.01 | 8, 508, 700 | 76.58 | 7, 121, 300 | 63. 43 |
| Pennsylvami | 16, 459, 190 | 39. 10 | 17, 081, 700 | 39. 21 | 19, 883,400 | 47. 09 | 16, 430, 300 | 39. 60 |
| Delayrare | 549, 000 | 42.69 | 566, 400 | 43. 95 | 778,600 | 56.67 | 610, 100 | 44.69 |
| Maryland | 3, 712, 300 | 39.99 | 3, 994, 100 | 43.39 | 3, 195, 300 | 37.24 | 2, 819, 300 | 37. 10 |
| Totals Middle State | 48, 208, 905 | 39.18 | 55, 387, 600 | 46.27 | 61, 432, 900 | 55.00 | 53, 920, 100 | 48. 25 |
| District of Colnm | 347, 700 | 23.78 | 429, 200 | 32. 56 | 449, 000 | 38.43 | 588, 500 | 56. 62 |
| Virginia. | 972, 670 | 26. 90 | 851, 600 | 25.91 | 740, 600 | 26.78 | 850, 300 | 33. 79 |
| Wost Virgini | 656, 220 | 27. 51 | 497, 700 | 24.09 | 580, 500 | 32.86 | 483, 700 | 20.72 |
| North Carolina | 553, 630 | 30. 34 | 550, 700 | 30.40 | 452, 200 | 26. 30 | 391, 100 | 26.16 |
| South Cavolina | 418, 800 | 19.32 | 566, 900 | 30.39 | 479, 500 | 30.29 | 429, 300 | 30.70 |
| Georgia | 749, 100 | 33.15 | 812, 300 | 38.33 | 699, 100 | 35. 68 | 617, 400 | 33.55 |
| Florida. | 4, 200 | 1.5. 56 | 15, 800 | 35.91 | 19,100 | 42.46 | 1.6, 500 | 37.17 |
| Alabama | 403, 200 | 29.22 | 579, 600 | 40.81 | 618,100 | 42.32 | 392, 300 | 26.77 |
| Louisiana | 783, 600 | 23.03 | 514, 500 | 17.46 | 60,800 | 2.93 | 114, 500 | 7. 42 |
| Texas | 197, 700 | 24. 18 | 155, 000 | 21. 80 | 160, 800 | 2.80 | 130, 200 | 22.88 |
| Arkansas | 62, 200 | 25. 50 | 15,700 | 6. 58 | 17,300 | 8.82 | 31, 000 | 12. 26 |
| Kentucky | 2, 323,700 | 27.88 | 2, 739, 900 | 31.25 | 3, 233, 400 | 38. 27 | 2, 529, 400 | 30.56 |
| Teunessee | 788, 700 | 25.76 | 893, 400 | 30.72 | 871, 000 | 33.25 | 720,900 | 28. 83 |
| Missouri | 1, 073, 750 | 18.17 | 632, 100 | 14.46 | 570, 900 | 17.15 | 412, 400 | 15.18 |
| Totals Southwestern States | 9, 335, 170 | 25. 30 | 9, 254, 400 | 27.32 | 8, 952, 300 | 30.16 | 7, 707, 500 | 28.24 |
| Ohio. | 8,114,000 | 34.37 | 8, 406, 000 | 35. 52 | 9, 083, 500 | 39. 80 | 6, 747, 400 | ${ }^{30.42}$ |
| Iudiana | 4, 971, 590 | 33. 35 | 4, 410, 000 | 29.93 | 4, 513, 900 | 34. 37 | 3, 491, 300 | 27.80 |
| Tllino | 4, 251, 040 | 25. 55 | 3, 231, 400 | 22. 39 | 2, 929, 200 | 24. 30 | 2, 090,500 | 19.61 |
| Michigan | 2, 318, 320 | 31.37 | 2, 154, 800 | 30.39 | 1,948, 000 | 30.98 | 1, 712, 800 | 29.17 |
| Wiscons | 877, 190 | 27. 14 | 622, 600 | 21. 36 | 699, 900 | 27. 67 | 512, 400 | 21.40 |
| Iowa | 1, 583, 670 | 28. 26 | 1, 053, 300 | 19.87 | 1, 212, 600 | 26. 50 | 1, 024,300 | 23.82 |
| Minneso | 817, 200 | 24.08 | 698, 400 | 22.55 | 643, 500 | 22.88 | 530, 400 | 19, 80 |
| Kansas | 349, 600 | 23.08 | 313,700 | 23. 42 | 305, 300 | 25. 79 | 192, 500 | 18. 54 |
| Nelorask | 255, 350 | 28. 50 | 286, 000 | 34. 23 | 262, 800 | 31.56 | 151, 100 | 19.11 |
| Totals W estern States. | 23, 537, 960 | 30.50 | 21, 176, 200 | 28.85 | 21, 598,700 | 32.61 | 16, 452, 700 | 26. 33 |
| Oregon | 75, 200 | 33.42 | 65,400 | 31.13 | 92,700 | 42.02 | 56,900 | 25.29 |
| Colorado | 181, 900 | 29.91 | 158,400 | 24. 62 | 154, 100 | 25. 47 | 122, 700 | 17. 96 |
| Utah | 2,100 | . 52 | 9, 600 | 4.38 | 7, 300 | 5. 74 | 16, 800 | 20.34 |
| Idaho | 30, 500 | 34.54 | 31, 900 | 35.92 | 31, 800 | 35. 81 | 21, 400 | 25.87 |
| Montana | 48,600 | 18.22 | 53, 200 | 21. 92 | 74, 300 | 33.96 | 67, 900 | 31.57 |
| W yoming | 11, 600 | 21. 48 | 17, 800 | 33.06 | 20,900 | 39.18 | 16, 400 | 29.21 |
| New Mexi | 89, 900 | 33.56 | 101, 200 | 37. 50 | 115, 600 | 43.27 | 97, 100 | 36. 22 |
| Dakota | 10,300 | 22.89 | 16,000 | 35. 56 | 16,700 | 37.11 | 14,500 | 32.95 |
| Totals Pacific States and Tertitories. | 450, 100 | 22.93 | 453, 500 | 25. 38 | 513, 400 | 31.48 | 413,700 | 24.82 |
| Grand totals | 130,322, 945 | 37.36 | 176, 121, 855 | 51.32 | 214, 361, 300 | 67.01 | 203, 416, 400 | 64.21 |

Attention is invited to the remarkable increase between the fiscal years 1875 and 1878 in the redemption of notes issued by banks situated in the New England States. While the redemptions for banks situated in the Western States decreased in that period from $\$ 23,537,960$ to $\$ 16,452,700$, and for those in the Southern and Southwestern States from $\$ 9,335,170$ to $\$ 7,707,500$, and while the redemptions for the banks situated
in the Middle States increased only from $\$ 48,208,905$ to $\$ 53,920,100$, the redemptions of the notes issued by the New England banks increased from $\$ 48,790,810$ to $\$ 124,922,400$. The redemptions for Massachusetts banks increased in the four years from $\$ 26,641,170$ to $\$ 80,470,900$, or more than threefold, while those for the banks of New York State increased only from $\$ 22,675,035$ to $\$ 26,939,100$. The redemptions for the New England States have shown a steady annual increase from the beginning. During the last fiscal year the redemptions for the New England banks constituted more than 61 per cent., and those for the Massachusetts banks nearly 40 per cent., of the aggregate redemptions. The redemptions for the New England banks were $110 \frac{7}{8}$ per cent. of their circulation; for the Massachusetts banks, 131 per cent. ; for those in the Middle States, $48 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent.; for those in New York State, $54 \frac{1}{6}$ per cent.; for those in the Western States, $26 \frac{1}{3}$ per cent.; for those in the Southern and Southwestern States, $28 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent.; and for those in the Pacific States and Territories, $24 \frac{4}{5}$ per cent. The cost of the redemption system is consequently much greater for the New England banks than for those in the West and South. For banks of $\$ 90,000$ circulation in Massachusetts, the average redemptions during the last year were $\$ 117,900$, and the average expense of redemption $\$ 184.27$; while for banks of live circulation in the West, the average redemptions were $\$ 23,700$, and the average cost $\$ 37.04$, or about one-fifth as much. The above facts indicate that the circulation of the New England banks is largely local, and that it flows into the money centers much more rapidly than the circulation of banks situated in other sections.

The following statement shows the amount and percentage of notes received for redemption from the principal cities during each of the last four fiscal years. It will be observed that the receipts from Boston have increased between the years 1875 and 1878 from $\$ 17,598,000$ to $\$ 80,527,000$, and that those from New York City have fallen off from $\$ 80,925,000$ to $\$ 66,273,000$.

| Receipts from- | 1874-75. | Per ct. | 1875-'76. | Per ct. | 1876-77. | Per ct. | 1877-78. | P'ret. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New York | \$80, 925, 000 | 52.07 | \$78, 389, 000 | 38.37 | \$76,693, 000 | 32.47 | \$66, 273, 000 | 31. 48 |
| Boston | 17, 598, 000 | 11. 32 | 55. 878, 000 | 27.35 | 75, 212, 000 | 31.84 | 80, 527, 000 | 38. 26 |
| Philadelphia | 9,096, 000 | 5.85 | 9, 778, 000 | 4.79 | 20, 988, 000 | 8.89 | 10, 836, 000 | 5. 15 |
| Chicago | 6, 814, 000 | 4. 39 | 10,106,000 | 4.94 | 4, 162,000 | 1.76 | 3, 194, 000 | 1. 52 |
| Cincinnati | 3, 676, 000 | 2.37 | 3,085, 000 | 1.51 | 2,781, 000 | 1.18 | 2,268,000 | 1.08 |
| Saint Louis | 1, 384, 000 | 0.89 | 1,019, 000 | 0.50 | 1, 292, 000 | 0.55 | 999, 000 | 0.47 |
| Baltimore | 1, 902, 000 | 1.22 | 3,265, 000 | 1. 60 | 1, 821, 000 | 0.77 | 1, 085, 000 | 0.52 |
| Providence | 1, 388, 000 | 0.89 | 3,247, 000 | 1.59 | 5, 653, 000 | 2.39 | 4,989, 000 | 2.37 |
| Pittsburgh | 1, 449, 000 | 0.93 | 1,425, 000 | 0.70 | 1,322, 000 | 0. 56 | 1, 141, 000 | 0. 54 |
| All other places | 31, 189, 000 | 20.07 | 38, 108, 000 | 18.65 | 46, 286, 000 | 19.59 | 39, 179, 000 | 18.61 |
| Total | 155, 421, 000 | 100.00 | 204, 300, 000 | 100.00 | 236, 210, 000 | 100.00 | 210, 491, 000 | 100.00 |

## MUTILATED, STOLEN, AND COUNTERFEIT CURRENCY.

The deductions, on account of mutilations, from the face value of currency redeemed, to the close of the fiscal year were as follows: from legaltender notes $\$ 133,904.25$; from fractional currency, $\$ 139,842.79$, and from interest notes $\$ 372$, in all $\$ 274,619.04$, of which $\$ 14,869.09$. was obtained by deductions during the year. The deductions from mutilated notes of mational banks winding up or reducing circulation, on $\$ 82,953,216$, the total redemptions to the end of the year, amounted to $\$ 1,098.25$, of which $\$ 137.50$ accrued on $\$ 12,010,013$, the amount redeemed during the jear. There were thrown out of stolen, pieced, and rejected bank-notes pre-
sented for redemption during the year $\$ 3,997.13$. Of counterfeits, there were branded and rejected $\$ \$, 53 \$$ on legal-tencler notes, $\$ 3,923.85$ on fractional currency, and $\$ 4,00 \mathrm{~S}$ on national-bank notes.

## TRANSFERS OF GOLD COTN.

During the months of June, July, and August last, the amount of coin in the sub-treasury at San Francisco increased from $\$ 5,194,500$ on the 1st of June to $\$ 12,409,400$ on the 10th of August, and as there was lack of vault-room in that office it became necessary to transport a portion of the coin to New York. There being no contract with any express company under which the transfer could be made, under your direction, by virtue of the authority vested in you by section 3640 Revised Statutes, one million dollars was taken to the sub-treasury at New York during the month of August, at an expense of sixty cents per $\$ 1,000$ for postage, it being brought over as third-class postal matter for one cent per ounce, or less than one-sixteenth of one per cent. There was also transferred by telegraphic transfer to New York $\$ 1,550,000$; of this amount $\$ 1,300,000$ was transferred without expense, and $\$ 250,000$ at one-tenth of one per cent. It is hoped that all the surplus coin in the sub-treasury at San Francisco may be transferred by wire, which does not take the gold from that city, but simply involves the exchange of gold there for gold held by parties in New York who desire to have it. transferred to San Francisco.

## SALE OF EXCHANGE.

Exchange was sold at par during the year to the amownt of $\$ 1,655,000$ at New Orleans, $\$ 1,000,000$; at San Francisco, $\$ 320,000$, and at Tućson, Ariz., $\$ 335,000$. The office of the depositary at the latter place is entirely supplied with funds by the sale of exchange, and the difficulties. in the way of getting currency to the San Francisco office are partially: obviated in like manner.

## PAYMENT OF REGISTERED INTEREST BY CHECK.

The number of interest checks, funcled loans of 1881 and 1891, the consols of 1907 , and the three-sixty-five loan of the District of Columbia, drawn during the year was greatly in excess of past years, numbering this year 72,560 as against 21,853 last year. The increase in the business of the office and in the number of signatures required is very marked. The number of drafts and checks issued during the year, including interest checks, was 160,795.

## EXAMINATION OF INDORSEMIENTS.

With the great number of drafts and checks annually issued by the: Treasurer and returned to him after payment, but little difficulty by reason of irregular indorsements occurs, except with drafts issued upon warrants, many of which are in settlement of claims, passing through the hands of agents and attorneys before payment, and payableby the one hundred and thirty assistant treasurers and depositaries. Early in the year a system of strict examination was instituted to ascertain the genuineness of indorsements of drafts before payment at this office, and as soon as received from other offices after payment, the means used being a comparison with genume siguatures of payees on file in the department.

In many instances it happens that paid drafts are found not to bear the genuine indorsement of the payees, which arises in some instances from a popular delusion that if, by the request of the payee, or with his knowledge, his name is signed by another it has the same validity as his autograph; in others, from disagreement between clients and attorneys; and in others still, from downight fraud.

In the past, such cases have usuajly slumbered so long that when demand has been made by the rightful clamant no criminal prosecution could be had, and the last indorser, usually a bank, has been obliged to refund, thongh by lapse of time not able to fall back upon prior indorsers.

For instance, a certain claim-agent in 1865 took for collection, among others, the claim of a person for services as a scout for the Union Army during the war; the claimant could not write; after receiving notice from the Quartermaster-General of the allowance of $\$ 1,600$, the agent, by misrepresentation, induced the claimant to take about $\$ 300$ for the claim, and by means of a forged indorsement collected the larger amount through a Baltimore bank. After the lapse of more than ten years the fraud was discovered, the payee demanded his money, the bank was sued, and the amount recovered with interest.

In another case a bank officer from a distant point received the custody of certain warrants for large amounts payable to various parties who were not in the city, and in a few minutes presented the warrants for payment with the ink yet damp upon the indorsements; payment was of course refused.

Another case, showing what exertions are made to avoid punishment, came up recently. A fraudulent power of attorney was presented, the forged signature to which was the joint act and in the handwriting of two persons, one writing' the proper name and the other the surname, for the purpose, if detected, of escaping the penalty for forgery by that device.

Over three hundred irregular indorsements were returned for amendment after payment, besides those in which the irregularities were discovered before payment. Of the above number very few, however, were fraudulent.

## SINKING FUND OF THE DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA.

By the seventh section of the act of Congress of June 11, 1878, it was enacted-

That the offices of sinking-fund commissioners are hereby abolished, and all duties and powers possessed by said commissioners are transferred to and shall be exercised by the Treasurer of the United States, who shall perform the same in accordance with the provisions of existing law.

The books, files, and funds in the possession of the commissioners were transferred to this office, and the sinking-fund office was removed and made a part of this office. This adds many duties heretofore performed by four prominent citizens of the District, to those already devolved upon the Treasurer. A full statement of the debt of the District and of the provisions of law pertaining thereto, accompanied by such suggestions as to the requirements of law as occur to me, will be submitted to you hereafter.

## CONCLUSION.

Whatever you may find satisfactory in the transaction of the business of the office is due in a great degree to the fidelity of the Treasurer's subordinate officers' and the faithfulness with which, with very few
exceptions, those who labor at the desks, counters, and tills of the office have performed their duties.

Recent accessions of business to this office, notably the payment of registered interest by check, the redemption of the notes of national banks, the payment of called bonds, the accounts of the Freedman's Bank and of the District of Columbia, while affecting the interests of many individuals, have been attended to, I believe, with the least possible inconvenience to the public, and all the transactions of the office without loss to the government.

In the tables of the appendix will be found statements of the condition of the public accounts and of the current business of the year, and statistical information concerning the currency and kindred matters, which are submitted for your consideration. Very respectfully,

JAS. GILFILLAN, Ireasurer United States.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

## APPENDIX.

I-STATEMENT OF BALANCES AND MOVEMENT OF MONEYS

| Office. | Balances June 30, 1877. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Subject to draft. | Outstanding drafts. | On deposit. |  |
| 'rreasury U. S. ${ }^{\text {I }}$ Washington, D | $\$ 4,496,46585$ | \$127, 78848 | \$4, 624, 25433 | \$155, 158, 53327 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Baltimore, M | 3, 455, 306 24 | 12, 64604 | 3, 467, 95228 | 10, 453,681 41 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., New York, N. Y | 126, 249,361 27 | 584, 58041 | 126,833, 94168 | $256,310,13043$ |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Philadelphia, Pa | 12, 035, 99536 | 56, 51780 | 12, 092, 51316 | 21, 304, 62707 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Boston, Mass. | $8,517,50944$ | 43, 41530 | 8,560, 924 | 26, 446,534 09 |
| Sub-Troasury U. S., Cincimnati, Ohio | 2, 047, 45240 | 24,44933 | 2, 071, 90173 | 3, 382, 26363 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Chicago, Ill... | 3, 006, 61620 | 59, 52512 | 3, 066, 14132 | 17, 206, 58665 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Saiut Louis, Mo | 1, 862, 14930 | 37, 38501 | 1, 899, 53431 | 4, 302, 65030 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., New Orleans, La | 1, 216, 71965 | 60,67140 | 1, 277, 391 05 | 3,337, 83349 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., San Fraucisco, Ca | 1, 368, 33813 | 75, 94945 | 1, 444, 28758 | 12,300, 49532 |
| Depository U. S., Tueson, Aris | 573, 11691 | 1,393 66 | 574, 51057 | 68,706 99 |
| Depository U. S., Pittsburgh, Pa | 2, 12611. |  | 2,126 11 |  |
| Depository U. S., Santa Fe, N. Mex | 24990 |  | '249.90 |  |
| Depository U. S. Galveston, Tex. | 77866 |  | 77866 |  |
| National Banks, Design'd Depositaries U.S.. | 7, 299,999 28 | 230,916 66 | 7,530, 91594 | 99, 830, 72621 |
| National Banks, Special Designated Depositaries U. S., $4 \%$ Consols 1907. |  |  |  | 19, 527, 26166 |
| National Bank, First, New York, N. Y., Special Designated Depositary U. S., $4 \frac{1}{2} \%$ Funded Loan |  | , |  | + $49,590,00000$ |
| National Bank, First, Selma, Ala. (old acc't) . . | 38,985 75 |  | 38,985 75 |  |
| National Bank, Veuango County, Franklin, Pa. (old account) | 216,79138 |  | 216, 79138 |  |
| Mint U. S., Philadelphia, Pa., Bullion Fund... | 3, 210, 11649 |  | 3,210, 11.649 |  |
| Mint U. S., San Fraucisco, Cal., Bullion Fund. | 6, 983, 08982 |  | $6,983,08982$ |  |
| Mint U. S., Carson, Nev., Bullion Fund. | 917, 20522 |  | 917, 20522 |  |
| Mint U.S., Denver, Colo., Bullion Fund | 3,10000 |  | 3,10000 |  |
| Branch Mint U. S., Dahlonega, Ga., Bullion Tund (old account) | 27,950 03 |  | 27,950 03 |  |
| Mint U. S., Philadelphia, Pa., Minor Coin, Metal Fund. | 50, 00000 |  | 50,000 00 |  |
| Mint U. S., Philadelplia, Pa., Minor Coin, Redemption Account | 330,503 25 |  | 330,503 25 |  |
| Minit U. S., Philadelphia, Pa., Recoinage Acc't |  |  |  |  |
| Mint U. S., San Francisco, Cal., Recoinage Account | 9094 |  | 9094 |  |
| U. S. Assay-Office, New York, N. Y., Bullion Fund | 3, 457, 34795 |  | 3, 457,34795 |  |
| U. S. Assay-Office, Boise City, Idaho, Bullion Fund | +500 00 |  | - 50000 |  |
| U.S. Assay-Offico, Charlotte, N. C., Bullion Fund | 20000 |  | 20000 |  |
| U.S. Assay-Office, Charlotto, N. C., Bullion Fund (old account) | 32, 00000 |  | 32,00000 |  |
| U. S. Assay-Office, Helona, Mont., Builion Fund | 50000 |  | $50000$ |  |
| Add amounts "in transit" to offices | $\left\|\begin{array}{r} 187,400,565 \\ 3,085,885 \\ 3 \end{array}\right\|$ | 1,315, 23866 | 188, 715, 80419 |  |
|  | 190, 486, 451 32 |  |  |  |
| Balance of moneys in transitu | 745, 12827 | 2,340,757 52 |  |  |
| General Treasury balances and totals. | 189, 741, 32305 | 1, 025, 51886 | $188,715,80419$ | 679,220, 080 52 |

## OF THe GENERAL TREASURY OF TEE UNTTED STATES.

|  | During the fiscal year. |  |  | Balances June 30, 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Transfers recoived. | Iransfers paid. | Drafts paid. | Receipts counter. entered. | On deposit. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Outstanding } \\ \text { drafts. } \end{gathered}$ | Subject to draft. |
| \$349, 440, 87629 | \$53, 807, 91641 | \$451, 557, 88041 | \$6,624 93 | \$3, 851, 24214 | \$336, 02293 | \$3, 515, 21921 |
| 6,337, 14721. | 12, 729, 49918 | 4, 108, 56988 | 1, 01065 | 3, 419, 70119 | 15, 13217 | $3,404,56902$ |
| 115, 571, 91354 | $265,778,13001$ | 77, 163, 80739 | 65,77389 | 155, 708, 27436 | $1,109,19618$ | 154, 599, 07818 |
| 23, 239, 67546 | 39, 389, 81033 | 9, 565, 56752 | 36, 84485 | 7, 644, 59299 | 242,598 65 | 7, 401, 99434 |
| $22,334,18954$ | 35, 366, 64623 | $13,675,355.27$ | 2,528 27 | 8,297, 11860 | 331, 65579 | 7, 965,462 81 |
| $9,544,13899$ | 10,516,361 77 , | 2, 562,323 60 | 7, 411873 | 1., 912, 20025 | 59, 47391 | 1, 852, 72634 |
| 8, 028, 55745 | 15, 089, 276 71 | 8, 462, 32714 | 1,220 35 | 4, 748, 461. 22 | 275, 83436 | 4, 472, 62636 |
| $7,823,20513$ | $5,998,34666$ | 4, 850,629 40 | 2, 31216 | 3, 174, 10152 | 126, 95168 | 3, 047, 14934 |
| 2, 976, 35225 | 2, 072,948 05 | 3, 420, 83392 | 14,720 29 | $2,074,07453$ | 107, 16727 | 1, 966,90726 |
| 4, 466, 29625 | 2, 886,311 44 | 6, 341, 30351 | 1, 0711.9 | 8, 982, 39301 | 159, 10310 | 8, 823, 28991 |
| - 371, 17400 |  | 721, 30619 |  | 293, 08537 | 42454 | - 292, 66083 |
|  |  |  |  | 2, 12611 |  | 2,12611 |
|  |  |  |  | 24990 778 |  | 24990 77866 |
|  |  |  |  | 7 77886 |  | 6.686 $\quad 778$ (66 |
| 2,377, 413 75. | $90,139,58448$ | 12, 541, 93915 | 49,672 73 | 7, 007, 85954 | 321, 52189 | 6, 686,337 65 |
| - 2,81004 | 3, 928,325 46 |  | 10,615 33 | 15, 591, 13091 |  | 15,591, 13091 |
|  | 24, 939, 20000 |  |  | 24, 650, 80000 |  | 24,650, 80000 |
|  |  |  |  | 216, 79138 |  | 216,79138 |
| 15, 350, 16861 | '. 8, 634,480 72 |  |  | 9, 925, 80438 |  | 9, 925, 80438 |
| 3, 375, 00000 | - 3,647,922 54 |  |  | 6, 710, 16728 |  | 6,710,167 28 |
| 1, 829,300 19 | - 1, 764,525 11 |  |  | 981, 98030 |  | 981, 98030 |
|  |  |  |  | 27,950 03 |  | 27,950 03 |
|  |  |  |  | 50,00000 |  | 50,000 00 |
| $472,21578$ | $556,97412$ |  |  | 245, 74491 |  | 245, 74498 |
|  |  |  |  | 9094 |  | 90 94: |
| 6,600, 00000 | 1, 729,393 01 |  |  | 8,327,954 94 |  | 8,327, 954 94: |
|  |  |  |  | 50000 |  | $500 \cdot 00$ |
|  |  |  |  | 20000 |  | 20000 |
|  |  |  |  | 32,000 00 |  | 32,00000 |
|  |  |  |  | 50000 |  | 50000 |
|  |  |  |  | 273, 915, 76437 | 3, 085, 08247 | $\begin{array}{r} 270,830,68190 \\ 1,438,46177 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 272,269,14367 \\ 257,36866 \end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  | $1,181,09311$ |  |
| 580, 145, 81298 | 578, 985, 22657 | 594, 980; 84338 | 199,813 37 | 273, 915, 76437 | 1, 903, 98936 | 272, 011, 77501 |


| Office. | Balances June 30, 1877. |  |  | During the fiscal year. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Subject todraft. | Outstanding drafts. | On deposit. | Receipts proper. | Transfers received. | Fractional silver coin received for fractional currency in deemed in J . S. motes. |
| Treasury U.S., Washington, D. C | \$8, 691, 00664 | \$702 41 | \$8, 691, 70905 | \$82, 329, 26688 | \$168, 457, 56393 | \$2, 376, 21217 |
| Sub.Treasury U. S., Baltimore, Mdi | ${ }^{7} 783$, 37626 |  | 88, 783, 37626 | 2, 857, 12396 | 303, 54995 |  |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., New Yoik, N. Y | 81, 886, 65613 | 14,68081 | 81, 901, 33664 | 200, 889,02005 | 30, 658, 29871 |  |
| Sub.Treasury U. S., Philiadelphia, Pa | $1,866,779$ <br> 4,939 <br> 495 | 26,38082 10,77150 | $1,893,160$ $4,950,367$ 4 | $\begin{array}{r}7,012,560 \\ 14,149 \\ \hline 145 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 3,235,00685 \\ & 6,876,53009 \end{aligned}$ | ................ |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Cincimati, Olio | 4, 634,81768 |  |  | 14, 11515045 | $1,154,10205$ |  |
| Sab-Treasury U. S., Clicago, M1. | 517, 56160 |  | 517, 56160 | 3, 583,18548 | 607, 14762 |  |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Saint Louis, Mo | 465, 59848 |  | 46ã, 59888 | 1,749, 51014 | 617, 10526 |  |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., New Orleaus, La | 549,489 14 | 1750 | 549, 50664 | 1, 817,630 58 | 569, 84658 |  |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., San Fraucisco, Cal | $1,047,69727$ 738 | 1,654 45 | 1, 049, 35172 | 0, 099, 62689 | 1,720, 29625 |  |
| Depository U. S., Galveston, Tex. (old account) | 7786 |  | 77866 |  |  |  |
| National Banks, Designated Depositarics, J. S |  |  |  | 49, 590, 20985 |  |  |
| National Banks. Designated Depositaries, 4 per cent. Consols of 1 |  | .............. |  | 19, 527, 26015 | 2, 611167 |  |
| Mint U. S., Pliladelphia, Pa. (recoinage account). |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Mint U. S., Sant fraucisco, Cal (recoinage account) | 3220,116 49 |  | 3,210, 11649 |  | 15,350, 681 |  |
| Bullion Fund, Mint U. S., Sau Francisco, Cad | 6, 983,089 82 |  | 6, 983; 08982 |  | 3, 140, 00000 |  |
| Bulliou Fund, Mint U. S., Carson, Nev | 917, 20522 |  | 917, 20522 | ........... | 1., 820, 30019 |  |
| Bullion Fund, Mint U. S., Denver, Coto................................. | 3,100 00 |  | 3,100 00 |  |  |  |
| Bullion Frund, Brauch Mint U. S., Dahlonega, Ga. (old account). | 3, $\begin{array}{r}275,950 \\ 4 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 27,95003 $3,457,347$ 95 |  | 6, 600000000 |  |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Boise City, Idaho.. | 3, 45, 50000 |  | $\bigcirc{ }^{3} 50000$ |  | 0,00,000 0 |  |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Charlotte, iN. C. (new account) | - 20000 |  | 20000 |  |  |  |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Charlotte, N. C. (old account) | 32,000 00 |  | 32, 00000 |  |  |  |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Helena, Mout ... | 50000 |  | 50000 |  |  |  |
| Add amounts "in transit" to oftices | $\begin{array}{r} 116,015,46512 \\ 1,623,12570 \end{array}$ | 54, 20749 | 116, 069, 67261 |  |  |  |
|  | 117, 6388,5908 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Balance of moneys in transitu. | 658,732 60 | 964, 39310 |  |  |  |  |
| General 'rreasury balances and totals | 116, 979, 85822 | 910, 18561 | 116, 069, 67261 | 394, 120, 67712 | 250, 126, 90626 | 2,376, 21217 |



| Offe. | During the fiscal year. |  | Balances June 30, 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Fractional silver coin paid in lieu of curtency. | Standard silver dollars paid in lieu of currency. | On deposit. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Outstanding } \\ & \text { drafts. } \end{aligned}$ | Subject to draft. |
| Treasury J. S., Washington, D. C | \$2, 925, 68495 | \$2, 342, 69600 | \$4, 665, 64983 | \$1, 81200 | \$4, 663, 83783 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Baltimore, Md | 125, 508800 | 50, 00000 | 788, 23913 | 5, 00000 | 783, 23913 |
| Sub-Treasury D. S., New York, N. Y | 405, 47000 | 75,00000 50 | $\begin{array}{r}120,808,22281 \\ 2 \\ 107 \\ 463 \\ \hline 13\end{array}$ | 354, 71775 | 120, 453, 505060 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Philadelphia, Pa. | 275,20000 16,800 00 | 50,00000 5000000 | $2,107,36313$ <br> $4,603,054$ | 261, 28737 | $2,107,36313$ <br> $4,341,767$ <br> 03 |
| Sab-Treasury U. S., Cincimati, Ohio | 216, 80919 | 200, 00000 | -855, 81683 | 21, 3 | -855, 81683 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Chicago, Il . | 167, 90000 | 150, 000000 | 771, 92774 | 30865 | 771, 61909 |
| Suh-Treasury U. S., Saint Louis, Mo. | 202,27600 152,050 00 | 150,000 100 1000 | 776,182 28 |  | 776, 18228 |
| Sub-Treasury U. S., Now Orleans, La | 152, 05000 | 100, 00000 | $\begin{array}{r}1,216,34078 \\ 8,512,865 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 85 1,68480 | $1,216,25533$ <br> $8,511,181$ <br> 12 |
| Depository U. S., Tucson, Ariz...... | 49143 |  | $\bigcirc{ }^{8}$ |  | 8, ${ }_{387} 96$ |
| Dopository U. S., Galveston, Tex. (old account) |  |  | 77866 |  | 77866 |
| National Banks, Designated Depositaries U. S . . .................... |  |  | $24,650,83500$ $15,591,130$ 91 |  | 24, 650, 83500 |
| Mint U. S., Philadelphia, Pa. (recoinage accoont) ... |  |  | - 262 |  | , 262 |
| Mint U. S., San Francisco, Cal. (recoinage aecount) |  |  | 9094 |  | 9094 |
| Bullion Fund, Mint U. S., Philadelphia, Pa |  |  | 9, 925, 80438 |  | 9, 925, 80438 |
| Bullion Fund, Mint U. S.. San Francisco, Cal |  |  | 6, 710, 1.6728 |  | 6,710, 16728 |
| Bulliou Fund, Mint U. S., Carson, Nev. |  |  | 981, 98030 |  | 981, 98030 |
| Bullion Fund, Mint U. S., Denver, Colo |  |  | 3,100 00 |  | 3,100 00 |
| Bullion Fund, Brauch Mrint O. S., Dahlonega, Ga. (old account) |  |  | 27,950 03 |  | 27,950 03 |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, New York, in. Y. |  |  | 8, 327, 95494 |  | 8, 327, 95494 |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Boise City, Idaho |  |  | 50000 |  | 50000 |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Charlotte, N. C. (rew account) |  |  | 20000 |  | 200.00 |
| Bullion Fuad, U. S. A.ssay-Oftice, Charlotte, N. C. (old account) |  |  | 32,000 00 |  | 32, 00000 |
| Bullion Fund, U. S. Assay-Office, Helena, Mont........... |  |  | 50000. |  | 50000 |
| Add amounts "in transit" to offices. |  |  | 211, 359, 04587 | 624, 89602 | $\begin{array}{r} 210,734,14985 \\ 112,70529 \end{array}$ |
| Deduct amounts "in remittance" from office |  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 210,846,85514 \\ 322,29687 \end{array}$ |
| Balance of moneys in transitu ....... |  |  | ("Inremittance:') | 209,591 58 |  |
| General Treasury balances and totals. | 4, 488, 18957 | . 3, 167, 69600 | 211, 359, 04587 | 834,48760 | 210, 524, 55827 |


|  | Balances June 30， 1877. |  |  | During the fiscal year． |  |  |  |  | Balances June 30， 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Office． | $\begin{aligned} & \dot{3} \\ & \text { 苞 } \\ & 0 \\ & \underset{0}{3} \end{aligned}$ |  |  | ذ | $$ |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { 苟 } \\ & \text { O} \\ & 0 \\ & 0 \\ & \text { g } \end{aligned}$ |  |  |
| Treasury U．S．，Washingtom，D．C． | \＄35， 32600 | \＄4，180 40 | \＄31， 14560 | \＄1，176， 29178 | \＄．148， 24041 | \＄1，327，612 36 |  | \＄32 53 | \＄32， 21330 | \＄1， 46534 | \＄30， 74796 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，New York，N．Y． | 513， 42951 | 15，793 81 | 497， 63570 |  | 7，935， 13390 | 4，137， 31697 | \＄3，088， 62403 |  | 1，222， 62241 | 13， 216.35 | 1，209， 40606 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，Boston，Mass．．．． | 124， 32595 | 1，22285 | 123， 10310 |  | 570， 76512 | 407， 71703 | 150,00000 |  | 137， 37404 | $\begin{array}{r}233 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 137， 14030 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，Philadelphia，Pa． | 127，582 08 | － 8023 | 127， 50185 | 75， 00000 | 541， 63539 | 637， 22467 | 25， 00000 |  | 81，992 80 | 4， 32933 | 77， 66347 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，Saint Louis，Mo． | 33， 02405 | 3， 61836 | 29， 40569 | 825，000 00 | 264， 49667 | 1，076， 17825 |  |  | 46，342 47 | 4， 10841 | 42， 23406 |
| Sul－Treasury U．S．，San Francisco，Cal | 50，498 17 | 3，786 96 | 46， 711.21 |  | 353， 13832 | 345， 9958 |  |  | 57， 64067 | 9，357 23 | 48，283 44 |
| Sul－Treasury U．S．，New Orleans，La． | 32， 24195 | 4，277 98 | 28， 26397 | 300，000 00 | 98， 67070 | 406， 39049 |  |  | 24， 82216 | 3， 96683 | 20， 85533 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，Baltimore，Md．．． | 56， 05907 | 35007 | 55， 70900 | 50，173 00 | 148， 91487 | 196， 18731 |  |  | 58， 95963 | 39190 | 58，567 73 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，Cincinnati，Ohio． | 40，351 48 | 6，413 05 | 33， 93843 | 200， 00000 | 204． 28323 | 385， 24002 |  | 4373 | 59，350 96 | 6， 35071 | 53,00025 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，Chicago，Ill ．．．．．． | 100， 43725 | 21757 | 100，219 68 | 675,00000 | 32077310 | 999， 60405 |  |  | 96， 60630 | 22599 | 96， 38031 |
| Sub－Treasury U．S．，New Orleans，La． （old account） | 31， 16444 |  | 31， 16444 |  |  |  |  |  | 31， 16444 |  | 31， 16444 |
| Depository T．S．，Little Rock，Ark． （old acconnt） | 5， 82350 |  | 5，823 50 |  |  |  |  |  | 5，823 50 | ． | 5，823 50 |
| Depository U．S．，Galveston，Tex． （old account） | 8336 |  | 8336 |  |  |  |  |  | 8336 |  | 8336 |
| Depository U．＇S．，Savannab，Ga．（old account） | 20576 |  | 20576 |  |  |  |  |  | 20576 |  | 20576 |
| National Banks，Designated Deposita－ ries Onited States． | 6， 47741 | 32 | 6，477 09 |  | 37，570 10 |  | 37， 84075 | 20526 | 6， 00150 | 32 | 6，001 18 |
| Natioual Bank，Merchants＇，Wash－ ington，D．C． | 2，801 00 |  | 2， 80100 |  |  |  |  |  | 2，801 00 |  | 2， 80100 |
| Total | 160， 13098 | 139，941 60 | 120， 18938 | 3，301， 46478 | 10，623， 62181 | 9，919， 46697 | 3，301，464 78 | 28152 | 1，864， 00430 | 43， 64615 | ，820，358 15 |
| Revenncs eollected by Postmasters Warrant of Postmaster－General ．．． | the Quart | er ended | ptember | 1877，as per | 5，699， 769 93 | 5，699， 76993 | Moneys expe | nded by | Postmasters | for the sam | e period． |
| Revenues collected by Postmasters Warrant of Postmaster－General． | or the Quar | ter ended | ecember 31 | 1877，as per | 6，003， 58257 | $6,003,58257$ | Do． |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues collected by Postmasters rant of Postmaster－General | r the Quart | er ended | arch 31， 187 | as per War－ | 6，192， 36330 | 6，192， 36330 | Do． |  |  |  |  |
| Revenues collected by Postmastersf of Postmaster－General． | the Quart | $r$ ended J | $1030,1878, \text { a }$ | per Warrant | 6，182， 36194 | 6，182， 36194 | Do． |  |  |  |  |
| Total reeeipts． |  |  |  |  | 34，701， 69955 | 133，997， 54471 | Total Expend | ditures． |  |  |  |

The foregoing, Statement $I$. shows the balances and movement of moneys of the United States for the Post-Office Department, as does Statement I. for the General Tveasury.

All Receipts and Pay. Warrants issued by the Postmaster-General aro veceiverl and registered in the Office of the Treasurer of the United States, on account of the Post-Office Department, which is credited with the amount covered in by the former; the latter, after having been signed by the Treasurer or Assistant Treasurer, are returned to the Post-Office Department, Whence they are mailed to the payees as drafts upon which payment is to be made. When paid, they are returned as vouchors by the officers paying, and, after velification of indorsements, are charged to the United States, on account of the Post-Office Department, in the Treasurer's Quarterly Account, rondered to the Auditor of the Treasury for the Post-Office Department.
Copies of the Treasurer's Quarterly Account with the United States on account of the Post-Office Department are cendered anmually to the Senate and House of Representatives.
The following is a summary of the Treasurer's Quartorly Accomut with the United States on account of the Post-Office Dopartment for the fiscal year 1878:
To Expenditures by Warrant paid by Treasurer ............................ $\$ 9,910,48$.

$\$ 9,919,46697$
me Expentitures by Postmasters, warmanted by settlement ........................................ 24, 078,077 74

| Total Expenditures | 33, 397, 54471 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Balance due the United States June 30, 1878. | 1,864, 00430 |
|  | 35, 861, 54901 |
| By Receipts by Warrant covered into the Treasnry | $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{Cl} . \\ \$ 10,623,340 \\ 29 \end{gathered}$ |
| ByReceipts by Postmasters, covered in by Warrant on settlement | 24, 078, 07774 |
| Total Reccipts, uet | 34, 701, 41803 |
| Balance due the Unitel States Jume 30, 1877 | 1,160, 13098 |
|  | 35, 861, 54901 |

## HI-DOCUMEN'SS ISSUED, RECEIVED, AND EXAMINED.

The documents enumerated below, necossary to the propor kceping of the accounts, were received or issued by this oftice duting the fiscal year, viz:

10,455 Transcripts of Accounts received, examined, and ontered in detail.
28,964 Pay-Warrants received, jounnalizod, registered, and entered in Quarterly Account.
29,638 Drafts issmed, examined, registered, and delivered or mailed.
7,080 Notices of Drafts issued, examined, and mailed to Depositaries.
23,710 Letters issued int transmittal of Duafts.
29,425 Paid Drafts received, and indorsements examined and verified.
313 Diafts returned for perfection of indorsements.
500 Transfer Orders issued, payable by express at govemment expense.
2,008 Transfer Letters issued, jayable without expense to the govemment.
2,048 Transfer Letters issued, payable at government expense.
15,296 Certificates of Deposit of tionisfer of funds and vonchers received and verified.
2,870 Daily Statements of Liabilities and Assets of Sub-Treasuries and Depositories.
664 Statements and Reports to the Secretary of the Tieasury.
1,065 Manuscript Letters.
154,036 total mumber of clocuments; \&c., manipulated in connection with the accounts.
Transcripts of Account with the Trensurer of the United States are received from the Treasury of the United States (Cash Division), Washington, D. C. ; the several Sub-Treasurics, Depositories, Mints, and Assay-Offices of the United States, and from National Banks, designated by the Secretary of the Treasuiy as depositaries of the United States, daily from some and at stated periods from others.
For the payment of all moneys out of the Treasury, diafts are issued by the Treasurer of the United States on the Pay. Warrants of the Seeretary of the Treasury.

Treasury Drafts that have boen paid are forwarded to the Treasurer as vouchers to accompany the transcript of the account in which he is charged with the payment of the same.
Transfer Orders are issued under the authorization of the Secretary of the Treasury, and, for the most part, used in transferring funds from one officer of the Treasury of the United States to another. The funds are generally delivered by express.
Transfer Letters are issued by the Treasurer on National Bank depositaries, and are ased for the purpose of transferring funds to tho several Sub-Treasuries, the expense of attending such transfers being borne by the banks.

The Daily Statements enable the Treasurer to transfer moneys, as they may be necded, from one office to anotirer, and give him such other information as is ncerled for intelligent control over the accounts of the Gencral Treasury, Post-Oftice Department, Transfer Accounts, Redemptions, \&c.
A. Daily Cash Statement is remlered to the Secretary of the Treasury, showing the arailable coin and currency babanees.
IV.-STATIEMENT OF UNAVAIIABLE FUNDS JUNE 30, 1878.

The following items of Deposit, Deficit, Default, or Failuno were unavailable (not sulbject to draft) $\$$ on June 30, 1878, viz:

On deposit with the State of Maine, 1.837
Coin.
Vermont.
$\$ 955,83825$
New Hampshire................................
669, 08679
Massachusetts
669, 08679
Connecticut.
1., 338,17358

764, 67060
382, 33530
Rhode Island
New York
New Jorsey.
Ohio
Indiana
, 014, 2077
2, 867, 51478
764, 67060
$2,007,26034$
860, 25444
477, 919.14
Michigan
286, 75149


The Post-Office Department Malance "subject to draft," as shown by Statement II. is $\$ 1,820,358.15$, of which the following items of Default and Failure were unavailable (not stibject to draft) on June 30, 1878, viz:

|  | Coin. | Currency. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Default, Sub-Treasury United States, New Orleans, La., 1861, outbreak of Rebellion. | \$31, 16444 | . |  |
| Depository United States, Savannal, Ga., 1861, out- |  |  |  |
| Depository ÚnitedStates, Galveston, Tex., 1861, ont- |  |  |  |
| Depository United States, Little Rock, Ark., 1861, outbreak of Rebellion | $\cdot \mathrm{5}, 82350$ |  |  |
| Failure, Merchants' National Bank of Washington, D. C., 1866 |  | \$2,80100 |  |
| Totals | 37, 27706 | 2,801 00 | \$40, 07806 |
| recalitulation of totals. |  |  |  |
| General Treasury moneys unavailable June 30, 1878 | 28; 589, 51767 | 992,645 54 | 29,582, 16321. |
| Post-Office Department moneys unavailable June 30, 1878... | 37,277 06 | 2,801 00 | 40, 07806 |
| Total unarailable | 28,626,794 73 | 995, 44654 | 29,622,241 27 |

## V.-WARRAN'TS AND DRAFTS.

The receipts were covered into the Treasury by 15,315 Revenue and Counter Warrants, and the expenditures were authorized by 28,964 Pay and Transfer Wartants, to facilitate the payment of which 29,638 drafts were issued by this oftico. The number of warrants and drafts issued during the last ten fiscal years is given below:

|  | 1869. | 1870. | 1871. | 1872. | 1873. | 1874. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Covoring. Warrants | 10, 990 | 111, 800 | 11, 323 | 12, 450 | 14,560 | 14, 959 | 14, 679 | 15, 091 | 13,192 | 15,315 |
| Pay-Warrants. | 27, 510 | 25,304 | 25, 711 | 27, 020 | 31, 493 | 33, 782 | 38, 300 | 32, 540 | 33,317 | 28,964 |
| Drafts | 30,752 | 25,954 | 31,759 | 31, 757 | 36, 234 | 37, 666 | 39, 161 | 33, 800 | 34, 738 | 29,638 |
| Total General Treasury . | 60, 252 | 68, 058 | 68,798 | 71, 227 | 82, 287 | 86, 407 | 87, 140 | 81, 431 | 81, 247 | 73,917 |
| Post-Office Department Pay-Warrants | 5,704 | 5, 10.1 | 6, 058 | 6,707 | 8, 005 | 10,637 | 12, 278 | 13, 456 | 12,594 | 11,468 |
| Grand Total. | 74, 956 | 68,159 | 74,851 | 77,934 | 90,292 | 97; 044 | 95, 418 | 94, 887 | 93, 841 | 85, $38 \dot{5}$ |

VI.-STATEMENT OF THE TREAS

Dr.
The United States in account with James Gilfillan, Treasurer


## URER'S QUARTERLY ACCOUNT.

of the United States, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1878.
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## VII:-STATEMENT EXPLANATORY OF DIFFERENCES BETWEEN BALANCES OF JUNE 30, 1878.

1. 

| It will be seen by roforence to Statement I. of this report that the "General Treasury |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Balance" subject to draft Jume 30,1878 , was And by the "Supplemental Statement" that the "Coin Balance" was.. $\$ 210,524,558$ 27 |  |  |  |  |
| By the "Public Delot Statement" of Juls 1, 1878, the cash in the Treas. |  |  |  |  |
| The differences, amounting to $\qquad$ 13,109, $42528 \quad 15,188,16293$ are explained by the fact that the transcripts of general account, containing reports of receipts into the Treasury prior to July 1,1878 (the amonnt of which is here stated), were not reecived at this office until after that date, from the following offices, viz: |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Sub-Treasury United States, Philadelphia.... | $\underset{\$ 26,674}{\text { Coin. }} 5$ | ${ }^{\text {rency. }} \$ 30,27749$ | Coin. |  |
| Sub-Treasury United States, Boston ...... | 14, 19952 | 62, 79373 |  |  |
| Sulv-Treasury United States, Cincinnati...... | 12,847 39 | 22, 20162 |  |  |
| Sub-Treasury United States, Chicago | 48, 71530 | 88, 08549 |  |  |
| Sub-Treasury United States, Saint Lonis. | 10, 07770 | 21, 15200 |  |  |
| Sub-Treasury United States, New Orleans... | 1,589 71 | 17,144 59 |  |  |
| Sub-Trcasury United States, San Fraucisco.. | 674, 71133 | 765, 96794 |  |  |
| National Banks, Designated Depositaries ${ }^{\text {a }}$.......... |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| United States |  | 1, 101, 91491 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Designated Dopositary, $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Funded |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Unarailable cash, as per statement of this re- |  |  |  |  |
| port, included in ledger balance, but not in that of the "Public Debt Statement" | 67,432 05 | 987,632 58 |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| of $1907, \$ 500,000$; coin deposited for bonds of 47 per cent. Funded Loan of 1891, $\$ 1,000,000$; |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| : lic Debt Statement," as the bouds had not |  |  |  |  |
| been issued............................... ${ }^{\text {a }}$ (1,500,000 $0011,500,00000$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Amount connter-entered on account of stand- |  |  |  |  |
| Currency reccipts erroneously withbeld from ${ }^{\text {Cin }}$ - 201,00000 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Currency reccipts erroneously witbheld from statement of cash in the Treasury July 1, |  |  |  |  |
| Gold withheld for currency paid................ ..... 9,07000 ............. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Less annount of Gold Salcs and Silver Pay. ${ }^{13,324,140} 7815,389,98598$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| ments |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Less amount of Counter-Entries of Receipts.. | 200, 00000 | 201, 82305 |  |  |
|  |  |  | 9,425 28 | \$15, 188, 162.93 |
|  | 2. |  |  |  |

The General Treasury Balance "subject to draft," as shown by Statement I., is ........ 272, 011, 77501
To which being added the amount on deposit with the States, transferred under act of
Congress approved June 23, 1836
28, 101, 64491
The total lalance of General Troasury Moneys is found to be
300, 113, 41992
and minus the amount of difference botween "Receipts not covered in". \$13, 521, 96604
and "Warrants remaining unpaid".................................. ...... 367, 62487
$13,154,34117$

[^24]VIII.-STATEMEN' OF BALANCES REMATNRNG TO THE CREDIT OF UNITED STATES DISBORSING-OFFICERS AND AGENTS, JUNE 30, 1878.

| Oftices. | Amounts. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Treasury of the United States, Washington, D. C | \$1, 822, 43425 |
| Sub-Treasury United States, New York, N. Y. | 12, 801, 85731 |
| Boston, Mass | 466, 70463 |
| Philadelphia, Pa | 1, 614, 30431 |
| Saint Louis, Mo | 393, 83132 |
| San Francisco, Cal | 1,741, 83069 |
| New Orleans, La | 2, 532, 05377 |
| Baltimore, Md | 181, 20611 |
| Cincinnati, Ohio | 103, 28744 |
| Depository United States, Tucson, Ariz ...... | 759, 30230 |
| Depository United States, Tucson, Ariz ............... | 107, 24303 |
| National Banks desiguated as depositaries United States | 3, 147, 04819 |
| Total | 25, 671, 10335 |

During the fiscal year, 7,552 "Lists of balanees standing to the credit of United States disbursing-ofticers and ageuts" vere received by this office; 61,423 "Statements of public fimds" and "Abstracts of weekly statements" were received for examination, comparison, and certification, and returned to the bureaus and departments from which sent; and 133 letters were orritten in regard to errors and corrections.
IX.-STATEMENT BY CLASSES OF ONITED STATES DISBURSLATG-OFFICERS AND AGENTS.

| Classes. | Reporting. | Not re. porting. | Totals. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Army: |  |  |  |
| Quartermasters | 237 | 154 | 391 |
| Commissaries. - | 119 | 60 | 179 |
| Recruiting officers | 43 | 7 | 50 |
| Paymasters....... | 53 | 9 | 62 |
| Engineer ofticers. | 49 | 11 | 60 |
| Ordnance officers | 28 | ... 8 | 36 |
| Medical officers . . | 4 | $\cdots \quad 1$ | 5 |
| Signal Service ofticers | 5 | 2 | 7 |
| Fngineer agents . | 2 | - 0 | 2 |
| Superintendent Military Academy | 0 | - 1 | 1 |
| Chief disbursing-officer'. | 1 | 0. | 1 |
| Staff officers . . . . . . . . . . | 5 | 3 | 8 |
| Navy: |  |  |  |
| Pay-directors. |  | 1 | 6 |
| Pay-inspectors. | - 5 | 5 | 10 |
| Paymasters................ | 19 | 14 | 33 |
| Passed assistant paymasters. | 4. | 6 | 10 |
| Civil: |  |  |  |
| Collectors of eustoms. | 120 | 22 | 142 |
| Surveyors of enstoms. | 12 | 14 | 26 |
| Superintendents of life-saving service | 8 | 2 | 10 |
| Collectors of internal revenue | 85 | 31 | 116 |
| United States marshals | 65 | 9 | 74 |
| Officers Light-House Board | 28 | 7 | 35 |
| Supervising Anchiteet disloursing age | 23 | 6 | 29 |
| Onited States Indian agents | 64 | 65 | 129 |
| Superimtendents of Indian Affairs | 3 | 9 | 12 |
| Department disbursing-clerks ... | 4 | 4 | 8 |
| Pension agents | 31 | 0 | 31 |
| Other disbursing agents ............... | 14 | 45 | 59 |
| Commissiones of Northern Boundary | 0 | 1 | 1 |
| Receivers of public moneys........... | 93 | 6 | 99 |
| Totals | 1,129 | 503 | 1,632 |


XI.-LIST OF. NATIONAL BANKS WHICH FAILED DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1878.

| Statc. | . . Place. . . . | Title. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Colorado. | Georgetown | First National Bank. |
| Illinois | Chioago..... | Third National Bank. |
| Do.. | ...do | Central National Bank. |
| Indiana | Delphi. | First National Bank. |
| Missouri | Kansas City | Cominuercial National Bank. |
| Do.... | ...do ...... | First National Bank. |
| New York | Tarrytown. | First National Bank. |
| Do....... | Greonwich... | Washington County National Bank. |
| Pennsylvania | Lock Haven : Ashland ... | Lock Haren National Bank. |
| Do. | Allentowa | First National Bank. : |
| Do. | Waynesburg | First National Bank. |
| Texas. | Dallas | First National Bank. |

XII-LIST OF NATIONAL BANKS WEIICH WENT INTO FOLUNTARY LIQUIDATION DURING THE FISCAL YEAR 1878.

| State. | Place. | Title. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Connecticut. | Now London. | First National Bank. |  |
| Colorado | Lake City | Tirst National Bayk. |  |
| Mlinois | Streator .... | First Natioual Rank. |  |
| Do. | Saint Charles. | Kane County National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Prophetstown | First National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Chicago...... | German National Bank. |  |
| Indiana | Union City .. | First National Bank. |  |
| Do Do | La Fayette | Second National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Tell City | First National bank. |  |
| Iowa.. | Boone | First National Bank. |  |
| Kansas | Paola | First National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Fort Scott | Merchauts' Nationai Bank. |  |
| Do. | Wyandatt | First National Bank. |  |
| Massachusetts | Boston. | Eleventh Ward National Bank. |  |
|  | Worcester | Security National Bank. |  |
| Michigan | Adrian. | First National Jank. |  |
| Do. | Negaunce | First National Bank. |  |
| Do | Jackson | First National Bank. |  |
| Missouri | Pleasant Hill | First National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Iudependence. | First National lank. |  |
| Do | Carthage. | First National Bank. |  |
| Do | Saint Louis | Second National Bank. |  |
| Minnesot | Minveapolis | State National Bank. |  |
| New Yor |  | The National Exchange Bank. |  |
| Do. | New York | Tenth National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Nyack ...... | Rockland County National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Gloversville | The National Bank. |  |
| Ohio Do. | Napoleon. | First National Bank: |  |
| ${ }_{\text {Do }}$ | Mancraster. | First National Bank. |  |
| Do | Portsmouth | Kimey National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Pomeroy. | First National Bank. |  |
| Do | Middleport | First National Mank. |  |
| Do | Waslington (C. H | First National Bank. |  |
| Pennsylvania | Asslandi......... | First National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Scranton. | Second National Bank. |  |
| Rhode Island | Wakefield | The National Exchange Bank. |  |
| Vermont. | Chelsea-: | Orange County National Bank. |  |
| Wisconsin | Green Bay | First National Bank. |  |
| Do. | Eau Claire | F'urst National Bank. |  |

XIIL--STATEMENT OF SEMI.ANNUAL DUTY PAID BY NATIONAL BANKS FOR THE CALENDAR YEARS 1864 TO 1877, INCLUSIVE.

| Year. | On circulation. | On deposits. | On capital. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1864 | \$287, 83680 | \$413, 05461. | \$55, 66147 | \$756,552 88 |
| 1865 | 1., 371, 17052 | 2, 103,797 57 | 316, 91672 | 3, 791, 88481 |
| 1866 | $2,638,39635$ | 2, 668,674 72 | 350,545 29 | 5, 657, 616 36 |
| 1867. | 2, 934,685 63 | 2, 518,780 65 | 314, 80942 | 5, 768, 36570 |
| 1868. | 2, 955, 39460 | 2, 657, 23591 | 299, 12621 | 5, 011, 75672 |
| 1869 | 2, 956, 16802 | $2,525,571.87$ | 349, 14797 | 5, 830, 88786 |
| 1870. | 2, 941, 38141 | 2, 694, 48026 | 381, 59867 | 6, 017, 46034 |
| 1871. | 3, 092,797 56 | 3, 027, 76758 | 385, 24707 | 6,505,812 21 |
| 1872 | 3, 282, 59746 | $3,144,83945$ | 418,88375 | $6,846,32066$ |
| 1873 | 3, 393, 61918 | $3,145,46726$ | 471, 96708 | 7, 011, 053 '52 |
| 1874 | 3, 366, 79392 | 3, 427, 57631 | 476, 38817 | 7, 270, 758.40 |
| 1875 | 3, 194, 59229 | 3,557, 05000 | 565,88951 | 7, 317,531 80 |
| 1876. | 2, 964, 34117 | 3, 441,560 68 | 670, 18444 | 7, 076, 08629 |
| 1877. | 2, 905, 87966 | 3, 383, 62232 | 613, 07143 | 6,902,573 41 |
| Total | 38,285,654 57 | 38, 709, 47919 | 5,669, 52720 | 82, 664, 660.96 |

## XTV.-EXAMINATION OF SECURITIES UNDER SECTION 5166, REVISED STATUTES.

One thousand eight hundred and twenty-throe examinations of the securitics held in trust for national banke were made during the fiscal year 1878.

## XV.-STATEMENT OF THE NUMBER OF NATIONAL-BANK DEPOSITARIES.


Number discontimued in fiscal year 1878..............................................................- 14 $_{24}$

XVI.-STATEMENT BY LOANS OF ONI'ED S'ATES BONDS HELD IN IRUST FOR NATIONAL BANKS JUNE 30, 1878; AND OF CHANGES DURING FISCAL YEAR 1878, N CHARACIER OF BONDS HELD.

| Title of loas. | Bonds held in trust. |  |  | Deposits and withdrawals of Onited States loonds. |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  | Cireulation. |  |  | Deposits. |  |  |
|  | For circulation. | For public doposits. | Total, | Deposited. | Withdrawn. | Increase. | Deposited. | Withdrawn. | Decrease. |
| ${ }^{*} 6$ Per cent coin |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| February 8, 1861............ | \$2, 443, 000 | \$99,000 | ............. | \$115, 000 | \$ $\$ 4.20,000$ |  |  | \$40, 000 | .-........... |
| July 17, and Angust 5, 1861. | $35,851,800$ $20,242,900$ | 790,800 609,000 |  | 2, 021, 6300 | 4,617, 300 | .......... | $\$ 30,000$ 162,000 | 192, 000 | ............ |
| March 3, $1863 . . .$. | 20, 242, 900 | 609,000 31,900 |  | 636, 600 | 2,035,700 |  | 162,000 | 171, 000 |  |
| Tive-Twenties of 1865 | 3,000 | 1, 000 |  |  | 34,000 |  |  | 25, 000 |  |
| Consols of 1865....... | 7, 266, 800 | 60, 600 |  | 6, 630, 000 | 5, 318, 050 |  |  | 520, 450 |  |
| Consols of 1867 | - 7,939,700 | 1., 813, 550 |  | 1, 077, 400 | 1, 715, 150 |  | 15,500 | 427, 000 |  |
| Consols of 1868. | - 1,974,000 | 273,000 | , | 482, 000 | 704, 000 |  |  |  |  |
| - 5 PLEL CENT. CON. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| March 3, 1864-Ten-Forties. | 73, 596, 700 | 3, 683, 800 |  | 1,537, 700 | 7,049, 800 |  | 985, 000 | 1,322, 000 |  |
| Funded Loan of 1881 ....... | $125,917,850$ | 3,380, 900 |  | 5,552, 950 | 7, 177, 350 |  | 436, 000 | I, 254, 000 | ........... |
| 41 IER CENT. COLN. |  |  | , |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Funded Loan of 1891 | 48, 448, 650 | 1,880,000 |  | 12, 527, 400 | 8,451, 000 |  | 297,500 | 387, 000 |  |
| 4 rek CENT, CONS. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consols of 1907. | 19,162, 000 | 1,091,450 |  | 20, 613,000 | 1,451, 000 |  | 1, 221, 450 | 130, 000 | ............ |
| G PER CENT, CURIENCY. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pacific Railway (curenoy) sixes. Personal Bonds. | 6,700, 000 | 143,000 480,000 |  | 252,006 | 1,639,000 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 248,000 \\ 3,000,000 \end{array}$ | ............ |
|  | $349,546,400$ | 14,338, 000 | \$363, 884, 400 | 51, 445, 150 | 40, 612, 350 | \$10, 832, 800 | 3,147, 450 | 7,666, 450 | \$4, 519, 000 |

XVII.-BONDS AND STOCKS OF THE INDIAN TRUST-FUND IN CUSTODY OF THE TREAS. URER UNITED STATES UNDER ACT OF CONGRESS APPROVED JUNE 10, 1876.

| Stacks and bonds of- | Registered. | Coupon. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Arkansas: Funded Debt |  | \$168,000 00 | \$1.68,000 00 |
| Florida: State Stocks |  | 132, 00000 | 132, 00000 |
| Indiana: Wabash and Erie Canal Bonds |  | $6,000.00$ | 6, 00000 |
| Louisiana: State Stocks. |  | 37,00000 | 37,00000 |
| Maryland: State Stocks... | \$8,350 17 |  | 8,350 17 |
| North Carolina: State Stocks |  | 192, 00000 | 192, 00000 |
| South Carolina: State Stocks |  | 125, 00000 | 125, 00000 |
| Tennessee: State Stocks | 191, 666 663 | 144, 00000 | 335, $66666 \frac{3}{3}$ |
| Tennessee: Nashville and Chattanooga Railroad Bon |  | 512, 00000 | 512, 00000 |
| Virginia : State Stocks. |  | 581, 80000 | 581, 80000 |
| Virginia: Richmond and Danville Railroad Bonds | 3,500 00 | 100, 00000 | 103, 50000 |
| Virginia: Chesapeake and Ohio Canal Bonds. United States Stock. |  | 13,000 00 | 13, 00000 |
| July and Angust 1861 ............................ | 50000 |  | 50000 |
| July 1, 1862, and July 2, 1864 (Pacific Railroad Bonds) | 280, 00000 |  | 280, 00000 |
| Manch 3, 1864, Ten.Fortios, | 86, 40000 |  | 86,400 00 |
| March 3, 1865, Consols 1865 | 675, 95000 |  | 675,95000 |
| March 3, 1865̈, Consols 1867. | 399, 95000 |  | 399, 95000 |
| March 32 1865, Consols 1868. | 10,000 00 |  | 10,000 00 |
| Funded Loan of 1881. | 1,407, 20000 |  | 1, 407, 20000 |
| Totals July 1, 1878 | 3, 063, $51683 \frac{3}{3}$ | 2, 010,80000 | 5, 074, 31683 \% |

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XVIII--STATEMENT OF UNITED STATES LEGAL-


TENDER NOTES ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING.

| Legal-Tender Notes, series of 1874 . |  |  | Issued during fiscal year 1878. | Total issued to June 30, 1878. | Outstanding June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Issined during fiscal year 1878. | Total issued to June 30, 1878. | Outstanding <br> June 30, 1878. |  |  |  |
| \$16, 000 | \$18, 988, 000 | \$2, 944, 09940 | \$16,000 | \$89, 796, 160 | \$5,795, 47790 |
|  | 16,520,000 | 4, 014, 98360 | 410,000 | 101, 103, 048 | 7,781, 37460 |
|  |  |  |  | 151, 581, 760 | 19, 155, 73150 |
|  |  |  |  | 203, 231, 240 | 43, 877, 00500 |
|  |  |  |  | 176, 082, 400 | 40, 820, 77300 |
| 200, 000 | $24,460,000$ | 16, 477, 90000 | 200, 000 | 84, 715, 200 | 24, 264, 03000 |
|  |  |  |  | 77, 104,000 | 14, 469, 77000 |
|  | 28, 000, 000 | 14, 084, 50000 |  | 131, 876, 000 | 15, 554, 00000 |
|  |  |  |  | 285, 628, 000 | $30,819,50000$ |
| ... |  | . |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 216,000 | 87, 908, 000 | 37, 521, 48300 |  |  |  |
| Legal-Tender Notes, series of 1878. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Issued during fiscal year 1878. | Issued to June 30, 1878. | Outstanding June 30, 1878. |  |  |  |
|  |  | ........ | 7, 546, 351 | 25, 879, 943 | 15, 134, 39640 |
|  |  |  | 6,288, 000 | 18, 704, 000 | 13, 129,573 60 |
|  |  |  | 15, 820, 000 | 43, 000, 000 | 35, 553, 82500 |
| \$200, 000 | \$200, 000 | \$200, 00000 | 11, 380, 000 | 23, 820,000 | 2]., 634, 63900 |
|  |  |  | 9, 200, 000 | 24, 400, 000 | 21, 899, 87000 |
| 1, 000,000 | 1., 000,000 | 9955,550 00 | 3, 000, 000 | 3, 000, 000 | 2,918,650 00 |
| 2, 673,800 | 2, 673, 800 | 2,593,700 00 | 6, 408, 600 | 17, 873,800 | $17,154,90000$ |
|  |  |  | 4, 817, 000 | 22, 250,000 | $\begin{array}{r} 15,324,50000 \\ 9593 \\ 9 \end{array}$ |
| 2,600,000 | 2,600, 000 | 2,593, 00000 | 2,600, 000 | 2,600,000 | 2,593, 00000 |
| -............. |  |  |  |  | 347, 681, 01600 |
|  |  |  |  |  | 1,000,000 00 |
| 6, 473, 800 | $6,473,800$ | 6,382, 250 00 | 67, 275, 951 | 1, 433, 145, 551 | 346, 681, 01600 |

XLX.-STATEMENT OF UNITED STATISSTRACLIONAL

XX. STATEMENT OF UNTTED STATES DEMAND AND

| Denomination. | Old Demand Notes. |  | One-Year Notes of 1863. |  | Two. Year Notes of '63. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Total issued. | Ontstanding <br> Tune 30, 1878. | Total issned. | Outstanding <br> June 30, 1.878. | Total issued. |
| Tire Dollars | \$21, 800, 000 | \$2.4, 75250 |  |  |  |
| Ten Dollars. | 20, 030, 000 | 22, 80500 | \$6, 200,000 | \$1.0, 405 |  |
| Twenty Dollars | 18, 200, 000 | 14,740 00 | 16, 440, 000 | 22, 860 |  |
| Fifty Dollars. |  |  | 8,240,000 | 8, 850 | \$6, 800, 000 |
| One Hundred Dollars |  |  | 13, 64,0, 000 | 9,500 | 9, 680, 000 |
| Five Hundred Dollars. |  |  |  |  |  |
| One Thousand Dollars |  |  |  |  |  |
| Total . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  |  |  |  |
| Deduct on account of tuknown denominations destroyed |  |  |  | $\cdots \quad 90$ |  |
| Total | 60, 030, 000 | 62,29750 | 44, 520,000 | 51, 525 | 16, 480, 000 |

XXI.-STATEMENT O'F JNEGAL-TENDER

| . | One Dollar. | Two Dollars. | Five Dollars. | Ten Dollars. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Series of 1875 <br> Series of 1878 <br> Total . . | \$332, 057 | \$3, 712, 000 | \$3, 220, 000 |  |
|  | 288, 000 |  | 1., 840,000 | \$2, 040, 000 |
|  | 620,057 | 3,712, 000 | 5,060, 000 | 2,040, 000 |

CURRENCY ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING.


## INTEREST NOTES ISSUED AND OUTSTANDING.

| Two-Year Notes of 1863. | Two. Fear Coupon Notes of 1863. |  | Compound-Interest Notes. |  | Total amount of Interost-Notes issued. | Ontstanding June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Outstanding <br> June 30, 1878. | Total issued. | Outstanding June 30, 1878. | Total issued. | Outstanding <br> June 30, 1878. |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  | - |
|  |  |  | \$23, 285, 200 | \$41, 170 | \$29, 485, 200 | \$51, 575 |
|  |  |  | 30, 125, 840 | 63, 710 | 46, 565, 840 | 86,570 |
| \$ $\$ 8,950$ | \$5, 905, 600 | \$2, 700 | 60, 824, 000 | 95, 400 | 81, 769, 600 | 115,900 |
| . 6,200 | 14, 484, 400 | 9,100 | 45, 094, 400 | 51,500 | 82, 898, 800 | 76,300 |
|  | 40, 302, 000 | 1. 500 | $67,846,000$ | 16,000 | 108, 148, 000 | 17,500 |
|  | 89, 308, 000 | 21,000 | $39,420,000$ | 7,000 | 128, 728, 000 | 28, 000 |
|  |  | 34,300 |  |  |  | 375, 845 |
|  |  | 10,500 |  |  |  | 10,590 |
| 15, 150 | 150,000, 000 | 23,800 | 266, 595, 440 | 274,780 | 477, 595, 440 | 365, 255 |

## NO'IES, IN RESERVE, UNISSUED.

| Twenty Dollars. | Fifty Dollars. | One Frudred Dollars. | Five Hundred Dollars. | One Thousand Dollars. | .Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{array}{r} \$ 600,000 \\ 3,280,000 \end{array}$ | \$1, 000, 000 | \$3, 326, 200 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 5,650,000 \\ 2,000,000 \end{array}$ | \$9, 400, 000 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 13,514,057 \\ 23,174,200 \end{array}$ |
| 3, 880, 000 | 1,000,000 | 3,326, 200 | 7, 650,000 | 9, 400, 000 | 36, 688, 257 |



| Title. | 1860. | 1863. | 1864. |  | 1865. |  |  | 66. |  | 1867. |  | 1868. | 1869. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Old Demand Notes | \$51, 105, 23500 | \$3, 384, 00000 | 0 \$ $\$ 789,037$ | 50 | \$472, 00 | 350 | \$272 | 1.6275 |  | 08, 43250 |  | \$143, 91200 | \$123,739 25 |
| Legal Tender Notes, fust issue | 96, 620,000 00 | 387, 646, 58000 | 0 447, 300, 203 | 10 | 431, 066, 42 | 799 | 400, 780 | 30585 | 371, 78 | 83, 59700 |  | 000, 00000 | 356, 000, 00000 |
| One-Fear Notes of 1.863 |  |  | - 44, 520,000 |  | 8, 467, 57 | 7000 | 2, 151 | 46550 |  | 94, 68700 |  | 458,55700 | 220,51700 |
| Two-Year Notes of 1.863 |  |  | 16, 480, 000 |  | 7,715, 95 | 000 | 5,209 | 52250 |  | 96, 95000 |  | 188, 40250 | 84, 75250 |
| Two-Year Conpon Notes of 1863 |  |  | 111,620,550 | 00 | 34, 441, 650 | 5000 | 1, 078 | 55250 |  | 34, 25250 |  | 69, 252, 50 | 42,502 50 |
| Compound-Interest Notes |  |  | 6, 060,000 |  | 191, 721, 47 | 7000 | 172, 369 | 94100 | 134, 7 | 74,98. 00 |  | 608, 23000 | 3,063, 41000 |
| Fractional Comrency, first issue |  | $20,1.92,45600$ | 0 14, 819,156 |  | 9, 91.5, 40 | 8 66 | 7,030 | 70078 |  | 97,534 93 |  | 881, 09127 | 4, 605, 70852 |
| Fractional Cmrency, second issme |  |  | 7,505, 127 |  | 12, 799, 130 | 30 60 | 7,937, | 024 <br> 150 |  | 75, 82708 |  | 924, 07522 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,528,16365 \end{array}$ |
| Fractional Currency, third issme |  |  |  |  | 2,319,58 | 89 50 | 12, 041. | 15001 |  | 01, 26101 |  | 922, 74198 | 23, 980, 765 1.9 |
| Total | 147, 725, 28500 | 411, 223, 04500 | 0 649, 094, 073 |  | 698, 918, 80 | 025 | 608, 870 | 82540 | 536,507 | 67, 52302 |  | 196, 26247 | 391, 649, 55861 |
| Title. | 1870. | 1871. | 1.872. |  | 1873. |  | 874. | 1.87 |  | 1876. |  | 1877. | 1878. |
| Old Demand Notes | \$106, 25600 | \$96, 50550 | \$SS, 29025 |  | 779,907 50 |  | 73250 | \$70 | 10750 | \$66, 9 |  | \$03, 962 | \$62, 29750 |
| Legal-Tenter Notes, tirst issue | 289, 145, 03200 | 181, 80651800 | 123, 271, 56800 |  | 622, 69400 | 58, 26 | 2, 96300 | 37, 952, | 28.1. 00 | $27,859,978$ |  | 22, 489, 983 | -19, 111, 77500 |
| Legal-'tender Notes, series of 1869 | 66, 854, 96800 | 174, 1.93, 48200 | 234, 228, 43200 |  | 37, 306 00 | 323,730 | 6, 11000 | 284, 117, | 40200 | 226, 398, 115 |  | 181, 392, 683 | (144, 704, 40400 |
| Legal-T'ender Notes, series of 1874. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 53, 701, | 39700 | 62, 591, 604 |  | 53, 91.9, 21.2 | -37,521, 48300 |
| Legat-Lender Notes, series of 1875. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 52,922, 587 |  | 101, 962, 454 | 138, 961, 10400 |
| Legal-Tender Notes, sorics of 1878 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 6,382, 25000 |
| One-Fear Notes of 1863 | 160,347 00 | 1.28, 03700 | 109, 96700 |  | 88,705 00 |  | 7, 15500 |  | 52500 | 61, 455 |  | 55, 835 | - 51,52500 |
| Two-Year Notes of 1803 | 56,40250 | 44,502 50 | 36,402 50 |  | 28, 20000 |  | 3,60000 |  | 55000 | 19, 100 |  | 16,500 | 15, 1.5000 |
| Two-Year Conpon Notes of 1863 | 37, 20250 | 38,45250 | 31., 85250 |  | 31, 25000 |  | 0, 05000 |  | 30000 | 24, 850 |  | 23, 950 | - 23, 80000 |
| Componand-Luterest Notes. | 2, 191, 67000 | 814, 28000 | 623, 01000 |  | 499, 78000 |  | 9,080 00 | 371, | 7000 | 331, 260 |  | 300, 260 | 274, 78000 |
| Fractional Currency, first issi | 4, 476, 99587 | 4, 414, 02504 | 4, 391, 20909 |  | 376,979 15 | 4,335 | 5, 87569 | 4, 32 S , | 33813 | 4, 294, 854 |  | 4, 291, 110 | 4, 28S, 10762 |
| Fractional Curvenoy, second issme | 3, 273, 191. 03 | 3, $21.15,15637$ | 3, 190, 28351 |  | 180, 406 27 | 3, 1.46 | (i, 34512 | 3, 139, | 84709 | 3, 1177,076 |  | 3, 114, 151 | 3, 111, 86589 |
| Fractional Cunancy, thind issue | ].0, 666, 55652 | 5, 61:7, 53575 | 4, 039, 95526 |  | 481, 500 36 | 3, 258 | 8, 25202 | 3, 164, | 44398 | 3, 067, 144 |  | 3, 036, 1.25 | 3, 015,388 76 |
| Fractional Cumeney, fourth issue, first sories. | 21, 461, 94.106 | 27, 333, 15740 | 29, 234, 29741 |  | 095, 09641 | 15, 307 | 7, 83491 | (6, 984, | 65748 | 4,319, 001 |  | 3, 304, 31.1 | 2,936, 07953 |
| Fractional Currency, fourth issue, second series |  |  |  |  | 665,383 25 |  | 3, 244 00 | 1,784, | 2 S 35 | 1, 061, 720 |  | 811, 836 | 717,37765 |
| Fractional Cumency, fourth issue, thind series |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1,32250 | 6, 395 , | 221. 85 | 2, 011, 456 |  | 724, 907 | 357, 70510 |
| Fractional Cumency, fifth issue |  |  |  |  |  | 5, 399 | , 12910 | 1.6, 331, | 35731 | 16, 575, 335 |  | 5, 120, 695 | 2, 121, 24422 |
| Total | 398, 430, 56248 | 397, 690, 652 06\|3 | $399,245,36352$ | $401,5$ | $527,26794$ | $429,547$ | $7,698844$ | $418,458,$ | $75669$ | 404, 722, 46 |  | 380,627, 976 | 4363, 656;337 27 |

## XXIIL_GENERAL STATEMENT OF REDEMPTIONS DISCOUNTS, AND DESTRUCTIONS

 OF CLRCULATING NOTES.| Issues. | Redemptions. |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | To June 30, 1877. |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & \text { fiscal year } \\ & 1878 . \end{aligned}$ | Tó June 30, 1878. |
| Old Demand Notes. | \$59, 963 | ,908 75 |  | \$1, 66500 | \$59, 965, 57375 |
| Legal-Tender Notes | 1,007, 003 | , 40150 |  | 80, 359, 26700 | 1, 087, 362, 66850 |
| One and Two Year Notes of 1863 | 210, 903 | 32300 |  | 5, 81000 | 210, 909, 13300 |
| Compound-Interest Notes. | 266, 29 | 700 00 |  | 25,480 00 | 266, 320, 18000 |
| Fractional Currency ........ | 348, 195 | , 98527 |  | $3,855,36857$ | 352, 051,353 84 |
| Notes of failed, liquidating, and reducing tional Banks. | .. 70,942 | , 24225 |  | 12, 009, 87550 | 82, 952, 11775 |
| Totals | 1, 963, 303 | , 56077 |  | 96, 257, 466 07 | 2, 059; 561, 02684 |
| Issues. | Deductions on account of mutilations. |  |  |  | Total. |
|  | $\begin{gathered} \text { To June } 30, \\ 1877 . \end{gathered}$ | In fise year 18 |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { To June } 30, \\ 1876 . \end{gathered}$ | Face value of notes redemed. |
| Old Demand Notes | \$2, 12875 |  |  | \$2, 12875 | \$59, 967, 70250 |
| Legal-Tender Notes | 119,640 50 | \$12,135 |  | 131, 77550 | 1, 087, 494, 44400 |
| One and Two Year Notes of 1863 | 39200 |  |  | 39200 | 210, 909,525 00 |
| Compound.Interest Notes | 48000 |  |  | 48000 | 266, 320, 66000 |
| Fractional Currency. | 137, 10870 | 2, 734 |  | 139,842 79 | 352, 191, 19663 |
| Notes of failed, liquidating, and reducing National Banks | 96075 | 137 |  | 1,098 25 | 82, 953,216 00 |
| Totals. | 260,710 70 | 15,006 |  | 275, 71729 | 2, 059,836, 74413 |


|  |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |

XXV:-STATEMENT OF GOLD CERTIFICATES LSSUED AND REDEEMED AT WASHING. TON AND NEW YORK.

| Washington certificates: <br> Issued and redeemed......... |  |  | \$22, 853, 48046 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New York cettificates: |  | ! |  |
| On hand unissued June 30, 1877 | \$18, 550, 400 |  |  |
| Issued to June 30, 1877....... |  | \$\$95, 621, 600 |  |
| Forwauded for issue to June 30, 1877 |  |  | 914, 172,000 00 |
| Forwarded for issue in fiscal year 1878 | 49, 880, 000 |  | 49, 880, 00000 |
| Issued in fiscal year 1878. | $\begin{aligned} & 68,430,400 \\ & 50,342,400 \end{aligned}$ | $50,342,400$ |  |
| On hand unissued June 30, 1878 | 18, 088, 000 |  |  |
| Total issued ........... |  | 945, 964, 000 |  |
| Total forwarded for issue |  |  | 964, 052, 00000 |
| Total redeemed |  | 901, 597, 000 |  |
| Ontstanding |  | 44, 367,000 |  |

ISSUED, REDEEMED, AND OUTSTANDING.


XXVI-STATEMENT OF GOLD CERTTFICATES ISSUED, RIEDEEMED, AND OUTSTANDING, FOR FISCAL YEARS 1866 TO 1878, INCLUSTVE.

| Period. | Issued during fiscal year. | Total issued. | Redeemed in fiscal year. | Total redeemed. | Outstanding. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| In fiscal year 1867 | 109,12162000 | 207, 615, 28000 | 101, 295, 90000 . | 188, 841, 70000 | 18, 773, 58000 |
| In fiscal year 1868 | 77, 960, 40000 | $285,575,68000$ | $79,055,340002$ | 267, 897, 04000 | 17, 678, 64000 |
| In fiscal year 1869 | $80,663,16000$ | 366, 238, 84000 | 65, 2555,620003 | 333, 152, 66000 | 33, 086, 18000 |
| In fiscal yenr 1870 | 76, 731, 06000 | 442, 969, 90000 | 75, 270, 120004 | 408, 422, 78000 | 34, 547, 12000 |
| In fiscal year 1871 | 56, 577, 00000 | 499, 546, 90000 | 71, 237, 820004 | 479, 660, 60000 | 19, 886, 30000 |
| In fiscal year 1872 | $63,229,50000$ | 562, 776, 40000 | 51, 029, 500005 | 530, 690, 10000 | $32,086,30000$ |
| In fiscal year 1873 | $55,570,50000$ | 618, 346, 90000 | $48,196,800005$ | 578, 886, 90000 | $89,460,00000$ |
| In fiscal year 1874. | 81, 117, 78046 | 699, 464, 680 46 | 97, 752, 680466 | 676, 639, 38046 | 22, 825, 10000 |
| In fiscal year 1875. | 70, 250, 1.0000 | 769, 714, 78046 | 71, 278, 9000007 | $747,918,48046$ | 21, 796, 30000 |
| In fiscal year 1876 | 90, 619,10000 | 860, 333, S80 46 | 83, 734, 0000008 | 831, 652, 48046 | 28, 681, 40000 |
| In fiscal year 1877.............. | $5 \mathrm{~S}, 141,20000$ | 91. 475,08046 | $45,250,000008$ | 876, 902,48046 | 41, 572, 60000 |
| In fiscal yoar 1878............... | 50, 342, 4.00 00 | 968, 817, 48046 | 47,548, 06000,9 | 924, 450, 48046 | 44,367, 00000 |
|  | $968,817,48046$ |  | 924, 450,480 461. | . |  |


| By whom issned. |  | Received from Treasurer U. S. for issue. |  |  | Issued. |  | Redeemed. |  | Ontstanding, as reported from offices, June 30, 1878. |  | Redeemed, but not returned to Treasurer. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | $\begin{gathered} \text { In iseal } \\ \text { year } 1878 . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To Tune } \\ & 30,1878 . \end{aligned}$ |  | In fiscal year 1878. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To June } \\ & 30,1878 . \end{aligned}$ | In fiscal year 1878. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { To June } \\ & 30,1878 . \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |
| Assistant Treasurer Uuited States, |  |  |  |  | \$1, 035, 000 | \$20, 120, 000 |  | \$18, 075, 000 | \$2, 045,000 |  | \{ \$45, 000 |  |  |
| New York | $\{10,000$ | \$47,000,000 | 255, 000, 000 | 2, 650,000 | 48,080, 000 | 252, 350, 000 | 49, 190, 000 | 223, 220,000 | 29, 1330,000 | , $\$ 31,175,000$ | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}\$ 45,000 \\ 280,000\end{array}\right.$ | \} $\$ 325,000$ | \$31, 500, 000 |
| Assistant Treasuuer Uuited States, | $\{5,000$ | 2, 500,000 | 13, 500, 000 | 550,000 | 2, 285, 000 | 1.2, 950, 000 | 1. 950,000 | 11, 640,000 | 1,310,000 |  | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}40,000 \\ 110,000\end{array}\right\}$ |  |  |
| - Boston - ........................ | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}10,000\end{array}\right.$ | 5, 000,000 | $36,500,000$ $14,000,000$ |  | 8, 580, 000 | 36, 500, 000 | 9, 290, 000 | 34, 520, 000 | 1, 980,000 | $\} 3,290, \underline{00}$ | $\{110,000\}$ | $\} 1.50,000$ | *3, 400, 000 |
| Assistant Treasurer: United States, Philadelphia. | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}5,000 \\ 10,000\end{array}\right.$ | $1,500,000$ <br> $1.1,000,000$ | $14,000,000$ $66,500,000$ | 590,000 $1,300,000$ | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 11. } 975,900 \\ \hline 50,000\end{array}$ | 13, 410, 000 | $1,755,000$ $15,960,000$ | $12,740,000$ $60,590,000$ | 670,000 $4,560,000$ | $\} 5,230,000$ |  |  | 5,230, 000 |
| Assistant Treasurer United States, | $\{5,000$ | $\frac{2}{6}, 000,000$ | 9, 0000,000 | - 425,000 | 1, 695, 000 | 8, 575,000 | 1, 765, 000 | 8, 005,000 | -570,000 | $\} 1,880,000$ | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}15,000 \\ 50\end{array}\right.$ |  |  |
| Baltimove ................... | $\{10,000\}$ | 6,000,000 | $25,000,000$ | 950,000 | 5,380,000 | 24, 050,000 | $5,530,000$ | 22, 74,0,000 | 1, $31.0,000$ | $\} 1,880,000$ | $\{50,000$ | \} 65,000 | 1, $94.5,000$ |
| Assistant Treasturer: United States, Cincinmati. | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}5,000 \\ 10,000\end{array}\right.$ | 2,000,000 | $2,500,000$ $8,000,000$ | 5535,000 1., 590,000 | 360,000 970,000 | $1,965,000$ $6,410,000$ | $\begin{array}{r} 590,000 \\ 1,100,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1,725,000 \\ & 6,130,000 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 240,000 \\ & 280,000 \end{aligned}$ | \} 520,000 | 30,000 | 30,000 | 550,000 |
| Assistant Treasarer: United States, | $\{5,000$ | 5.00, 000 | 2, 500, 000 |  | 750,000 | 2, 500,000 | 1, 680,000 | 2, 120,000 | 380,000 | \} 2, 860,000 |  |  | $\ddagger 2,840,000$ |
| Chicago .......................... | $\{10,000$ | $3,000,000$ | $8,000,000$ | 3600000 | 2, 900, 000 | 7, 640,000 | 2, 150,000 | $5,160,000$ | 2, 480,000 |  |  |  | 12,840,000 |
| Assistant Teeasnrer Unitel States, Saint Lortis | $\left\{\begin{array}{l}5,000 \\ 10,000\end{array}\right.$ |  | 1, $, 500,000$ $4,000,000$ | 770,000 | 200,000 $1,520,000$ | 730,000 $4,000,000$ | 155,000 1., 060,000 | 565,000 $2,940,000$ | $\begin{array}{r} 165,000 \\ 1,060,000 \end{array}$ | $\} 1,225,000$ |  |  | ], 225,000 |
| Treasurer Ouited States, Washing- | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5,000 \\ 10,000\end{array}\right.$ |  | 7,500, 000 | 345, 000 |  | 7, 155,000 |  | 7, 120,000 | - 35,000 | $\} \quad 65,000$ |  |  | 65, 000 |
| ton................................... | $\{\mathrm{l} .0,000$ |  | 2,000,000 | 540, 000 |  | 1, 460,000 | 20, 000 | 1.,430,000 | 30, 000 | 300,000 |  |  | 65, 000 |
|  |  | 30, 500, 000 | 470, 200,000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| On hand in offices, missucd |  |  |  | 1.1., 535,000 |  | . |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Issued in fiscal year 1878............. |  |  |  |  | 86,680, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |  | $\bigcirc$ |  |
| Issued to Jume 30, 1878 |  |  |  | 464, 965, 000 |  | 464, 065, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Rerleemed in fiscal year: 1878........ |  |  |  |  |  |  | 95, 425, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Redeemed to June 30, 1878. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 418, 720, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Actnal ontstanding. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 46, 24.5, 000 |  |  |  |
| Redeemed but not ret'd to Treasurer |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 570,000 |  |
| Ontst'd'g, as per public debt statem't. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | 46, 755, 000 |
| In rescrve, unissued.................. | $\left\{\begin{array}{r}5,000 \\ 10,000\end{array}\right.$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 14,000,000 \\ & 49,020,000 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Received from Printing Bureau. |  |  |  | 539, 520, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |

XXVII-STȦTEMENT OF CURRENCY-CERTIFICATES (SECTION 5193, REVISED STATUTES) ISSUED, REDEEMED, AND OUTSTANDING-Continued.

|  | Outstanding on the first of- |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | January. | Tebriary. | March. | April. | May. | June. | July. | August. | September: | October. | November. | December. |
| 1872 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  | \$ $15,680,000$ | \$23, 655, 000 | \$24, 465, 000 |
| 1873 | \$25, 370, 000 | \$28, 985, 000 | \$27, 770, 000 | \$24, 450, 000 | \$25, 120, 000 | \$29,125, 000 | \$31, 730, 000 | \$33, 570, 000 | \$32, 240, 000 | 11, 250, 000 | 8, 875, 000 | 20, 150, 000 |
| 1874 | 36,720,000 | 45, 560,000 | 50,390,000 | 51, 720, 000 | 51, 860, 000 | 56, 050, 000 | 58,760, 000 | 55, 955, 000 | 58,690, 000 | 56,350, 000 | 52, 525,000 | 47, 120, 000 |
| 1875 | 41, 200, 000 | 45, 405, 000 | $45,855,000$ | $43,045,000$ | 47, 865, 000 | 55, 345, 000 | 58, 415, 000 | 64, 270, 000 | 64, 780,000 | 60, 660,000 | $50,880,000$ | 42, 610, 000 |
| 1876 | 35,175,000 | 40,600, 000 | 38, 045, 000 | 34, 230,000 | 33, 665, 000 | 34, 385, 000 | $32,840,000$ | 32, 815, 000 | 31, 880, 000 | 34, 520, 000 | 40,670,000 | 40,725, 000 |
| 1877 | 31, 000, 000 | 33, 745, 000 | 34, 445, 000 | $35,155,000$ | 40, 465, 000 | 46,510, 000 | 54, 960,000 | 54, 485, 000 | 48,590, 000 | 41, 975, 000 | 36,520,000 | 35, 715, 000 |
| 1878. | 31, 380, 000 | 30, 430, 000 | 28, 050, 000. | 22, 585,000 | 27, 840, 000 | 36,990, 000 | 46, 245, 000 |  |  |  |  |  |

XXVII.-STATEMENT OF SILVER CERTIFTCATES, ACT FEBRUARY 28, 1878, RECEIVED, ISSUED, AND OUTSTANDING.


NoTe- $\$ 357$, 810, issued in San Frencisco, are not included in public debt statement of June 30, 1878, returos not having been received at time of issuing public debt statement.


[^25]| Number of call. | Date of call. | Prior to July 1, 1877. |  |  | During fiscal year 1878. |  |  | Total to June 30, 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. |
| First. | Sopt. 1, 1871 | \$81, 724, 750 | \$18, 196, 850 | \$99, 921, 600 | \$5, 050 | , | \$5, 050 | \$81, 720, 800 | \$18, 196, 850 | \$99, 926, 650 |
| Second | Dec. 7, 1871 | 13, 862, 050 | 2, 345, 050 | 16, 207, 100 | 6,400 |  | 6, 400 | 13, 868, 450 | 2, 345, 050 | 16, 213, 500 |
| Third | Dec. 20, 1871 | 17, 709, 400 | 2, 366,400 | 20, 075, 800 | 4, 300 |  | 4, 300 | 17, 713, 700 | 2, 366,400 | 20, 080, 100 |
| Fourth | Mar. 1,1873 | 44, 803, 850 | 4, 983, 600 | 49,787, 450 | 4, 850 |  | 4,850 | 44, 808, 700 | 4, 983,600 | 49, 792, 300 |
| Fifth | June 6,1873 | 16, 000, 750 | 4,012, 850 | 20, 013, 600 | 7, 600 |  | 7,600 | 16, 008, 350 | 4, 012, 850 | 20, 021, 200 |
| Sixth | Aug. 16, 3873 | 12, 904, 600 | 1, 4].4, 250 | 14, 318, 850 | 5,800 |  | 5, 800 | 12, 910,400 | 1, 414, 250 | 14, 324, 650 |
| Seventh | Nov. 1, 1873 | 4, 491, 350 | 491,950 | - 4, 983,300 | 1,000 |  | 1,000 | 4, 492, 350 | 491, 950 | 4, 984, 300 |
| Eighth | Jume 3,1874 | 4, 515, 150 | 500, 000 | $5,015,150$ | 600 |  | 600 | 4,515,750 | 500, 000 | 5,035,750 |
| Ninth | June 5,1874 | 902, 050 | 100, 800 | 1, 002, 850 | 1, 000 |  | 1,000 | -903, 050 | 100, 800 | 1, 003, 850 |
| Tenth. | Ang. 1, 1874 | 19,942, 150 | 5, 020, 450 | 24, 962, 600 | 19, 300 | \$150 | 19,450 | 19, 961, 450 | 5, 020, 600 | 24, 982, 050 |
| Eloventh | Sept. 1, 1874 | 11, 715, 600 | 3, 071, 950 | 14, 787, 550 | 5,950 |  | 5,950 | 11, 721, 550 | 3,071, 950 | 14, 793,500 |
| Twelfth. | Oet. 1, 1874 | 9, 217, 150 | 930, 300 | 10, 147, 450 | 400 |  | 400 | 9, 217,590 | 930, 300 | 10, 147, 850 |
| Thirteenth | Nov. 2, 1874 | $5,084,050$ |  | 5, 084, 050 | 100 |  | 100 | 5, 084, 150 |  | 5, 084, 150 |
| Fourteenth | Felb. 1,1875 | 11, 965,050 | 3, 024, 350 | 14, 989, 400 | 5,300 | 4, 100 | 9, 400 | 11, 970, 350 | 3, 028, 450 | 14, 9988,800 |
| Fifteenth | Mar. 1,1875 | 4, 999, 450 |  | 4, 999, 450 | 1, 200 |  | 1, 200 | 5, 000, 650 |  | 5, 000, 650 |
| Seventeenth | Apre 20, 1875 | 4,992, 450 |  | 4, 992, 450 | 4, 050 | - | 4, 050 | 4, 996,500 |  | 4,996, 500 |
| Eighteenth | May 1, 1875 | 4, 993, 800 |  | 4, 993, 800 | 5,200 | ........... | 5,200 | 4, 999, 000 |  | 4, 999, 000 |
| Nineteenth | May 15, 1875 | 4, 993, 700 |  | 4, 993,700 | 3, 000 | - ........... | 3, 000 | 4, 996, 700 | , . . . . . . | 4, 996, 700 |
| Twenticth. | June 1, 1875 | 9, 977, 650 |  | 9, 977, 650 | 5,800 |  | 5, 800 | 9, 983,450 | , | 9, 983, 450 |
| Twenty-first. | Jume 24, 1875 | 4, 991, 200 |  | 4, 991, 200 | 3, 550 |  | 3,550 | 4,994, 950 |  | 4, 994, 750 |
| Twenty-second Twenty-third. | July 14, 1875 | $9,979,850$ $14,848,500$ | 24,000 | $9,979,850$ $14,872,500$ | 8,800 10,250 |  | 8,800 10,250 | $9,988,650$ $14,858,750$ | 24, 000 | $9,988,650$ $14,882,750$ |
| Total |  | 314, 614, 550 | 46, 482, 800 | 361, 007, 350 | 109, 500 | 4,250 | 113,750 | 3].4, 724, 050 | 46, 487, 050 | 361., 211, 100 |
| Sixteenth* | Mar. 11, 1875 | 24, 004, 050 | 5,936,250 | 29, 940, 300 | 17, 900 |  | 17,900 | 24, 021, 950 | 5, 936, 250 | 29, 958, 200 |
| Total |  | 338, 618, 600 | 52, 410, 050 | 391, 057, 650 | 127, 400 | 4, 250 | 131., 650 | 338, 746, 000 | 52, 428,300 | 391, 169, 300 |

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*For the Sipking-Fupd. Statement XXXI,

STATEMENT OF REDEMPTION OF "CALLED BONDSj"-Continued.
FIVE TWENTIES OF JUNE, 1864.

| Number of call. | Date of call. | Prior to July 1, 1877. |  |  | During fiscal year 1878. |  |  | Total to June 30, 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. | Coupon. | Registered. | 'Total. |
| Twenty-fourth | Aug. 13, 1875 | \$5, 379, 750 | \$3,688, 050 | \$9,067, 800 | \$16, 300 |  | \$16,300 | \$5, 396, 050 | \$3, 688, 050 | \$9, 084, 100 |
| 'Twenty-sixth... | Sept. 1, 1875 | 2, 739, 700 | 2, 269, 250 | 5, 008,950 | 8,400 | \$100 | 8,500 | 2, 748, 100 | 2, 269, 350 | 5, 017,450 |
| Twenty-seventh | Sept. 17, 1875 | 4, 954, 600 |  | 4, 954, 600 | 26, 400 |  | 26, 400 | 4, 981, 000 |  | 4, 981, 000 |
| Twenty-eighth.. | Oct. 1., 1875 | 2,498, 600 | 2, 510,900 | 5, 009, 500 | 4,900 |  | 4,900 | 2, 503, 500 | 2, 510, 900 | $5,014,400$ |
| Twenty-minth. | Nov. 1, 1875 | 4, 988, 500 | 4, 998, 350 | 9, 986, 850 | 14, 350 | 3,000 | 17,350 | 5, 002, 850 | 5, 001, 350 | 10, 004, 200 |
| Thirtieth | Nov. 15, 1875 | 7, 416, 250 | 5, 343, 800 | 12, 760, 050 | 21, 300 | 1, 000 | 22, 300 | 7, 437, 550 | $5,344,800$ | 12, 782, 350 |
| Total |  | 27, 977, 400 | 18, 810, 350 | 46,787, 750 | 91,650 | 4,100 | 95,750 | 28, 069, 050 | 18, 814, 450 | 46, 883,500 |
| Twenty-fifth**.... <br> 'Lhirty-tirst | Sept. 1, 1875 | 4,484, 150 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,540,300 \\ & 3,024,050 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8,024,450 \\ & 3,024,050 \end{aligned}$ | 15,900 |  | 15,900 | 4, 500, 050 | $\begin{aligned} & 3,540 ; 300 \\ & 3,024,050 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 8 ; 040,350 \\ & 3,024,050 \end{aligned}$ |
| Total |  | 4, 484, 150 | 6,564,350 | 11, 048, 500 | 15,900 |  | 15,900 | 4, 500, 050 | , 6, 564, 350 | 11, 064,400 |
| Total |  | 32, 461, 550 | 25,374, 700 | 57, 836, 250 | 107, 550 | 4,100 | 111, 650 | 32, 569, 100 | 25,378, 800 | 57, 947, 900 |

* For the Sinking-Fund. Statement XXXII.

STATEMENT OF REDEMCPTION OF "CALLED BONDS"-Concluded.
five-twenties of 1865.

| Number of call. | Date of call. | Prior to July 1, 1877. |  |  | During fiscal year 1878. |  |  | Total to June 30, 1878. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. |
| Thirty-scoond | Sept. 1,1876 | \$5,725,500 | \$3, 057, 100 | \$9, 782, 600 | \$171,000 | \$33, 700 | \$204, 700 | \$6, 896, 500 | \$3,090, 800 | \$9, 987, 300 |
| Thirty-thixd. | Sept. 6, 1876 | 6, 912, 350 | 2, 884, 700 | 9,797, 050 | 157, 550 | 31,700 | 189, 250 | 7, 069, 900 | 2, 916, 400 | 9, 986,300 |
| Thirty-fourth | Sept. 12, 1876 | 6, 855 , 850 | 2, 905, 400 | 9,761, 250 | 168, 550 | 41, 200 | 209, 750 | 7, 024,400 | 2, 946, 600 | 9, 971,000 |
| Thirty-fifth.. | Sept. 21, 1876 | 6, 825 , 700 | 2,930, 800 | 9, 806,500 | 173, 350 | 18,900 | 了.92, 250 | 6, 999, 050 | 2, 9999 , 700 | 9, 998, 750 |
| Thirty-sisth | Oct. $\begin{array}{r}\text { 6, } 1876 \\ \text { Jan. } \\ \text { 10, } 1877\end{array}$ | $4,774,600$ $6,720,200$ | $4,923,900$ $2,840,550$ | $9,698,500$ <br> 9,560 <br> , 750 | 102,100 341,400 | 183,950 109,650 | 286,050 451,050 | 4, 876, 700 $7,061,600$ | $5,107,850$ <br> 2,950 |  |
| Thirty-eighth. | Jan. 24, 1877 | $6,729,800$ | 2, 969,550 | 9, 699,350 | 328, 900 | 103, 300 | 432, 200 | 7, 058,700 | 3, 072 , 850 | 10, 131, 550 |
| Thirty-nüth. | Feb. 12, 1877 | 6,510, 000 | 2, 881, 600 | $9,391,600$ | 526, 500 | 195, 600 | 722, 100 | 7, 036, 500 | 3, 077, 200 | 10, 1113, 700 |
| Fortieth | Feb. 28, 1877 | 6, 005, 500 | 2, 709, 900 | $8,715,400$ | 998, 000 | 166, 400 | 1, 164, 400 | 7, 003, 500 | 2, 876, 300 | 9, 8789,800 |
| Forty first | Mar. 3, 1877 | 5, 512,500 | 2, 982, 550 | 8,4950050 |  | 32,300 22, 600 | 1, 541, 300 | 7, 021, 500 | 3, ${ }^{3}, 1914,850$ | 10, 036, 350 |
| Forty-second | Mar. Mar (15, 1877 | $4,973,000$ $6,334,500$ | $2,675,650$ 5017 | 6, 68886,300 | $1,1,5,5,500$ $3,200,500$ | 235, 600 | $\begin{array}{r}2,341,1.00 \\ 3,200 \\ \hline 000\end{array}$ | 7, $9,585,5000$ | 2, 911,250 | T, $10,0369,750$ |
| Forty-fourth | Max. 27, 1877 | 5, 630, 500 | 460, 000 | 6, 090,500 | 3, 847, 000 | 50, 000 | 3, 897, 000 | $9,477,500$ | 510,000 | 9, 987, 500 |
| Forty-fifth. | Apr. 5,1877 |  |  |  | 9, 496, 500 | 510, 000 | 10, 006, 500 | 9, 496, 500 | 510, 000 | 10,006,500 |
| Forty -sixth | May 5, 1877 |  |  |  | 8,560, 500 | 1,533,550 | 10, 094, 050 | 8, 560, 500 | 1,533,550 | 10, 094, 050 |
| $\begin{gathered} \text { Total.. } \\ \text { Thity }{ }^{2} \text {-first }{ }^{*} \end{gathered}$ | Nov. 15, 1.875 | $\begin{array}{r} 80,510,000 \\ 1,469,600 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 34,773,500 \\ 500,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 115,283,500 \\ 1,969,600 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \hline 31,686,350 \\ 2,350 \end{array}$ | 3,245, 850 | $\begin{array}{r} 34,932,200 \\ 2,350 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 112,196,350 \\ 1,471,950 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \text {, } 38,019,350 \\ 500,000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 150,215,700 \\ 1,971,950 \end{array}$ |
| Total. |  | 81, 979,600 | 35, 273, 500 | 117, 253, 100 | 31, 688, 700 | 3, 245, 850 | 34, 934, 550 | 113, 668,300 | 38, 519, 350 | 152, 187, 650 |
| consols of 1865. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Forty-seventh | May 21, 1877 |  |  |  | \$5, 912, 250 | \$4, 101, 650 | \$10, 013, 900 |  |  |  |
| Forty-eighth | May 28, 1.377 |  |  |  | $5,864,250$ <br> 9 <br> 9 <br> 788 | $3,993,800$ 4,979 | $9,858,050$ 14717 |  |  |  |
| Fiftieth.... | July 5, 1877 |  |  |  | 6, $792,1.50$ | 2, 979,050 | - $9,771,200$ |  |  |  |
| Fifity first. | July 16, 1877 |  |  |  | 6, 755, 700 | 3, 006,450 | 9,762, 150 |  |  |  |
| Fifty-second | Juty 19, 1877 |  |  |  | $6,785,450$ 6713 6 | 2, ${ }^{2} 950,950$ | 9, 9330,400 |  |  |  |
|  | July Ang. 31877 |  |  |  | $6,713,400$ $6,780,900$ | $2,964,100$ $2,960,000$ | 9, 9 9 |  |  |  |
| Fifty fifth | Dec. 6, 1877 |  |  |  | 4, 929,950 | 3, 583, 200 | 8, 513,150 |  |  |  |
| Fifty-sixth. | Apr. 30, 1878 |  |  |  | 10, 050 |  | 10, 050 |  |  |  |
| Fifty seventh | May ${ }^{\text {M }}$ May ${ }^{\text {a }} 1878$ |  |  |  | 2,350 2,050 | 1,200 | 3,550 2,050 | ...... |  |  |
| Fitty-eighth. <br> Fifty-viuth . . | May <br> Jme <br> 2, 18788 |  |  |  | 2,050 500 |  | 2,050 500 |  |  |  |
| FRAstotal. |  |  |  |  | 60, 287, 100 | 31, 520, 050 | 91, 807, 150 | \$60, 287, 100 | \$31, 520, 050 | \$91, 807, 1.50 |

* For the Sinking Fuud, Statement XXX.LI.
XXXI. STATEMENT OF REDEMPTION OT BONDS NOT CALLED, EXCLUSIVE OF SINK-ING-FUND REDENEPTIONS.

|  | Loan. | Coupon. | Registered. | Total. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $5-20 \mathrm{~s}$ of 1862 |  | \$20, 345, 650 | \$18, 579,000 | \$38, 924, 650 |
| $5-208$ of March, 1864 |  |  | 1,435, 600 | 1, 435, 600 |
| $5 \cdot 20$ of June, 1864 |  | 621., 950 | 11., 214, 750 | 11., 836, 700 |
| 5.208 of 1865 |  | 105, 100 | $5,078,350$. | $5,183,450$ |
| Consols of 1865 |  | 563, 700 | 2, 118, 000 | 2,681, 700 |
| Consols of 1867 |  | 43,050 | 297, 500 | 340, 550 |
| Consols of 1868. |  | 13, 250 | 46,500 | 59,750 |
| Total 5-20s |  | 21, 692, 700 | 38,760, 700 | $60,462,400$ |
| Loan of 1858 |  | 5,775,000 |  | 5,775,000 |
| Texaui indemnity |  | 4, 979, 000 |  | 4, 979,000 |
| Oregron war debt. |  | 200, 750 |  | 200, 750 |
| 10.40 s of $1864 \ldots$ |  | 1,000 |  |  |
| Funded loan of 1881 |  |  | 9,553, 800 | 9,553,800 |
| Total |  | 32, 648, 450 | 48,323 500 | 80, 971, 950 |

Note.-There were no redemptions under this head during the fiscal year 1878.
XXXI-STATEMENT OF BONDS RETIRED FOR THE SINKING-FUND.


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XXXLII. $-S T A T E M E N T$ OF BONDS RETIRED TO JUNE 30,1878


## XXXIV.--TEMPORARY-LOAN CERTIFICATES OUTSTANDING

| Kind. | Where payable. |  |  | 'rotal. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Washing. ton. | Philadel. phia. | Cincinnati. |  |
| Five-pur-cent | $\$ 4.05$ |  |  | \$405 |
| Six-per-cent.. | 255 | \$1, 000 | \$1, 400 | 2, 655 |
| Total outstanding June 30, 1878 | 660 | 1., 000 | 1,400 | 3, 060 |

XXXV.-THREEPER-CENT. CERTIFICATES ISSUED, RTDEEMED, AND OUTSTANDING.

Received from Burean of Engraving and Printing
$\$ 1.60,000,000$
Dostroyed statistically.
$74,845,000$

## Issued

$\$ 85,155,000$ Redeemer $85,150,000$

Ontstanding as per public delot statement. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . .................................... 5,000
XXXVI.-CERTIFICATES OF INDEBIEDNESS ISSDED, REDEEMED, AND OUTSTANDING.

| Old series issued: |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |
| Numbers 1 to 14500, of $\$ 5,000$ | 72, 500, 00000 |  |
| Numbers 15001 to 31010, of $\$ 5,000$ | $80,050,00000$ |  |
| Numbers 31111 to 69268, of \$5,000 | 190, 790, 00000 |  |
| Numbers 1 to 13, of various amoun | 1., 091,24165 |  |
|  |  |  |
| Numbers 1 to 15145, of \$ $\$ 1,000$ | 15, 145,000 00 |  |
| Numbers 1 to 9603, of $\$ 5,000$ | 48,015,000 00 | 63, 160, 00000 |
|  |  |  |
| Total amount issued |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |
| Total principal and interest paid to June |  | 592, 905,350 26 |

${ }^{*}$ Five certifieates of the denomination of $\$ 1,000$ are outstanding, two of which are caveated.
$\dagger$ No redemption since 1870 .
XXXVII.-TREASURY NOTES OF 1861 ISSUED, REDEEMED, AND OUTSTANDING.

| Denomination. | Issued. | Redeemed. | Ontstanding. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Fifty dollars | \$2, 303, 800 | \$2,302, 200 | \$1,600 |
| One hundred dollars | 4, 495, 800 | 4, 494, 400 | 1,400 |
| Tive hundred dollars | 6, 832,500 | 6, 832,500 | ........... |
| One thousind dollars | 8,836,000 | 8,836,000 |  |
| Total | 22, 468, 100 | $22,465,100$ | 3,000 |

XXXVITI-INTEREST PATD ON DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA 3.65-PER-CENT. LOAN-FISCAL FEAR 1878.

| Mode of payment. | Feb., '76, and earlier: | $\begin{gathered} \text { Aug. } 76, \text { and } \\ \text { Feb.; } 77 . \end{gathered}$ | Aug. ' 77 , and Freb.,'78. | Totals. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Coupons paid at New York | \$82 12 | \$1,303 05 | \$256, 84138 | \$258, 22655 |
| Coupons paid at Washingto | 1,135 12 | 2,816 89 | 46,58951 | 50,54152 |
| Checks paid at New York. |  |  | 173, 10725 | 173, 10125 |
| Checks paid at Washington |  | 1825 | 20,148 00 | 20,166 25 |
| Total | 1,217 24 | 4,138 19 | 496,680 14 | 502, 03557 |


XL.-STATEMENT OF QUARTERLY-TNTEREST CHECKS: OF THE FUNDED LOANS OF 1881 AND 1891 AND OF CONSOLS OF 1907, ISSUED, PAID, AND OUTSTANDING.

| Issued, paid, and outstanding. | Funded loan of 1881; 22,748 checks issu ed. | Funded loan of 1891; 20,850 checks issued. | Consols of 1907 ; 28,962 checks issued. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amounts of checks outstanding July 1,1877 ........... <br> Amounts of checks issued during year ................. | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 253,01743 \\ 11,107,06750 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 56,911 \quad 19 \\ 5,600,290 \quad 50 \end{array}$ | 1, 820,872 75 |
|  | 11, 360, 68493 | 5,657, 20169 | 1, 820,87275 |
| Paid by Assistant Treasurer United States, New York. Paid by Assistant Treasurer United States, Boston. | 7, 926, 46473 | 3,756, 61512 | 1, 408, 982 ll |
|  | 1,587,013 08 | 1,321, 16567 | 166,700 01 |
| Paid by Assistant Treasurer United States, Philadelphia | \$76, 39735 | 263; 50536 | 140, 20570 |
| Paid by Assistant Treasurer United States, Baltimore | 204, 39623 | 33, 47819 | 8,143 44 |
|  | 120, 82310 | 9,976 48 | 18,457 76 |
| Paid by Assistrant Treasurer United States, Chicago... | 82, 40187 | 56, 10771 | 11, 80433 |
| Paid.by Assistant Treasurer United States, St. Louis.. | 11,725 61 | 3,916 67 | 13,817 57 |
|  | 35,316 84 | 40,453 27 | 13, 21862 |
| Paid by Assistant Treasurer United States, San Francisco <br> Paid by Treasurer United States, Washington ........ | 23,353 75 | 2,179 68 |  |
|  | 357, 01923 | 62,428 29 | 8,757 54 |
| do paia | 11, 224, 91179 | 5, 549, 82644 | 1, 792, 067 08 |
| Amounts outstanding June 30, 1878 | 135, 77314 | 107,375 25 | 28,805 67 |

XLI.-CHECKS DRAWN DURING FISCAL YEAR 1878.

| By whom payable. | Nunber of checks. |  |  | Amounts. |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Silver coin. | Gold coin. | Currency. | Silver coin. | Gold coin. | Currency. |
| Assistant Treasurer: United States, New York. | 137 | 23, 510 | 22, 558 | \$75, 15175 | \$121; 522; 66988 | \$83; 328,75277 |
| Assistant Treasurer United |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| States, Boston............... | 57 | 2,517 | 2,422 | 1, 84515 | 4, 095, 25305 | 24, 682, 39556 |
| States, Pluiladelphia .... | 37 | 2,327 | 2,951 | 3, 96088 | 3, 534, 65119 | 8, 862, 93158 |
| Assistant Treasurer United States, Now Orleans | 24 | 25 | 918 | 1,757 68 | 331, 06664 | 1, 922,538 02 |
| Assistant Treasurer United States, San Francisco... |  | 45 | 455 |  | 26,691 37 | 236,585 55 |
| Assistant Treasurer Onited States, Chicago | 85 |  |  | 7,641 63 |  |  |
| Assistant Treasurer United States, Cinoinnati | 67 |  |  | 5,748 13 |  |  |
| Assistant Treasurer Onited States, Saint Louis | 65 |  |  | 4,956 85 |  |  |
| Assistant Treasurer United States, Baltimore. | 6 |  |  | 6, 17878 |  |  |
| 3.65 District Colmubia checks |  |  | 391 |  |  | 193, 35875 |
| Total. | 478 | 100, 984 | 29,695 | 107, 24085 | 148;038, 56288 | 119, 226, 56223 |

XLII.-NATIONAL BANK 'REDEMPTION AGENCY
A.-Comparative statement of receipts of national-bank notes.

| Month. | 1876-77. |  | 1877-'78. |  | Decrease. |  | Increase. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number of packages. | Amount. | Number of packages. | Amount. | Number of packagés. | Amount. | Number of packages. | Amount. |
| Jaly | 2, 660 | \$22, 549,39789 | 2, 403 | \$17, 905, 054 35 | 257 | \$4, 644,343 54 |  |  |
| August | 3, 222 | 19,512,869 98 | 2, 624 | 19, 1.27, 28520 | 602 | 385, 58478 |  |  |
| September. | 2, 413 | 17, 910, 84818 | 2, 090 | 15, 438, 23211 | 323 | 2, 472, 61607 |  |  |
| October... | 2,072 | 15, 792, 18064 | 2, 314 | 16, 392, 85692 |  |  | 242 | \$600,676 28 |
| Norember | 2,170 | 16, 684, 855318 | 2, 303 | 17, 340, 75865 |  |  | 133 | 655,905 47 |
| December | 2, 316 | 14, 942, 996675 | 2, 254 | 17, 222, 39599 | 62 |  |  | 2, 279, 39924 |
| January | 2, 496 | 19, 979, 045 48 | 2, 202 | 18, 040, 56909 | 294 | 1, 938,476 39 |  |  |
| February | 2,393 | 16, 534, 73230 | 2, 168 | 13, 538, 27802 | 225 | 2, 996,45428 |  |  |
| March | 2, 698 | 17, 369, 18860 | 2, 180 | 12, 025, 80515 | 518 | 5, 343, 38345 | - |  |
| April | 2,779 | 20, 976, 02887 | 2, 387 | 15, 766, 84820 | 399 235 | 5, 209, 18067 | .......... | . . . . . . . . . . |
| May | 3,224 3,377 | $26,129,05453$ $27,829,17874$ | 2,989 2,782 | $24,076,68412$ $28,615,66976$ | 235 595 | $2,052,37041$ $4,213,50898$ |  |  |
| Total | 31,824 | 236, 210, 37514 | 28,696 | 210, 490, 43756 | 3, 503 | 29, 255, 91857 | 375 | 3,535, 98099 |
| Net decrease. |  |  |  |  | 3,128 | 25, 719, 93758 |  |  |

B.-Monthly receipts of national-bank notes from the principal cities.

| Receipts from- | 1877. |  |  |  |  |  | 1878. |  |  |  |  |  | Total. | 488$\stackrel{\circ}{4}$4 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | July. | August. | September. | October. | November. | December. | January. | February. | March. | April. | May. | June. |  |  |
| New York | \$5, 670, 000 | 4, 947, 000 | \$3, 855, 000 | \$3, 868, 000 | 44, 310, 000 | \$3, 316, 000 | \$5, 005, 000 | \$3, 701, 000 | \$3, 355, 000 | \$7, 662,000 | \$10, 805, 000 | \$9, 779, 000 | \$66, 273, 000 | 31. 48 |
| Boston | 6, 714, 000 | 8, 236,000 | 7, 067, 000 | 7, 414, 000 | 8,320,000 | 9, 152, 000 | 7, 943,000 | $5,414,000$ | 5, 042, 000 | 2, 992,000 | $5,184,000$ | 7, 049, 000 | 80, 527, 000 | 38.26 |
| Philadelphia | 690, 000 | 868,000 | 695, 000 | 997, 000 | 1, 006, 000 | 1, 023,000 | 903, 000 | 791, 000 | 421, 000 | 979,000 | 1, 276,000 | 1, 187, 000 | 10, 836,000 | 5. 15 |
| Chicago. | 161, 000 | 315, 000 | 268, 000 | 181, 000 | 142,000 | 180, 000 | 166,000 | 132, 000 | 197, 000 | 512,000 | 674,000 | 266, 000 | 3, 194,000 | 1. 52 |
| Cincinnati | 48,000 | 90, 000 | 104, 000 | 86, 000 | - 72,000 | 48,000 | 61,000 | 59, 000 | 162, 006 | 749,000 | 670,000 | 119, 000 | 2, 268, 000 | 1. 08 |
| Saint Louis | 61,000 | - 171,000 | - 50,000 | 49,000 | 30,000 | 18,000 | 37, 000 | 15, 000 | 29,000 | 82, 000 | 361,000 | 96, 000 | 999, 000 | . 47 |
| Baltimore. | 67, 000 | 26,000 | 84, 000 | 58, 000 | 105,000 | 124, 000 | 60, 000 | 43, 000 | 107, 000 | 119,000 | 208, 000 | 84, 000 | 1, 085, 000 | . 52 |
| Providence Pittsburgh | 532, 000 | 483, 000 | 245, 000 | 427, 000 | 446,000 | 481, 000 | 456,000 | 407, 000 | 347, 000 | 195; 000 | - 495,000 | 475, 000 | 4, 989, 000 | 2. 37 |
| Pittsburgh | 88,000 | r 93, 000 | 65,000 | 120, 000 | 126,000 | $\begin{array}{r}90,000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 72,000 | 255,000 | 271, 2000 | 60,000 | 192,000 | 109,000 | 1, 141,000 | 18.54 |
| Other places | 3, 874, 000 | 3,898,000 | $3,005,000$ | $3,1.93,000$ | 2, 784, 000 | 2, 790, 000 | $3,338,000$ | 2, 921,000 | 2, 295, 000 | 2, 417, 000 | 4, 212, 000 | 4, 452, 000 | $39,179,000$ | 18.61 |
| RAS 5 ctal | 17, 905, 000 | 19, 127, 000 | 15, 438, 000 | 16,393, 000 | 17, 341, 000 | 17, 222,000 | 18, 041, 000 | 13,538, 000 | 12,026,000 | 15, 767,000 | 24, 077, 000 | 23, 616,000 | 210, 491, 000 | 100.00 |

## C.-General Statement of Receipts and Deliveries of national-bank notes.

1. From July 1, 1874.

| Dr. | Amount. | Cr. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| To National-Bank Notes received for redemptiou. <br> To United States Notes drawn from the Treastury for redemption of bank-notes at the counter <br> To "overs" reported in bank-notes received for redemption.......... | \$806, 421, 56912 | By packages referved to other offices and returned by mail. | \$4, 348, 83567 |
|  |  | By "shorts" reported in banknotes received for redemption | 82,49779 |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} 14,175,00000 \\ 103,78205 \end{array}$ | By counterfeits rejected and returned $\qquad$ | 82, 4.9779 |
|  |  | By stolen, pieced, and rejected notes retrumed | 31,490 38 |
|  |  | By National-Bank Notes fitfor circulation deposited in the Treasury $\qquad$ | 15, 952, 70100 |
|  | - | By notes of failed, liquidating, and reducing banks deposited in the Treasury | 67, 798, 91.700 |
|  |  | By assorted National-Bank Notes fit for cireulation returned to the several national banks. <br> By assorted National-Bank Notes unfit for cirenlation delivered to the Comptroller of the Curreney for replacement with new notes. By cash balance Jume 30, 1878 | 416, 199, 80000 |
|  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 307,856,60000 \\ 8,410,84833 \end{array}$ |
|  | 820,700,351 17 | Total. | 820, 700, 351. 17 |

2. For the fiscil teali 1878.

D.-Number and amount of notes of each denomination redeemed and assorted.

| Denomination. | Fit for eirculation. |  | Unfit for cireulation. |  | Aggregate. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. | Number. | Amount. |
| One Dollar | 353, 600 | \$353, 600 | 1, 194, 700 | \$1, 194, 700 | 1, 548, 300 | \$1, 548, 300 |
| Two Dollars. | 141, 125 | 282, 250 | 429,075 | 858, 150 | 570, 200 | 1, 140, 400 |
| Five Dollars | 7, 894, 970 | 39, 474, 850 | 4, 106, 780 | 20,533, 900 | 12, 001, 750 | $60,008,750$ |
| Ten Dollars | 5, 052, 190 | 50, 521, 900 | 1, 234, 920 | 12, 349, 200 | 6, 287, 110 | 62, 871, 100 |
| Twenty Dollars | 1, 64.3, 090 | 32, 861, 800 | 359, 115 | 7,182, 300 | 2, 002, 205 | 40, 044, 100 |
| Fifty Dollars | 211, 758 | 10, 587, 900 | 78, 713 | 3, 935, 650 | 290, 471 | 14,523,550. |
| One Fondred Dollars. | 173, 978 | 17, 397, 800 | 52,799 | 5, 279,900 | 226, 777 | 22, 677, 700 |
| Five Hundred Dollars. | 403 | 201,500 | - 450 | 225,000 | 853 | 426,500 |
| One Thousand Dollars. | 105 | 105,000 | 71 | 71,000 | 176 | 176, 000 |
| Total for 1877-'78 | 15, 471, 219 | 151, 786, 600 | 7,456,623 | 51, 629, 800 | 22, 927, 842 | 208, 416, 400 |
| Total for 1876-77 | 14, 384, 367 | 151, 842, 700 | 8, 36.1, 181 | 62, 518, 600 | 22, 745, 548 | 2.14, 361, 300 |
| Inerease. | 1, 086, 852 |  |  |  |  |  |
| Decrease |  | 56,100 | 904,558 | 10, 888, 800 |  |  |
| Net increase. <br> Net decrease |  |  |  |  | 182, 294 | 10,944,900 |

## Average denominations of notes assorted.

| Fiscal years. | Fit for circulation. | Unfit for circulation. | General ar èrage. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 1876-77 | 10.56 | 7.48 | 9: 42 |
| 1877-78 | 9.81 | 6. 92 | 8.87 |
| Décrease. | . 75 | . 56 | . 55 |

> E.-Comparative statement of redemptions of National-Bank Notes.

| Mode of payment. | 1876-'77. | 1877-78. | Decrease. | Increase. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | \$95, 212, 74345 | \$75, 361, 42723 | \$19, 851, 31622 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| United States Notes forwarded by express | 34, 588, 12915 | 23, 046, 4.1844 | 11, 541, 71071 |  |
| Subsidiary Silver Coin | 468, 97400 | 549, 64540 |  | \$80,671 40 |
| Credited to Assistant 'Creasurers and depositaries in general account. . ... | 12,789,757 00 | 12, 609, 08376 | 180,673 24 |  |
| Credited to National Banks in their five-per cent. accomits. | 91, 856, 76992 | 98, 552, 73998 |  | 6, 695,970 06 |
| Redeemed at the counter . | 6, 675, 00000 | 2, 661., 02100 | 4, 013, 979.00 |  |
| Total. Net decrease | 241, 591, 37352 | 212, 780, 33581 | $\begin{aligned} & 35,587,67917 \\ & 28,811,03771 \end{aligned}$ | 6,776, 64146 |

F.-Comparative statement of the disposition made of National-Bank Notes.

| How disposed of. | 1876-'77. | 1877-'78. | Decrease. | Increase. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Notes fit for cireulation returned to the several National Banks.......... | \$151, 070, 300 | \$152, 437, 300 |  | \$1, 367, 000 |
| Notes wnfit for circulation delivered to the Comptroller of the Currency. | $\cdot 62,518,600$ | . $51,585,400$ | \$10, 983, 200 |  |
| Notes of failed, liquidating, and redueing basks depositad in the Treasury | $24,439,700^{\circ}$ | 11, 852, 100 | 12,587, 600 |  |
| Total........ | 238, 028, 600 | $215,874,800$ | $\begin{aligned} & 23,520,800 \\ & 22,153,800 \end{aligned}$ | 1,367, 000 |

G.-Comparative statement of credits to National Banks in the five per cent. fund.

H.-Comparative statement of Money Packages and Letters sent.


## I.- Ixpenses incurred by the Redemption Agency and assessed upon the Banks.

"The charges for transportation and the costs for assorting" the notes of National Banks redeemed during the fiscal year 1878, under section 3 of the act approved June 20,1874 (18 Statntes, 123), were as follows:
Charges for transportation
\$173,42060
Costs for assorting:

| Salaries | \$136,580 63 |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Printing and biinding | 2,660 32 |  |
| Stationery | 3, 09000 |  |
| Contingent expeuseṣ | 2,190 93 |  |
| tumer |  | 144,52188 |
| Total |  | 317, 94248 |

The express charges have been assessed upon the several National Banks in proportion to the amount, and the other charges in proportion to the number, of their notes redeemed and assorted. The aggregate amount assorted during the fiscal year was $\$ 203,416,400$, giving 85 cents as the average rate for the charges for transportation for each $\$ 1,000$. The aggregate number of notes assorted was $22,327,842$, making the average rate for the costs for assorting for each 1,000 notes, $\$ 6.30 \frac{1}{3}$.

The exponse of redeeming $\$ 100,000 \mathrm{in}$ notes of average denominations was as follows:

| Charges for transportation...... $\left(\frac{\$ 100,000 \times .8525}{1000}=\right)$ | \$85. 25 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Costs for assorting............... $\left(\frac{\$ 100,000 \times 6.3033}{\$ 8.87 \times 1,000}=\right)$. | 71.0631 |
| Average expense for each $\$ 100,000$. | 156.3131 |
| Per cent | . $1563131=$ |

## XLIII.-STATEMENT OF LETTERS, TELEGRAMS, AND MONEY-PACKAGES, RECEIVED AND TRANSMDTTED DURING FISCAL YEAR 1878.

| Received by mail : |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| Letters containing money, registered | 12,530 |
| Letters contaiwing money, not registered | 4, 694 |
| Letters not containing money | 17,224 |
|  | 81, 407 |
|  | 98, 631 |
| Transmitted by mail: |  |
| Manuscript letters | 5,062 |
| Registered letters containing money | 7,363 |
| Primted forms flled in (inclosing checks) | 39, 701 |
| Printed notices (inclosing interest-checks) | 72,951 |
| Printod forms filled in (not inclosing checks) ........................................................ 171, 110 |  |
| Printed forms filled in (inclosing drafts) | 23,710 |
|  | 319, 897 |
| Telegrams received. | 208 |
| Telegrams seint .. | 347 |
| Money-packages received by express. | 61, 166 |
| Money-packages transmitted by expres | 58.771 |

## XLIV.-STATEMENT OF EMPLOFES AND SALARIES PAID DURING FISCAL YEAR 1878.

## A.-Changes in Employes.

Total force Treasurer's Office June 30, 1877 ..... 404
Deceased ..... 1Resigned21
Removed ..... 44
Transferred from rreasurer's Office
8
8
Appointraents expired84
Appointments ..... 77
Transferred to Treasurer's Oftice ..... 18'otal force Treasnrer's Office June 30, 1878415
B.-Salaries.

|  | Appropriated, | Paid. | Balance. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Regnar roll. | \$157, 68000 | \$157, 49785 | \$182 15 |
| Loan roll. | 16650000 | 166,412 17 | 8783 |
| Reimbursable: Force employed in redemption of national currency | 117, 73600 | 114, 28275 | 3,453 25 |
| , | 441,916 00 | 438, 19277 | 3,723 23 |

Note.-Thirty-five of the seventy-seven persons appointed during the year were appointed on the $23 d$ of June, for eight days, and were paid for that time from the "lapse" of this office. The number of persons borwe on the rolls on the 1st of July, 1878, was 341 ; and during the year ended on the 30th June there was paid to clerks borne on the rolls of this office, but employed in other bureans of the department, the sum of $\$ 18,591.90$.

## REPORT OF THE REGISTER OF THE TREASURY.

## REPORT

OF

## THE REGISTER OF THE TREASURY.

Treasury Department, Register's Office, November 1, 1878.

SIR : I have the honor to submit herewith a report in detail of the work performed in the several divisions of this bureau during the year ended June 30, 1878.

## LOAN DIVISION.

| The total number of United States coupon and registered bonds issued during the year was. | $318,942$ |
| :---: | :---: |
| Total number canceled | 287,953 |
| Amount issued : |  |
| Original issue (coupons and registered) | \$156, 153,700 00 |
| Registered bonds in exchange for coupon | 64, 054, 10000 |
| Registered bonds issued on transfers | 241, 910, 11315 |
| Total | 462, 117, 91315 |
| Amount canceled: |  |
| Coupon bonds converted into registered | 64, 054, 10000 |
| Registered bonds transferred. | 241, 910, 11315 |
| Actual redemptions, coupon and registered (per record of this office). | 116, 484, 90000 |
| Total | 422,449, 11315 |
| Amount of canceled coupon bonds turned over to committee for destruction $\qquad$ | 107, 366, 05000 |


| A synopsis of the vault account shows that there was on hand July |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| 1, 1877, imeluding bonds in hauds of European agent. | 544, 939, 95000 |
| Amount received during the year: |  |
| Coupon bonds. | 107, 195, 00000 |
| Registered bouds | 388, 506, 60000 |
| Registered 3.65 bonds | 1, 450, 00000 |
| Total | 1,041, 391,550 00 |


| Coupou bouds issued | 67, 858,700 00 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Registered bonds issued | 392, 812, 65000 |
| Registered 3.65 bouds issued | 1, 365, 00000 |
| Bonds delivered for destruction : |  |
| Coupon bonds. | 26, 802, 80000 |
| Registered bonds | 3,562, 15000 |
| Registered 3.65 bonds......... | 133, 00000 |
| Remaining on hand July 1, 1878: |  |
| Coupon bonds. | 75, 908, 15000 |
| Registered bonds | 458, 718, 35000 |
| Registered 3.65 bonds | 771,75000 |
| Bonds in hands of European agent | 13, 399, 00000 |
| Total | 041,391,550 00 |

The daily average of issue for the year has been about 1,000 bonds: and one and a half millions in amount.

During the first quarter of the present fiscal year the total issue of 4-per-cent. registered bonds amounted to $\$ 46,298,700$, against $\$ 15,316,950$ for previous quarter. Number of bonds used, 25,400, against 19,264 for preceding quarter.

The proportion of the three smaller denominations in the issue of this loan thus far has been nearly double that of the larger ones.

The $\$ 1,075,000,000$ of registered stock now outstanding is represented by 68,000 accounts, requiring 150 ledgers in actual use, beside journals and auxiliary books. The quarterly dividends on the three funded loans falling due at different dates, together with the $10-40$ and 6 per cents, now require the preparation of a schedule of interest each consecutive month of the year. The consolidated abstracts for January and July comprise about 1,500 printed pages, and those of the funded loans some 1,600 pages. Without the co-operation of the Treasury printing-office t would be quite impossible to prepare the schedules in the limited time allowed for that purpose.

Statement showing the number of cases，number and amount of registered and coupon bonds issued and canceled daring the fiscal year ending June $30,18 \% 8$.

| Lonns． | Issued． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Direct issues． |  |  | Exchanges． |  |  | ＇Transfers． |  |  | Total issue． |
|  |  |  | 菖 |  |  | 若 品 |  |  |  |  |
| Spanish indemnity． |  |  |  |  |  |  | 10 | 20 | \＄81，563 15 | \＄81，563， 15 |
| 1858．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oregon war |  |  |  | 14 | 26 | \＄38，000 | 397 8 | 944 35 | $\begin{array}{r}2,263,00000 \\ 14,200 \\ \hline 1\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,901,0000 \\ 14,200 \end{array}$ |
| 1861－July 17．．． |  |  |  | 100 | 260 | 602，200 | 1，671． | 7，402 | 22，975， 05000 | 23，577， 25000 |
| 1862．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $1863 .$. |  |  |  | 49 | 148 | 468，350 | 960 | 3553 | 9，993，850 00 | $10,462,20000$ |
| 1864－10－40s． |  |  |  | 135 | 403 | 1，370， 350 | 1，213 | 6，28i | 19，601， 25000 | 20，971， 80000 |
| 1864－Jane 30. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Consols of 1865. |  |  |  | 630 | 3，418 | 15，054， 500 | 1， 081 | 5，828 | 32，646， 30000 | 47，700， 80000 |
| Cousols of 1867. |  |  |  | 591 | － 2,588 | 8，151， 150 | －1，789 | 7，239 | 18，827， 35000 | 26，978，500 00 |
| Consols of 1868．．．． |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Pacific Railroad loans． |  |  |  | 85 | 161 | 297， 500 | 393 407 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,376 \\ & 1,925 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,27,50000 \\ & 8,297,400.00 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 4,555,00000 \\ & 8,297,000 \\ & \hline 0 \end{aligned}$ |
| 5 per cent．funded， 1881 |  |  |  | 667 | 5，234 | 15，140， 600 | 2，274， | 11， 169 | 27，978，800 00 | 4，3，119， 90000 |
| $4 \frac{1}{2}$ per ceut．funded， 1891 | 39 96 | 48,911 4,467 | $\begin{array}{r}\$ 36,720,950 \\ 20,774,700 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 690 | 7，066 | 20，270，400 | 3，222 | 20，702 | 49， $643,200.00$ | $36,720,950$ 90 9888,900 00 |
| 4 per cent．funded， 1907 | $\begin{array}{r}1,941 \\ \mathbf{2} \\ \hline 1\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}119,403 \\ \hline 2638\end{array}$ |  |  |  |  | $\cdots$ | 31.803 |  | $31,073,550$ $113,611,00000$ |
|  | 2，931 |  |  |  |  | 2，165， 050 | 4，195 | 31，803 | 43， $841,4,000$ | 113，611， 00000 |
| 3．65 District Columbia，funde |  |  |  | 75 | 248 | 496，000 | 60 | 277 | 869,00000 | 1，365，00000 |
| Totals | 5，007 | 199， 119 | 156，153， 700 | 3，214 | 20，969 | 64，054， 100 | 17， 680 | 98，854 | 241，910， 11315 | 462，117，913 15 |



## NOTE AND COUPON DIVISION.

At the close of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, the employés of this division consisted of twenty-eight clerks, eight males and twenty females, and two messengers.

The whole number of clerks employed during the year is forty-one, ten males and thirty-one females.

The average number per month during the year is twenty-eight, eight males and twenty females.

The following consolidated statement exhibits the character and amount of work accomplished during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 :

[^26]| Anthorizing act. | Nimber of bouds. | Amount. | Number of coupons. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| June 30, 1864 | 34, 885 | \$22, 821, 500 | 638,152 |
| March 3, 1865 | 71,003 | 49, 365, 050 | 1,222, 827 |
| July 17 and A ugust 5, 186 L | 1,890 | 756, 550 | 29,777 |
| March '3, 1863.......... | 418 | 259, 000 | 5, 870 |
| February 25. 1962. | 3,368 | 1, 046, 600 | 52, c32 |
| March 3, 1865, consols | 22, 835 | 9, 370,900 | 374, 645 |
| March 3. 1865, consols 1867 | 23,885 | 7, 837, 200 | 495, 035 |
| Funded loan, 4솔 per cent., July 14, 1870, and January 20, 1871. | 19,437 | 17, 434, 450 | 1,078, 522 |
| June 20, 1874, District of Columbia | 14,922 | 5,031,000 | 1, 449,144 |
| Total. | 192,643 | 113, 923, 150 | 5, 346, 824 |

Treasury notes, interest coin-checks, coin and currency certificates, assorted, arranged, connted, registered, and compared.

| Notes, interest coin-cbecks, and certificates. | Antborizing act. | Number of pieces. | Amount. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| One and two years 5 per cent | Mar. 3,1863 | 231 | \$5, 81000 |
| Three jears 6 per cent. compound-iaterest notes | Mar. 3, 186:3 June 30, 1864 | $\} \quad 1,191$ | 25,480 00' |
| Three years $7_{\text {7 }} \frac{3}{0}$ Treasury notes | June 30, 1864 <br> Mar. 3, 186ā | \} 88 | 7,40000 |
| Do | July 17, 1861 | 1 | 5000 |
| Coin-certificates | Mar. 3, 1/63 | 21,060 | 37, 986,000 00 |
| Currency certificates | June 8, 1872 | , 10,382 | 93, 015, 00000 |
| Iuterest coin-cheeks, 1881 | . 5017 14, 1870 <br> Jaı. 20, 1871 | $\} 19,567$ | 11,032,573 13 |
| Interest coin-checlss, 189 | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Jul. 14, } 18 \% 0 \\ & \text { Jan. } 20,187 . \end{aligned}$ | \} 6,843 | 1,863,513 \$7 |
| Interest coin-checks, 1907 | July. 14, 1870 <br> Jall. 20, 1871 | $\} 3,668$ | 575,621 55 |
| Interest checks, District of Columbia | June 20, 1874 | 342 | 163, 28500 |
| Total. |  | 63,373 | 144, 675,333 55 |

Coupons redeemed detached from bonds and notes, assorted, arranged numerically, and counted, 2,855,300; registered, 2,552,216; examined and compared, $2,770,119$.

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## NOTE AND FRACTIONAL CURRENCY DIVISION.

Statement showing the number of notes and amount of Drited States notes and fractional currency examined, counted, canceled, and destroyed, for the year ending June 30, 1878.

|  | No. of notes. | Amonnt. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| United States notes, new jssne | 353, 497 | \$3, 450, 250 |
| United States motes, series 1869 | 5, 314, 610 | 35. 64\%, 0000 |
| Uuited States motea, series 1874 | 5, 559, 034 | 15, 493, 7.50 |
| Uuited States notes, series 1875 | 9, 643, 348 | 23, 380, 950 |
| United States uotes, series 1878 | 8 ct 6 | 90, 450 |
| Uuitel States demand notes | 170 | 1, 425 |
| United States fractional currencr, first issno | 33,900 | 5,, 95 |
| Unitel States fraciomal curreucy, second issue | 32,700 | 4, 685 |
| United States fractional currency, third issue | 92, 400 | 18.620 |
| Onited States frational carrency, fourthissue | 2, 160, 000 | 351, 600 |
| Uuited States fractional currency, fourth issue | 176, 010 | 88,000 |
| United States fiactional currency, fourth issue | 712, 000 | 355. 000 |
| Uuited States fractional currency, filth issue | 14, 280, 0¢0 | 2, 976, 000 |
| Total. | 38,348, 545 | $82,370,5.5$ |

## 'IONNAGE DIVISION.

The total tonnage of the country exhibits a decrease of 39,835 tons, the registered tomage having increased 17,854 tons, the licensed tonnage (under 20 tons) 817 tons, while the enrolled tomage has decreased 48,506 tons.

The actual decrease is believed to be about 29,660 tons; this amount being the excess of the losses over the gains during the year.

The aggregate has been reduced by vessels laid up and not redocumented, rebuilt, readmeasured, used for inland trade and other purposes and sold to the United States Government.

Below are given the totals for the last two years:


The comparison of the clifferent classes of vessels is as follows:


It may be seen from the foregoing that the canal-boat tonnage has increased 7,296 tons, and the barge-tomage 25,456 tons, while the sailingtonnage has decreased 50,070 tons, and the steam-tomage 3,518 tons.

The proportion of the sailing-tomnage registered is 58 per centum, and the steam-tonnage 15 per centum.

## SEIP BUILDING.

The following table exhibits the class, number, and tonnage of the vessels built during the last two fiscal years:

|  | 1877. |  | 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Vessels. | Tons. | Vessels. | Tons. |
| Sailing-vesspls | 581 | 106, 331 | 532 | 106, 067 |
| Stean vessels. | 265 | 47, 514 | 334 | E1, 86 |
| Cauat-boats. | 29 | 3, 022 | 19 | 1, 403 |
| Barges. | 154 | 19,725 | 373 | 45, 6669 |
| 'Sotal | 1,029 | 116, 592 | 1,258 | 235, 50.4 |

From the foregoing it appears that the amount built during the past year was more by 58,912 tons than that of the preceding year.

The tomnage built during the last two years in the several grand divisions of the country is shown below:

|  | 1877. |  | 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Vessels. | Tons. | Vessels. | Tons. |
| Atlantic and Gulf coasts. | 620 | 120,278 | 634 | 143, 805 |
| Pacific eoast. | 85 | 12,718 | 63 | 11, 333 |
| Northern lakes | 89 | 8,903 | 101 | 11.4,38 |
| Western rivers | 232 | 34, 693 | 4160 | 68,92木 |
| Total | 1,029 | 176,592 | 1,258 | 235,504 |

The following table exhibits the iron tonnage built in the country since 1868:

|  | 1868. | 1869. | 1870. | 1871. | 1872. | 1873. | 1874. | 1875. | 1876. | 1877. | 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sailing-vesselsStuan-vessels |  | 1,039 | 679 | 2, 067 |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 2,801 | 3,545 | 7,602 | 13, 412 | 12, 766 | 26, 548 | 33, 097 | 21,632 | 21, 346 | 5,927 | 26, 960 |
| Total. | 2,801 | 4, 584 | 8,281 | 15, 479 | 12,766 | 26,548 | 33, 097 | 2., 632 | 21,346 | 5, 927 | 26,960 |

Tables showing the amount of iron tonnage outstanding may be found in the appendix to the Report on Commerce and Navigation.

## THE FISHERIES.

The tonnage engaged in the fisheries during the last two years is as llows:

| Tisheries. | $187 \%$ |  | 1878. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Vessels. | Tons. | Vessels. | Tons. |
| Cod and mackerel fisberies. | 2,288 | 91, 08.5 | 2,435 | 86,546 |
| Whale fisberies ..... | 179 | 40,593 | 182 | 39, 700 |

Below is shown the amount of tonnage employed in the cod and mackerel fisheries, with the per centum of each State:

|  | States. | Tonnage. | Per cent. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Maine |  | 20, 937 | 24. 2 |
| New Hampshire |  | 1,218 49,272 |  |
| Mhassachisetts. |  | $49,29.2$ 2,496 | 56.9 3.4 |
| Cobnecticut. |  | 4. 605 | 5. 4 |
| New Yorls |  | 5,677 | 6.6 |
| New Jerses.. |  | 27 | . 0 |
| Penusylvania |  | 5 | 0 |
| Florida |  | 61 | 8 |
| Califormia. |  | 1,690 | 2:0 |
| Total. |  | 86, 540 ¢ | 100 |

This shows a decrease of about 5 per cent. during the year.
The tonnage employed in the whale fisheries is given below:

| Customs-districts |
| :--- |

Of the above, nearly 88 per cent. belongs at New Bedford.
Complete tables showing the various classes of tomnage may be found in the appendix to this report.

## DIVISION OF RECEIPTS AND EXPENDIIURES.

The following statement exhibits the work of this division for the year ending June 30, 1878:

In the preceding year................................................................ 23, 832
Decrease
The number of warrants registered for receipts from customs, lands, internal revenue, direct tax, and miscellaneous sources was ............ 10,924
In the preceding year
10, 829
Increase
The number of warrants registered for payments and repayments in the
War, Navy, and Interior (pension and Indian) Departments was..... 11;332
In the preceding year.......................................................... 13, 453
Decrease
The number of drafts.registered was ................................................. 30,112
In the preceding year............................................................... 35, 878 Decrease
The number of jounal pages required for the entry of accounts relating to the civil, diplomatic, internal-revenue, miscellaneons, and pablicdebt receipts and expenditures was:
In the preceding year......................................................... 5, 188
Decrease
The number of certificates furnished for settlement of accounts was... 12, 933
In the preceding year.......................................................... 13, 185
Decrease
The number of accounts received from the First and Fifth Auditors and Conmissioner of General Land Office was ............................... 21, 578
In the preceding year....................................................................... 28, 838
pecrease

In the appendix will be found a statement of the receipts and expenditures of the government, as required by the standing order of the House of Representatives of December 30, 1791, and section 237 of the Revised Statutes; also, statements of the amount of money expended and number of persons employed, and the occupation and salary of each person at each custom-house, as required by section 258 of the Revised Statutes.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,
G. W. SCOFIELD,

Register.

## Hon. John Sherman,

Secretary of the Treasury.
F. F. Fox, enllector, Bangor, Me
T. S. J. Noalleo, collector, Bath, Me
W.C. Marshall, collector, Bellast, Me.
O. Mr Fanden, cillector, Wiscalsset. Me
A. Vandine, collector, Aroostook, Mo
N. B. Nutt, conlector. Passamaquinthy, Me
L. M. Morrit collector, Portland, Mo
J. A. Hall, collector, Waldoborongh, Me
W. H. Sargoat collector, Castine, Me
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M. Lowell, colluctor Sace, Me

Genrge Learett, colloctor, Machias Me
J. W. Sargent, collector, Kennebnok, Mo
J. D. Hopkins, collector, Frenohnan's Bay, Mo
A. F. Howari, collector, Portsmonth. N. H

Williani Wells, collector, Vermont, Vt
W. A. Simmons, late collector, Boston, Mass
T. Russell, late collector. Buston. Mass.
A. W. Beard, collector; Bostom, Mass
W. P. Hiller, collector, Nantacket, Mass
T. J. Babson, collecror, Gloncester, Mass
S. Doilge. collecter, Marblehead, Mass
J. A. P. Allon, collector. New Bedfurd, Mass .........................................................
W. H. Hase, collector' Newbaryport, Mass
C. H. Offell, collector, Salem, Mass
J. Brady, ji., collectot, Fall River; Mass
T. Loring, late collector, Plymonth, MCass.

Samuel H. Doten, collectnr, Plymoath, Mass.
F. E. Goss, eollector, Barnstable, Mass
C. B. Marchaut, collector. Edxartown, Mass

Janes shaw, colleotor, Providence. R. I .
F. A. Pratt, collector, Newport, R. I
A. Patnam, collector, Middsetory , Conn
C. Northrop, collector, New Haven, Conn
J. A. Tibbetts, collector, New Londm, Conu
J. S. Hrnover, collector, Fairfield, Conn
G. Hubbard, collecter, Stonington, Conn
C. A. Arthur, collector, Sew York, N. Y
S. Coover. collector, Capa Vincent. N. Y
P. P. Kidder, collector, Dunkirk, N. $\underset{Y}{ }$
J. C. Whitney, collector, Albany, N. V.
D. K. Cartter, collector, Genesee, N. Y
S. P. Remingtom, collectar, Oswegatelie, N. Y
D. Root, late coilector, Oswego. N. Y
D. G. Fort, collector, Oswego, N. Y
J. Tyler collector, Butfalo, N. Y.
T. E. Ellaworth, late collector, Niarara, N. Y..................

J3. Flagler, collector, Niagara, N. Y
S. Moffett, collector, Champlain, N. Y.
C. H. Honcrton, collector Perth Ambor i....................................
W. A. Bajd win, collector, Newark. N. J
J. H. Bartlett, collector, Little Eqg Harbor, N. J
J. S. Rntau, collector, Pittsburgb, Pa
A. P. Tutton, colleotor, Philatelphia, Pit......................................................
J. R. Willard, late collentor, Erie, Pa
II. T. Brown, collector, Erie, Pit.
L. Thompson, collector, Delaware
E. Wilkins, lato enllector, Baltimoro. Md
r. L. Thomas, oollector, Baltimore, Mid

7. Doilga, colleotor, Georgotown, D. C.
C. S. Mills, collector, Richmond, Va
A. A. Warfield collector, Alexandria, Fa
B. S. Burch, collector, Petersburg, Vi.

George Toy, collector, Cberrystone, Va
J. S. Braston, collector, Norfilk, Va

James Gilchrist, colloctor, Wheeliug, W. Va
J. C. Abbott, late collector, Wilmingtom, N. C
W. P. Caualay, collector, Wilmington. N. C
T. A. Henry, collector, Pamlioo, N. C
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## Statement of the reseipts of the United.States, fe.-Continued.

## FROM CUSTOMS-Continued.


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FROM SALES OT PUBLIC LANDS.
J. d. Williamson. Commiasioner, General Land Office

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Missonri River, Foct Scott and Gulf Railroad Company
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J. M. Wilkinson, recaiver of public moneys, Margnette. Mich ................ $\quad$, 40198
]. Hannah, receiver of public moners, Traverse City, Mich .
7. 89302

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J. L. Jennings, receiver of public moneys, Ionia, Mich
J. M. Farland, receiver of public moneys, Detroit, Mich 4025
F. F. Burton, receiver of public moneys, East Saginaw, Mich.....................

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## Slatement of the receipts of the United States, $8 \cdot 0$. Continued.

FROM SALES OF PUBLIC LANDS-Continued.

Brought forward
J. F. Nason, receiver of pnblic moneys, Falls Saint Croix, Wis.
D. L. Quaw, recciver of public moneys, Warsaw, Wis
I. H. Wing, receiver of public moueys, Bayfield. Wis
N. Thatcher, recoiver of pablic moneys, Menasha, W is
J. Ulrich, recuiver of public monoys, La Crosse, Wis
$\qquad$
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J. M. Brackett, receiver of pnblic moneys, Can Claire," Wis
V. W. Bayless, receiver of public moneys, Ran Claire, Wis
P. C. Stettin, receiver of pablic moneys, Detroit, Minn

Olg Peterson, receiver of public moneys, Saint Clond, Minn
W. B. Heriott, receiver of publie moneys, Redwood Falls, Minn
C. C. Goodnow, receiver of public moness, New Jlm, Miun
T. H. Presuell, receiver of public moneys, Daluth, Minan.
J. H. Alleu, receiver of public moneys, Fergas Falls, Minn
V. H. Greenleaf, receiver of public moneys, Benson, Minn.
G. B. Folsom, receiver of public moneys, Tavor's Falls, Minn.
J. P. Monlton, receiver of public moneys, Worthington, Minu
J. S. McClary, receiver of public moneys, Norlulk, Nebr.
C. N. Bibird, receiver of public moneys, Liuoln, Nebs
IV. Anyan, receiver of poblic moneys, Grand Island, Nebr
C. W. Dersey, receiver of publio moneys, Bloomington, Nebr
$J$. Worthing, late receiver of public moners, Bloomington, Nebr
$J$ ames Stott, receiver of public moneys, Niobrara, Nebr.
R. B. Harrington, receiver of public moneys. Beatrice. Nebr.

John Taffe, receiver of public moneys, Norib Platte, Nebr
H. R. Grittith, receiver of pablie moneys. Des Moines, Iowa

TV. R. Smith, receiver of public moneys, Sioux City, Iowa.
L. Davis, receiver of public moneys, Ironton, Mo

Genge Ritchoy, receiver of public moneys. Bonville, Mo
J. Dumars, receiver of public moneys, Sprinufield, Mo
J. H. Fndge, receiver of public moneys, Kirwin, Kans
D. R. Warstatf, roceiver of public monejs, Salina, Kaus
H. Booth, receiver of public moneys, Larned, Kans.
15. Gilbert, late receiver of public moneys, Larned, Kans
W. J. Munter, receiver of public moneys, Hays City, Fans
A. J. Vickers, late receiver of pablic moneys, Hays City, Kans.............
E.J.Jars,
J. J. Dyer, receiver of public moners, Wichita, Kans
J. C. Redield, late roctiver of publie monevs, Wichita, Kars

1. 13. Emmert, receiver of public moneys, Eumboldt, Jans.
H. M. Waters, recciver of public moneys, Independence, Kans.
H. Kelly, receiver of public moneys, Topeka, Kans.
J. F. Faran, Jate receiver of public moneps, Little Rock, Ark.
A. Hodges, receiver of public moneys, Littie Rock, Ark
A. S. Prather, late recciser of pablic moseys, Harris:n, Ark
R. S. Armitage, receiver of public moneys, Harrison, Ark
A. $\Lambda$. Tulis. receiver of publie moness, Canden, Ark
M. M. Freed, late receiver of public noneys, Dardanelle, Ark

1r. Bolles, receiver of pablic inoneys, Dardanolle, Ark.
O. Morgan, roceiver of pablic moneys, Tallahassee, Fla
3. Tarnum, receiver of public moneys, Gainesville, Fla.
S. F. Hallilay, late receiver of public moneys, Gainesvillo, Fla.
P.J. Faufman, receiver of public mongys, Huntsville, Ala
J. A. Somerville, receivor of public moneys, Molile, Ala.
P.J. Strobach, receirer of public moneys, Montgomery, Ala.
T. J. Alcorn, recciver of pablic moneys, Jackson, Migs
C. L. C. Cass, late receiver of mublic inonejs. Jackson, Miss
J. Neville, late receiver of public moneys, New Orleaus, La

Gerran Baldey, receiver of public muneys, New Orleans, La
A. T. Lamee, receiver of public moneys, Natchitoches, La
J. F. McKeuna, receiver of public moneys. Deadwond, Dak
I. D. F. Puore, receiver of public moneys, Spriugtield, Dak
G. A gersbarg, late reccirer of public moneys, Springfield, Dak
J. M. Washburn, receiver of public moneys, Sioux Falls, Dak.
L. S. Bayless, reseiver of public moueys, Yankton, Dak.
T. M. Brown, receiver of public moneys, Bismarck, Dak.
T. M. Pugh, receiver of pablic moneys, Fargo, Dak
15. W. Henderson, roceivor of publie moneys, Central Citr, Colo
W. T. Burchinell, recejver of public moneys, Fair Play, Culo..
M. I. Fitch, recuiver of public moneys, Pueblo, Colo.
S. F. Thomson, receiver of public money's, Denver, Colo
C. A. Brastow, receiver of public moneys, Del Norte, Culo
U. B. Hickman, recever of public moneys, Lake City, Colo
dames Stont, recoiver of public moneys, Boise City, Idaho
R.J. Monroe, receiver of public monegs, Lewiston, Idaho.
s. Wright, receiver of publie moneys, Carson City, Nev
J. J. Works, receiver of public moneys, Eurelia, Ner
W. AL. Stattord, late receiver of pablic monevs, Elko, Nef
M. P. Freeman, receiver of public monoys. Elko, Nev..
M. Barela, receiver of public moneys, La Mesilla, N. Mex.
A. Barcla, receiver of pabhe moneys, La Mcsila; , Me...............

George R. Somit, late receiver of pablic monges, Sinte lé, N. Mex...
C. M. Huward, receiver of public moneys, Sante Fe, N. Mex

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## Statement of the receipts of the United States, $\mathcal{\&} c$. -Continued.

## FROM SALES OF PUBLIC LANDS-Continued.

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George Lonnt, receiver of public moneys, Prescott, Ariz L. Ruggles, receiver of public moucys, Florence, Ariz
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M. L. Stiles, late receiver of public inoneys, Florence, Ariz

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5, 78491
19, 18405
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46, 17637
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49,11274
31, 61219
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$1,079,74337$

## FROM INTERNAL REVENUE.

Commissioner of Internal Revenue
5, 941, 723 93
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Treasmer Uniterl States. Mayer, collentor 1st ilistrict. Alabama
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235, 70472
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52,63774
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854,48343
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620, 87924
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158, $8: 3481$
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## Statement of the receiphs of the United States, gro.-Continued.

## FLOM INTERNAL REVENOE-Continued

Bronght forwart
W.S. Friden, collector bith district, Kentucky
A. M. Swope, collector th district. Kentack y
W.J. Landrum, collecter Bih district, Kentueky
J. E. Blaine, collector 9 Ih district, Kentacky
J. Cockren, collector, Louisiana
F. J. Rollins, collector lst distriet Mane
A. Ruggles, late collector 4th district, Maine
R. M. Proud, collector 3d Ifstrict, Marylani

1. C. Broce, collector dth district. Maryland
C. W. Slack, colleetor 31 district Massachnget.ts
C. C. Dame, colleetor 5th district, Massachusetts
C. R. Tinker, colloctor: 10th district, Massaclensetts
L. S. Trowbrider, collector 1 st district, Michigan
H. B. Rowlson, collector 3 district. Michigan.
S. $s$ Bailey, collector 4 th distriot, Michigan
C. Y. Do Lano, colloctor fith district, Michigan
A. C. Smith, collector 1 st, district. Minnesotia
I. N. Fall late collecter 1st district, Minnesota
W. Bickel, collector $2 d$ distriet, Minnesotz.
M. Shanehnesse, late collector 1st nixtrict, Mississippi

JI. B. McClure, late collector 24 district, Mississippi
R. C. Powers, collwetor $2 d$ district, Mississippi
J. H. Stmrgem, collector Ist district, Missouri
W. M. Hanihon. late collector 21 district, Missouri
A. B. Carroll, collector 2d district, Missonti
A. C. Stewart, coller:tor tht district, Missoni
D. H. Budlong, collector 5 th district, Missouri
12. T. Van Horn, collector Gith district, Missouri
T. P. Faller. collector district Montana
II. A. Newman, collector district Nobraska
T. C. Lurd. collector district Nevada
G. A. Smith. colloctor district New Mexico
A. H. Young, collector district New Himpshiro
W. P. Tatem, collector lat district, New Jersey
C. Marcalow, collector 3d district, Now Jersey.
R. B. Hathord, collector ath district. New Jersey
J. Fremand, collecior list district, New York

Max Weber, late collector ed district, New York
M. B. Blake, collector 2d district, Now York
J. A rchbobd, late collector :id district. New York.
M. D. Stimer, collector 11th district, New York

Max Weber, enllector $3 d$ district, Now York
J. M. Johnson, collector 12 hh district, New York
ri. P. Lathrop, oollectur 14 th district, New York
J. T. Masters, collectur 15th district, New York
J. C. P. Kincaid. collector 21st district; New York
J. 3. Strong, collector 24th district New York
3. De Voe. collector 264 h district, New Fork.
J. D. Decker, late collector 28th district, New York
33. Van Horn, collertor $28 t h$ district. New York
F. Buell, collector 30th district, New York
T. Powers, collector 2l district, North Carolina

1. J. Young, collector quth ilistrict, North Caroliva
G. S. Winstead, collector 5 th district, North Carolina
W. F. Wheeler, collector 5 th district. North Carolina
J.J. Motr, collector 6 th district, North Caroliua
I. Weirzel, late collector lst digtrict, Ohio
A. Smith, jl., collector 1st fistrict, Ohio
R. Willians, collector 3l district, Ohio
W. W. Wilson, late cnllector 4th district, ohio
R. P. Kennedy, collector 4th district, Obio.
C.B. Wilson, late collector 5 th district, Ohio
J. Pursell, collector 6uth district, Ohis
C. C. Walenth, enllector th district, Ohio.
J. R. Swigert, latw collector 10th district, Ohio
C. Wasgener, conlector 10 rib district, Ohio
B. F. Coater, colluctor lith district. Olion
J. L. Kissenger, late collector 15 th district, OLio
J. Palmer, collector 15 th district. Ohio
C. B. Pettengell, collector 18th district, Ohio.
O. N. Denny late collector district Uregon.
J. C. Cartwright. colloctor district Oregon
J. Ashworth, colluctor hit district, Pennsylvania
S. M. Zulick, late collector 3d district, Penosylvania
J. R. Brotteubach, late collector ©th district, Pennsylvania.
J. T. Valentine, collector 8th district, Pennsylvania
H. E. Mrthenborg. late collector gol district, Peunsylvania
'T. H. Wiley, collector 9th district, Pepnsplvania.
E. H. Chase, collector 12 th district, Pemosylvania
©. J. Brumer, collector 14th district, Penosylvania
E. Scull, collector loth distriet, Peunsylvania
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184, 123.06

## Statement of the receipts of the United Slates, fec-Continued.

## FROM INTERNAL REVENUE-Continued

## Bronght forward

C. M. Lyuch, collector 19th district, PennsylvaniaJ. C. Brown, collector 24th district, Pennaylvania
T. W. Davis, collector 22d district, Pennsilvania
T. W. Davis, collector 22d district, PenusslvaniaJ. H. Khodes, collector disirict Rhode IslandI. C. Carpenter, late collector district Sonth Carolina
R. W. Ferris, late collector district South Catolina
E. M. Brupton, collector district Sotuth Carolina
J. K. Miller, late collector 1st district, TennesseoJ. A. Comper, collector $2 d$ district Tennesseo.$\$ 97,911,88581 \$ 131,250,42357$18, 45096103,01296
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52, 78300
1,598 77
1,086, 86888
39, 64216
2, 311, 35389
1., $23 \overline{3}, 45749$ 1, 593,73008

215, 51510
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297, 43L 47
40, 46205
2, 003,319 18
143, 05578
194.684 35

91,810 84
$15,7274.5$
22, 89900

FROM CONSULAR FEES.
I. Adams, acting consul, Geneva 3750
D. Atwater, coneml, 'Iahiti ..... 45402
C. M. Allen. consul, Bermuda ..... 1, 60172
G. J. A bbott, commercial agent, Windsor ..... 14875
D. H. Bailoy, consul, Hong-Kong ..... 8,15877S. F. M. Byers, consul, Znich9, 8328379447
A. Badran, consul-general, London. ..... 12. 13597
I. Bartlett, coosul, Martinique ..... 1,5:34 65
J. A. Jridglaud, consul, Havre ..... 3,945 82
E. L. Baker. consul, Buenos Ayres ..... 3, 15028
O. B. Bradford, vice-consul-gemeral, Shanghai ..... 2. 66617
F. P. Beanchamp, consul, Aix-La-Cbapelle. ..... 2, 735 92
S. P. Baglry, consul, Palermo. ..... 2,325 86
B. H. Barrows, consul, Dublin ..... 1, 513 13
E. S. Beuson, vice-consul, Osaka and Biogo ..... 38753
N. Crane, cousul, Nauchester ..... 4,525071, 238051, 61150T. S. Chilton, cons, Clifton
Clews, Habright \& Co., bankers, London.
1,958 77
C. S. Caldweli, consal, Montevideo ..... 1, $6: 083$
J. S. Crosby, comsal, Furenco
J. S. Crosby, comsal, Furenco
3,906 19
3,906 19
S. F. Cooper, consul, Glasgow
1, 48835
1, 48835
E. Conray, consal, San Juau, P. ..... 52705
M. Cbance consul, Nassan ..... 91751
$3 \div 3 \leq 4$
TV, Crosby, consul, Talcahnano ..... 2, 12638

A. Cone, comsul, Para, Brazil.3748 L
2, 7489044625
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$094 \quad 39$
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J.C.S. Colby, consul. Chin Kiang
R. I . Clay ton, consml, Callao
J. A. Camplell, consul, Basle
W. A. Dart, consul-ueneral, Montreal
A. N. Dattie, cossul, Cadiz.
D. M. Duиi, consul, Prince Edward Jiland
J. M. Donnen, consal, Belfiast.1,22648
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W. W. D uelas, consul, Rradford.

## Statement of the receipls of the United States, foc.-Continued.

## FROM CONSULAR FEES-Continued.

Bronght forward
H. Driver, consul, Anckland.
$\$ 100,93931 \$ 241832,04831$ 75079
4550
L. E. Wyer, consal, Odessa

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6,569 82
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6, 14518
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109, 77336
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## Statement of the receipts of the Uniled States, \&c.-Continued.

## FROM CONSULAR EEES-Continued.

Brought forward
$\$ 338,79227 \$ 241,832,04831$
C. McMalau, consulgeneral, Rowe

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T. J. McLain, jr., consul, Nassau 26750
E. Masi, vice-consul, Leghorn

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P. M. Nick
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R. S. Neirton, commercial agent, St. Paul de Loando

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3175
F. Nemman, consul, Ceylou

1, 58589
N. J. New wetter, late consul, Osaka and Hiogo

1,320 12
R. Nunes, vice consal, Kiugston
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P. J. Oster hans, consul, Lyous

2, 12857
G. H. Owen, consul, Messina

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2,84574
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4, 10822
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3, 90694
1, 82331
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1,54896
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5,45719
6418
96959
32550
1,53742
8, 72185
57353
3, 04684
58516
3,931 50
28800

## Statement of the receipts of the United States, fo.-Continued.

FROM CONSULAR FEES-Continued.

## Brought forward

J. R. Weaver, consul, Antwerp
A. A. Wambersio, vice-consul, Rotterdam
A. B. Webster, consul, Sheftield
W. Ward, vice-cousul, Leads.
G. L. Washington, vice-consul, Matanzas
J. G. Willson, consnl, Jerusalem
J. F. Wiater, cousul, Rotterdam .......
G. W. Wells, consul-general, Stand
C. Younger, viee-consul, Cadiz $\qquad$

## FROM STEAMBOAT FEES.

J. A. Y. Allen, collector, Now Bedford, Mass.

58235
James Atkius, collector, Savannod, Ga
I. C. Akeler, collector, Michigan, Mich

2,872 85
4, 51990
36700
J. C. A buort, collector, W ihmiugton, N. C
C. A. Arthor, collector, New York, N. Y.....
W. L. Ashmore, collector, Burliugtin, N. J
T. C. Anderson, cullector, New Orleans, La
$\boldsymbol{N}^{\boldsymbol{N}}$. A. Daldwin, cullector, Newark, N.J'
J. S. Braston, collector, Norfolk, Va
I). V. Bell, collector, Detroit, Mich
W. W. Bowers, collector, San Diego, Cal
F.J. Babson, collector, Gloncester, Mass
13. S. Burch, collector, Perersburg, $V$ a.
E. A. Brag don, collector, York, Me
J. Brady, jr., collectoc, Fall River, Mass
C. W. Blew, actine collector, Saint John's, Fia
J. H. Bartiet, t , collector, Litile Egg Harbor, N. J
C. H. Jaldwin, collector, Charleston, S. C.
H. L. Brown, collector, Erie, Pa.
A. W. Beard, collector, Boston, Mass
10. K. Cartter, collector, Genesee, N. Y
J. H. Chanillcr, collector; Superior, Michz
W. W. Copeland, collector, Omaha, Nebc
S. Cooper, colleotor, Cape Vincent, N. Y
J. M. Currie, collector, Saint Mark's, Fla
I. I. Castello, collector, Natchez, Miss
d. '1'. Collins, collector, Brunsvick, Ga
J. Campbell, collector, Onaha, Nebr.
W. P. Camaday, coliector, Wiminutom, N.C.
A. S. De Wolt', crllector, Bristol, R. I

39, 597 95
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9, 42395
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J. Dudge, collector, Georgetown, D.C 5000

T. E. Ellsworth, collector, Niagara, N. Y 2500 48495 $10590^{\prime}$
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## Statement of the reccipts of the United States, \&c.-Continued.

## FROM STEAMBOAT FEES-Continued.

## Brought forward

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3, 12915
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6, 40880
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37139
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2, 15640
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1,767 15
1,963 95
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1,896 40
5, 11240
4,131 35
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1,818 85
7,975 05
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4, 06090
15,26750
9, 18065
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1, 149 35
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2,212 60
32430
5, 18180
25030
17119
$\$ 104,18116$ \$3.12, 311, 55978

## FROM REGISTERS' AND RECEIVERS' FEES.

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| 12. J. Alcorn נeceiver of public moneys, Jacks | 6. 168842 |
| W. anyan, deeeiver of prablic ronneys, Grand Inland, Nebr | 22, 85013 |
| J. H. allen, receiver of public money, Alexandria, Minn | 17,608 10 |
| di. S. Apms age, receiver of mblic moneys, Harrison, Ai | 71544 |
| M. M. Bane, recerver of publie monoys, Salt Lake, Utah | 15,903 10 |
| ©. N. Bairsl. receiver of public moneys, Lincolin, Nebr. | 15, 23478 |
| W. K. Burcbenell, receiver of public monoss, Fair Play, C | 2, 28920 |

## Statement of the receipts of the Onited States, Sc.-Continued.

FROM REGISTERS' AND RECEIVERS' FEES-Coutinued.

## Brought forward

L. S. Bayless, receiver ot public moneys, Yankton, Dak
J. M. Brackot, receiver of public moneys. Ean Claire, Wis.
M. Barela, receicer of public moneys, Mesilla, N. Mex
A. V. Bogrert, receiver of public moneys, Bozeman, Mont
E. M. Brown, receiver of public monevs, Bismarck. Dak
S. W. Brown, receirer of public moneys, Vancourer, war h
C. A. Brastow, receirer of pablic nomieys, Del Norte, Cilo
F. J. Burton, Teceiver of pablic moneys, East Saginaw, Mich
H. Bonth, receiver of public moneys, Larbed, Kans

Gerrge Baldy, recriver of public moners, New Orleans, La
T. Boles, recuiver of public moneys. Dardanelle, Ayk.
N. W. Bayless, receirer of public moneys. Ean Claire, Wis
D. Chaplin, receiver of public moneys. Le Grand, Oreg.
S. Cooper, receiver of public moneys, Hambolit, Cat .
L. I., Crane, receiver of puolie moness, Marvsville, Cal
G. Conn, receiver of pubic momeyn, Linkville, Ores . ....................
C. H. Chamberlaia, receiver of priblic moneys, Nau Fi....................
L. Davis, receiver of puluic moners, Inorton, Mo
J. Dumats, receiver of public uoneys, Springfield, Mo.
J. L. Dyer, receiver of public moneys, Wichita, Kans.
J. L. Dyer, receiver of public moneys, Wichita, Kans.......................
A. Daluowsky, receiver of public moneys, Shasta, Cal
J. C. Fillerton, receiver of public inoness, Roseberg, Oreg
G. B. Folsom, receiver of public monoys, Taylor's Falls, Minn
M. H. Fitch, receiver of public woneys. Pueblo, Colo
J. M. Farhand, receiver of public moneys, Detroit. Mich
H. Fellows, receiver of public moneys, Sactamento, Cal
M. M. Freed, receiver of public noters, Dardanelle, Ark
M. P. Freeman, reepiver of public moners, Elko, Nev.
J. F. Fagau, receiver of public moneys, Little Rock, Ark
H. F. Grifith, receiver of public noneys, Des Moiues, Iowa
W. 7 . Grcenteat, receiver of public moneys, Benson, Minu
E. Gilbert, recerver of pablic moneys, Larned, Kans
U. C. Goodnow, recciver of pablic nonejs, New Ulm, Minn
P. Hammah, receiver of public mumeys, Traverse City, Mich
R. B. Harrington, receiver of pubhe moneys, Yeatrice, Nobr
W. B. Horriott, receiver of pablic moneys, Redwood Falls, Minn
E. W. Fendersou, receiver of public moners, Ceutral Citr, Colo.
T. P. Hamison, receiver of public moners, Oregon City, Oreg.
J. W. Harerstick, receiver of public moneys, Los Angeles, Cal.
J. M. Hodge, rectiver of pnblic moneys, Kitwin, Kans
C. 13. Hickman, receiver ol pnblic moneys, Lake City, Colo.
W. J. Hunter, receiver of public moners, Hays City, Kaus
A. Hodges, rectiver of public monoss, Litule Roek, Ark
C. M. Enwand, receiver of public moneys, Santa Fé. N. Mex
J. L. Jennings, receiver of public monevs, Lonia, Mieh
E. E. Jeukins, receiver of public moneys, Concordia, Kans.
P. J. Kaufmanu, reeeiver of public moneys, Hnutsville, Ala
H. Kelly, receiver of public moneys, Topalia, Rans
A. E. Lemer, receiver of public moners, Natchitoches, La

George Lount, receiver of public moners, Prescott, $\Delta$ riz
'I. Jibdsey, receiver of pablic moneys, Visalia, Cal
T. May. receiver of publie moneys, Independenca, Cal
W. B. Mitchell, receiver of pablic moneys, Saint Clnad, Mina
C. Mc Donald, receiver of pablic moneys, Shasta. Cal
J. S. MeClarey, receiver of public monoys, Norfolk, Nebr
J. P. Moulton, receiver of pablio moneys, Worthin, Nenr, Mina
in. J. Munroe, receiver of public moneys, Lewiston, Idabo
A. Miller, receiver of public moneys, Susadvide, Cal
J. F. McKenma, receivet of public moneys, Deadwood, Dak
J. F. Mason, receiver of publie moneys, Lalla Saint Croix, Wis
I. Neville, receiver of pnblic moneys, New Orleans, La.
O. Perrin, receiver of pablic momejs. Stockton, Cal
L. D. F. Poore, receiver of public movess, Springfield, Dak.
T. M. Pugh, receiver of pablio, moneys, Fargo. Dak
T. H. Presnell, receiver of public moneys, Dalath, Minn.
O. Petmos son, receirer of publio moness, Saint Cloud, Minn
A. S. Prather, receirec of public monoje, Bimison, Ark

W C Paiuter
D. L. Quaw, receiver of public moners, Wansan, Wis

George Ritchoy, receiver of pablic moneps, Boonville, Mo
L. Rageles, receiver of pablic moness, Ilorenee, Ariz
W. M. Stafiond. receiver of public moneys, Elko, Nev
J. A. Somerville, receiver of public moneys, Mobile. Ala
P. J. Strabach, receiver of pnblic moners Montgomery, dia
M. L. Stiles, receiver of pnblic moners, Fhorence, Ariz
R. G. Strart, receiver of public moneys, O!ympia, Wash
E. N. Sweet, receiver of public moneys, Colfax, Wash.
W. P. Smitb, receiver of pablic moneys, Sinux Cit. Inwa
G. 12. Smith, receiver: of publiu moreva, Santa Fu. N. Mex
J. Stott, receiver of public moneys, Niobrara, Nebr
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52, 11712
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2, $26: 3.9$
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## FROM REGISTERS' AND RECEIVERS' FEES-Continued.

Brought forward
P. C. Stettin, recciver of public moness, Detroit, Minn.
F. P. Sterling, rcceiver of public monevs, Helena, Mont

James Stoat, recciver of public moneys, Boise City, Idabo
N. Thatcber, receiver of public moneys, Menasha, Wis
S. T. Thompson, receiver of public moneys, Denver, Colo
C. N. Thornburg, receiver of public moneys, The Dalles, Oreg
A. A. Tuft, receiver of public moneys, Camden, Ark

John Taffo, receiver of public moneys; North Platte, Nebr
$J$. Whick, recsiver of public moneys, La Crosse, Wis
Nebr.
J. Varbum, receirer of public moneys, Gainesville, Fla...
A. J. Vickers, reoeiver of public moneys, Hays City, Kans
J. J. Works, receiver of publio moneys, Enreia, Nebr
S. C. Wrioht, receiver of public moneys, Carsou City, Nebr.
J. A. Williamson, Commissioner, General Land Office
J). R. Wagstaff, receiver of public moneys, Salina, Kans
J. C. Whippla, receiver of pablic moneys, Cheyeune, Wyo
W. F. Wright, recciver of piblic moneys, North Platte, Nebr $\qquad$ I. H. Wing, receiver of public moneys, Bayfield, Wis
J. ML. Wasbbum, receiver of public moneys, Sionx Falls, Dak
J. M. Wilkinson, receiver of public moneys, Marquette, Mich
H. M. Watcrs, receiver of public moneys, Iudependence, Kans
$\$ 659,67485 \$ 242,584,26363$
15,89730
3, 10860
1, 69200
2, 27314
8, $088^{\prime} 59$
2,864 50
7,524 22
1, 85290
3,656 91
16, 04404
7,685 91 53700
1, 49850 35455 30,631 99 63200 -8595 39049 66, 14624
3, 84572
3,54790

## FROM MARINE HOSPITAL TAX.

J. C. A bbott, collector, Wilmington, N. C
C. A. Arthur, collector, New York, N. Y
W. L. Ashmore, collector, Burlingtou, N.

J, Atkins, collector, Savannah; Ga
1,315 39
73, 43262 58690
3,85762
F. C. Akeley, collector, Michigan, Mich

2,327 23
J. S. Adams, colloctor, Great Egg Earbor, N.

1,175 39
20237
1, 33913
9, 28534
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1, 034 87
1, 035.613
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1, 09651
5, 13744
5, 72111
2,288 34
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J, 90733
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2, 76000

Carried forward

## Statement of the receipts of the United States, frc.-Continued.

## FROM MARINE HOSPITAL TAX-Continued.

Bronght furward
Geore Hubbard collector, Stonington, Conn
T. S. Hodson, collector, Eastern Marrland.
T. A. Henry, collector, Pamlico, N. C
$\$ 142,91098 \$ 243,422,30696$ 78621
$5,1237.2$
1, 0.5840
F. C. Humphrevs, collector, Pensacola, Fla

2, 14525
H. P. Hurst, collector. Pearl River, Miss

1, 12808
P. C. Hall. collector. Vicksburg, Miss

1,20.1 07
E. W. Holbrook collector, Teche, La
-982 49
J. L. Haynes, collector, Brazos Santiago, Tex

32376
7100
3731
J. W. Howell, collcetor, Feriandina, Fla

28843
A. F. Howard, collector, Portsmouth, N.

1, 7575
90847
68665
1,247. 80
3, 67063
38494
15741
3,30468
20035
46500
13239
15655
34034
80450
1, 40175
28466
45565
7,3:2 41
2, 72902
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1, 04830
11, 84972
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3, 27575
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1, 56504
2,071 22
2, 10196
, 15573
18076
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21549
59376
18571
1, 82921
1, 12131
6579
446.11

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1, 00225
14554
11, 08232
1,044 20
$\stackrel{2}{2} 34924$
7,312 80
29, 697 19
2, 20686
2938
3,254 49
1, 73403
2, 07932
13780
2, 92286
293, $34253 \quad 243,42230696$

## Slatement of the receipts of the United States, So.-Continued.

FROM MARINE HOSPITAL TAX-Continued.


## FROM LABOR, DRAYAGE, AND STORAGE.

C. A. Arthur, collector, New York, N. Y ..... 13, 06774
James A tkins, collector, Savannah, Ga6340
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60
J. A. P. Allen, collector, Now Bedford, Mass
31390
T. C. Anderson, collector, Now Orleans, La
5409
5409
J. C. Abbott, collector, Wilmington, N. C ...........................................
2, 19000
2, 19000
D. V. Bell, collector, Detroit, Mich. ..... 3, 06509
J. Frankenfield, collector, Minnesota, Minn ..... 909
D. G. Fort, collector, Oswego, N. I ..... 1,95758
E. S. J. Nealloy, collector, Bath, Me ..... 215
A. Putnam, collector, Middietown, Conn ..... 10000
R. Pascbal, collector, Corpus Christi, Tex ..... 49550
S. P. Remington, colloctor, Oswegatchie, N. Y ..... 6200 ..... 80920
W. A. Simmons, collector, Boston, Mass
W. A. Simmons, collector, Boston, Mass ..... 10, 63319
R. H. Stephenson, collector, Cincinnati, Ohio.
R. H. Stephenson, collector, Cincinnati, Ohio.
T. O. Shackelford, collector, Louisville, Ky ..... 15550
R. T. Snith, collector, Mobile, Ala ..... 9715
91800
V. Smith, collector, Duluth, Minn
90095
90095
J. Snaw, jr, collector, Provideuce, R. I ..... 72776762
G. L. Smith, colleetor, New Orleans, La G. L. Smith, colleetor, New Orleans, La ..... 3, 01705
A. P. Tntton, collector, Pbiladelphia, Pa. ..... 7,84803
$J$. Tyler, collector, Buffalo, N. X2637
E. Wilkins, collector, Erie, Pa

## FROM SERVICES OF UNITED STATES OFFICERS.

| C. A. Arthur, collector, New York, N. Y | 121, 31100 |
| :---: | :---: |
| T. C. Anderson, collector, New Orleans, La | 4, 18144 |
| J. Atkins, collector. Saromnah, Ga | 600 |
| F. J. Babson, colloctor, Gloncester, Mass | - 1, 01000 |
| D. V. Bell, colicetor, Detroit, Mich | 1, 51916 |
| W. W. Bowers, collector, San Diego, Cal | 6300 |
| H. I. Brown, collector, Erie, Pa. | 50 |
| A. W. Beard, collector, Boston, Mass | 8,32760 |
| T. E. Ellsworth, collector, Niagara, N. Y | 1,872 99 |
| E. T. Fox, eollector, Bangor, Me...... | 3400 |
| J. W. Fuller, collector, Miami, Ohio | 1800 |
| J. Frankenfiold, collector, Minnesota, Minn | 5400 |
| B. Flagler, collector, Niapara. N. Y.. | 1, 09800 |
| J. C. Goodloe, collector, Mobila, Ala | . 36000 |
| F. B. Goss, collector, Barnstable, Mass | 50000 |
| W. H. Huse, collector, Newburgport, Mass | 9900 |
| W. D. Hare, collector; Oregon, Orog | 8400 |
| J. D. Hopkins, collector, Frenchman's Bay, | 30600 |

## Statement of the receipts of the United States, $\& c .-$ Continued.

## FROM SERVICES OF UNITED STATES OFFICERS—Continued.

## Brought forward

J. R. Jones collector, Chicago, Ill.
$\$ 141,44469 \$ 243,846,02516$
J. E. King, collector, New Orleans, La 68056
S. Moffitt, collector, Champlain, N.' Y

3, 62128
W. C. Marshall, collector, Belfast, Me

3900
W. C. Marshall, collector, Belfast, Me
L. M. Morrill, collector, Portland, Me
C. Northrop, collector, New Haven, Conn
C. H. Odell, collector, Salem, Mass
B. G. Shiclds, collector, Galveston, Tex 14120
1,02500
22500
$9 \quad 15$
915
78
W. A. Simmons, collector, Boston, Mass
W. J. Snith, collector, Memphis, Tcnn .

1, 74887
W. J. Smith, collector, Memphis, Tenn

19,656 48
R.T. Smith, collector, Movile, Ala ..

1, 20000
J. P. Sanborn, collector, Furon, Mich

73500
T. B. Shannon, collector, San Francisco, Ca

8, 76000
V. Smith, collector, Dulath, Minn.

21, 326 79
James Shaw, collector, Providence, R . I
2, 97816
W. H. Smith, collector, Chicago, Ill

73000
G. L. Smith, collector, New Orleans, La

2,53674
L. Thompson, collector, Delaware, Del.

91860
A. P. Tntton, 1100
A. P. Thomas, collector, Baltimore Ma

10, 14000
J. Tyler, collector, Buffalo, N. Y

10,592 52
J. A. Tibbetts, collector, New London, Comn
J. Wilkins, colleetor, Erie, Pa 3500
William Wells, collector, Vermont, $\bar{V} t$.
F. G. Worthing ton, collector, Charleston, S. C 1,484 80
5,451 17
62700
J. N. Willard, collector, Erie, Pa .......................................................................
F. N: Wicker, collector, Key West, Fla

## FROM WEIGHING.FEES.



63, 74368

## FROM CUSTOMS OFFICERS' FEES.

C. A. Artlur, collector, New York, N. Y.
T. C. Anderson, collector, New Orleans, La
W. W. Bowers, collector, San Diego, Cal
A. W. Beard, collector, Boston, Mass. 31430
J. E. King, collector, Now Orleans, La

11, 5996 L
J. H. Monlton, collector, La Crosse. Wis
L. M. Morrill, collector, Portland, Me

211445
W. A. Simmons, collector, Boston, Mass
T. B. Shannon, collector' San Francisco, C 30, 60490
G. L. Smith, collector, New Orleans, La 26, 91635
A. P. Tutton, collector, Philadelphia, Pa

34964
J. L. Thomas, jr., collector, Baltimore, Mil
E. Wilkins, collector, Erie, Pa

FROM FINES, PENALTIES, AND FORFEITURES-CUSTOMS.
C. A. Arthur, collector, New York, N. Y

46,72968
J. C. Abbott, collector, Wilmington, N. C

2500
J. Atkins, collector, Savannah, Ga

12801
T. C. A nderson, collector, New Orleans, La

1, 08642
H. C. Akeleg, collector, Micbigan, Mich

13700
D. V. Bell, collector, Dotroit, Micb

1,175 78

## Statement of the receipts of the United States, fo. -Continued.

## FROM FINES, PENALTLES, AND FORFEITURES-CUSTOMS-Continued.

Brought forward.
$\$ 49,28189 \$ 244,50519994$
11910
20350
7000
8986
28150
2500
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2475
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1, 24183
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4470
45973
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5000
5150
1600
1290
14815
1900
15994
9183
44600
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176344
10415
9500
2000
9500
3000
15500
11300
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100
3078
20000
95690
2,518 38
31035
3561
1000
95577
19419
5000
10500
1000
1000
2000
7500
14250
47382
89607
6208
2300
2301
21900
50953
350
5500
2000
131965
25000
1, 31370
46,942 88
5000
7,24471
8000
$3: 839$
65612
27070
54547
175
1025
1000
34612
1, 04972
55513
1, 16798

## Statement of the receipts of the United States, $\boldsymbol{f}$ c.-Continued.

## FROM FINES, PENALTIES, AND FORFEITURES-CUSTOMS-Continued.

## Brought forward

J. A. Tibbetts, collectur, New London, Conn
L. Thompson, collector, Delaware, Del
A. Vandine, collector, A roostook, Me.
A. A. Warfield, collector, Alexandria, $\because$ Va ㄱ… E. Wilkins, collector, Erie, Pa
H. G. Worthington, collector, Charleston, S.C
J. C. Whitney, collector, Albany, N. Y $\qquad$
W. Wells, collector, Vermont, Vt.

Fla
F. N. Wicker. collector. Key W
$\qquad$
D. Wann, collector, Galena, Ill $\qquad$
$\qquad$

\$127, $43618 \$ 244,505,19994$
26238
3000
$410 \& 5$
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FROM FINES, PENALTIES, AND FORFEITURES-JUDICIARY.
T. A wbrose, clerk sonthern district Ohio ..... 1, $44+53$IH. E. Andrews clork western district Teunessee
II. M. Aiken, clerk eastern district Tennesseo 21433G. Agershurg, late receiver public moneys, Springfield, Dak315
J. H. Baker. survcyor-general, Minuesota. ..... 1,388 35A. H. Beattie, clerk district MontauaW. S. Belvilie, clerle district New JerserW. H. Bradey, clerls vorthern district minois
J. C. Bridgman, Indian agent.
E. Bill, clerk northern district OhioE. M. Brown, receiver of pablic moneys, Bismarck, loak1,551 46$1: 28$
180
1001,369712000
96182247705500
$1200 n$W. H. Bliss, attoruey eastern district missouri
W. W. Billson. attorney district MXionesota ..... , 69041G. P. Bowen, clerk soutbern district Lllipois
C. F. Barrg, clerk eastern distriot VirgiuiaL. T. Baxter, clerk middle district Tennessee1, 00000222062256
6421
6193
J. W. Bruner, cleri district woming
25264
J. H. Coggshall, marshal district Rhodo Island
J. H. Coggshall, marshal district Rhodo Island
26065
J. W. Cbew, clerk district Marylaud ..... 8619223211238863500
23900

## Statement of the receipts of the Dnited States, $\& \cdot$.-Contiuued.

## FROM FINES, PENALTIES, AND FORFEITURES-JUDICIARX -Continued.

## Brought forward.

S. S. Matthews marshal eastern district Michigan. ............................
H. E. Maun, clerk district Minnesota ................
A. Mandell, clerk eastern district Michigan
L. Martin, late liontevant Fifth Artillery

J M McKee, clerk southern district Missigaip
J. M. McKee, clerk soutbern district Mississjppi
W. B. Prentice, elerk district Maine - -
S. Plummer, marshal district New Jersey.
H. J. Peck, cierk western district Wiscousin
K. Rayner, Solicitor United States Treasury
A. S. Richardson, clerk district Califorvia
G. C. Rives, clerk easteru district ' 'exas.
kansas
W.C. Robards, clerk western district Texas.
N. J. Riddick, clerk eastern district North Carolina.
J. A. Somerville, receiver of public nouess, Mobile, Ala.
L. Schmidt, clerk western district Missouri
L. S. B. Sawyer, clerk district California
$\$ 28,96450 \$ 244,636,19709$
67 96
1, 15941
${ }^{150} 00$
1700
750
15454
F. M. Stewart, clerk western district Wisconsi
J. Seavey, clerk district Washington Territory
W. H. Smyth, marshal southern distriet Georgia
$J$ G. Stetson, clerls district Massachusetts
W. A. Spencer, clerk district Mindesota

27982
1470
30844
3480
177 \&
78188
2963
1, 36008
1, 12734
93100
3000
57383
46303
20047
34139
566
4685
80327
3400
H. Sterens, late disbursing agent.
$\begin{array}{r}3400 \\ 478 \\ \hline 4\end{array}$
W. B. Smith, clerk district Nebraska

12530
1935
6310
Treasurer United States
W. W. Trimble, clerk southern district Alabawa

1, 62757
United States district courts..........................................
43069
F. A. Woodley, clerk district Louisiana

5000
S. L. Woodford, attorncy southern district Now Xork

5000
I. H. Wing, receirer of public moneys, Bayfield, Wis. 37161
S. Wheeler, clerk western district Arkansas 94082
J. M. Wilkiuson, receiver of pablic moneys, Marquette, Mich

61888
45636
5, 68957
J ( Abbot
2, 784. 74
minington, N. U .......................................................
J. S. Braxton, collector, Norfolk, V 39365
D. V. Bell, collector, Detroit, Mich.
5, 58207
J. Brady, jr., collector, Fall River, Mass
M. P. Berrs, collector, Alaska. 20960
T. J. Babson, collector, Gloucester, Mass 28
.J. Babson, collector, Gloucester, Mas
ع04 41
D. K. Cartter, collector, Genesee, N. Y.
18385
F. Coste, late collector, Saint Louis, Mo
2, 25332
W. Cockran, naval officer, Baltimore, Md
J. 'I'. Collins, collector, Brunswick, Ga
3159
D. N. Couch, late collcctor, Boston, Mass
24867
G. W. Clark, late collector, Cbarleston, S. C.................................................... 20400
R. W. Daviels, collector, Buffalo, N. Y.
4,373 83
T. E. Ellsworth, collector, Niagara, N. Y.
9, 59083
E. W. Fox, late collector, Saint Louis, Mo
24, 83026
9936
J. Frankenfield, collector, Minuesota
9936
12590
720
32305
E. Fulton, late surveyor, Baltimore, Md
G. S. Fisher, acting collector, Cairo,
D. G. Fort, collector, Oswogo, N. Y.
1,323 05
B. Flagler. collector, Niagara, N. Y.
1, 03695
J. C. Goodloe, collector, Mobile, Ala.
445.14
F. E. Grossman, collector, Fernandio, Fla
George Gage, collector, Bearfort, S. C
38615
6867
4560
J. Gilchrist, collector, Wheeling, W. Va
2. 65170
J. L. Haynos, collector, Brazos Santiago, Tex
S. Hannah, late collector, Willamette, Oreg
1,53550
1,49559
, 49559
9730
C. W. Hartup, special deputy collector, Saluria, Tex
W. H. Huse, collector, Newburyport, Mass
97283
J. R. Jones, collector, Cbicago, ill
A. E. King, collector, New Orleans, La
J. P. Luse, collector, Louisville, Ky
S. Moffett, collector, Champlain, N. Y
71393
O. 1. McConnell, acting collector, Fernandina, Fila
81118
C. Northrop, collector, New Haven, Conn
44805
N. 13. Nutt, collector, Passamaquoldy, Me
44805



C. R. l'routy, collector, Saluria, Tex.
4, 39465

## Statement of the receiptg of the United States, foc.-Contimued. <br> FROM EMOLUMENT-FEES-CUSTOMS-Continued.



201,60020
FROM EMOLUMENT-FEES-JUDICIARY.

6922
I3. I. Benedict, clerk eastera district New Fork................................................. $378 \cdot 56$
S. Bell, clerk eastern district Pennsylrania............................................ 27266

J. H. Clark, clerk eastern district Missouri............................................ 865
W.P. Fisbback, clerk district Iudiana 38007
IH. D. Gamble, clerk western district Penosylvania.................................................... 13254
H. C. Geisburg, clerk western district Missouri................................ $\quad 20502$
J. D. Howland, clerk district Indiana ...........

1,784 27
J. S. Hildrup, marshal northern district Ininois.

2958
\$. Hoffman, clerk district California
36366

E. H. Marray late marshal district Kentucky.

6383
H. E. Mann, clerk district Minnesota

10695
J.G. Nicolay, marshal Supreme Court

750
J. F. Qnimby, late marshal northern dstrict New York.......................................... 31379
A. Sharp, late marshal district Colorado.

2, 34596
W. Stone, at torney districe South Carolina.

560 59

1. Schmidt, clerk western district Missouri

22311
A. S. Thomas, clerk district Kansas.

17694
R. G. Usher, marshal district Massachusetts ............................................................................ 29616
S. Wheeler, clerls western district Arkansas.

24,30085

## FROM PROCEEDS OF SALES OF GOVERNMENT PROPERTY.

Treasury Department 53 170 80
Quartermaster's Department, War 122, 09600
Ordaance Department, War
t, 19030
Medical Department, War.
3, 60263
Engineer Department. War.
4, 04685
Adjutant-General's Office, War 4640
Sigual Otfice, War
12481
Mílitary Academy, War
1625
Equipment and Recruiting, Navy
14, 39364
Provisiong and Clothing Navy
7, 27803
Construction and Repairs, Navy
13, 67299
Navigation, Navy
55800
Yards and Doeks, Navy.
2, 87496
Steam Engineering, Navy
4, 26609
Marine, Nary.
1,343 42
Naral Establishment, Navy.
95159
Pay. Navy. $\div 05$
Public Printer 1, 19427
Department of State. 3, 42:3 53
Interior Department

Department of Justice.
11690
-ost-Oflice Department
12865

## FROM MISCELLANEOUS.

Trom tax on circulation of national banls.
6, 863, $0529 \mathbf{9 r}$ 738,96033
From fees on letters patent
\$1, 065, 829 28
From Pacific Railroad Company, Minnesota
12, 93919 .
From Pacific Railroad Company, Sioux City
85036
From Pacific Railroad Company, Kansas
9, 00000
From Pacific Railroad Company, Contral
278, 33553

## Statement of the receipts of the United States, \&re-Continued.

## FROM MISCELLANEOUS-Continued.

Brought formard
From preminm on sales of coin ..... $\$ 254,125,57509$
317, 10:2 30
rom pronis on cornare1, 139, 281.7
From profits on standard silver dollars
510, 00000
40,43012
88010
12, 01133
11,871 34
16,313 11
66, 661 275000
10834
500007, 128631, 05050
13,113 00$34,560 \quad 00$
$4,690 \quad 75$
1, 07160
From milcage of examinersFrom conscience fund
From interest on debts due,
From surveying public lands
Fom premiam on transfer drafts
From assessmeuts for deaths on shipboard
From rebate of interest
From proceeds properts, sec. 3749 R. S
From sales of old materials, War Department
Fromt assays and exaninations of ores.
From copylight fecs
From proceeds of property acquired undel interual-revenue laws ..... 18000
Proceeds of Osage Indian lands.
19224
Proceeds of Kansas Indian landa
38000
38000
Proceeds of Winuebago Indian lands
Proceeds of Winuebago Indian lands ..... 25000
Proceeds of Pawnee Indian lands. ..... 1,219 01
From copying fees General Land Office
From interest on Cbattanooga Railroad bonds ..... 2A, 96910
Salaries office of 'Treasurer, 1877 ..... 85,860 55
Salaries ofthce of Treasurer, 1878 .................. ..... 5,58500
Salaries oftice of Comptroller of Currency, 1878 ..... 16,71288
From contingent expenses, office of Treasurer, 1877

187, 12753
206, 37042
253, 25575
3, 34048
1, 22180
2, 75677
22432
16460
1, 20717
32, 19068
5, 03500
7431
30750
7, 60000
26,50100 75260

Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations unexpended June 30, 1877, and of the ap ending June 30, 1878, together with the unexpended balances on June

| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of ap propriations, July 1, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Vol. | Page or section. |  |
| civil. |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries and mileage of Seuators | 1876 |  |  | \$11, 29750 |
| Do...................... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Dalaries officers and employes Sen | $\begin{aligned} & 1878 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 291 |  |
| salaries officers and employes Sen Do. | 1877 |  |  | 31951 <br> 791 <br> 4 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 205 |  |
| Contingent expenses Senate: |  |  |  |  |
| Clcirs to committees, and pages. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Labor | 1876 |  |  | 580 |
| Do...................... | 1877 |  |  | 200 |
| Stationery and newspapers | 1876 |  |  | 23888 |
|  | 1877 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Horses aud wagons | 1877 | 1 | 2 |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Tuel for heating-apparatus | 1876 |  |  | 1,504 28 |
| Do.. | 1877 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Furniture and repairs | 1876 |  |  | 668 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Cartage | 1878 | 18 | 295 |  |
| Pay of folders | 1877 |  |  | 90000 |
| Do...... | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Folding documents. | 1876 |  |  | 128 |
| Materials for folding Do | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Packing.boxes | 1878 | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | 295 |  |
| Miscellancous iteme | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Saluries Capitol polic | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Reporting proceedings and debateg, Senate.................. | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Expenses of compiling and preparing Congressional Directory. | 1878 1878 | 19 19 | 295 |  |
| Expenses of impeachment trial of W . W . Bolknap |  |  |  | 38,41616 |
| Publication of report of impeachment trial of W, W. Bollonap. | 1877 |  |  | 141 |
| Expenses of in restigations of elections in Mississippi. ... |  |  |  | 1000 |
| Expenses of Electoral Commissiou ; act March 3,1877. | 1877 |  |  | 407.43 |
| Publishing and indexing proceedings of Electoral Commis. sion 1878; act December 15, 1877. | 1878 | 20 | 12 |  |
| Engraving and printing portrait of Hon. A. T. Caperton..... |  | 19 | 267 |  |
| Engraviug and printing portrait ot Hon. M. C. Kerr......... |  | 19 | 267 |  |
| Expenses incurred in obtaining copies of evidonce filed before returning-board of Louisiana. |  |  |  |  |
| $J$ Jint select committee to investigate Chinese immigration.. |  |  |  |  |
| Contingent exponses Sevate, joint select committoe to prepaxe form of government for District of Columbia. |  |  |  |  |
| Contingent expenses Semate, expenses Committce on Privi. leges and Elections. |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses of United States monetary 0ommission |  | 20 | 218 |  |
| Repayment to Jacelb J. Noah ..... |  | 20 | 237 |  |
| Salaries and mileage of Members and Delegates, House Do............................................. | 1876 |  |  | 92,51144 |
|  | 1877 | 19 | 296 | 83, 56419 |
| Salaries officers and өmployes.............................. \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 1875 \\ & 18 ? 6 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 2, 65607 |
| Do. | 1877 |  | 225, 371 | 1,175 67 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 296 |  |
| Contingent expenses Honse:Clerks to comuittees. |  |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  | 1,244 54 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 295, 297 |  |
| Pay of folders.............................................. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| D0...................................................... | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 20$ | 239 |  |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 297 |  |
| Folding documents | 1875 |  |  | 73800 |
| Materials for folding | 1876 |  |  | 2, 13441 |
|  | 1878 | 19 |  | 28341 |
| Tuel for heating-apparatus | 1876 |  |  | 4, 01634 |
| Carried forward. |  |  |  | 245, 80484 |

propriations, expendilures, and the amounts carried to the surplus fund during the fiscal year 30, 1878, which are to be accounted for in the next annual statement.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate avail able for the fiscal yoar ending June 30, 1878. | Pajuments daring the fiscal Year onding June $30,1878$. | Amonnts carried to the surplus ${ }_{1878}$ fund June 30, 1878. | Balances of ap. propriations, June $30,1873$. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | \$11, 29750 | \$2,991 04 | \$8,306 46 |  |
|  | \$1,686 00 | 1,686 00 |  |  | \$1,68600 |
| \$42, 50000 |  | 422,500 31951 | 422, 50000 | 31951 |  |
|  | 15242 | 2,944 26 | 12870 |  | 2, 81556 |
|  | 50200 | 50200 |  |  | 50200 |
| 58,507 50 |  | 58,50750 | 58,507 50 | 580 |  |
|  |  | 200 |  |  | 200 |
|  | 2863 | $\begin{array}{r} 23888 \\ 2863 \end{array}$ |  | 23\% 83 | 2863 |
| 24, 00000 |  | 24, 00000 | 23,750 00 |  | 25000 |
| 5,00000 | 29400 | $\begin{array}{r}294 \\ 5,000 \\ \\ \text {, } \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 5,000 000 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,504 28 |  | 1,504 28 |  |
| 10, 00000 | 13639 | $\begin{array}{r} 13639 \\ 10,00000 \end{array}$ | 6,500 00 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 13639 \\ 3,50000 \end{array}$ |
| 1500 |  | 10, 2168 | 6,500 1500 | 668 |  |
| 22431 |  | 22431 | 22431 |  |  |
| 16,000 00 | 9625 | $\begin{array}{r}16,00000 \\ 96 \\ \\ \hline 95\end{array}$ | 16,000 00 |  | 9625 |
| 70000 |  | 70000 | 70000 |  |  |
| 5,500 00 |  | $\begin{array}{r}90000 \\ 5,500 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 5,500 00 |  | 00 |
|  |  | 128 |  | 128 |  |
| 2275 |  | 2275 | 2275 |  |  |
| 4, 000000 |  | 4, 00000 | 4, 00000 |  |  |
| 4400 | 1700 | $\begin{array}{r}760 \\ 4500 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 760 4400 | 100 |  |
| 74500 |  | 74500 | 74500 |  |  |
| 59, 00000 |  | 59, 00000 | 59,00000 |  |  |
| 17,38329 25,000 |  | 17,383 29 | 17, 38329 |  |  |
| 25, 1 1,200000 |  | 25, 00000 | 25, 00000 |  |  |
| 1, 200000 |  | 1, 20000 | 1, 20000 |  |  |
| 10000 |  | 10000 | 1000 |  | 38, 41616 |
|  |  | 141 |  |  | 141 |
|  |  | 1000 |  |  | 1000 |
| 1,20000 |  | 1, 20000 | 1, 20000 |  | 40743 |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
| ................ | 1,208 00 | 1, 200 00 |  |  | 1, 20800 |
|  | $69925$ | $62925$ |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 62925 \\ & 990 \\ & 00 \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 72613 | 72613 |  |  | 72613 |
| 5,500 00 |  | 5,500 00 | 5,500 00 |  |  |
| 9600 |  | $\begin{array}{r}96 \\ 5114 \\ \hline 1\end{array}$ | 96 8000 8000 |  |  |
|  |  | 83, 56419 | 48, 94300 |  | 34, 62119 |
| 1, 618, 00000 | 21440 | 1, 618,214 40 | 1,535, 93916 |  | 82, 27524 |
|  |  | 2,656 07 |  | 2, 65607 |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} 2,57034 \\ 230,53852 \end{array}$ | 4,268 08 | $\begin{array}{r} 8,01409 \\ 230,53852 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,03086 \\ 228,92406 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & \mathbf{5 , 9 8 3}, 93 \\ & 1,61444 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  |  |  | 1,411 00 | 13700 |
| 8,04400 32,50300 |  | 9, 28885 | 8,749 54 |  | 53900 |
| 32,503 00 | $1,612 \not 65$ | $\begin{array}{r} 32,508 \\ 1,612 \\ 1,65 \end{array}$ | 32,508 00 |  | 1, $612 \times 5$ |
| 2,555 79 |  | 2, 5.5579 | 2, 55579 |  |  |
| 12,250 00 |  | 12,250 00 | 11,127 23 |  | 1,122 714 |
|  |  | 73800 |  |  | 51480 |
|  | 37607 | 2, 13441 |  | 2,134 41 | 65948 |
| 14, 00000 |  | 14, 00000 | 14, 00000 | 4.04634 |  |
|  | ................ | 4, 04634 |  | 4. 04634 |  |
| 2, 763, 47252 | 12, 921, 27 | 3, 022, 19863 | 2, 806,840 65 | 33, 30235 | 182, 05503 |

Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Vol. | Page or bection. |  |
| Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$245, 80484 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\xrightarrow{\text { Do... }}$ | 1878 1878 | 19 | 297 |  |
| Furuiture and repa | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do.......... | 1877 |  |  | 96 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 97 |  |
| packing-boses | 1878 | 19 | 297 |  |
| Cartage...... | 1878 | 19 | 297 |  |
| Do...... | ${ }_{1876}^{1876}$ |  |  | 225 652 65 |
| Stationery and newe Do $\qquad$ | 1876 1877 |  |  | 65247 10282 |
| $\begin{gathered} \mathrm{D}_{0} . . . \\ \mathrm{D}_{0} \ldots . . . \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 3878 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 297 | 10282 |
| Pages | 1876 |  |  | 32000 |
| Do. | 1877 | 19 | 371 | 23 26 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 297 |  |
| Miscellaneous iten | 1876 |  |  | 9,839 82 |
| Do. | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 297, 371 |  |
| Salaries Capit | 1876 |  | 237, 31 |  |
| Do... | 1877 |  |  | 1,186 32 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Postage $\ldots$.......................... | 1278 | 19 | 295 |  |
| Monnments to Representatives. Congrossional Cemetery Equestrian statue of $\mathrm{Nathaniel} \mathrm{Green.................}$. |  |  |  | 1,500 00 |
| Equestrian statue of Nathaniel Green. <br> Pedestal for equestrian statue of Geveral J. B. McPhorson... |  |  |  | 15,00000 27 86 |
| Pedestal for statue of General G. H. Tbomas............... |  |  |  | 24, 00000 |
| Completion of the Washington Monmment |  |  |  | 195, 100000 |
| Conveying rotes of electors for President and Vico.President. |  |  |  | 11,143 00 |
| Payment for contesting seats Forty-third Congress; act June 19, 1878. |  | 20 | 255 |  |
| $19,1878 .$ |  |  |  |  |
| Contingent expenses House Representatives: <br> Expenses of select committee on alloged frands in late Presidential election; act June 19, 1878. |  | 20 | 255 |  |
| Payment to J. J. Spellmai, page, House of Representa. tives. | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 20$ | 124 |  |
| Payment to William Douglas, laborer...................... | 1878 | 20 | 124 |  |
| Payment to Charles Christian, laborer.................. $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 20$ | 124 |  |
| Parment for services rendered under Doorkeeper andSergant at. Arms.Pa |  |  |  |  |
| Paymeut to Sheperd S. Everett . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1878 | 20 | 238 |  |
| Payment to Geirge W. Kemmedy, messenger | 1878 | 20 | 238 |  |
| Payment to C. W. Combs, ruesseoger - ............... | 1878 | - 20 | 238 |  |
| Pryment to J. G. White and Leonard E. Chapman, ridingpages. | 1878 | 20 | 238 |  |
| Payment to Josiah R. Dunbar, messenger. | 1878 | $\stackrel{20}{20}$ | 238 |  |
| Paymont to Trank Angerer, page | 1878 | 20 | 2388 |  |
| Payment to J. C. Kondrap, messenger... | 1878 | $\stackrel{20}{20}$ | 239 |  |
| Payment to William P . Thomas, messenger | 1877 | $\stackrel{20}{20}$ | 239 |  |
| Payment to Ashor Barnett, clerk. | 1878 | 20 | 239 |  |
| Payment to J. B. Holloway, clerk .................................................. | 1878 | 20 19 | ${ }_{297}^{239}$ |  |
| Salaries otlice of Public Printer. Contingent expenses office of Public Printer, Congrossional.. | 1878 <br> 1886 | 19 | 297 | 1,429 67 |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 1,388 27 |
| Contingent expenses public printing and bi | 1878 | 19 | 297 |  |
| Contingent expenses public printing and bi Do | 1877 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 121,73120 \\ & 175,44393 \end{aligned}$ |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 344 |  |
| Lithographing and engraring | 1876 |  |  | 13,314 95 |
| Salaries Library of Congress Do................... | 1876 |  |  | 480 |
| Do. | 1377 |  |  |  |
| Increase Library of Cor | ${ }_{1877}^{1878}$ | 19 | 297 |  |
| Do.............. | 1878 |  | 298 |  |
| Contingent expenses Library of Con | 1878 | 19 | 298 |  |
| Plans for Library of Congress. | 1877 |  |  | 19550 |
| Postage for Library of Congress | 1877 |  |  | 70000 |
| Works of art for the Capitol | 1876 |  |  | 2,300 00 |
| Reprint of the atets of the Continental Congress and of the Congress of the Confederation; act March 3, 1877. |  | 19 | 406 |  |
|  |  |  |  | , 412 |

unexpended June 30, 1877, \&c.-Continued.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal jear ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the.fiscal Fear ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplus fiand Juae 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| - |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$2, 763, 47252 | \$12,921 27 | \$3,022, 19863 | \$2, 806, 84065 | \$33,302 35 | \$182, 05563 |
|  | 28428 | - 52849 |  |  | 52849 |
| 10,000 00 |  | 10,000 00 | 6,758 19 |  | 3,24181 |
| 5,500 00 |  | ऽ, 50000 | 5,500 00 |  |  |
| -........... |  | .77375 |  | 77375 |  |
| $8,000 \times 0$ | 15833 | 159 8,000 00 |  |  | 15989 |
| 8, 21800 |  | 8,71800 2,71800 | 8,000 <br> 2,718 |  |  |
| 70000 |  | 700 c0 | 70000 |  |  |
|  |  | 22500 |  | 22300 |  |
|  |  | 68247 |  | 65247 |  |
|  |  | 10282 | 752 |  | 9530 |
| 80,925 00 |  | 80, 92500 | 46,176 26 |  | 34, 74874 |
| 9709 ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  | $3 c^{3} 000$ |  | 32000 | 60 900 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 2,795 \\ 19,06750 \end{array}$ |  | 2.81884 19,06750 11,751 | $\begin{array}{r}2,795 \\ 18,923 \\ \hline 8\end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r}93 \\ 1449 \\ \hline 12\end{array}$ |
|  | 1,911 25 | 11,751 07 | 12680 |  | 11,624 27 |
| 32760 | 1,107 78 | 1., 435 38 | 1,421 18 |  | 1420 |
| 58, 89474 | 5240 | 58,947 14 | 58,315 82 |  | 63132 |
|  |  | 1, 18632 |  | 78 | 1,18632 |
| 16,85000 |  | 16, 85000 | 16, 84983 |  | 1,17 |
| 30000 |  | 30000 | 30000 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,500 00 |  | 1,500 00 |  |
|  |  | 25, 00000 | 25, 00000 |  |  |
|  |  | 2786 |  | 2786 |  |
|  |  | 24,000 00 | 24, 00000 |  |  |
|  |  | 195,100000 11,14300 |  |  | 195, 00000 |
| 2,207 75 |  | 11, 2,20700 | 2, 20775 |  | 11, 14300 |
| 11,000 00 |  | 11, 00000 | 11,000 00 |  |  |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20,000 00 | 7,500 00 |  | 12,500 $00^{\circ}$ |
| 57250 |  | 57250 |  |  | 57250 |
| 44804 |  | 44804 |  |  | 44804 |
| 80000 |  | 800 00 |  |  | 80000 |
| 7,000 00 |  | 7,000 00 | 5,624 51 |  | 1,375 49 |
| 40000 |  | 40000 | 40000 |  |  |
| 64800 |  | 64800 | 64800 |  |  |
| 60000 |  | 60000 | 60000 |  |  |
| 69500 |  | 69500 | 69500 |  |  |
| 10000 |  | 10000 | 10000 |  |  |
| 49750 |  | 49750 | 49750 |  |  |
| 58424 |  | 58424 | 584.24 |  |  |
| 18004 |  | 18004 | 18004 |  |  |
| 76200 |  | 76200 | 76200 |  |  |
| 76200 |  | 76200 | 76200 |  |  |
| 13,400 00 |  | 13, 40000 | 13,400 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 1, 42867 |  | 1,428 67 |  |
|  |  | 1, 388 27 | 66792 |  | 72105 |
| 2, 00000 |  | 2,000 00 | 1,721 47 |  | 27853 |
|  |  | 121,731" 20 |  | 121, 73120 |  |
|  | 14,660 77 | 190, 10470 | 57, 986 10 |  | 132, 11860 |
| 1,673,950.00 | 67, 06598 | 1, 741, 131598 | - 1,482, 50144 |  | 258,514 54 |
|  |  | 13,31495 480 988 |  | 13, 31495 |  |
|  | - | 278 |  |  | 278 |
| 30,440 00 |  | 30,440 00 | 30,440 00 |  |  |
|  | 54 | 54 |  |  | 54 |
| 12,500 00 |  | 12,500 00 | 12,000 00 |  | 50000 |
| 1,500 00 |  | 1,500 00 | 1,000 00 |  | 50000 |
|  |  | 19550 |  |  | 19550 |
|  |  | 70000 | 70000 |  |  |
|  |  | $\stackrel{2}{2} 30000$ |  | 2,300 00 |  |
| 1, 00000 |  | 1,000 00 | 20000 |  | 80000 |
| 4, 751,598 01 | 98,165 38 | 5,682,175 80 | 4, 656,610 45 | 175,58183 | 849,983 52 |



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## Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations



* and prior years.
unexpended June 30, 1877, fo.-Continued.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during tlie fiscal jear 1878. | Aggregate available for the fis. cal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | A mounts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 1828. | Balances of ap. propriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$7, 244, 79749 | \$136,403 56 |  | \$7, 100, 93888 | \$390, <br> 238 <br> 26857 | \$1, 288, 3604 |
|  | 28875 | 79888 | 76302 |  | 3586 |
| 3,000 00 | 2962 | 3,02962 41,88300 | 2,098 23 | 300 | 93139 |
|  |  | 9,989 75 |  |  | 9,98975 |
| 10, 00000 |  | 10, 00000 |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| 69339 |  | 69339 |  |  | 69339 |
| 7005 |  | 7005 |  |  | 7005 |
| 11795 |  | 11795 |  |  | 11795 |
| 12 777 | 5,632 29 | 5,732 97 | 3,974 15 | 1,758 82 |  |
| 12,777 17 | 795 30 | 39,775 36 | 39, 74694 |  | 2842 |
|  | 1,30772 | 1,307 72 | 1,30772 |  |  |
| 115, 00000 | 30535 | 115,305 35 | 97, 176 27 . |  | 18, 12908 |
|  |  | 4,968 65 |  | 4,968 65 |  |
| 18,750 | 53029 | 11, 243041 | 4,72906 780247 |  | 6,50135 11,95385 |
| 19155 | , | 19155 |  |  | 11, 19155 |
|  |  | 4, 28071 | 5000 | 4, 23071 |  |
|  |  | 3,649 12 | 38973 |  | 3, 25939 |
| 5, 00000 |  | 5, 00000 | 76240 |  | 4,23760 |
| 10425 |  | 10425 |  |  | 10425 |
| 2480 6000 | 6,068 94 | 6,093 74 | 2480 | 6, 06894 | ....... |
| 6000 2000 |  | 60 2000 20 | 6000 2000 |  |  |
| 20.00 |  | 2000 5362 | 2000 |  |  |
|  | 5362 | 5362 48,5358 |  | - $\begin{array}{r}5362 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  |
|  | 8760 | 48,553 58 | $\begin{array}{r}1492 \\ \hline 1699\end{array}$ | 48,538 66 |  |
|  | 6,678 12 | 26, 25230 | - 16,690 05 |  | 9,562 25 |
| 80,000 00 | 6,688 26 | 86, 68826 | 37, 02243 |  | 49, 36583 |
|  |  | 1,696 1,850 1,500 | 21200 | 1,696 61 | 1,63800 |
| 4,500 00 |  | 4, 50000 | 1,900 00 |  | 2,600 00 |
|  |  | 19,941 00 |  | 19,941 00 |  |
|  |  | 19,970 00 |  |  | 19,970 00 |
| 10,000 285 00 |  | 10,000 00 | 2,950 00 |  | 7,050 00 |
| 28500 |  | -28500 | 28500. |  |  |
|  |  | 2,067 43 | 12228 | 1,945 15 |  |
|  |  | 4,37133 | 16469 |  | 4,206 64 |
| 5,000 00 |  | 5,00000 | 15081 |  | 4,849 19 |
|  | --. | 1, 30000 | ........... | $1,300 \quad 00$ | 15000 |
| 3,850 00 |  | 3,850 00 |  |  | $3,850.00$ |
|  |  | 14556 |  | 14556 |  |
|  |  | . 74398 | 74398 2909 |  |  |
| 3,100 00 |  | 3,100 00 | 2,25000 1,59588 | -n.e.t.......... | 85000 2.27017 |
| 8,212 50 |  | 3,866 8,212 8,20 | 1,595 $\mathbf{7}, 061$ 72 |  | 2,27017 1,15078 |
| , |  | 50861 |  | 50861 |  |
|  |  | 1,722 60. | 11150 |  | 1,611 10 |
| 75000 |  | 75000 | 50922 |  | $24078$ |
| ................ |  | 8,00000 | 5, 26800 |  | 2,732 30 |
| . $\cdot$........ |  | 3,845 35 | 10190 | .-.-.-.............. | 9, 74345 |
|  |  | 3,891 76 |  |  | 3, 891.76 |
|  |  | 15000 |  | -................. | 15000 |
|  |  | 15,992 36 | 8,929 00 |  | 7,063 30 |
|  | 1,934 30 | 26639 55,56506 | 49,38046 | 26639 | 6,184 60 |
| 50540 | 13.47269 | 50540 51,84833 | 50540 9,42899 |  | 42,41934 |
|  | 13,47213 20113 | 51, 20113 |  | 20113 |  |
|  |  | 14945 |  | 14945 |  |
|  | 29161 | 29161 |  | 29161 | 14731 |
| 1,000 00 |  | 1,000 00. | 85269 | ........... | 14731 |
| 35,000 00 |  | 35, 000.00 | 28;073 50 |  | 6,926 50 |
| 7,562,809 55 | 181,775 47 | 9,496,450 63 | 7, 434, 16809 | 524,755 13 | 1, 537, 52741 |
| 31 F |  |  |  |  |  |


| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of ap. propriations, July 1, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Vol. | Pago or section. |  |
| Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$1, 751, 86561 |
| Salaries office Secretary of the Treasury | 1876 | 19 |  |  |
| Salaries ofice Seeretary of the Treasury (loans and currency) | 1878 | 19 | 299 | 10435 |
| . Do...................................................... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salaries office Supervising Architect | 1876 |  |  | 380 |
| Do.................... | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salaries office First Comptroller Do..................... | 1876 |  |  | 6550 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salaries office Second Compt | 1876 |  |  | 4460 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 330 |  |
| Salaries office Commissionor of Custo Do......................... | 1876 |  |  | 283 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salaries office First Auditor | 1876 |  |  | 901 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salarios office First Auditor (loans) | 1876 |  | 300 | 1650 |
| Salaries oftice Second Auditor | 1878 | 19 | 300 | 4632 |
| Do... | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salaries office Third Auditor | 1876 |  |  | 73 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 300 |  |
| Salaries oflice Fourth Auditor Do.................... | 1876 |  |  | 233 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 301 |  |
| Salaries office Fifth Auditor | 1876 |  |  | 512 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 301 |  |
| Salaries office Sixth Audito | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do <br> Salaries office Tre | 1876 | 19 | 301 | 17.91 |
| Do.............. | 1877 |  |  | 17.1 |
| Do. | 1278 | 19 | 301 |  |
| Salaries office Treasurer (loans) | 1876 |  |  | 3066 |
| Do <br> Salaries office Treasurer (national | 1878 | 19 | 301 |  |
| Salaries office Treasurer (nationa | 1876 |  |  | 112,23862 |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 301 |  |
| Salaries office Register | 1876 |  |  | 495 |
| De. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 302 |  |
| Salaries office Register (loan | 1876 |  |  | 515 |
|  | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 302 |  |
| Salaries office Comptroller of the Currency | 1876 |  |  | 1,174 05 |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 302 |  |
| Salariesoffice Comptroller of the Currency (national carency, reimbursable). | 1876 |  |  | 1,164 24 |
| Do..................................................... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 302 |  |
| Salaries offico Commissioner Internal Revenue | 1876 |  |  | 6499 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Salaries office Light-House | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 302 |  |
| Salaries office Bureau of Statistics | 1876 |  |  | 107 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Salaries temporary clerks, Treasury Depar D | 1876 |  |  | 339 |
| Salaries temporary clerks, Treasurer's office | 1878 | 19 | $30:$ | 50 |
| Stationery for Treasury Department | 1876 |  |  | 7993 |
| Do............................ | 1877 |  |  | 2,506 75 |
| Do.............................................. | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Contiugent expenses Treasury Department, binding newspapers, \&c. | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Contingent expenses Trersury Department, investigation of accounts and traveliug expenses. | 1876 |  |  | 1,590 19 |
| Do................................................ | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 1,771,456 54 |

unexpended June 30, 1877, fc.-Continned.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal year euding Juve 30, 1878. | Payments duriug the fiscal year onding Juнe 30, 1878 . | Amounts carried to the surplas fund, June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  | , |  |  |
| \$7, 562, 80955 | \$181, 77547 | $\$ 9,496,45063$ | \$7, 434, 16809 | \$524, 755 13 | \$1, 537, 52741 |
| 281,310 00 |  | 40744 281,31000 | 281, 31000 |  |  |
|  |  | 10435 | 7340 | 3095 |  |
|  | 7420 | 7420 |  |  | 7420 |
| 88, 68550 |  | 88,685 50 | 88,685 50 |  |  |
|  |  | 380 |  | 380 |  |
| 20, 14000 |  | 20, 14000 | 20,140 00 | 65-70 |  |
|  | 7442 | 6550 7442 |  | 6550 | 7442 |
| $\cdots \mathrm{C}$ 63,70000 |  | 63, 70000 | 63, 70000 |  |  |
|  |  | 4460 |  | 4460 | $\stackrel{0}{ }$ |
| 85,300 00 | 61579 | 61579 85,30000 | 85, 30000 |  | 61579 |
|  |  | 283. |  | 283 |  |
|  | 18444 | 18444 |  |  | 18444 |
| 48, 41000 |  | 48,41000 901 | 48,410 00 | 901 |  |
|  | 11933 | 11933 |  |  | 11933 |
| - 52,33000 |  | 52,330 00 | 52,330 00 |  |  |
| 15, 40000 |  | 1650 15,40000 | 15, 40000 | 1650 |  |
|  |  | 4632 |  | 463 |  |
| 204, 05000 |  | 204, 050 | 204, 05000 | 3 |  |
|  | 4159 | 4159 |  | 3 | 4159 |
| 184, 51000 |  | 184, 51000 | 184, 51000 |  |  |
|  | 28075 | 233 280 75 |  | 233 | 28075 |
| 71,23000 |  | 71, 23000 | 71,230 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 512 |  | 512 |  |
|  | 113 | (1) 113 |  |  | 113 |
| 41,510 00 | 2790 | 41,51000 27 90 | - 4L,510 00 | 9790 |  |
| $310,470 \times 0$ | 27 | 310, 47000 | 310,47000 | 27 90 |  |
|  |  | 1791 |  | 1791 |  |
|  | 17626 | - $\begin{array}{r}476 \\ 680 \\ 00\end{array}$ | 157,680 |  | 7626 |
| 157, |  | , 3066 | 157 1484 | 1582 |  |
| 166, 50000 |  | 166,500 00 | 166,500 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 12,248 62 |  | 12,238 62 |  |
|  | 1,955 52 | 1,955 52 |  |  | 1,955 52 |
| 117, 73600 |  | 117,73600 495 | 117,736 00 | 495 |  |
|  | 34329 | 34329 |  |  | 34329 |
| 58, 85000 |  | 58,850 00 | 58,84782 |  | 218 |
|  |  | 515 |  | 515 |  |
|  | 13244 | 13244 |  |  | 13244 |
| 106, 44000 |  | 106, 44000 | 106, 43934 | 117405 | 66 |
|  | 293211 | 1,174 9,235 9,211 |  | 1,174 05 | 2,23211 |
| 104,82000 |  | 104, 82000 | 1.04, 89000 |  | , 2311 |
|  |  | 1,164 24 |  | 1,164 24 |  |
|  | 13061 | 13061 |  |  | 13061 |
| 22,340 00 | 16000 | 22,500 00 | 22,500 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 6499 |  | 6499 |  |
|  | 69411 | 69411 |  |  | 69411 |
| 253, 41000 |  | 253, 41000 | 253, 41000 |  |  |
|  | 10614 | 106.14 |  |  | 10614 |
| 14,260 00 | 24000 | 14,500 (10 | 14, 50000 | 107 |  |
|  | 20 | 107 20 |  | 107 | 0 |
| 42,740 00 |  | 42,740 60 | 42, 74000 |  |  |
|  |  | 339 |  | 339 |  |
| 64,500 00 |  | 64,500 00 | 64, 50000 |  |  |
|  |  | 50 |  | 50 |  |
|  |  | 7943 |  | 7993 |  |
|  | 2, 789 19 | 5,295 94 | 4, 45093 |  | - 24501 |
| 40, 00000 | 39, 55469 | 79, 55469 | 78, 59451 |  | $96 \cdot 18$ |
| 10,000 00 | 4350 | 10, 043 50 | 10,043 50, |  |  |
|  |  | 1,590 19 |  | - $\cdot 1,59019$ |  |
| 2,500 00 | 20000 | 2, 70000 | 1,581 23 |  | 1,11877 |
| 10,191, 63105 | 232, 25303 | 12, 195, 34067 | 10, 105, 64516 | 541,778 97 | 1,547,915 54 |

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unexp ended June 30, 1877, fo.-Continued.

| Appropriations for the tiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fis. cal yoar ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year sending June 30, $18 \pi 8$. | Amounts carried to the surplus fund Tune 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$10, 191, 63105 | \$232, 25308 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 12,195,34067 \\ 2,35303 \end{array}$ | $410,105,64516$ 5490 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 541,77897 \\ 2,29813 \end{array}$ | 81, 547,916 54 |
| . 5,00000 | 785 321 | 785 5,00321 | 785 5,00321 |  |  |
| -13,000 00 |  | 13,000 00 | 7, 25000 |  | 5,75000 |
| 4,20000 | 55025 | $\begin{array}{r}1,464 \\ 4,750 \\ 72 \\ 72 \\ \hline 66\end{array}$ | 4,620 50 | 1,46408 <br> $\cdots \cdots \cdots$ | 12975 |
|  | $\cdots 72$ | 7268 672 | 672 | 72 |  |
| 7,500 00 | 12501 | 7, 62501 | 7, 62501 | 19300 |  |
|  | 5500 | 5500 |  |  | 5500 |
| 9,000 00 | 316 | 9,003 16 | 9,003 16 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,257 10 |  | 1, 25710 |  |
| 16,500 00 | .................. | 16, 50000 | 16,500 00 | 8301 |  |
| 9,000 00 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 9,00000 \\ 17 \\ 91 \end{array}$ | 9,000 00 |  |  |
| $\cdots 24,50000$ | 5,419 00 | 29, 17900 | 29,919 00 | 1721 |  |
|  |  | 25641 |  | 25641 |  |
| 20,000 00 | 45275 | 20, 45275 | 20,452 75 |  |  |
|  |  | 3,402 19 |  | 3,402 19 |  |
| 200, 800 | 3,716 66 | 17, 88413 | 13, 34081 |  | 4, 54332 |
| 20,800 |  | 20,800 611 | , 20000 | ................... ${ }^{11}$ | 23, 60000 |
|  | 974 | 974 |  |  | 974 |
| 12,000 00 |  | 12,000 00 | 12,000 00 |  |  |
| 146,552 26 | 29150 | 196,843 76 | 196,843 76 |  |  |
| 515, 63699 | 2,50951 | 518, 14650 | 514, 10914 |  | 4, 03736 |
| 4,70150 |  | 4, 70150 |  |  | 4,70150. |
| 407, 52440 |  | 407, 52440 | 407, 52440 |  |  |
| 36,640 25 |  | 36, 64025 | 36, 64025 |  |  |
| 1,094 48 |  | 1,094 48 | 1,094 48 |  |  |
| 6,44074 |  | 6,440 74 | 6, 44074 |  |  |
| 7500 |  | 7500 | 7500 |  |  |
|  | 6125 | 6125 |  |  | 6125 |
| 5,000 00 | ................... | 5,000 00 | 5,000 00 |  |  |
| 1, 06405 |  | 1,064 05 |  |  | 1,064 05 |
| 6,075 00 |  | 6,075 00 |  |  | 6,075 00 |
| 1.450 00 |  | 1,450 00 | 1, 450 00 |  |  |
|  | 7420 | 3,103 1,35 1,38 | 10220 | 3, 10385 | 1,23308 |
| 20,330 00 |  | 20,330 00 | 20, 152 55 |  | 17745 |
|  |  | 27,778 21 | 1230 | 27, 76591 |  |
| 800,00000 | $\begin{array}{r}64,77362 \\ 286,117 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 69,33184 $1,086,11757$ | 14, 262.57 |  | 55, 06987 |
|  |  | 1, 086,16712 | 53, 6700 | 400.12 | 546, 14664 |
|  | 12019 | 12019 | 12019 |  |  |
| 25, 00000 | 2190 | 25, 02190 | 25, 02190 | …… |  |
|  | 63750 | 95106 63750 | 63750 | 95100 |  |
| 1,000 00 | 1,66150 | 2, 66150 | 2,661 50 |  |  |
|  |  | 3,133 75 |  |  | 3, 13375 |
| 1,000 00 |  | 1,000 00 | 1,000 00 |  |  |
| 7,200 00 |  | 7,200 00 | 7,200 00 |  |  |
|  | 80250 | 32,902 50 | 32,902 50 |  |  |
| 17, 50000 |  | 17,500 00 | 17,500 00 |  |  |
| 20, 00000 |  | 20,000 00 | 14,000 00 |  | 6,000 00 |
|  |  | 175 |  | -175 | ...* |
|  |  | 1880 |  | 18.80 | .-....-9-0.-.... |
|  | ..-.............. 04 | 13 04 |  | 13. | 04 |
| 12, 587, 41572 | 599,673 71 | 15, 055, 19241 | 12, 262, 41798 | 583, 07049 | 2, 209, 70394 |

Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

| Specific objects of appropriations. | Yoar. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Vol. | Pageor section. |  |
| Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Purchase and manar |  |  |  | \$.1, 868, 10298 |
| Purchase and management of the Louisville and Portland Canal. |  |  |  | 685, 92569 |
| Expeuses of operating macerating machine. | 1876 |  |  | 13723 |
| Paper for notes, bonds, and other securities | 187\% |  |  | 139.90 |
| Material for engraving and printing...... | 1876 |  |  | 3489 |
| Engravers' tools, machinery, \&c.... | 1876 |  |  | 35497 |
| Engraving and printing cerrificates Centennial stock |  |  |  | 8,316 67 |
| Inquiries lnto canse of steam-boilet explosiens .............. |  |  |  | 3,525 99 |
| Trust fund for the support of free schools in South Carolina. |  | R.S. | 3689 | 72719 |
| Extra compensation to discharged employes Bureau Engraving and Printing. |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries steamboat-inspection service........................... |  | R.S. | 3689 | 259, 77274 |
| Contingent expenses steamboat-inspeotion service........... |  | R.S. | 3689 | 114,531 15 |
| Transportation of United States securities .................... | 1876 |  |  | 14, 00505 |
| Do............................... | 1877 |  |  | 4,92886 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 351 |  |
| Expenses of the national currency | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1876 |  |  | 35645 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 71.59298 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 354 |  |
| Examination of rebel arcbives and records of captured and abandoned property. | 1876. 1878 |  |  | 3627 |
| Collection of captnred and abandoned property ........................................ | 1878 1876 | 19 | 354 |  |
| Collection of captured and abandoned property, records and evidence respecting the same. | 1876 |  |  | 12,572 51 |
| Suppressing counterfeitingr and frand .......................... | 1874 |  |  | 3684 |
| Do. | 1876 |  |  | 43487 |
| Suppressing counterfsiting and fraud, transfer acco | 1877 |  |  | 3,217 |
| Suppressing counterfeitiog and frand.... | 1878 | 19 | 354 |  |
| Salaries office assistant treasurer at Now Yo | 1876 |  |  | 1,316 87 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 84281 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 304 |  |
| Salaries office assistant treasurer at Boston | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries oftico assistant treasnrer at San Francisco | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries office assistant treasurer at Philadelphia. | 1877 |  |  | 15667 |
|  | 1876 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries oflice assistant treasurer at Bal timo | 1876 |  |  | 10179 |
| Prso Do | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries office assistant treasurer at Saint Lo | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries office assistant treasurer at Chicag | 1876 |  |  | 39403 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries office assistant treasurer at Cinci | 1876 |  |  | $49 \cdot 45$ |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 42581 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salarios office assistant troasimer at Now Orleans | 1878 | 19 | 305 |  |
| Salaries othice depositary ati Santa F6.......................... | 1876 |  |  | 659 |
| Salaries oftice clesignated desositaries, reappropriated........... | 1874* | R.S. | 3649 |  |
| Salaries office designated dopositaries ............................ | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 2,250 00 |
| Salarics office depositary at Tucson | 1877 |  |  | 75000 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Checks and cortificates of deposit independent treasury.... | 1876 |  |  | 1,509 85 |
| Do ........................................................ | 1877 |  |  | 4,660 60 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Contingent expenses independont treastiry | 1876 |  |  | 10,223 88 |
| Do ................................................. | 1877 |  |  | 7,850 21 |
| Contingent expenses independent treasury (transfer account) | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Contingent expenses indopendent treasury..................... | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Salaries oflice Director of the Mint . . . . . . . | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Coutingent expenses Unitod States mints and assay-offices .. | 1876 |  |  | 937 |
| Do..... | 1877 |  |  | 654 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Assay laboratory, oftice Director of the Mint | 1878 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Recoinage of gold and silver coins. | 1876 |  |  | 1,71181 |
| Salarios United Ştates mint at Philadelphia | 1878 | 19 | 306 | 44052 |
| Do | 1877 | 19 | 306 |  |
| Wages workmen United States mint at Philadelphia ......... | 1876 |  |  | 1,37788 |
| Carried forward. |  |  |  | 3,082:835 55 |

* And prior years.
unexpended June 30, 1877, fc.-Continued.

| Appropriations for the fiscal pear endiug June $30,1878$. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate avail. able for the fiscal year endivg June 30,1878 . | Payments dur. ing the fiscal year ending June $30,1878$. | Amounts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$12, 587, 41572 | - \$599,673 71 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 15,055,19241 \\ & 685,925 \\ & 69 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 12,262,417 \\ & 71,910 \\ & 00 \end{aligned}$ | \$583, 07049 | $\begin{array}{r} 82,209,70394 \\ 614,01569 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 13723 \\ & 13990 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 13723 \\ & 13990 \end{aligned}$ |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}3489 \\ 354 \\ \hline 97\end{array}$ |  | 34497 |  |
|  |  | 8,316 67 |  | 8,31667 |  |
| 2,756 77 | - 53897 | 4,064 96 3,48396 |  | 4, 06496 |  |
| 2,756 77 | 93160 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,48396 \\ 9 ; 3160 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3,48396 \\ 4550 \end{array}$ |  | 88610 |
| 200, 00000 |  | 459, 77974 | 178, 61200 |  | 281, 16074 |
| 72, 70385 |  | 187, 23500 | 37, 63765 |  | 149,59735 |
|  | 83517 | $\begin{array}{r} 14,00505 \\ 5,76403 \end{array}$ | 5, 70341 |  | 14, 00505 |
| 65,00000 | 85 | 65, 00025 | 44, 172 59 |  | 20,827 66 |
| , 2535 |  | 2535 |  |  | 2535 |
|  | 3,270 00 | 74, 86298 | 39,546 | 356 | 35,316 35 |
| 150,000 00 | 1, 60000 | 151, 60000 | 123, 53232 | 3670 | 28, 067 ¢ 6 |
| 71989 |  | $75673$ $43487$ | $\begin{aligned} & 34988 \\ & 30000 \end{aligned}$ | 13487 | 40685 |
|  | 21738 | 3,435 02 | 3,43164 | 1348 | 338 |
| 100,00000 |  | 100, 180000 | 90, 13428 |  | 9,8659 |
|  |  | 1,31687 |  | 1,316 87 |  |
|  | 37583 | 1, 21864 | 19149 |  | , 02715 |
| 148,530 33,500 00 |  | 148, 33,56000 | $\begin{array}{r}147,32945 \\ \hline 33,48803\end{array}$ |  | , 20015 |
| 23,760 00 | 1000 | 23, 76000 | 23, 76000 |  | 16667 |
| 38,85000 | 10 | 38, 85000 | 3885000 |  |  |
| 23,440 00 |  | 23,440 190 | 23, 42681 | 10179 |  |
|  | 5280 | 5280 |  |  | 5280 |
| 15,300 00 |  | 15, 30000 | 15,300 00 |  |  |
| 14,56000 | 1,978 | 16, 53818 | 16,53818 | 394 |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 4945 \\ 42581 \end{array}$ |  | 4945 | 42581 |
| 14, 76000 |  | 14, 76000 | 14, 760 co |  |  |
| 13,530 00 |  | 13, 53000 | 13,530 00 |  |  |
| 4,410 61 |  | 4,410 61 | 4,41061 |  |  |
|  |  | 51846 |  | 51846 |  |
|  | 69974 27710 | $\begin{array}{r} 69974 \\ 2,52710 \end{array}$ |  | 69974 | 2,527 10 |
|  |  | 2, 75000 | 73000 |  |  |
| 1, 50000 |  | 1,500 00 | 1,500 00 |  |  |
| 4, 00000 | ............. | 4,00000 | 4, 00000 | 1,509 85 |  |
|  |  | 4, 66060 | 3,15810 | 1, 59 | 1,50250 |
| 8,000 00 |  | 8,00000 | 7,217 00 |  | 78300 |
|  | 2,150 43 | 10,22388 1000064 | 9,980 98 | 10,223 88 | 1966 |
|  | 4256 | 10, 4256 | 4256 |  |  |
| 55, 00000 | 52135 3115 | 55,521 35 | 31,971 29 |  | 23, 550 ${ }^{31} 15$ |
| 16,960 00 |  | 16,960 00 | 16, 96000 |  |  |
|  |  | 937 |  | 937 |  |
|  |  | 654 | 422 |  | 232 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 90000 \\ & 50000 \end{aligned}$ |  | 90000 500 | $\begin{array}{r} 69213 \\ 19 \\ 50 \end{array}$ |  | 20787 48050 |
|  |  | 1,71181 |  | 1,711 81 |  |
| 1, 00000 | .................. | 1,000 00 | 2688 |  | 97312 |
| 34,85000 |  | 34, 85000 | 34,850 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,377 88 |  | 1,377 88 |  |
| 13,637, 03219 | 613,74290 | . 17, 333, 61064 | 13, 309, 05126 | 627,138 93 | 3, 397, 42045 |

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unexpended June 30, 1877, \&rc.-Continued:

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repaymente made daring the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year onding June 30, 1878. | ```Amounts carried to the surplas fund Jone 30, 1878.``` | Balances of appropristions, June 30,1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$13, 637, 03219 | 8613, 74290 | \$17, 333, 61064 | \$13, 309, 05126 | \$627, 13893 | $\$ 3,397,42045$ |
|  |  | [17, $15309 \times$ | 285,000 00 |  | 17, 15809 |
|  | 3,928 49 | $\begin{array}{r}17 \\ 3,988 \\ \hline 19\end{array}$ | 1, 85317 | 1700 | 2, 07532 |
| 72, 50000 | 789 | 72, 50789 | 72,500 00 |  | 789 |
|  |  | 1,964 80 | $21350$ | 1,964 80 | 88012 |
| 15,000 00 |  | 15, 00000 | 10,916 27 |  | 4,083 73 |
|  |  | 7, 22988 |  | 7,22988 26660 |  |
|  |  | 2,15932 | 2,159 32 |  |  |
|  |  | 31317 |  | 31317 |  |
|  | 7950 | 7950 |  |  | 7950 |
| 24,900 00 |  | 24, 90000 | 24,900 00 |  |  |
|  | 4035 | 4035 |  | 5 | 4035 |
| 275,000 00 | 2770 | 275, 02770 | 275, 02770 |  |  |
|  | $08$ | 58 08 |  | 58 | 08 |
| 99,500 00 | 21020 | 99, 71020 | 99, 22181 |  | 48839 |
|  | 197 | 197 |  |  | 197 |
| 23,550 00 |  | 23, 55000 | 23, 55000 | 3770 |  |
|  | 3100 | 37 3100 |  |  | $31-00$ |
| 80,000 00 |  | 80,000 00 | 80,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 1400 | 1400 |  | 1400 |  |
|  |  | 1079 |  | 1079 |  |
| 42,500 00 |  | 42,500 00 | 42,44810 | 22662 | 5100 |
| - . 7,95000 |  | $\begin{array}{r}22662 \\ 7,95090 \\ \hline, 50000\end{array}$ | 7,950 00 | 226 |  |
| 6, 50000 |  | 6,500 00 | 6,500.00 |  |  |
| $3,80000$ | 3416 | 3416 80000 | 3,800 00 |  | 3416 |
|  |  | 2, 50000 |  | 2,500 00 |  |
|  |  | 2,165 82 |  |  | 2,165 8\% |
| 6, 00000 |  | 6,00000 130 | 4,337 12 | 130 | 1, 66288 |
|  | 40 | - 40 |  |  | 40 |
| 3, 00000 |  | 3,00000 88780 | 2,720 60 |  | 270 40 |
|  | 72 | - 72 |  |  | 72 |
| 5,000 00 |  | $\begin{array}{r}5,00000 \\ 287 \\ \hline 16\end{array}$ | 1,000 00 | 97-16 | 4,000 00 |
| -32,900 00 |  | 32,900 080 | … $3 \mathbf{3}, 90000$ | 28816 | ....-............ |
|  |  | 6,848 92 |  | -6,84892 |  |
|  | 1, 656 75 | 1,656 75 |  |  | 1,656 75 |
| 22,500 00 |  | 22,500 00 | 19, 80000 |  | 2,700 00 |
| 9, 00000 |  | 9,000 00 | 8,915 00 |  | 8500 |
| 400000 |  | 99864 | 4,00000 |  | 99864 |
| 4,000 00 | 903 | 4, 000000 | 4,000 00 |  | 69303 |
| 2,00000 | 14903 | 2,000 00 | 2,000 00 |  | 633 |
|  | 25523 | 41287 | 13852 |  | 27435 |
| 3, 00000 |  | 3,000 00 | 3,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 1936 04 | 1936 04 |  |  | 1936 |
| 2,000 00 |  | 2,000 00 | 2, 00000 |  |  |
|  | 355 | 355 |  |  | 355 |
| 1,900 00 |  | 1,900 00 | 1,836 03 |  | 6397 |
|  | 3344 | 3344 |  | 33.44 |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}39542 \\ \hline 500\end{array}$ |  |  | 39542 |
| 1,500 25000 |  | 1,50000 250 | 1,50000 25000 |  |  |
| 25000 |  | 25000 | 25000 |  |  |
|  | 1991 | 21,710 19 | 21, 71019 |  |  |
| 81, 11575 |  | 81, 11575 | 81, 11575 |  |  |
| 75,000 00 |  | 75, 00000 | 25,00000 |  | 50,00000 |
|  |  | - 25004 | 24966 |  |  |
| 12,700 00 |  | 12,700 00 | 10, 10000 | 5400 | 2,600 00 |
|  | 2358 | $\begin{array}{r}547 \\ 2358 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 54700 |  |
| 2,000 00 |  | 2,000 00 | 2,000 00 |  |  |
| 14, 858, 78892 | $\cdot 622,43834$ | 18,607,966 68 | 14, 469, 67300 | 648, 32644 | 3, 439, 96724 |

Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Vol. | Pafe or section. |  |
| Crvil-Continned. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$3, 126, 74012 |
| Contingent expenses Territory of Arizoua | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.... | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Salarios governor, \&c., Territory of Calorad | 1877 |  |  | 12,858.73 |
| Legislative expenses Territory of Colorado | 1876 |  |  |  |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 1,700 00 |
| Contingent expenses Territory of Colorado.......... Constitutional | 1877 |  |  | 10800 |
| Constitutional convention for admission of C | 1876 |  |  | 2, 08773 |
| Salaries governor, \&c., Territory of Dakota | 1877 |  |  | 2,250 04 |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Legislatire expenses Territory of | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1876 |  |  | 55741 |
| Do. | 1877 | 20 | 117 |  |
| Doutiugcnt cxpenses Territory of Dalco | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Coutingent cxpenses Territory of Dalco | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Salaries governor, \&c., Territory of Ida | 1876 |  |  | 87119 |
| ${ }_{\text {Do }}^{\text {Do. }}$ | 1877 | 19 | 309 | 3,456 59 |
| Legislatire | 1875 | 20 | 117 |  |
| Do.. | 1877 | 20 | 117 |  |
| Do. | 1878 |  |  |  |
| Contingent expenses Torritory of | 1876 |  |  | 30800 |
| Salaries governor \& \& Territory of Montan | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Salaries governor, \&c., Territory of Mon Do. | 1876 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 13855 \\ 2,00004 \end{array}$ |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Legislative expenses Territory of Montana | 1874 |  |  |  |
|  | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 187\% | 19 | 309 |  |
| Contingent oxpenses Territory of Montan | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Sularies covernor, \&c............................ | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Sularieg governor, \&c., Territory of New Mexico | 1876 |  |  | 64286 |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  | 4,150 04 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 309 | 1,000 00 |
| Leg Do............. | 1876 | 20 | 117 | 1, 310 |
|  | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.............................. | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Contingent expeuses Territory of New Mcx | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Salaries governor, \&c., Territory of Ut Do......................... | 1875 | 20 | 117 |  |
|  | 1876 |  |  | 26297 |
| Do | 1877 | 19 | 309 | , 13893 |
| Legislative oxpenses territory | 1876 |  |  | 6,073 34 |
| Do... .... | 1878 | 19 | 309 | 6,0\% |
| Contingent expenses Territory of Utah | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Salaries governor, \&c., Territory of Washington | 1877 |  |  | 1,500 04 |
| Legislative expenses Territory of Washingto | 1978 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Legislative expenses Territory of Washingtou | 1576 |  |  | 16103 |
| Do..... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do................................ | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Contingent expenses Territory of Washington | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Salaries governor, \&cc., Territory of Wyoning | 1877 | 19 | 309 | 1,250 04 |
| Legislative expenses Territory of Wyouning | 1976 |  | 309 | 1,286 0 |
| Do................................ | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Contingent expenses Territory of Wyoming | 1876 |  |  | 340 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 309 |  |
| Salaries board of health District of Columbia | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Expenses board of health, District of Columbia............. | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Salaries inspectora of eas and meters, District of Columbia.. | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Fire department, District of Columbia .-................. | 1878 | 19 | 308 |  |
| Completing sewerage and filling Tiber Valley, Washington, D. C. | 1878 | 19 | 356 |  |
| Payment of indebtedness of the District of Columbia (reimbursable, coin); act March 3, 1877. | 1877 | 19 | 346 |  |
| Repaving Pennsylvania arenue ............................ | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Payment of iaterest on 3.65 bonds of the District of Columbia (reimbursáble) ; act March 3, 1877. | 1877 | 19 | 346 |  |
| Payment of interest on 3.65 bonds of the District of Columbia (reimbursable) ; act July 31, 1876. | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Deposit by the Commissioners of the District of Columbia | 1876 |  |  |  |
| for interest on 3.65 bonds District of Columbia; joint resolution, Maroh 14, 1876. |  |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 3,170, 54870 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fis. cal year ending. June 30, 1878. | Payments dur. ing the fiscal yoar ending June 30, 1878. | A mounts carried to the surplus fund Juze 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1876. |
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|  |  |  |  |  | . |
| \$14, 85\%, 78822 | $\$ 622,43834$ 4200 | $\$ 18,607,96668$ 4200 | $\$ 14,469,67300$ 4200 | \$648, 32644 | \$3, 489, 96724 |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
|  |  | 12,858 78 |  |  | 12,858 78 |
|  | 1,911 00 | 1,911 <br> 1,700 | 90947 | 1, 001.53 |  |
|  |  | 1,70000 10800 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 1,70000 \\ 10800 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 2,087 73 | 2,087 73 |  |  |
|  |  | 2,250 04 | 2,250 00 |  | 04 |
| 12,200 00 |  | 12, 20000 | 10, 25000 |  | 1,950 00 |
| .................. | 7275 | 7275 $-\quad 55741$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 72.75 \\ 55741 \end{array}$ |  |
| 1,176 25 | 143 | 1,17768 |  |  | 1,177 68 |
| 2, 00000 |  | 2, 00000 | 9,000 00 |  | 1,17\% |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
| "*..... ........ |  | $\begin{array}{r}87119 \\ \hline 45659\end{array}$ |  | 87119 |  |
| 1220000 |  | 3,45659 12,20000 | 3,00000 <br> 9,800 |  | 45659 2,40000 |
| 1, 03871 |  | 1903871 |  |  | 1,038 71 |
| 2,579 16 |  | 2,579 16 |  |  | 2,579 16 |
| 2, 00000 |  | 2, 000000 | 1,600 00 |  | 40000 |
| 50000 |  | 30800 <br> 50000 | 50000 | 30800 |  |
|  |  | 13855 |  | 13855 |  |
|  |  | 2, 00004 | 1,66480 |  | 33524 |
| 12, 20000 |  | 12, 20000 | 9,15000 |  | 3,05000 |
|  | 10988 1,90000 | 10988 1,90000 |  | 10988 |  |
| 2,000,00 | 1,900 00 | 1,900 <br> 2,000 | 1,900 00 2, 00000 |  |  |
| 2,00,00 | - 7500 | $7500$ | 2, 000 | 7500 |  |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
|  |  | 64280 |  | 64286 |  |
| 1370000 | --................ | 4,15004 | 2, 91484 |  | 1,23500 4,15000 |
| 12, 70000 |  | 12,70000 | 1,000 00 |  | 4, 25000 |
| 1,448 13 |  | 1,451 23 |  | 310 | 1,44813 |
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| 20, 00000 |  | 20, 00000 | 20, 00000 |  |  |
| 500 8750 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
| 8750 |  | 8750 | 8750 |  |  |
|  |  | 26297 |  | 26297 |  |
|  |  | 1,138 93 | 75000 |  | -3839:3 |
| 12, 20000 |  | 12, 20000 | 10,900 00 |  | 1,300 00 |
|  | 1,289 63 | 7,36297 20,00000 | 2,500 20,000 9 | 4,862 97 |  |
| 20,000 500 500 | ................... | 20, 00000 | $\begin{array}{r}20,00000 \\ 500 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  |  |
|  |  | 1,500 04 | 1, 500.00 |  | 04 |
| 12,200 00 |  | 12, 20000 | 9,800 00 |  | 2,400 30 |
|  | - | 16103 378 |  | 16103 | . 378 |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20,000 00 | 20, 00000. |  |  |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,25004 | 1,250 00 |  | 04 |
| 12,200 00 |  | 12,200 00 | 11,30723 |  | 89277 |
|  |  | 1,286 50 |  | 1,097.50 | 18900 |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20,00000 340 | 20, 00000 |  | .................. |
| 50000 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 340 \\ 54192 \end{array}$ |  | 340 | ....-......... |
| 500 10,26000 | 4192 | 54192 10,26000 | $\begin{array}{r} 54192 \\ 10.26000 \end{array}$ |  |  |
| 10,260 6,410 1,40 |  | 10, 26000 | $10,26000$ |  |  |
| 6,410 1,500 000 |  | 6,410 <br> 1,500 <br> 100 | $6,41000$ |  |  |
| 1,500 25,000 200 |  | 1,500 00 | 1,500 00 |  |  |
| 25, 00000 |  | 25, 00000 | 25, 00000 |  |  |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20,000 00 | 20,000 00 |  |  |
| 400,00000 | 344,80000 | 744, 80000 | 419,800 00 | 325,00000 |  |
|  | 32,40696 2099 | 32,40696 501,68869 | $\begin{array}{r} 20,04493 \\ 501 \end{array}$ | ........... | 12,362 03 |
| 501,607 63 | 2099 | 501, 62862 | 501, 62862 |  |  |
|  | 6,058 09 | 6, 05809 | 6,058 09 |  |  |
|  | 3,360 77 | 3,360 27 | 3,360 27 |  |  |
| 16,005, 79560 | 1, 014, 532.59 | 20, 190, 87689 | 15, 664, 99040 | 983, 49458 | 3,542,391 91 |


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| Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$3, 170,54870 |
| Employment of the poor of the District in filling up grounds; act Aptil 4, 1878. | 1878 | 20 | 250 |  |
| Support and medical treatment of the inflem poor, District of Columbia; act April 4, 1878. | 1878 | 20 | 250 |  |
| Benetit of the Penay Luach House, Washington, D. C. ; act Jnne 14, 1878. | 1878 | 20 | 253 |  |
| Reimbursement to S. Wolf, late recorder of doeds, District of Columbia; rot June 20, 1878. | 1878 | 20 | 229 |  |
| Survey of the Atlantic and Gulf coasts .................................................................. | $\begin{aligned} & 1876 \\ & 1877 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 10,931 62 |
| Do | 1878 | 20 | 215 |  |
| Survey of the Weatern ooast | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Do..................... | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 3,500 00 |
| Repairs of vessels, Coast | 1877 | 20 | 215 |  |
| Repan Do............... | 1878 | 29 | 215 |  |
| Publishing observatione, Coast Survey | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do.... | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 20 | 216 |  |
| General expenses Coast Sa | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.......... | 1878 | 20 | 216 |  |
| Geodetic surveying, Coast Survey | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Vessels for the Coast Survey | 1878 | 19 | 354 |  |
| Salaries office Secretary of Wa | 1876 |  |  | 60451 |
| Do. | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 310 |  |
| Coutingent expenses office of Secretary of War | 1878 |  |  |  |
| Salaries office Adjutant-General ......... | 1876 |  |  | 44838 |
| Do........... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Contingent expenses office $\Delta$ djutan | 1876 |  |  | 117 |
| Salaries Do............. | 1878 1876 | 19 | 310 | 46 |
| Do............. | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Salaries oftice Military Justice | 1876 |  |  | 2283 |
| Do.........., ..... | 1879 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Contingent expenses office Military Justice | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Salaries oftioe Quartermaster-General | 1876 |  |  | 32636 |
| Do......... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Contingent expenses oflice Quartermaster-Genera | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Salaries oftice Commisgary General | 1876 |  |  | 28043 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Contingent expenses office Cobimissary-Gen | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Salaries office Surgeon-General | 1876 |  |  | 9725 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Contingent expenses office Surgeon-General................... | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Salaries office Chief of Ordnance. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1378 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses oftice Chief of Ordnance | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salaries office Paymaster General | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.................................... | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses offico Chief of Eugiueers | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salnries Sigual-office ................................................ | 1876 |  |  | 3196 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 310 |  |
| Salaries superintendent, \&C., War Department building | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses War Department | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salary saperintendent building corner Pennsylvania arenue and Fifteenth street. <br> Salary superintendent building on $F$ street. $\qquad$ | 1878 1877 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salary superintendent building on $F$ street Do. | 1877 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses building on F street | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salaries superintendent, \&c., building on Serenteenth and F streets. | 1876 |  |  | 18000 |

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| Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forw |  |  |  | 83, 187, 02267 |
| Salaries superintendeut, \&c., building on Seventeenth and $F$ streets. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses building on Seventeenth and $F$ streets. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salary superintendent, \&c., building on Tenth atreet... .... | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salary superintendent building occupied by CommissaryGeneral. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salaries omployes public buildiugs and grounds ............ | 1877. |  |  | 2,015 45 |
| Contingent expenses public bnildings and grounds | 1878 | 19 | 298 |  |
| Improvement and care of public grounds... | 1876 |  |  | 10300 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 3,381 77 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 358 |  |
| Repairs of navy-yard and upper bridg | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Repairs, fuel, \&c., | $\begin{aligned} & 1878 \\ & 1877 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 359 |  |
| Reparrs Do......... | 1878 | 19 | 359 |  |
| Lighting, \&c., Executive | 1876 |  |  | 16200 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 1,081 25 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 359 |  |
| Repairs of water-pipes and fire-plu | 1875 | 19 | 359 |  |
| Washington Aqueduct | 1878 | 19 | 359 |  |
| Telegraph to conuect the Capitol with the departments and the Public Printing Office. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do..... | 1878 | 19 | 359 |  |
| Support and medical treatment of transient paupers | 1877 | 20 | - | 1,230 00 |
| Contingent expenses bnilding corner Fifteenth and F streets. | 1876 |  |  | 36105 |
| Postage War Department | 1876 |  |  | 5,182 07 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 42,436 48 |
| Rent of building corver Pennsylvania avenue and Fifteenth street. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salaries office of the Secretary of the Nary | 1877 |  |  | 3804 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of the Secretary | 1876 |  |  | 4095 |
| Do. | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 311 |  |
| Salaries Bureau of Yards and Doeks | 1878 | 19 | 311 |  |
| Contingent expenses Bureau of Yards and Docres | 1876 |  |  | 1,014 71 |
|  | 1877 |  |  |  |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salarics Bureau of Equipment and Recruiting | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Contingent expenses Bureau of Equipment and Rocruiting- | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salaries Bureau of Navigation ............................. | 1878. | 19 | 312 |  |
| Current expenses Bureau of Narigation | 1878 | 19 | 212 |  |
| Salaries Bureau of Ordnance. | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Contingeni expeuses Buroan of Orlnance | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salaries Bureau of Construction and Repair | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Contingent expenses liareau of Construction and Repair | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salariee Bureau of Stame-Eugineoriog | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Contingent expenses Bureau of Steam-Engineering | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salaries Bureau of Provisions and Clothing. | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Continsent expenses Burexu of Provisions and Clothing | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salaries Bureau of Medicine aud Surgery | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Contingent expenses Bureau of Mediciue and Surgery | 1378 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salaries supcrintendent, \&c, Navy Department building | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Coutingeut expenses Navs Departruent building. | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Do.................. | 1876 |  |  | 62570 |
| Postage Nary Department | 1876 |  |  | 5; 23586 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 7,177 57 |
| Do | 1878 |  |  |  |
| Outstanding liabilities |  |  |  | 275, 81261 |
| Salaries Post-Ofice Departme | 1876 |  |  | 528 |
| Contingont expenses Post-office Depar | 1879 | 19 | 316 | 2328 |
| Do............................. | 1877 |  |  | 23. |
| Do. | 1873 | 19 | 316 |  |
| Deficiency in postal reveuuos | 1876 |  |  | $1,852,70500$ |
| Do.. | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 |  |  | 2, 417,947 93 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 385 | 2, 417, 947 93 |
| Purchase of scales fur Post-Office Dep |  |  |  | 30,000 00 |
| Carried formard. |  |  |  | 7, 834, 01901 |

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| \$17, 503, 46680 | $81,026,91454$ 593 | \$21, 717, 40401 | \$17, 165, 62443 | \$985, 85709 | $\$ 3,565,92249$ 593 |
| 4,570 00 |  | 4,570 00 | 4,570 00 |  |  |
| 6, 00000 |  | 6,000 00 | 6, 00000 |  |  |
| 25000 |  | 25000 | 25000 |  |  |
| 25000 |  | 25000 | $2 \overline{3} 000$ |  |  |
|  | 84477 | 2,860 22 | 2, 86029 |  |  |
|  |  | 10300 |  | 10300 |  |
|  | 12 | 3, 38189 | 3,381 77 |  | 12 |
| 21,500 00 | 2205 615 | 21,522 05 | 21,522 05 |  |  |
| - 1,00000 | 61582 | 61.582 1,00000 | 7500 1,00000 |  | 54082 |
|  | 11 | 111926 | 11915 |  | 11 |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20, 00000 | 20,000 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 16200 |  | 16200 | 3845 |
| 15,000 00 | 16868 | 1,24993 15,00000 | 15,21]. 48 |  | 3845 |
| 4, 00000 |  | 4,000 00 | 4,000 00 |  |  |
| 15,000 00 |  | 15, 00000 | 15,000 00 |  |  |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 50000 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,250 00 | 1,250 00 |  |  |
| 15, 00000 |  | 15, 00000 | 13, 75000 |  | 1,250 00 |
|  |  | 36105 |  | 30105 |  |
|  | .....-............ | 5,18207 |  | 5,182 07 |  |
|  |  | 42, 43648 | 41, 32259 |  | 1, 11389 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 80,00000 \\ & 12,00000 \end{aligned}$ |  | 80,000 <br> 12,000 | 72,21340 12,00000 |  | 7,786 60 |
|  |  | 12,000. | 12,000 |  |  |
|  |  | 3804 |  |  | 3804 |
| 31, 42000 |  | 31,420 00 | 31, 420.00 |  |  |
| .. | -........- 15433 | 4095 15433 |  | 4095 | 15433 |
| 2,500 00 |  | 2,500 00 | -2,500 00 |  | 154 |
| 12,760 00 |  | 12,760 00 | - 12,760 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 1, 01471 |  | 1,014 71 |  |
|  | 11441 | 1144 |  |  | 11441 |
| 80000 |  | 80000 | - 80000 |  |  |
| 11,960 00 | - | 11,960 00 | 11, 96000 |  |  |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 500.00 |  |  |
| 6, 36000 |  | 6, 36000 | 6,360 00 |  |  |
| 40000 |  | 40000 | 40000 |  |  |
| 9,560 00 |  | 9,560 00 | 9,56000 |  |  |
| 40000 |  | - 40000 | 40000 |  |  |
| 9,960 00 |  | 9,960 00 | 9,960 00 |  |  |
| 40000 |  | 40000 | 400.00 |  |  |
| 8,160 00 |  | 8,16000 | 8, 16000 | -................. |  |
| 70000 |  | 70000 | 70000 |  |  |
| 14, 76000 |  | 14, 76000 | 14,760 00 |  |  |
| 40000 |  | 40000 | 40000 |  |  |
| 4, 96000 |  | 4,960 00 | 4,96000 |  |  |
| 10000 | .................. | 10000 | 10000 |  |  |
| 5, 29000 |  | 5, 290000 | 5, 230000 |  |  |
| 5,00000 |  | 5,00000 | 5,000 00 |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}625 \\ 50 \\ 5.258 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |  | 62570 5,25586 |  |
|  |  | 5,25586 7,17757 | 1,630 00 | 5,255 86 | 5,547 57 |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20,000 00 | 4, 55000 |  | 15, 500.00 |
|  | 69,665 98 | 345,478 59 | 14, 87689 |  | 330,60170 |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}52 \\ 458 \\ \hline 20\end{array}$ |  | 5287 |  |
| 458,720 00 | 1,80000 | 458,72000 2,03288 | 458,72000 -22920 |  |  |
|  | 1, 1,89000 | $\begin{array}{r}2,032 \\ 1,800 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 22920 | 1,803 68 | 1,80000 |
| 70,600 00 |  | 70,60000 | 70,600 00 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,852, 70500 |  | 1,852,705 00 |  |
| 681,681 27 |  | 681,681 27 | 281, 28336 | ..................... | 397, 39791 |
|  | 101, 75260 | 2, 519,700 53 | 2, 102, 20253 |  | 417, 49800 |
| 3, 456, 72500 | 268, 69340 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,725,41840 \\ 30,00000 \end{array}$ | 3, 725,418 40 | 30,000 00 |  |
| 22,543, 95707 | 1,472,559 $89{ }^{\circ}$ | 31, 850, 52897 | 24, 222, 10447 | 2, 883, 16398 | 4,745, 26052 |

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| Brought forw |  |  |  | \$3, 205, 79223 |
| Salaries commissioners to codify the laws | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Expenses United States courts .......... | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Expenses United States coarts (reappropriated, act June 14, 1878.$)$ | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Do..................................................... | 1871 |  |  |  |
|  | 1872 |  |  | 19, 74318 |
|  | 1874 |  |  | 2, 26213 |
| Do | 1875 |  |  | 13, 61983 |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 46,372 88 |
| Do | 1877 | 19 | 369 | 25, 12981 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 346 |  |
| Legal assistance relating to land clains in California | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Salaries justices, \&c., Supreme Court Unitod States | 1877 |  |  | 3, 22221 |
| Salaries circuit judge | $\begin{aligned} & 1878 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 318 |  |
| - Do............. | 1877 |  |  | 1,500 00 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 318 |  |
| Salaries district judges Do............. | $1876$ |  |  | 13, 24455 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 318 |  |
| Salarios district attorneys | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Do... | 1876 |  |  | 20724 |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 1,400 15 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 318 |  |
| Salaries district marshals | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 43 F 2 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 318 |  |
| Salaries justices, \&c., supreme court District of Columbia... Expenses and fees United States marshal Torritory of Utah.. | 1878 | 19 | 318 |  |
| Expenses and fecs United States marshal Torritory of Utah.. Court-house at Washington, D. C..................... |  |  |  | 2,58500 |
| Do............... | 1876 |  |  | 2986 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 348 |  |
| Building for War, State, a od Navy Departments (8nuth wiog) |  |  |  | 15,512 50 |
| Building for War, State, and Navy Departments (east wing) |  | 19 | 360 360 | 235, 00000 |
| Building for War, State, and Navy Departments (north wiug) Court-house and post-office at New York |  |  | 360 | 150,000 49,085 02 |
| Court-house and post-ottice at Philadolphia |  | 19 | 351 | 322, 48098 |
| P.ost-office and subtreasury, Boston, Mass. |  | 19 | 351 | 34, 81455 |
| Post-office and court-house at Columbia, S. Conrt-house and post-office at Raleigh, N.C |  |  |  | 346 39,13646 |
| Court-honse and post-office at A tlanta, Ga. |  |  |  | 85, 20478 |
| Court-house and post-oftice at Corington. Ky |  |  |  | 167, 41321 |
| Court-house and post-office at Lincolu, Nebr |  |  |  | 56,390 85 |
| Post-otfice at Dover, Del.. |  | 19 | 351 | 5,409 30 |
| Post-oftice at Jersey City. N |  |  |  | 24,953 89 |
| Treasury building, Washington, D. C |  |  |  | 20,00000 |
| Braveh mint building, San Fravcisco, Ca |  |  |  | 3,516 56 |
| Subtreasury building, San Francisco, Cal. |  |  |  | 19,24196 |
| Post-ofice aud court-house at Little Rock, |  | 19 | 351 | 45, 23965 |
| Court-bouse and post-office at Utica, N. Y |  |  |  | 88, 45418 |
| Court-house and post-office at Grand Rapids, |  |  |  | 62, 25014 |
| Court-house and post-ottice at Trenton, N.J Conrt house and post-office at Omaha, Nebr |  | 19 | 351 | 4,752 805 80 |
| Court-house and post-office at Indianapolis, In |  |  |  | 2, 79218 |
| Post-otfice at Harrisburg, Pa............ |  |  |  | 116, 63224 |
| Court-house and nost-office at Austin, Tex .......... |  | 19 | 270 |  |
| International Extibition of 1876, Interior Department |  |  |  |  |
| International Exhibition of 1876, Treasury Department International Exhibition of 1876, War Department. |  |  |  | 28486 |
| International Exhibition of 1876, contingent expenses |  |  |  | 3,50000 |
| International Exposition at Vienna ............ |  |  |  |  |
| International Exposition at Paris of 187e, act December 15, 1877. |  | 20 | 245 |  |
| International postal congress at Paris . |  | 20 | 245 |  |
| Centennial Celebration and International Exhibition. Suithsonian Institution | 1876 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 1,500,00000 \\ 448,358,49 \end{array}$ |
| Expenses of Smithsonian Institution |  | R. S. | 3689, 3750 |  |
| Fees of supervisors of elections |  |  |  |  |
| Carried forward.. |  |  |  | 11, 837, 85727 |

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| $\begin{array}{r} \$ 23,501,92283 \\ 6190 \\ 20000 \end{array}$ | \$1,477, 47468 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 33,185,18974 \\ 6190 \\ 20000 \end{array}$ | \$ $25,148,95353$ | \$3, 171, 18121 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 4,865,05500 \\ 6190 \\ 2000100 \end{array}$ |
| 800 |  | 800 800 | 800 |  |  |
|  | 2,881 78 | $\begin{array}{r}2,88178 \\ 21472 \\ \hline 278\end{array}$ | 18317 | 2, 88178 | 9155 |
|  |  | 19,743 10 | 6, 23482 |  | 13,486 28 |
|  | 2,817 77 | 5,079 90 | 1,78084 |  | 3,299 06 |
|  | 5, 88508 | 19,50491 | - $\begin{array}{r}7,31987 \\ 4760638\end{array}$ | 12,185 04 |  |
|  | 11,90868 47,56261 | $\begin{array}{r}58,28156 \\ 400 \\ 449 \\ \hline 18\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 47,60638 \\ 358 \end{array}$ |  | $10,67518$ |
| $\begin{array}{r} 328,05750 \\ 2,650,000,00 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r}47,56261 \\ 8,999 \\ 82 \\ \hline 806\end{array}$ | 400,74992 2658,99982 | $\begin{array}{r} 358,09381 \\ 2,590,79160 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 42,65611 \\ & 68,208 \text { 22 } \end{aligned}$ |
|  | 20613 | ${ }^{20613}$ |  | 20613 |  |
| 97,50000 |  | 97, 50000 | 93, 39675 |  | 4, 10325 |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 78265 \\ 150000 \end{array}$ |  | 78265 | 0 |
| 54,000 00 |  | 54,00000 | 50,012 35 |  | 3,98765 |
|  |  | 13,244 55 |  | 13,244 55 |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} 4,23089 \\ 190,00000 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 4,53056 \\ 190,000000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4,53056 \\ 189,467.35 \end{array}$ |  | 5326 |
| -38 34 |  | - 3834 |  |  | 3834 |
|  |  | 20724 140015 | $\begin{array}{r} 4239 \\ 44023 \end{array}$ | 16485 | 95992 |
| $19,300 \times 0$ |  | 19,300 00 | 18,514 34 |  | 78566 |
| 9447 |  | -94 47 |  |  | 9447 |
| 2829 |  | 2829 |  |  | 2829 |
| 12, 10000 |  | $\begin{array}{r}43 \\ \hline 12 \\ 100 \\ \hline 100\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 4352 \\ 11,560 \\ \hline 97 \end{array}$ |  | 53903 |
| 20,500 00 |  | 20,500 00 | 20,500 v0 |  |  |
|  |  | 2,58500 | 2, 08214 | 50286 |  |
|  |  | 174 <br> 29 <br> 2086 | - 17350 | 2986 | 96 |
| 1,000 00 |  | 1,000 00 | 1, 00000 |  |  |
|  |  | 15,512 50 | 50000 |  | 15,0t2 50 |
| 175,000 00 |  | 410,00000 | 302, 00000 | .............. | 108, 00000 |
| 150, 00000 |  | 300,00060 | 190, 00000 |  | 110,000 00 |
| 10,000 00 |  | 59,085 02 | 53, 80387 |  | 5,28115 |
| 100, 00000 |  | 422,18098 134,81455 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}5,344 \\ 564 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | 39, 13046 | 38,934 04 |  | 20242 |
|  |  | 85, 20478 | 72, 88197 |  | 12, 32281 |
|  |  | 167, 41321 | 68,440 66 |  | 98,972 55 |
|  | 5,77877 | 62, 169629 | 53,882 32 |  | 8, 28730 |
| 6,000 00 | 62765 | 12,036 95 | 9,536 95 |  | 2,500 00 |
|  |  | 24, 95389 | 24, 8366, 98 |  | 11691 |
|  | 12615 | 20, 12615 | 20,000 00 |  | 12615 |
|  |  | - 3,680 22 | 17.04830 |  | 3,680 32 |
| 30,00000 | 20471 | 75, 44436 | 40, 63825 |  | 34, 80611 |
|  |  | 88,454 18 | 54, 24108 |  | 34, 21310 |
|  |  | 62, 25014 | 48,233 65 |  | 14,016 49 |
| 6,000 00 |  | 10,752 44 | 7,838 91 |  | 2,91353 80556 |
|  |  | 2, 79218 | 92205 |  | 1,870 13 |
|  |  | 116, 63224 | 59,912 24 |  | 56,720 00 |
| 100, 00000 | 3000 | 100, 00000 | 17,228 69 |  | 82, 77131 |
|  |  | 28486 | - 284486 |  |  |
|  | 2,271 66 | 2,271 66 | 92668 |  | 1, 34498 |
|  | 4, 30130 | 7, 80130 | 7,347 16 |  | 45414 2 |
| 150,00000 | 2, 76840 | $\begin{array}{r} 2,76840 \\ 150,00000 \end{array}$ | 130,000 00 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 2,76840 \\ 20,00000 \end{array}$ |
| \$,000 00 |  | 4,000 00 | 4, 00000 |  |  |
|  |  | 1, 500, 00000 |  | 1, 300,00000 |  |
|  |  | 448,358 49 |  |  | 448, 35849 |
| 40,841 00 |  | 40,841 00 | 40,841 00 |  |  |
|  | 1,765 00 | 1,765 60 | 23940 | 1,525 60 |  |
| 27, 750, 88322 | 1,575,820 62 | 41, 164, 56111 | 30, 311, 79751 | 4, 702, 70453 | 6, 150, 05907 |


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| Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$11, 837, 85727 |
| Salaries and expenses Sonthern Claims Commission Parting and refining bullion. |  | S. | 3689 |  |
| Relief of Johu 'I. Manon |  |  |  | 1, 00000 |
| Relief of Will R. Hervey, of Louisville, Ky., act of May 2, 1878. |  | 20 | 31 |  |
| Relief of F. W. Golladay, act of July 11, 1878 |  | 20 | 48 |  |
| Relief of H. H. Lemon, act of June 19, 187 Payment to R. A. Conuolly. |  | 20 | 86 | 518 |
| Payment to S. H. Colbath, act of April 30; 1878 |  | 20 | 41 |  |
| Payment to J. P. Jeffries.............. | 1878 | 20 | 41 |  |
| Paymeat to C. H. Reissinger, John A. Travis, and others. $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 20$ | 42 |  |
| Payment to New Brunswick and Canada Railroad.Company, for transporting. <br> Awards noder 15th article treaty between United States and Mexico, February 2, 1848, act May 3, 1849. <br> A wards nuder convention between Dnited States and New Granada and Costa Rica, act of February 20, 1861. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| f Total Treasury Civil |  |  |  | 11, 838, 86245 |
| Customs. |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses revenue-cutter-service | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Expenses revenue cutter service (reappropriated, act Jnne 1872$14,1 S ?()$ ). |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses revenue-cutter serviceExpenses revenue cntter sarvice(deficiency) |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Supplies of light-houses ..................................................... 1873 |  |  |  |  |
| Do .......................................................... | 1874 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1876 |  |  | 2,925 38 |
| Do ${ }_{\text {Do }}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 13,652 68 |
| Do.................... | 1876 | 19 | 352 |  |
| Salaries of keepers of liphthouses (reappropriated)........... 1871* $^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of keepers of light-houses (transfer-account). | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Salaries of keepers of light-houses.................................................................. 1873 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries of keepers of light.houses (deiciency) ................ Salaries of keepers of light.houses. (ransfer-account)....... | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Salaries of keepers of light.houses (transfer-account).......... 1874 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 36,388 78 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Do .......................................................... | 1877 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 88917 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 2,454 59 |
| Do Do..... | 1878 | 19 | 352 |  |
| Expenses of buoyage (transfer-account) ......................... 18.15 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1876 |  |  | 8,396 63 |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 35,005 91 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 352 |  |
| Carried forward...................................\|.......................... 504,01 |  |  |  |  |

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| + |  |  |  |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} \$ 27,750,88322 \\ 46,80000 \end{array}$ | \$1,575, 82062 | $\$ 41,164,56111$ 46,80000 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 30,311,79751 \\ 46,80000 \end{array}$ | \$4, 702, 70453 | \$6, 150, 05907 |
|  | 270,291 95 | 270,29195 | 248,513 83 |  | 21, 77812 |
|  |  | 1,000 00 |  | 1,00000 |  |
| 3,639 25 |  | 3,639 25 | 3,639 25 |  |  |
| 9600 |  | 9600 300000 | 9600 3000 |  |  |
| 3, 00000 |  | 3,000 500 5 | $3,00000$ | 18 |  |
| 11870 |  | 518 11870 | 11870 | 18 |  |
| 20000 |  | 20000 | 20000 |  |  |
| 2, 00000 |  | 2,000 00 |  |  | 2,000 00 |
| 11,935 73 |  | 11,935 73 | 11,935 73 |  |  |
|  | 22,000 00 | 22,00000 |  | 22,000 00 |  |
| 3,420 94 |  | 3,420 94 | 3,420 94 |  |  |
| 27, 822, 09384 | 1, 868, 11257 | 41,529,068 86 | 30,629, 52196 | 4, 725, 70971 | 6, 173,837 19 |
| 6, 546, 86436 | 60,469 37 | 6,678,972 06 | 5, 887, 44369 |  | 791, 52837 |
|  | 27181 | 27181 |  | 271* 81 |  |
| 600 |  | 600 | 600 |  |  |
|  | 32 | 32 |  | 32 |  |
| 252 |  | 252 | 252 |  |  |
| .................. | 13.28343 | 198,59794 | 5, 26405 | 198,333 79 |  |
| 01 | 13, 429 08 | 67,88489 894 | 55,808 48 |  | 12,07641 <br> 72987 |
| 81, $7 \cdot 63$ | 19, | 894,021 76 | 821,664 3 |  | 2,98781 763 |
|  | 19 | 19 |  | 19 |  |
|  | 302 | 302 |  | 302 |  |
|  | 2482 | 24.82 |  | 2482 |  |
|  | 14603 | 14603 | 14603 |  |  |
|  | 1,12.296 | 4,04834 | 1, 01596 | 3,032 38 |  |
|  | 9,949 80 | 61,497 71 | 20,932 41 |  | 40,565 30 |
| 360,00000 | 2,000 00 | 362,000 00 | 297, 15830 |  | 64,841 70 |
|  | 1, 40948 | 1,409 48 |  | 1,409 48 |  |
|  | -69272 | 5,995 69 | 2,689 96 | 3,305 73 |  |
|  | 5,399 18 | 19,051 86 | 14, 76099 | , | 4, 29087 |
| 275, 00000 | 5435 | 275,05435 | 263, 64164 |  | 11, 41271 |
| 14000 | 1,93780 | 1, 93780 |  | 1,93780 | 14000 |
| - 2953 | 76497 | 79450 | 79450 |  | 140 |
| 9522 |  | 9522 | 9522 |  |  |
|  | 3200 | 3200 |  | 3200 |  |
| 12674 |  | 12674 |  |  | 12074 |
| ................. | 7825 | 7825 | 7825 | $\cdots$ |  |
|  | 47831 | 47831 |  | 47831 |  |
|  | 18633 | 9,828 06 | 63575 | 9,192 31 |  |
|  | 27, 25983 | 663, 64861 | 5,11782 |  | 58,53079 |
| 594,600 00 | 4,637 77 | 549, 23777 | 536,062 96 |  | 63,17481 |
|  | ....6. 65 | 1,47663 6515 |  | 1,476 63 | . 6515 |
| 4,000 00 |  | 4,000 00 | 4,000 00 |  | 0515 |
|  | 615 | 615 |  | ${ }^{6} 15$ |  |
|  | 23676 | 1, 06844 |  | 1,068 44 |  |
|  | 2,182 83 | 11, 27519 | 7,73190 |  | 3,543 29 |
| 230, 00000 | 8,230 73 | 238, 23073 | 228,328 88 |  | 9,901 85 |
|  | 31500 | 31500 |  | 31500 |  |
|  | 2,125 76 | 88917 4,58035 | 3,846 05 | 88917 | 73430 |
| 40,000 00 |  | 40,000 00 | 40,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 1,587 65 | 1,587 65 |  | 1,587 65 |  |
|  | 237 | 287 | 287 |  |  |
|  | 256 | 8,399 19 | 2,38285 | 6, 01634 |  |
|  | 3, 25764 | 38,263 55 | 36, 54881 |  | 1,714 74 |
| 300,000 00 | 14713 | 300, 14713 | 282, 93347 |  | 17,213 66 |
| 9,225, 99733 | 168,553,13 | 9, 896,565 43 | $8,514,09373$ | 229,381 34 | 1, 153, 09036 |


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|  |  |  |  | \$502, 01497 |
| Commissions to superiutendents of lights (indefinite transferaccount). |  |  |  |  |
| Ropairs and preservation of public buildings ............... $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1871 \\ & 1872 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
|  | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 9,721 14 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 44,762 64 |
| Do | 1878 1872 | 19 | 351 |  |
| and repairs of same for public buildings (deficiency). | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Furniture and repairs of same for public buildings (transferaccount). | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Furniture and repairs of same for public buildings.......... | 1876 |  |  | 13,759 05 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \mathrm{Do}_{\mathrm{D}}^{\mathrm{D}} 0 \end{aligned}$ | 1877 | 19 | 355 | 2,89798 |
| Fuel, Jights, | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1275 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 21, 31986 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 22,801 28 |
| Heating-ap | 1878 | 19 | 355 |  |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  | 20, 29860 |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 355 |  |
| Pay of custodians and jau | 1878 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}7,04439 \\ \hline 57700\end{array}$ |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 355 |  |
| Marine hospital service... |  | R. S. | 3689, 4803 | 275, 08026 |
| Life-saving service (reappropriated) | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Life-saving service | 1876 |  |  | 52,59470 |
| Do | 1877 1888 | 19 | 345 |  |
| Life-saving service, contingent expenses (reappropriated) | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Life-saving service, contiugent expenses | 1876 |  |  | $14302$ |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 345 |  |
| Preserving life and property from shipwrocked vessels (reappropriated). | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Prtserving life and property from shipwrecked vessels, eontingent expenses (reappropriated). | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Establisbment of yew lifu-saving stations................ ... |  |  |  | 129, 40927 |
| Establishment of new life saving statious on tbe coast of the Onited States. |  |  |  | 24 42 |
| Establishment of now life-saving stations on Long Island sound. |  |  |  | 1,334 34 |
| Establishment of new life-saring stations on coast of Long Islaud and New Jersey. |  |  |  | 42,035 83 |
| Building or purchase of such vessels as may be required for the revenue service. |  |  |  | 24, 34431 |
| Compensation iu lieu of moieties (deficiency) | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Compensation in lieu of meistie | 1876 |  |  | 142, 92052 |
|  | 1877 | 19 | 4 |  |
| Expenditures by oflicers of light-house service for International Exbibition. |  |  |  | 5,000 00 |
| Salaries and traveling expenses of agents at seal-fisheries in Alaska. | 1876 |  |  | 5,487 32 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 7, 22451 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 352, 363 |  |
| Expenses of admission of foreigu goods to the Centennial Exbibition, Pbiladelpbia. |  |  |  | 9788 |
| Metric standard of weiglts and measures | 1877 |  |  |  |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 354 |  |
| Alaska. |  |  |  |  |
| Custom-house and post-office at Rockland, Me Custom-house Machias, Me. |  |  |  | 86330 |
| Castom-house Wiscasser, Me |  |  |  |  |
| Custom-bouse and post-oftice at Fall Rirer, Mass |  | 20 | 43 | 34, 18557 |
| Custom-honse and post-office at Hartford, Con |  | 20 | 43 | 9, 03823 |
| Custom-house and post-oftice at Albans, N. Y |  |  |  | 116, 82312 |
| Marine bospital at Pittsburgh, Pa, act June 22, 1874........... |  | R.S. |  | 7, 06524 |
| Filliug and grading grounds belonging to custom-house Norfolls, Va., act May 15, 1856. |  |  |  |  |
| Custom-house at Charleston, S. C |  |  |  | 81, 87937 |
| Carried forward. |  |  |  | 1,807,335 29 |

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| Brought for |  |  |  | \$1, 807, 33529 |
| Custom-house at Now Orleana, L |  | 20 |  | 3,147 87 |
| Custom-house and post-oftice at Ciucinna |  | 20 |  | 403, 17851 |
| nestom-house, court-house, and post-oftice at Evansville, Ind |  | 20 |  | 56, 379 96 |
| Costom-bouse and subtreasury at Chicago |  |  |  |  |
| Marine hospital at Chicag |  |  |  |  |
| Cnstov-honse, court house, and post office at Memphis, Tenu. |  |  |  | 113, 59575 |
| Custom-house and post-office at Nashville, Te |  | 20 | 43 | 72,842 59 |
| Custom-house at Louisville, Ky . |  |  |  |  |
| Custom-honse and post-office at Port Huro |  |  |  | 12,162 83 |
| Custom-Louse and post-ottice at Saint Louis, Mu............. |  |  |  |  |
| Custom-honse at Saint Panl, Minn |  |  |  | 37936 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Marine hospital at San Fraucisco, Cal |  |  |  | 78634 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| and Massachusetts. |  |  |  |  |
| Dar. ${ }^{\text {deacons at Maiue, New Hampshire, and Massachusetts. }}$ |  |  |  | 10,000.00 |
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| Block Islaud Break water ligh |  |  |  | 90000 |
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| Race Rock light-station ...................................Stratford Shoals light-station Long Island Sound |  |  |  |  |
| Stratford Shoals light-station, Long Island Sound |  |  |  | 24, 95346 |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 'rhirty-Mile Point light-st |  |  |  |  |
| Eger Island light-station.. |  |  |  | 5, 00000 |
| Butkhead Shoals light-stat |  |  |  | 3,657 13 |
| Ship Joun Shoal light-stati |  |  |  | 15,000 00 |
| Cross Ledge Shoal light-station |  |  |  | 5,000 00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Winter Quarter Shoals light-ship |  |  |  | 5,850 00 |
| Nansemond River light-8tation ..................................... |  |  |  |  |
| Oak 1siand light-station .... |  |  |  | 4,000 00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Fort lipley light-station |  |  |  | 10,000.00 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Day-heacons in Savannah River, Georgia ..................... |  |  |  |  |
| Fowey Rocks light-station |  |  |  | 74,15510 |
| Dry Tortugas light-station |  |  |  | 75, 00000 |
| Repairs of iron light-houses |  |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| Cape Canaveral light-stati |  |  |  | 4, 000000 |
| Cape San Blas light-station |  |  |  | 2, 00000 |
| Brazos Island light-station... |  |  |  | 24, 50000 |
| Re-satablishment of light-h |  |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 20,00000 \\ & 10,000 \end{aligned}$ |
| Southrest Pass depot,South Pass pier.light, Mississippi River, Louisianal (no limit) |  |  |  |  |
| Maumee Bay ligbt.station |  |  |  | 4,00000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Piorhead beacon-li bits on the lakes |  |  |  | 24, 91649 |
| Port Anstin light-station ..................................... |  |  |  |  |
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| Cbeloygan River light-statio |  |  |  | 7. 00000 |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Grosse Point light-station Point Fermin light-station |  |  |  | 5, 000000 |
| Point Fermin light-station |  |  |  | 31114 |
| Point Bonita livht-station............ |  |  |  | 2,500 00 |
| Roadways at stations on Pacific coast |  |  |  | 4, 00000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
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| Carried forward |  |  |  | 3,865, 21258 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 . | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Agoregate available for the fiscal year ending Juиe 30, 1878. | Payments dur. ing the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amonnts carried to the surplus fand June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, Jume 30, 1878. |
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| \$10, 795, 20563 | \$250, 63571 | \$12, 853, 17663 | \$10, 200, 61348 | \$547, 31622 | \$2, 105, 24693 |
| 10,000 00 | 1,408 02 | 14,555 89 | 4, 28867 |  | 10,26722 |
| 100, 00000 | 42,11794 | 545,296 45 | 542, 03497 |  | 3, 21148 |
|  |  | 56,279 96 | 51,626 46 |  | 4,653 50 |
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|  |  | 113,595 75 | 43, 82130 |  | 69, 77445 |
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| 40, 00000 |  | 37936 101,37345 | 77, 63848 |  | 23, 73497 |
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|  | 3,727 20 | 3, 3 727 20 | 3,01000 | 71720 |  |
| ............... | 201 | 201 |  | 201 | . ........... |
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| ................. | 71518 | 71518 |  |  | 71518 |
|  |  | 5,85000 15,00000 | 00000 | 5,850 00 | 5,00000 |
|  |  | 4,000 00 | 10,000 |  | 4,000 00 |
|  |  | 6,929 18 | 6,929 18 |  |  |
|  |  | 40, 00000 | 10,000 00 |  | 30,000 00 |
|  | 24776 | 24776 | 24126 | 650 |  |
|  |  | 10,000 00 | 10,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 2270 | 9, 02270 | 9,000 00 | 2270 |  |
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|  | 9,80846 500 | 23,03777 500 |  | 500 | 23,037 77 |
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|  | 1,797 50 | 2,43610 |  | 2,436 10 |  |
|  | 50000 | 50,569 28 | 39, 47590 | 11, 09338 |  |
| 11, 210, 20563 | 343,999 00 | 15, 419,417 21 | 12, 027, 46769 | 588,412 20 | 2, 803,537 32 |


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| Customs-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Braught forward |  |  |  | \$3, 865, 21258 |
| Ligbting and buoyage of the Mississippi, Missouri, and Ohio Rivers. |  |  |  | 44, 30693 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 352 |  |
| Repayment to importers excess of deposit |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Repayment to importers excess of deposits prior to July, 1875. |  |  |  |  |
| Debeistures, drawbacks, bounties, and allowances prior to July, 1875. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Debentares, drawbacks, bounties, and allowances (no limit).. |  |  |  |  |
| Debentures and other charges............................... |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Distributive shares of fiues, penalties, and forfeitures prior to July, 1875. |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries and expenses of Treasury investigating committees 1878; act December 15, 1877. |  |  |  |  |
| Settlement of disbursing officers' accounts (transfer accounts) |  |  |  |  |
| Refunding duties ................................. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Refunding duties to extend the warebousing system. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Unclaimed merchandise.......... |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Refund of daties by Society of the Sons of Saint George, Philadelphia. |  | 20 | 94 |  |
| Payment, to Horace Glover for property unlawfully seized and sold. |  |  |  |  |
| Relief of James J. Waring, of Savannah, Ga.; act May 25, 1878 |  | 20 | 35 |  |
| Relief of Andrew J. Worth, of San Francisco, Cal.; act June 14, 1878 |  | 20 | 51 |  |
| Total customs |  |  |  | 3, 509,519 51 |
| nterion civil. |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries office Secretary of the Interior | 1876 |  |  | 9738 |
|  | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Contingent expenses office Secretary of the Interi | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 312 |  |
| Salaries watchmen Departwent of the | 1876 |  |  | 1047 |
| Do | 18:7 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 313 |  |
| Fuel, light, and water Departnient of the | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do ............... | 1878 | 19 | 313 |  |
| Salaries employes under Architect of the Capitol | 1878 | 19 | 147 |  |
| Salaries temporary clerks Departmeut of the Interi Do | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do ${ }_{\text {Repairs of building Department of the }}$ | 1878. | 19 | 313 |  |
| Repairs of building Department of the Iuterio Do ................................... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Rent of buildings Department of the Interio | 1878 | 19 | 313 |  |
| Rent of buildings Department of the Interio | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Demoval of Pension Ofice and Burenu of Ed | 1878 | 19 | 363 |  |
| Removal of Pension Office and Burean of Packing, \&e., Cougressional documents. | 1877 | 18 | 363 |  |
| Packing, \&c., Cougressional documents | 1877 |  |  |  |
|  | 1878 | 18 | 363 |  |
| Stationery Department of tho Postage Interior Department... | 1878 | 19 | 198 |  |
| Postage Interior Department | 1876 |  |  | 22,785 57 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 100, 270.07 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 169 |  |
| Salary secritary to sign land-paten | 1878 | R.S. | 76 |  |
| Salaries Gencral Land Office. | 1875 1876 |  |  | 86 |
| $\mathrm{Do}^{\text {Do }}$ | 1876 |  |  | 1,625 77 |
| Do | 1877 | R.S. | 75 |  |
| Do ............................... | 1878 | 18,19. | 163, 364 |  |
| Contingent expenses General Land Office............... Coutingent expenses General Land Ottice (uo limit) | 1878 | 19 | 163 |  |
| Temporary clerks General Laud Ontice.............. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do ................................................... $\{$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | $\} 19$ | 313 | 5,000 00 |
| Salaries temporary clerks General Land Office |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries oflice Commissioner of Indian Affairs | 1876 |  |  | 44356 |
| Do | 1877 | R.S. | 26,77 |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 163 |  |
| Contingent expenses Office Commissioner of Indian Affairs bo ................................................... | 1876 |  |  | 176 |
| $\mathrm{DO}_{\text {Do }}$ | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 163 |  |
| Carried forwar |  |  |  | 130, 23544 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June30,1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending Jane 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplus fund June 30 , 1878. | Balances of ap. propriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$11, 210, 20563 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 343,99900 \\ 23,57042 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 15,419,41721 \\ 67,87735 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 12,027,46769 \\ 15,00000 \end{array}$ | \$588, 41220 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 2,803,53739 \\ 52,87735 \end{array}$ |
| 140,000 00 |  | 140,000 00 | 117, 636 88 |  | 22,363 12 |
| $1,361,86994$ | 94, 584 64 | 1,456,454 58 | 1,456, 45458 |  |  |
| 250, 99579 |  | 250, 99579 |  |  | 250.99579 |
| 30,000 00. |  | 30, 00000 |  |  | 30,000 00 |
| 3, 718, 79815 | 26,629 84 | 3,745,427 99 | 3, 745, 427.99 |  |  |
| 78463 537 | 20, | - 78463 | 78463 |  | 37 |
| 13,559 50 |  | 13, 55950 | 13,159 50 |  | 40000 |
| 55, 69669 |  | 55,696 69 |  |  | 55,696 69 |
| 6,998 08 |  | 6,998 08 | 6,998 08 |  |  |
| 3, 071 18,54780 2,508 |  | 3,07128 | 3. 07128 |  |  |
| 18,54780 2,56676 |  | 18,54780 | 18,547 80 |  |  |
| 2,566 <br> 1,440 <br> 25 |  | 2,566 76 | 2,566 76 |  |  |
| 1,44025 |  | 1, 44025 | 1,440 25 |  |  |
| 38850 |  | 38850 | 38850 |  |  |
| $\begin{array}{r} 89001 \\ 2,88338 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 89001 \\ 2,88338 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 89001 \\ 2,8 \div 3 \quad 38 \end{array}$ |  |  |
| 16, 818, 70176 | 488,783 90 | 21, 217, 00517 | 17, 412, 71733 | 588, 41220 | 3, 215, 87564 |
|  |  | 9738 |  | 9738 |  |
|  | 58510 | 58510 |  |  | 58510 |
| 59,300 00 | 1100 | 59,301 00 | 59, 30100 |  |  |
| 7,000 00 | 3623 | 7, 00000 | 7,00000 |  | 362 |
| .................. |  | 1047 313 73 |  | 1047 | 31373 |
| 27, 64000 |  | 27, 64000 | 27,640 00 |  |  |
| 15000 | 10207 | 10207 |  |  | 10207 |
| 15,000 00 |  | 15, 00000 | 15, 00000 |  |  |
| 3, 02400 |  | 3, 02400 | 3,024 00 |  |  |
| 7,00000 | 10396 | 10396 7,00000 | $7,00000$ |  | 10396 |
|  | 715 | 715 |  |  | 715 |
| 20,73100 |  | 20,731 00 | 20,731 00 |  |  |
|  | 3,666 72 | 3,666 72 |  |  | 3,666 72 |
| 15, 24000 |  | 15,24000 359 | 14,000 00 |  | 1,24000 359 |
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| 6,250 00 |  | 6,250 00 | $\begin{array}{r}6,250 \\ \hline 2500\end{array}$ |  |  |
| 25,000 00 | 61918 | $25,61918$ | . $0^{25,56600}$ |  | 5318 |
|  |  | $22,785 \quad 57$ 100,27007 | - 36,84599 | 22, 78557 | 63,424 08 |
| 118, 00000 |  | 118, 00000 | 13,850 00 |  | 104, 150 00 |
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|  |  | 86 |  | 86 |  |
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|  | 2178 | 2178 |  |  | 2178 |
| 213, 64000 | 110 | 213, 64110 | 213,64t 10 |  |  |
| 21,500 00 | 40000 | 21,900 00 | 21,900 00 |  |  |
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|  | 1, 39162 | 1,39162 7017780 |  |  | 1,391 62 |
| 69,88000 | 29780 | 10,17780 176 | 69,880. 00 | ................... 17 | 29780 |
|  | 23796 | 23796 |  |  | 23796 |
| 3,500 00 |  | 3,500 00 | 3, 50000 |  |  |
| 654, 20500 | 7,869 10 | 792, 30954 | 577,21591 | 24,965 37 | 190,128 26 |


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| Interior Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$130, 235, 44 |
| Salaries office Commissione | 1876 |  |  | 1,503 52 |
| Do | 1877 | R.S. 19 | 364, 168 |  |
| Contingent oxpenses office Com | 1876 |  |  | 39722 |
| Do..... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 165 |  |
| Salaries oftice Commissione | 1876 |  |  | 257 |
| Do. | 1877 | R. 19 | 79 316 |  |
| Contingent expenses oftice Commissione | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1878 |  | 314 |  |
| Copies of drawings office Comrissioner of Patents | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Traciugs of drawings office Commissioner of Patents | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Photolithograpbing office Commissiouer of Patents | 1876 |  |  | 08 |
| Do. | 1378 | 19 | 314 |  |
| Plates for Patent Office | 1876 |  |  | 101 |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 314 |  |
| Rastoring patent motels injured by fire |  | 19 | 225 |  |
| Salaries oftice Commissioner of Education | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Contingent expenses of | $\begin{array}{\|l\|} 1878 \\ 1876 \end{array}$ | 19 | 315 | 224 |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Current expenses Government Hospi | 1876 |  |  | 379 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 347 |  |
| Buildings Government Hospital for the Insane | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do............................. | 1878 | 19 | 347 |  |
| Buildings aud grounds Government Hospital for the Insaue. | 1876 |  |  | 3, 49200 |
| Current expenses Colombia Hospital for Women and Lyingin Asylarm. | 1878 | 19 | 347 |  |
| GroundsColumbia Hospital for Women and Lying-in Asylum. | 1874 |  |  |  |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 348 |  |
| Current expenses Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dumb. | 1888 | 19 | 347 |  |
| Buildiugs Columbia Institution for the Deaf and Dimb | 1878 | 19 | 347 |  |
| Current expenses National Soldiers' and Sailors! Orphans' Home. | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 2,500 00 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Support of Children's Hospital, Washington, D. C | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Sunport of Freedmen's Hospital aid Asylum, Washington, D.C. | 1876 |  |  | 24 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 350 |  |
| National association for the Relief of Cclored Women and Children, District of Columbia. | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Lighting the Capitol aud grounds............................. | 1877 |  |  | 13370 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 348 |  |
| Aunual repairs of the Capitol | 1878 | 19 | 348 |  |
| Improving the Capitol grounds............................. $\{$ | $1877$ | $\} 19$ | 348 | 143,000 00 |
| Safe for the Interior Department | 1876 |  |  | 7525 |
| Maryland Institution for the Iustraction of the Blind |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Commission to report upon the deprodations of Rocky Mountain locusts. | 1878 | 19 | 357 |  |
| Salaries and expenses of the Hot Springs Commission (reimbursable). |  | 19 | 356 | 25, 47000 |
| Purchase of Bartholdi's Fountain |  | 19 | 356 | 6,000 00 |
| Protection and improvement of Hot Springs, Arkansas |  |  |  |  |
| Plans for rocoustructing the Interior Department building.. Map of the Uuited States |  |  |  |  |
| Preservation of collections Smithsonian Institution | 1878 | 19 | 350 |  |
| Preservation of collections Smithsovian armory building. | 1878 | 19 | 350 |  |
| Salaries and commission registers and receivers | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Do....... | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Salaries and commission registers and receivers (transfer. account). | 1873 | $\ldots$ |  |  |
| Salaries and commission registers and receivers | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1876 |  |  | 157, 59792 |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 470, 414 |

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| Brought for |  |  |  | \$470, 41498 |
| Salaries and commissions registers a | 1877 |  |  | 16, 04276 |
| Do...... | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Contingent expenses of land-offic | 1876 |  |  | 3, 43506 |
| Do.............. | 1877 |  |  | 25840 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Expenses of depositing public mon ${ }_{\text {Do }}$ | 18776 |  |  | 9,21895 9,323 |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 349 | 9,323 25 |
| Repayment for lands erroneously sold prior to July $1,1875 . .$. |  |  |  |  |
| Repayment for lands erroneousily sold ....................... |  |  |  |  |
| Deposits by individnals for survesing public lands (no limit). |  |  |  | 97, 57799 |
| Depredations on public timber | 1876 |  |  | 17718 |
| Do. | 1877 | 19 | 349 | 2,452 25 |
| Indemnity for swamp lands purchased by individuals |  |  |  |  |
| Five per cent. fuad of net proceods of sales of public lands |  |  |  |  |
| Wisconsin |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Kansas. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
|  |  | R. S. | 3689 3689 |  |
|  |  | R.S. | ${ }_{3689}$ |  |
| Nevada. |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Michigan ............................................... |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Five per cent. fund of net procearls of sales of agricultural lands in Colorado; act March 3, 1875. |  |  |  |  |
| Salaries oftice of survejor-general of Arizona Do............................... | 1877 |  |  | 1,422 83 |
| Contingent expenses office of | 1878 | 19 | 315 | 78002 |
| Do..... | 1877 |  |  | 43093. |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 348 |  |
| Salaries office of surveror-gene Do................ | 1877 | 19 | 315 | 5, 87826 |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-general of California. | 1876 |  |  | 239 |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 1, 48805 |
| Salaries office of smrveyor-ge | 1878 | 19 | 348 | 1,952 44 |
| Do................... | 1878 | 19 | 315 | 1, |
| Contingent expenses office of survego | 1876 |  |  | 1, 02598 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries oftice of surveyor- | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 81254 |
| Contingont expenses offic | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Do.................. | 1877 |  |  | 45212 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of survegor-general of Florida Do .................................. | 1876 |  |  | 3 75 |
|  | 1877 | 19 | 315 | 1, 08614 |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-genoral of Florida | 1876 |  |  | 11925 |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 44393 |
| Salaries oftice of survejor-general of Idahe | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| - Do. | 1877 |  |  | 1,622 28. |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of survejo | 1876 |  |  | 2509 |
| ${ }_{\text {Do. }}^{\text {Do }}$ | 1877 |  |  | 36275 |
| Salaries office of surveyor-general of Kansas | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor.general of Kansa | 1876 |  |  | 2, 39691 |
| Salaries office of survejor-general of Louisiana | 1876 |  |  | 14000 |
|  | 1877 |  |  | 2, 45273 |
| Contingent expenses office of survegor.general of Louisiana. | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| D0 ............................................... | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of survesor-general of Minneso | 1877 |  |  | 1,982 45 |
| Contingent expeoses ofice of surveyor-general of Minnesota | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-general of Minnesota. Do. | 1876 |  |  | 96292 <br> 904 <br> 18 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of survejor-g | 1876 |  |  | 5163 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 1,519 57 |
| Carried forward.. |  |  |  | 3, 099 |

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\hline \$ 2, 377, 22740 \& \$52,510 65 \& \$2, 900, 15303 \& \$2, 468, 55125 \& \$195, 32350 \& $\$ 236,278$ 2 9 <br>
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24,75570 \\
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\hline 43, 18802 \& \& 43, 16802 \& 43, 18802 \& \& <br>
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\hline \& \& 17718
2,45225 \& $$
\begin{array}{r}
4000 \\
2,42942
\end{array}
$$ \& 13718 \& ¢988 <br>
\hline 5, ono 00 \& \& 5,000 00 \& 5,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline 11,091 79 \& \& 11,091 79 \& 11,091 79 \& \& <br>
\hline 1,633 41 \& \& 1, 63341 \& 1,633 41 \& \& <br>
\hline 2. $4+352$ \& \& 2,443 52 \& 2,443 52 \& .................. \& <br>
\hline 23183 \& \& 23183 \& ${ }^{2} 23183$ \&  \& <br>
\hline 1, 15470 \& -.....-.-.-...... \& 1,154 70 \& 1, 15470 \& \& <br>
\hline 1,195 68 \& \& .1,195 68 \& 1, 19568 \& \& <br>
\hline 73325 \& \& -733 25 \& 73325 \& \& <br>
\hline 96668 \& \& 96668 \& 96668 \& \& <br>
\hline 1, 72390 \& .-.-.-........... \& 1,723 90 \& 1,7\%3 90 \& \& <br>
\hline \& \& 1,422 83 \& 1, 42283 \& \& <br>
\hline 5,750 00 \& \& 5,750
7800

7800 \& 4,580 50 \& 78002 \& 1,169 50 <br>
\hline \& ...................... \& $\begin{array}{r}78002 \\ 43093 \\ \hline\end{array}$ \& 42160 \& 78002 \& ${ }^{9} 33$ <br>
\hline 1,500 00 \& \& 1,500 00 \& 1,084 45 \& \& 41555 <br>
\hline \& \& 5,878 26 \& 4, 90000 \& \& 97826
64360 <br>
\hline 12, 75000 \& ........ \& 12,75000
$2 \quad 29$ \& 12,106 40 \& 239 \& 64360 <br>
\hline \& \& 1,428 05 \& 1,426 55 \& \& 150 <br>
\hline 3, 00000 \& \& 3,000 00 \& 2,88834 \& \& 11166 <br>
\hline \& \& 1,952 44 \& 1,575 00 \& ................. \& 37744 <br>
\hline 5,500 \& ... \& 5,500 00
1,02598 \& 4,875 00 \& 1.02598 \& 62500 <br>
\hline \& \& 1,39180 \& 39175 \& 1,025 98 \& 05 <br>
\hline 1,500 00 \& \& 1,500.00 \& 1,29271 \& \& 20729 <br>
\hline \& \& 81254 \& 81254 \& 50 \& <br>
\hline 5,500 00 \& \& 5,500 00 \& 4,275 00 \& \& 1,22500 <br>
\hline \& \& 187 \& \& 1.87 \& <br>
\hline \& \& 45212 \& 44964 \& \& 248
271 <br>
\hline 1,500 00 \& \& 1,50000
375 \& 1,228 57 \& 375 \& 27143 <br>
\hline \& \& 1, 08614 \& 1, 07500 \& \& 1114 <br>
\hline 3,800 00 \& \& 3,80000 \& 2, \&50 00 \& \& 95000 <br>
\hline \& \& 11925
44393 \& 23031 \& 1.925 \& 21362 <br>
\hline 1,000 00 \& \& 1, 00000 \& 66626 \& \& 33374 <br>
\hline \& \& 11629 \& \& 11629 \& <br>
\hline \& \& 1,622 28 \& 1,368 20 \& \& 25408 <br>
\hline 5,000 00 \& \& 5, 00000 \& 3,744 97 \& \& 1, 25503 <br>
\hline \& \& 25 09 \& \& . 2509 \& <br>
\hline 1,50000 \& \& 36275
1,50000 \& 35938
1,09075 \& \& 337
40925 <br>
\hline \& \& 2,200 00 \& \& 2, 20000 \& <br>
\hline \& \& 39691 \& \& 39691 \& <br>
\hline \& \& 14000 \& \& 14000 \& <br>
\hline \& \& 2,452 73 \& 1,81109 \& \& 64164 <br>
\hline 3,80000 \& \& 3,800 00 \& 3, 35000 \& \& 45000 <br>
\hline \& \& 22895 \& 22895 \& \& <br>
\hline 1,000 00 \& \& 1,000 00 \& 76306
105 \& \& 23694 <br>
\hline \& \& 1,982 45 \& 1,759 54 \& \& 22291 <br>
\hline 7,000 00 \& \& 7, 00000 \& 5,624 88 \& 9629 \& 1,375 12 <br>
\hline \& \& 962.92 \& \& 96292 \& <br>
\hline \& \& 90418 \& 54895 \& \& 35523 <br>
\hline 1,500 00 \& \& 1,500 00 \& 64721 \& $\cdots 17$ \& 85279 <br>

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\begin{array}{r}
5165 \\
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$$ \& 1,274 18 \& 5165 \& 24539 <br>

\hline 3, 015, 22686 \& 73, 34336 \& 3, 726,669 56 \& 3,113,333 81 \& 213,900 11 \& 399,435 64 <br>
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Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

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| Interior Civil-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$632,049 34 |
| Salaries oftice of eurvevor-general of Montana............. | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-general of Montana.. | 1877 |  |  | 24432 |
| Salaries office of surveyor-general of Nèbraska and Iowa..... | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Dan.................................................. | 1877 |  |  | 1,677 79 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-general of Nebraska and Iowa. | 1876 |  |  | 89165 |
| Do..................................................... | 1877 |  |  | 41968 |
| Salaries ontice of surveyor. | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salarjes office of survey Do.............. | 1877 | 19 | 315 | 2,905 71 |
| Contingeot expenses office of surveyor-general of Nev | 1876 |  |  | 64 |
| Do............................................. | 1877 |  |  | 37452 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of surveyor-general of New Mexico | 1877 |  |  | 3,254 64 |
| Do.. | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-general of New Mexico Do.............................................. | 1876 |  |  | 174 26420 |
|  | 1877 | 19. | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of surveyor-general of Oregon | 1877 |  |  | 1,888 34 |
| Con Do............................................... | 1878 | 19 | 315 |  |
|  | 1876. |  |  | 4306 75159 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of surveyor-genera | 1877 1878 |  |  | 1,901 32 |
| Contingent expenses office of surveyor-gen | 1877 |  |  | 25687 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of survesor-general of Washington | 1877 |  |  | 1,836 14 |
| Contingent expenses office of survevorgeneral of waph | $\begin{aligned} & 1878 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 315 | 177.39 |
| ington. |  |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  | 43768 |
| Do................................... | $18: 8$ | 19 | 349 |  |
| Salaries office of surveyor-general of Wyomin Do.............................. | ${ }_{1}^{1876}$ |  |  | 388 1,50027 |
|  | 18878 | 19 | 315 |  |
| Contingent expenses effice of surveyor-general of W soming. | 1876 |  |  | 1, 10789 |
| Do... | 1877 |  |  | 79794 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| California .............. | 1876 |  |  | 1040 |
| Colorado | $18: 6$ |  |  | 13, 56664 |
| Florida. | 1876 |  |  | 1628 |
| Idaho. | 1876 |  |  | 5190 |
| Louisiana (reappropriated) | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Minnesota | 1876 |  |  | 35151 |
| Montana | 1876 |  |  | 1075 |
| Nevada | 1876 |  |  | 19944 |
| New Mexico | 1876 |  |  | 7625 |
| Oregon | 1871* |  |  | 47137 |
| Do. | 1873 |  |  | 10800 |
| Do. | 1874 |  |  | 98072 |
| Washington | 1876 |  |  | 39645 |
| W yoming. | 1878 |  |  | 346 2,734 76 |
| Michigan |  |  |  | 2,734 <br> 2,500 |
| Examination of the public surveys | 1876. |  |  | 4,963 48 |
| Survey of Indian reservations................................ $\{$ | 18876 | $\}$ |  | 4,132 37 |
| Geological Survey of the Territorie | 1875 |  |  |  |
|  | $18 i 6$ 1877 |  |  |  |
|  | 1878 |  |  | 38,000 00 |
| Do.................................................. $\{$ | $1878$ | \} 19 | 350 |  |
| A ppraisal and sale of Detroit arsenal, Dearbornville, Mich.. |  |  |  | 58039 |
| Salary recorder land titles in Missouri | 1876 |  |  | 1786 |
| Retracing boundary between Arkansas and Indian Territory. | 181878 | 19 | 356 |  |
| Survey of eastern boundary of Wyoning..................... | 1878 | 19 | 348 |  |
| Carried forward. |  |  |  | 728, 53309 |

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unexpended June 30, 1877, fe.-Contidued.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending Juve 30, 1878 . | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate arailable for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1875. | Payments during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amonntscarried to the surplas fond June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, $J$ une 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$3, 015,226 86 | \$73,343 36 | \$3, 726, 66956 | \$3,113, 33381 | \$213, 90011 | \$399, 43564 |
| 5,750 00 |  | 5,75000 | 4,189 61 |  | 1,560 39 |
| $\cdots \cdots$ |  | ( 24432 | 24432 1,35373 |  | 14627 |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}14946 \\ 1,677 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 1,354 96 | 14946 | -32283 |
| 5,000 00 |  | 5,000 00 | 3,827 78 |  | 1,172 22 |
|  |  | 41968 | 41822 |  | 146 |
| 1,500 00 | ..................- | 1,500 00 | 1, 12839 |  | 37161 |
|  |  | 2,905 71 | 1,575 00 |  | 1,330 71 |
| 5,500 00 |  | 5,500 00 | 4,09737 |  | 1, 40263 |
|  | --...-........... | 37454 | 36500 | 64 | 952 |
| 1,500 00 |  | 1,500 00 | 1,414 75 |  | 8525 |
|  |  | 3,254. 64 | 3, 03448 |  | 22016 |
| 7,500 00 |  | 7,500 00 | 5,876 36 |  | 1,693 64 |
|  | 3733 | 174 $\times 30153$ | 30130 | 174 | 23 |
| 1,500 00 | 20000 | 1,700 00 | 1,593 12 |  | 10688 |
|  |  | 1, 89883 | 1, 28610 |  | 424 |
| 7,000 00 |  | 7, 00000 | 5, 47390 |  | 1,526 10 |
|  | .................... | 4306 75159 | 56849 | 4306 | $18330$ |
| 1,500 00 |  | 1,500 00 | 86138 |  | 63862 |
|  |  | 1,901 32 | 1,901 32 |  |  |
| 5,750 00 |  | 5,750 00 | 4,230 70 |  | 1,513 30 |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r}25687 \\ 1.500 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 25687 121275 |  | 28725 |
| 1,500 00 |  | 1, 1,830000 | 1, 21275 |  | 28725 |
| 6,50000. |  | 6, 50000 | 4,80900 |  | 1,70000 |
|  |  | 17739 |  | 17739 |  |
|  |  | 43768 | 43754 |  | 14 |
| 1,500 00 |  | 1,500 00 | 1,19762 |  | 30238 |
|  |  | 1, 388 |  | 388 |  |
|  |  | 1,500 27 | 1,500 27 |  |  |
| 6,250 00 |  | 6, 25000 | 5,000 48 |  | 1, 24952 |
|  | ...-.....-........ | 1, 10789 | 21971 | 1, 10789 | 57823 |
| 1,500 00 |  | 1,500 00 | 66705 |  | 83295 |
|  |  | 1040 |  | 1040 |  |
|  |  | 13, 56664 | 4,840 60 | 8, 72604 |  |
|  |  | -1628 |  | 1628 |  |
| , 21625 |  | 5190 21625 |  | 5190 | 2103 |
|  |  | 35151 |  | 35151 |  |
|  |  | 1075 |  | 1075 |  |
|  | .........- | 19944 7625 | ............... | 19944 7625 |  |
|  |  | 47137 |  |  | 47137 |
|  |  | 10800 |  |  | 10800 |
|  |  | 98072 |  |  | 98072 |
|  |  | 39645 |  | 39645 |  |
|  |  | 346 |  | 346 |  |
|  |  | 2,734 76 |  | 2,734 76 |  |
|  |  | 2,50000 | 2, 13622 |  | 36378 |
|  |  | 4,963 48 | 7607 | 4,887 41 |  |
|  |  | 4,132 37 | 1,350 00 | 2,782 37 |  |
|  | 125 | 125 |  | 125 |  |
|  |  | 38,000 00 | 38,000 00 |  |  |
| 125. 00000 |  | 125,000 00. | 60,000 00 |  | 65,00000 |
|  |  | 58039 |  |  | 58039 |
|  |  | 1786 |  | 1786 |  |
| 11, 88000 |  | 11,880 00 | 11, 80548 |  | 375 7452 |
| 7, 00000 |  | 7,000 00 | 7,000 00 |  |  |
| 3,220, 57311 | 73,581 94 | 4, 022, 68814 | 3, 301, 36669 | 296,54195 | 484, 77950 |
| 33 F |  |  |  |  |  |

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| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriatious, Juls 1, 1877. |
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| Interior Civir-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forw |  |  |  | \$728, 53309 |
| Survey of eastern boundary of California | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Ilustrations for Report on Gcological Survey of the Territories | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Surveying private land-claims in California. | 1876 |  |  | 77777 |
| Surveying prisate land claims in Colorado. | 1876 |  |  | 8, 18332 |
| Surveying private land-claims in New Mexico | 1876 |  |  | 6400 |
| Survey of the boundary between New Mexico and Arizona. | 1876 |  |  | 2773 |
| Capitol building at Olympia, Washington Territory......... | 1876 |  |  | 40 |
| Survey of boundaries within the Cattaraugus and Allegany \{ Indian reservation in New York. | 1876 1877 |  |  | 10158 |
| Surveying public lands . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1877 |  |  | 164,366 17 |
| Survey of Fort Kearney military reservation in Nebraska |  | 19 | 348 |  |
| Surreying private land claims.. | 1877 |  |  | 23, 89535 |
| Surveying Pawnee and Otoe reservations (reimbursable) |  |  |  | 8148 |
| Surveying public and private lands. | 1877 |  |  | 300,00000 |
| Relief of Eli Teegarden ; act March 3, 1877 |  |  |  | 5034 |
| Relief of William H. Merrett; act June 15, 1878 |  |  |  |  |
| Total Interior civil |  |  |  | 1, 226,081 23 |
| internal mevenue. |  |  |  |  |
| Allowance or drawback |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Allowance or drawback prior to July 1, 1875 |  |  |  |  |
| dibstracts of real estate acquired under iuternal-revenue laws. | 1878 |  |  |  |
| Assessing and collecting internal revenue................... $\{$ | 1870 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Assessing and collecting internal revenue (reappropriated).. | 1873 |  |  | 18,290 43 |
| Assessing and collecting internal revenue ..................... | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Punishment for violation of internal-revenue laws (reappropriated.) | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Do <br> Punishment for violation of internal-revenue laws | 1873* |  |  | 4,58555 9,52563 |
| Do..... | 1877 |  |  | 18,173 94 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Stamps, paper, and dies | 1876 |  |  | 14, 09393 |
| Do................ | 1877 |  |  | 91, 58933 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Refunding taxes illegally collected |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Refinding taxes illegally collected prior to July 1, 1875; act June 14, 1878. |  | 20 | 128 |  |
| Redemption of stamps .: |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Salaries and expenses of collectors of internal reve | 1876 |  |  | 143, 91238 |
| Do . | 1877 |  |  | 144, 91672 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Salaries and expenses of supervisors and subordinate ofticers, internal revenue. | 1876 |  |  | 402, 71757 |
| Do.............................................................. | 1877 |  |  | 40,340 71 |
| Do $\quad$ D.................................... | 1878 | 19 | 303 |  |
| Repayment of taxes on distilled spirits destroyed by casualty |  |  |  |  |
| Repayment of taxes on distilled spirits destroyed by casualty prior to July 1, 1875. |  | 20 | 129 |  |
| Relief of George W. Dawson; act March 3, 1875 |  |  |  | 7200 |
| Relief of J. E. Robertson \& Co. ; act February 27, 1877 |  |  |  |  |
| Relief of James Tishback, late collector internal rerenue; act May 2, 1878. |  | 20 | 31 |  |
| Total internal revenue |  |  |  | 888,21819 |
| Redemption: PUBLIC DEbT. |  |  |  |  |
| Coin-certificates; act March, 3, 1863. |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Certificates of Doposit; act Juve 8, 1872 |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Treasury notes of 1857. |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Seven-thirties of 1861 |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Old demand notes. |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Legal-tender notes |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Fractional currency |  | R.S.. | 3689 |  |
| One- year notes of 1863. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year euding June 30, 1878. | Ropaymonts made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate avail. able for the fiscal year endiug June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending Juиe 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 18 \%8. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$3, 220, 573.11 | \$73, 58194 | $\$ 4,022,68814$ 80400 | \$3,301,366 69 | \$236,54195 | $\$ 484,77950$ 80400 |
|  | 120 | 120 |  | 120 |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 77777 \\ 8,18332 \end{array}$ | . 40494 | 37283 18332 |  |
|  |  | 8, 6400 |  | 6400 |  |
|  |  | 2773 |  | 2773 |  |
|  |  | 40 |  | 40 |  |
| - |  | 10158 |  |  | 10158 |
|  |  | 164,366 17 | 117, 32070 |  | 47,045 47 |
| 3, 00000 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 3,00000 \\ 23,89535 \end{array}$ | 2,543 <br> 3,444 |  |  |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 23,89535 \\ 8148 \end{array}$ | 3,444 60 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 20,45075 \\ 8148 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 300, 00000 | 193, 12412 |  | 106,875 88 |
| 3,60000 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 5034 \\ 3,600 \quad 00 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5034 \\ 3,600 \quad 00 \end{array}$ |  |  |
| 3, 227,977 11 | 73,583 14 | 4, 527,641 48 | 3, 621,854 74 | 245, 19143 | 660,595 31 |
| 36, 33640 |  | 36, 33640 | 36,336 40 |  |  |
| 2,882 600 |  | 2,882 17 | 1, 21603 |  | 1, 66614 |
|  | 2,703 73 | 2, 70373 |  | 2,703 73 |  |
|  | 14011 <br> 103 | 14011 |  | 14011 103 |  |
|  |  | 18,290 43 | 3,973 28 | 14, 31715 |  |
| 57700 | 2150 | 2150 57700 | 57700 | 2150 |  |
|  |  | 4, 58555 | 600 | 4,579 55 |  |
|  |  | 9, 52563 | 9,499 28 | 2635 |  |
|  | 52164 | 18,695 58 | 18, 69558 |  |  |
| 75,000 00 |  | 75, 00000 | 61,935 19 |  | 13, 06481 |
|  | 687 1.183 | 14,100 80 |  | 14,100 80 |  |
| 466,000 00 | 1,18360 2,09403 | 92,77293 468,09403 | 46,89364 396,13640 |  | 45,879 <br> 71,957 <br> 63 |
| 56, 34652 | 44433 | 56,790 85 | -56,790 85 |  |  |
| 150, 00000 |  | 150, 00000 | 12, 73964 |  | 137, 26036 |
| 25,830 13 |  | 25,830 13 | 25, 83013 |  |  |
|  |  | 143, 91238 | 2,225 35 | 141, 68703 |  |
|  | 2,951 26 | 147, 86798 | 104,221 61 |  | 43, 64637 |
| 1,820,000 00 | 2,342 25 | 1, 822,342 25 | $\begin{array}{r} 1,711,01333 \\ 2,19134 \end{array}$ | 400,526 23 | 111, 32892 |
|  | 41,383 40 | 81, 72413 | 78,844 38 |  | 2,829 75 |
| 1, 515, 00000 | 2, 60600 | 1, 517, 60600 | 1,429, 89495 |  | 87, 71105 |
| 31840 |  | 31840 | 31840 |  |  |
| 4130 | .................... | 4130 |  |  | 4130 |
|  |  | 7200 |  |  | 7200 |
| 43296 |  | 43296 | 43296 |  |  |
| 52135 |  | 52135 | 52135 |  |  |
| 4,149,886 23 | 56,50之 49 | 5, 094, 60691 | 4, 000, 59164 | 578,206 20 | 515, 809 07 |
| 47, 548, 00000 |  | 47, 548, 00000 | 47, 548, 00000 |  |  |
| 94, 855, 00000 |  | 94, 855,000 00 | 94, 855, 000000 |  |  |
| 10000 |  | 10000 | 10000 |  |  |
| 5000 |  | 5000 | 5000 |  |  |
| 1,665 00 |  | 1,665 00 | 1, 66500 |  |  |
| 80, 359, 26700 |  | 80,359, 26700 | 80, 359, 26700 |  |  |
| 3,855, 37290 | 165 | 3, 855, 37455 | 3,855, 37455 |  |  |
| 3,890 00 |  | 3,890 00 | $3,890 \quad 00$ |  |  |
| 226, 623, 34490 | 165 | $226,623,34655$ | 226, 623, 34655 |  | ................. |

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| Specifc objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of ap propriations July 1, 1877. |
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| Bronght forward. |  |  |  |  |
| Kedemption--Contiuued. |  |  |  |  |
| Componnd-interest notes |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Seven thirties of 1864 and 1865 |  | R.S. | 3669 |  |
| Bounty land scrip. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Five-tweuties of 1862. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Tive-twenties of Jane, 186 |  | R. ${ }^{\text {R S }}$ | 3689 |  |
| Five-twenties of 1865 . Consols of 1865 ......... |  | R. R S. | 3629 3689 |  |
| Consols of 1867. |  | 2. S. | 3689 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Navy-pension fund. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Treasury notes of 1857 |  |  | 36-9 |  |
| Soven-1hirties of 1861.................................................. R. S. . 3689 |  |  |  |  |
| One-vear notes of 1863 |  | R. S . | 3689 |  |
| Two-year notes of 1863........................................... ${\text { R. S. }{ }^{\text {S. }} \text {. } 3689}^{\text {R }}$ |  |  |  |  |
| Compound-interest notes |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Loan of 1847...... |  | R. S. | 3684 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Loan of 1858..... |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Loan of February, 1861 (18818) Oregon war debt.......... |  | IR. S. | 3689 3689 |  |
| Oregon war debt................................................. R. S. 3639 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  | R.S. | 3689 |  |
| Loan of 1863 (1881s). |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Ten-forties of 1864................................................ R. S. $\quad 3639$. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |
| Cousols of 1867. |  | R. S. | $36 \times 9$ |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Central Pacific stock |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Kansas Pacific stock (T.P. E. D.).................................. ${ }^{\text {R }}$ R. S. 3689 |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |
| Fuxided loan of 1907. |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Totals public debt...................................... |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Pay of- interion-indians and pensions. |  |  |  |  |
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| Superintedents and Indian agents (transfer | 1875 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Do........ | 1877 |  |  | 66576 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Interpreters (transfer aecount) ................................ 18i3* $_{1813^{*}}$ |  |  |  |  |
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| Do | 1877 |  |  | 4,026 54 |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 34, 520 |

unexpended June 30, 1877, fo.-Continued.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending Juıe 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the tiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal yearending June 30, 1878. | Payments dur. ing the fiscal year ending Juae 30, 1878. | Amonnts carried to the surplus fund June 30 , 1878. | Balances of ap. propriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$226, 623, 34490 | \$1 65 | \$226, 623,346 55 | \$226, 623,346 55 |  |  |
| 1,350 00 |  | 1,350 00 | 1,350 00 |  |  |
| 21, 95000 |  | 21,950 00 | 21,950 00 |  |  |
| 7, 40000 |  | 7, 40000 | ,7, 40000 |  |  |
| 10000 |  | 10000 | 10000 |  |  |
| 131, 65000 |  | 131, 65000 | 131, 65000 |  |  |
| 111, 65000 |  | 111,650 00 | 111,650 00 |  |  |
| 34, 934, 55000 |  | 34, 934, 55000 | 34, 934, 5.5000 |  |  |
| 91, 830, 75000 |  | 91, 830, 75000 | 91, 830, 75000 |  |  |
| 5, 70000 |  | 5,70000 | 5,70000 |  |  |
| 8,500 00 |  | 8,50000 | 8,500 00 |  |  |
| 420,000 00 |  | 420,000 00 | 420,000 00 |  |  |
| - 3. 00 |  | 300 | 300 |  |  |
|  | 41375 | 41375 | 385 | \$409 90 |  |
| 19450 163 |  | 19450 | 19450 <br> 163 <br> 17 |  |  |
| 3,971 74 | 24000 | 4, 21174 | 4,21174 |  |  |
| 2, 22881 |  | 2,228 31 | 2,228 31 |  |  |
| 24000 |  | 24000 | 24000 |  |  |
| 316 |  | 316 | 31.6 |  |  |
| 13, 00000 |  | 13,000 00 | 13, 00000 |  |  |
|  | 30500 | 30500 | 25000 | 5500 |  |
| 1, 105, 932 00 | 66000 | 1, 106,59200 | 1, 106, 59200 |  |  |
| 57,51300 |  | 11, 57,51300 | 1, 57,51300 |  |  |
| 11, 386, 38000 | 7,020 00 | 11, 393, 40000 | 11, 39:3, 40000 |  |  |
| 13, 11851 | 1,788 00 | 14,906 51 | 14,90651 |  |  |
| 4, 496, 36400 | 4,641 00 | 4, 501, 00500 | 4,501, 00500 |  |  |
| 9, 730, 10550 | 23, 33875 | 9, 753, $744 \mathrm{S5}$ | 9, 753, 74425 |  |  |
| 20,94316 | 3,16780 | 24, 111096 | 1,24,11096 |  |  |
| 1, 482,830 22 | 18, 16330 | 1,500, 99352 | 1,500, 993352 |  |  |
| 11, 050,380 40 | 26, 52382 | 11, 076, 90422 | 11,076, 90422. |  |  |
| 18, 702, 25351 | 14, 05650 | 18, 716, 31001 | 18,716,310 11 |  |  |
| 2, 269, 28833.3 | 1, 69500 | 2, 270, 98333 | 2, 270, 98333 |  |  |
| 1,553,677 20 | 6000 | 1, 553, 73720 | 1, 553, 737, 20 |  |  |
| 378, 39000 | 18000 | 378,570 00 | 378,570 00 |  |  |
| 1, 634, 82072 | 18000 | 1, 635,000 72 | 1,635, 00072 |  |  |
| 96,000 00 |  | 96,000 00 | 96, 00000 |  |  |
| 118,233 60 |  | 118, 23360 | 118, 23360 |  |  |
| -97, 84920 | 3000 | 97, 87920 | 97, 87920 |  |  |
| 27, 273, 52, 48 | 26775 | 27, 273, 79123 | 27, 273, 791 23 |  |  |
| 8,525, 951 44 | 1, 024, 84801 | 9, 550,799 45 | 9, 550, 79945 |  |  |
| 2, 067, 68120 | 1, 322, 43816 | 3,390, 11936 | 3,390, 11936 |  |  |
| 456, 178, 254 45 | 2, 450,018 49 | 458, 628, 30294 | 458, 627, 63804 | 46490 |  |
| 1,70000 | 1,093 29 | 18,12992 10170000 | $\begin{array}{r} 4,66924 \\ 83 \quad 289 \quad 09 \end{array}$ |  | $\$ 13,46068$ |
| - | 62548 | 62548 | 83, 288 | 62548 |  |
| 19875 | 1,823 84 | 2, 02259 | 2,022 59 |  |  |
| 6251 |  | 6251 | 6251 |  |  |
| 26486 |  | 26486 | 26486 |  |  |
| 3318 |  | 3338 | 3338 |  |  |
|  | 330 | 3130 | 330 |  |  |
| ................. | 6250 22666 | 8,70414 2961,66 | 22666 | 8,704 14 |  |
|  | 22666 | 2.0166 75000 | 22666 | 75000 |  |
|  |  | 66576 |  |  | 66576 |
| 6,600 00 |  | 6, $600 \cdot 00$ | 5,979 62 |  | 62038 |
|  | 16578 | 16578 |  | 16578 |  |
|  | $8 \mathrm{it3} 76$ | 86376 | 86376 |  |  |
|  | 10000 | 10000 |  | 10000 |  |
| 7604 |  | 7604 | 7604 |  |  |
|  | 4000 | 4000 |  | 4000 |  |
|  | 57262 | 3,938 63 |  | 3,938 63 |  |
|  | 87481 | 4,90135 | 2,23400 |  | 2, 66735 |
| 29, 70000 |  | 29, 70000 | 24,362 68 |  | 5,33732 |
| 2,000 00 |  | 3371 2,00000 | 1,22778 | 3371 | -772 22 |
|  | 23152 | 23152 |  |  | 23152 |
| 140,635 54 | 6,683 56 | 181,839 39 | 125,314 51 | 14, 35774 | 42,167 14 |


| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of ap propriations July 1, 1877. |
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|  |  | Vol. | Page or section. |  |
| Interior-Indians and Pensions-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$34, 52024 |
| Clerls for Contral Saperintendency | 1878 | 19 | 272 |  |
| Indiaun inspectors ........ .......... | 1878 | 19 | 272 |  |
| Traveling expenses of Indian inspectors (transfer account). | 1875 | ..... | ............. |  |
| Traveling expenses of Indian inspectors........ . . . . . . . . | 1876 |  |  | 62521 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 1,049 25 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 272 |  |
| Superinteudent in Dakota | 1877 |  |  | $3847$ |
| Do ................... | 1878 | 19 | 271 |  |
| Subagents (transfor account) | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Fulfilling treaties with- |  |  |  |  |
| Apaches | 1873* | 19 | 376 | .................. |
| Apaches, Kiowas, and Coma | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Do... | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Io | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 11, 53266 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 17,907 18 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 273 |  |
| Assinaboines ........................................ | 1876 |  |  | 5,348 54 |
| Arapahoes and Cheyennes of Upper Arkansas Ri Blackfeet, Bloods, and Piegans................. | 1873 1875 | 19 | 376 |  |
| Blackfeet, Bloods, and Piegans... | 1875 |  |  |  |
| D0.-....-.-.-................................................. $\{$, | 1876 |  |  | 85218 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 30, 690 22 |
| Do..................... | 1878 | 19 | 273 | ..... .......... |
| Chastas, Scotons, and Unppquas............................ | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Comauches, Kinwas, and Apaches of Arkansas River (transfer account) | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Comanches, Kiowas, and Apaches of Arkansas River.... | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Calapooius, Molallas, and Clackamas of Willamette Valle.y. | 187! | ..... | .-.......... | ................. |
| Cheyennes and Arapahoes.................................... | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Do | 1875 |  |  |  |
| To | 1876 |  |  | 8640 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 24293 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 273 |  |
| Chickasaws ........................... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1878 | 19 | 273 | - |
| Chippewas, Boise Fort band................................ $\{$ | 1873 | $\} 20$ | 120 | .--... . . . . . . . . . |
|  | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 1,629 62 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 273 | ........... |
| Chippewas of Lake Superior | $1873 *$ |  |  |  |
| Do.......................... | 1876 1878 | 19 |  | 31282 |
| Chippewas of Lake Superior and the Mississippi (reappropriated). | $1873{ }^{\text {d }}$ | 20 | 120 | ................... |
| Chippewas of the Mississippi (reappropriated)........... | 1873* | 20 | 120 |  |
| Chippewas of the Mississippi ............................. | 1878 | 19 | 274 |  |
| Cbippewas, Pillager, and Lake Winnebagoshish bands .. | 1875 |  |  |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Do } . . . \text {. } \\ & \text { Do } \\ & \hline \end{aligned}$ | 1877 | 19 | 274 | 19766 |
| Chippewas of Red Lake, and Pembina tribe of Cbippe- | 1876 |  | 274 | 85363 |
| was. |  |  |  |  |
| Do $\qquad$ | 1877 |  |  | 1, 29390 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 274 |  |
| Chippewas of Saginaw, Swan Creek, and Black River.... | 1.873* | 20 | . 120 |  |
| Chippewas of Sagiuaw, Swan Creek, and Black River (transfer account). | 1873* | ......: |  |  |
| Choctaws ............................................... | 1878 | 19 | 275 |  |
| Confederated tribes and bands in Middle Oregon | 1873* | 20 | 120 |  |
| Do......................................... | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 275 |  |
| Creeks (transfer account) | $1873^{*}$ | 20 | 120 |  |
| Creeks ...................... | 1878 | 19 | 276 |  |
| Crows | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Do...................................................... $\{$ | 1875 |  |  | 31, 66011 |
|  | 1876 | \} $\cdots$ |  | 104 37089 |
| $\mathrm{Do}_{0}$ | 1877 |  |  | 104,370 89 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 276 |  |
| Carried forward.. |  |  |  | 243,21196 |

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| ppropriations for the fiscal ye ar ending June 30, 1878. | Repay ments made ducing the flscal year 1878. | Aggregate avail. able for the fis. cal jear ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the sarplins fond June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$140,635 54 | \$6, 68356 | \$181; 83939 | \$125, $314 \cdot 51$ | $\cdots$. $\$ 14,35774$ | \$42,16714 |
| 3,400 <br> 9,000 | - 7750 | $\begin{array}{r} 3,40000 \\ 9,00000 \\ 7750 \end{array}$ | $1,867.22$ 7,51052 7750 |  | 1,53278 1,48948 |
|  | 1,32536 | $\begin{array}{r}625 \\ 2,374 \\ \mathbf{5}, 01 \\ \hline 1\end{array}$ |  | - 28344 | 2,058 62 |
| 5, 00000 |  | 5, 000 00 | $\cdots$. 4,89649 |  | 10351 3847 |
| 2,000 00 |  | 2,000 00 | $\cdots 1,97773$ |  | $22 \times 2$ |
| - 3,002 40 |  | 3, 00240 |  |  | 3,002 40 |
|  | 8,02533 | 8,025 33 |  | 4,820 42 | 3, 20491 |
|  | $\cdots 36287$ | -31287. |  | 101 | $\begin{array}{r} 36186 \\ \times 15504 \end{array}$ |
|  | 3,155 94 | 3,15594 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 3,15594 \\ 15,17942 \end{array}$ |
|  | 7,11738 5,19078 | $\begin{array}{r}18,650 \\ 23 \\ 23 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | -20,496 31 | 3,470 62 | 3,17942 $\mathbf{2 , 6 0 1} 65$ |
| 52,70000 |  | 52,700 00 | 33, 76583 |  | 18,934 17 |
|  |  | 5, 34854 | 10000 | 5,248 54 |  |
| 3,832 93 | 134 15500 | 3,73427 15500 | 15500 | 134 | 3, 73293 |
|  |  | - 85218 | ...-....- | 85218 |  |
| 50, 00000 |  | $\begin{array}{r}30,69022 \\ .50,00000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 18,12320 \\ & 27 ; 89497 \end{aligned}$ |  | $\begin{aligned} & 12,56702 \\ & 22,10503 \end{aligned}$ |
| . 37287 | 25470 $: \quad 450$ | $\begin{array}{r} 62757 \\ 450 \end{array}$ | -......... 45 | 1208 | 61549 |
|  | - $\begin{array}{r}450 \\ 951\end{array}$ | 450 951 |  | 450 | 951 |
| $\begin{array}{r} 47296 \\ 5537 \end{array}$ | 1,210 83 | 1,683 <br> 85 <br> 59 <br> 37 |  | 50000 | $\begin{array}{r}1,18379 \\ 55 \\ \hline 7\end{array}$ |
|  | 71373 | 80013 |  |  | 80013 |
|  | 1,198 40 | 1,44133 |  |  | 1, 44133 |
| 42, 20000 | 2, 087 50 | 44, 28750 | 35, 69290 |  | 8,594 60 |
| 3,000 00 |  | 3,000 00 | 3, 00000 |  |  |
| 73841 |  | 73841 |  |  | 73841 |
|  | 64220 | 64220 |  |  | 64220 |
|  |  | 1, 62962 | 250 00 |  | 1, 37962 |
| 14, 10000 |  | 14, 10000 | 11,34976 |  | 2,750 24 |
|  | 2,742 06 | $2,74206$ | - | 2, 74206 |  |
| 17, 80000 | 27224 | $\begin{array}{r} 58506 \\ 17,80000 \end{array}$ | 15,572 47 | 58506 | 2,22753 |
| 29169 |  | 29169 | 29169 |  |  |
| 72.81 |  | 7281 | -7281 |  |  |
| 33,700 00 |  | 33, 70000 | 30,826 80 |  | 2,873 20 |
| 2861 |  | 2861 19766 | 8278 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 2861 \\ 11488 \end{array}$ |
| 25,566 66 |  | 25,566 66 | 25,566-66 |  |  |
|  |  | 85363 |  |  | 85363 |
|  |  | 1, 293.90 |  |  | 1, 29390 |
| 33,800 00 |  | 33, 80000 | 32,892 69 |  | 90731 |
| 10,072 48 | 1, 40199 | - 11, 47447 | - 2,250 00 |  | 9,224 47 |
|  | 1,053 95 | 1, 05395 | $\therefore$ 1,053 95 |  |  |
| 30,032 89 |  | 30, 03289 | 30,032 89 |  |  |
| 1,378 78 |  | 1,378 78 | -1,378 78 |  |  |
|  | 19748 25 | - 19748 | 9672 | 10076 | -7909 |
| 8,100 00 | 2523 | $\begin{array}{r}25 \\ 8,100 \\ \hline 100\end{array}$ | 7, 42612 |  | 2583 67388 |
| 47925 |  | 47925 | 47925 |  |  |
| 72,678 40 |  | 72, 67840 | 72, 67840 |  |  |
|  | 2400 | 2400 |  | 2400 | --...-* |
|  | 48068 | 32, 14079 | 31080 | 31, 82999 |  |
|  | 21792 | 104, 58881 | 28, 68909 |  | 75, 89972 |
| .162,623.00 | . 4455 | 162, 66755 | 84, 913 67 |  | 77,753 88 |
| 727,035 05 | 44, 76055 | 1, 015, 00756 | 627, 829.34 | 64, 833 .74 | 322, 34448 |

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| Interior-Indians and Pensions-Continued, |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Osages | 1878 | 19 | 281 |  |
| Ottawas of Blanchard's Forl | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Ottoes and Missourias.... | $1873 *$ | 20 | 120 |  |
| Do. | 1877 | 19 | 282 |  |
| Ottawas and Chippewas | ${ }^{18873}{ }^{+}$ | 19 | 28 |  |
| Pawne日s .............. | $1873{ }^{4}$ |  |  |  |
| Pawnees (transfer account) | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Pawnees <br> Do $\qquad$ $\qquad$ | 1876 |  |  | $\begin{aligned} & 40351 \\ & 95368 \end{aligned}$ |
| Do... | ${ }_{1878}^{1877}$ | 19 | 282 |  |
| Poncas. | 1877 |  |  | 5,102 5 |
| Do ........ | 1878 | 19 | 282 |  |
| Pottawatomies (transfer account | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Pottawatomies ........ | 1878 | 19 | 282 |  |
| Pottawatomies of Huro Quapaws | ${ }_{1878}^{1878}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \\ & 19 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 283 \\ & 283 \end{aligned}$ |  |
| Qui-nai-elts and Quil-loh-Ote | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Do ................. | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 74386 |
| Do | 187 | 19 | 3 | 1, 05000 |
| River Crows | 1976 |  |  | 6,224 51 |
| Rogue Rivers | 1874 |  |  | 0,2~4 5 |
| Rogue Rivers (reappropriated) | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Sacs and Foxes of the Mississipp | 1873* |  |  |  |
| D0. | 1878 | 19 | 283 | 69562 |
| Sacs and Foxes of th | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 283 |  |
| Seminoles | ${ }^{1873 *}$ |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 284 |  |
| Senecsa $\qquad$ | 1878 | 19 | 284 |  |
| Senecas of New Xor <br> Do . $\qquad$ | ${ }_{1884}^{1874}$ |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 11,902 50 |
| Do Senecas and Shawn | 1878 1876 | 19 | 284 |  |
| Senecas and Shaw <br> Do $\qquad$ | 1878 | 19 | 285 |  |
| Senecas, Shawnees, Quapaws, Peorias; Ottawas, Wyandotts, and others: | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Shawnees $\qquad$ | ${ }_{1878}^{1873}$ |  | 285 |  |
| Shoshones | 1873* | 19 | 285 |  |
| Do | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 3,767 52 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 2,545 44 |
| Shoshones and | 1878 | 19 | 285 |  |
| Shoshones and Bannock | ${ }_{1876}^{1873^{*}}$ |  |  | 4, 28606 |
| , Do ........... ... | 1877 |  |  | 15,883 08 |
| Do. | 1878 | 19 | 285 |  |
| Six Nations of New Xor | ${ }^{1873 *}$ | 7 | 46 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Do } \\ & \text { Do } \end{aligned}$ | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Sioux of different tribes, including Santee Sioux of Ne braska. | 1873** | $\cdots$ |  |  |
| Sionx of different tribes; including Santee Sionx of Nebraska (reappropriated). | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Sioux of different tribes, including. Santee Sioux of Nebraska (transfer account). | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Sioux of different tribes, including Santee Sioux of Nebraska. | 1874 | .... |  |  |
|  | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Sioux of different tribes, inclading Santee Sioux of Nebraska (reappropriaten). | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Sioux of different tribes, including Santee Sioux of Nebraska (transfer account). | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 379,237 77 |

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| ppropriations for the fiscal Fear ending TJune 30, 1878. | Repaymenta made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fis cal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplas fund $\operatorname{Jane} 30$, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$1, 081, 44816 | \$62, 65162 | \$1,461, 77922 | \$862, 22122 | -\$88,552 80 | \$511,005 20 |
| 18,45600 | 36.10 | $\begin{array}{r} 3610 \\ 18,45600 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3610 \\ 10,95600 \end{array}$ |  | 7,50000 |
| 3849 8464 |  | 18, 3849 |  |  | 3849 |
|  | 1,852 76 | 1,852 76 | $1,85276$ |  |  |
| 9,000 00 |  | 19,00000 7855 | 9, 000 co |  |  |
| -12392 | 7855 6440 | 78 585 38 |  | $\begin{aligned} & 7855 \\ & 6440 \end{aligned}$ | 52392 |
|  | 8045 | 8045 | - 8045 |  |  |
|  |  | 8,953 68 | 7, 873303 | 30006 | 1,080 65 |
| 54, 20000 |  | 54, 20000 | 42,520 20 |  | 11, 67980 |
|  |  | 5,102 55 | 3,81144 |  | 1,291 11 |
| 15,500 00 |  | 15,500 00 | 15,500 00 |  |  |
| 20,647 65 | 380 7,339 | 380 9868 | - 380 |  |  |
| 40000 |  | 27, 40000 | 27, 40000 |  |  |
| 2,060 09 |  | 2,060 00 | 1,300 00 |  | 76000 |
| 97696 1242 | 2339 | 1, 000035 |  | 2339 | ${ }^{976} 96$ |
|  |  | 74386 |  | 69731 | ${ }_{46}^{12} 5$ |
|  | 68938 | 1,739 38 |  |  | 1,739 38 |
| 7, 80000 | 1,74700 | 9. 547800 | 8,278 25 |  | 1,268 75 |
|  | $\begin{array}{r}363 \\ 470 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 6,588 ${ }_{4} 73$ |  | 6,58313 470 |  |
| 46103 |  | 46103 | 46103 |  |  |
| 3146 |  | 3146 |  |  | 3146 |
|  | 1,094 11 | 1,789 73 | 1, 668084 |  | 5, 12888 |
| 51, $\begin{array}{r}000 \\ 757 \\ \hline 4\end{array}$ |  | 51, 000000 | 45, 28078 |  | 5,719 757 |
|  | 204 | 204 |  |  | 204 |
| 8,070 00 | 4964 | 8, 11964 | 8, 07000 |  | 4964 |
| 28,528 2700 |  | 52827 | 52712 |  |  |
| 2,660 00 | 1, 04000 | 3, 70000 | 3,700 00 |  |  |
| - 4126 |  | 4126 |  |  | 4126 |
|  | 3673 | 3673 |  |  | 3673 |
| .......... | 16125 | 16125 | 16125 |  |  |
|  |  | 11, 90250 | 11,902 50 |  |  |
| 11,902 50 | 1140 | $11,90250$ | 11,902 50 | 1140 |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| 17296 |  | 17296 |  |  | 17296 |
| 5, 000000 | 2,080 00 | 7, 08000 | 2,000 00 |  | 5,080 00 |
|  |  | 3,76752 | 1, 63480 |  | 2,132 72 |
|  |  | 254544 | 30000 |  | 2,245 44 |
| 11,000 00 | 30000 | 11, 30000 | 8, 02500 |  | 3,275 00 |
|  | 42085 | 42085 | 42085 |  |  |
|  | 1,485 16 | 5,77122 |  | 5,75672 | 1450 |
|  | 2, 04234 | 17,925 42 | 5,532 79 |  | 12, 392263 |
| 76,311 00 | 5924 | 76, 37024 | 60, 27690 |  | 16, 09334 |
| 3,48716 51198 |  | 3,487 ${ }^{16}$ | 18948 | .-............ | 3, 29768 |
| 4,500 00 |  | 4,500 00 | -3,983 99 |  | 51601 |
| 46, 186 31 | 4055 | 46, 22686 | 10,962 81 | 4055 | 35, 224350 |
| 337 |  | 337 | 337 |  |  |
|  | 49848 | 49848 | 49848 |  |  |
|  | 5605 | 5605 |  | 56.05 |  |
| 57119 | 6364 | $\begin{array}{r} 6364 \\ 57171 \end{array}$ | 57119 | 6364 |  |
|  | 1872 | 1872 | 1872 |  |  |
| 1, 471,943 16 | 85, 44255 | 1,936,623 48 | 1,202 46008 | 102,244 95 | 631,918 45 |

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| rior-Indians and Pensions-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Clim Brought f |  |  |  | \$2, 781, 42341 |
| Claims of settlers on Round Valley Indian reservation in California (restored to public lands). |  |  |  | 1,094 37 |
| Procceds of Sioux reservations in Minnesota and Daksota.... |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 18,552 56 |
| Proceeds of Winnelango reservation in Miunesota. |  | R. S. | 2093, 2096 | 88925 |
| Procceds of New Yorrs Indian lands in Kausas... |  |  |  | , 05806 |
| Trust-fnnd interest due- |  |  |  |  |
| Cherokee asylum-fund. Cberokee uational finud |  | $\begin{array}{\|c\|} \text { R.S. } \\ \text { R.S. } \end{array}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 2093,2096 \\ & 2093,2096 \end{aligned}$ | 2,08901 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 203, 293 |  |
| Cherokee school-fun |  | R. S. | 2093, 2096 | 1,79493 |
| Do..... | 1878 | 19 | 293 | 1,70 |
| Cherokee orphan-fund |  | R.S. | 2093-2096 | 51623 |
| Chickasaw incomperents |  |  |  | 1, 500000 |
| Chickasaw uational fund Do | 1878 | R. ${ }_{19}$ | 2093, 2096 | 6,468 99 |
| Chippewa and Christian In |  | R.S. | 2093,2096 | 15685 |
| Cboctaw general fund |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 6150 |
| Choctaw school.fin | 1878 | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 84550 |
| Cboctaw orphan reservation |  |  |  |  |
| Creeks' orphans |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 21047 |
| Delaware general | $\begin{aligned} & 1878 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 293 |  |
| Do ........... |  | R.S. | 2096 |  |
| Delaware school |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 7, 06400 |
| Iowas |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 1,496 84 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 293 |  |
| Kansas schools |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 5,441 33 |
| Kaskaskias, Peorias, Weas, and Pian |  | R. ${ }^{\text {S }}$. | 2093, 2096 | 3526 |
| Easkaskias, Peorias, Weas, and Piankeshaws school.fund | 1878 | 19 | 293 |  |
| Kaskaskias, Peorias, Weas, and-PiankesLaws school-fund <br> Do | 1878 | 19 | 293 | 5,66336 |
| Kickapoos, general |  | R. S. | 2093 | 1,712 59 |
| Menmmonees |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 1,684 21 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 293 |  |
| Osage schools |  | R. S. | 2093, 2096 |  |
| Ottawas and Chippew |  | R. S. | 2093, 2096 | 31, 88717 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 230 <br> 23000 <br> 00 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 293 |  |
| Pottawatomies, educatinu |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 5,873 65 |
| Pottawatomies, general fund |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 12, 15470 |
| Pottawatomies, mills. |  | R. S. | 2093, 2096 | 19980 |
| Sacs and Foxes of the Missouri |  | R.S. | 2093,2096 2093, 2096 | 13087 |
| Sacs and Foxes of the Mis |  | R. S. | 2093, 2096 | 54539 |
| Sonecas, Tonaranda band |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 4,70116 |
| Souecas and shawneos |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 6520 |
| Shawnees |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 48423 |
| Eastera Slawnees. |  | Rus. | 2093, 2096 |  |
| Contingeucies, trast-fund | 1876 |  |  | 87282 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 98733 |
| Doterest dne Cherokees on lasds sold to O..................... | 1878 | 19 | 293 |  |
| Interest dne Cherokees on lasds sold to Osages.... |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 |  |
| luterest due Osages on avails of diminished roserve lands in Kansas. | 1877 |  |  | 1,036 01 |
| Do | 1878 | R.S. | 2093, 2096 |  |
| Interest due Stnckbridge consolidated fund |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 |  |
| Interest due Tabequache, Muache, Capote, Weeminuche, Yampa, Grand River, and Uintah baud of Utes. |  | R.S. | 2093, 2096 | 41,887 79 |
| Trust-fund stocks redeemed due- |  |  |  |  |
| Cherokee natioual fund. |  |  |  | 4500 |
| Chickasaw national fund |  |  |  | 1134 |
| Ottawas and Chippewas. |  |  |  | 2,21125 |
| Pottanvatomies, education ................ |  |  |  | 4681 |
| Trust-fund bonds, proceeds of sale of Pottawato Trust-fund bouds, proceeds of sale of Kickapoo.. |  |  |  | 41563 |
| Trust-fund bouds, proceeds of sale of Kickapoo |  |  |  |  |
| Incidental expenses Indiau service inArizona (trausfer account) |  |  |  |  |
| Do .................. | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Arizona (reappropriated) | 1874 | 19 | 376 |  |
| Arizona . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . $\{$ \{ | $\begin{aligned} & 1875 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ | - |  | 4,856 61 |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 2, 955, 33011 |

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| Appropriations . for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate availble for the fiscal yoar ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year piding June 30, 1878. | Amonnts carried to the surplas fund Jone 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
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| \$3, 603, 34685 | \$104, 976 09 | \$6, 489, 74633 | \$3, 008, 92496 | \$140,407 20 | \$3, 340,414 17 |
| 13, 87861 |  | 32,431 47 | 9, 74915 |  | 22,682 32 |
| 48000 |  | 1,369 4,058 4,06 |  |  | 1,369 <br> 4,058 |
| 4, 211. 03 |  | 4, 21103 | 4,21103 |  |  |
| 33, 15203 |  | 35,241 04 | 31,471 00 |  | 3,770 04 |
| 26, 06000 |  | 26,060 00 | 26, 06000 |  |  |
| 30, 14458 |  | 31, 93951 | 29,479 11 |  | 2,460 40 |
| 2,410 00 |  | 2,41000 | 2, +10 00 |  |  |
| 15, 39558 |  | 15,91181 | 15, 42071. |  | 49110 |
| $\begin{array}{r}100 \\ 47,92758 \\ \hline 18\end{array}$ |  | 1,600 54,396 57 |  |  | 1,600 8,335 71 |
| $\begin{aligned} & 47,92758 \\ & 19,82000 \end{aligned}$ |  | 54, 39657 <br> 19,820 | 46,06086 <br> 19,820 <br> 200 |  | 8,335 71 |
| 2,533 42 |  | 2,690 27 | 2,542 53 |  | 14774 |
| 21338 |  | 27488 | 22432 |  | 5056 |
| 27, 00000 |  | 27,000 00 | 27, 00000 |  |  |
| 2,78196 |  | 3,627 46 | 2,818 46 |  | 80900 |
| 198 35369 |  | 198 56416 | 32553 |  | 198 23863 |
| 4,048 00 |  | 4, 04810 | 4, 04800 |  |  |
| 8,930 00 |  | 8,930 00 | 8,930 00 |  |  |
| 37, 69687 |  | 37,696 87 | 16,15898 | ---------. | 21, 53789 |
| 6.56371 |  | 7,62771 7,90743 |  |  | 7,62771 2,46720 |
| 6,033 3,520 3,59 1 | 37480 | 7,907 3,520 3 | 5,440 3,520 3 |  | 2, 46720 |
| 1,575 29 |  | 7,01662 |  |  | 7,016 62 |
| 88502 | 470 | 92498 | 52024 |  | 40474 |
| 4,801 00 |  | 4,80100 | 4, 80100 |  |  |
| 1,061 38 |  | 6,722 74 | 3, 07559. |  | 3,647 15 |
| 1,449 00 |  | 1,449 00 | 1, 44900 |  |  |
| 6,588 47 |  | 8, 80106 | 6,687 91 |  | 1, 61315 |
| 6, 978 25 |  | 8,662 46 | 7,553 85 |  | 1,10861 |
| 95000 |  | 95000 | 95000 |  |  |
| 2,130 37 |  | 4,929 91 | 53333 |  | 4, 3965 |
| 87722 |  | 32, 76439 |  | 23000 | 32,764 39 |
|  |  | 23000 |  |  | 23000 |
| 23000 |  | 23000 |  |  | 23000 |
| 3,976 53 |  | 9,850 18 | 5, C00 00 |  | 4,850 18 |
| 4,592 43 |  | 16,747 13 |  |  | 16, 74713 |
| 90432 |  | 1,104 12 | 91592 |  | 18820 16281 |
| 1,25637 2,82901 | 14954 | 1,536 2,889 2,81 | 1,37397 82948 | ................... | 188 1,94953 |
| 2, 10048 |  | 2, 64587 | 2, 14215 |  | 1.50372 |
| 4, 455.72 | 1,485 66 | 10,642 54 | 9,551 58 |  | 1,090 96 |
| 88580 |  | 95100 | 88959 | .-................. | 6141 |
| 24781 |  | 73204 |  |  | 73204 |
| 72730 |  | ${ }^{7} 27380$ | 72730 |  | -...... |
|  |  | 87282 |  | 87282 |  |
| 50000 |  | 98733 500 00 | ................ |  | 98733 50000 |
| -36,087 44 |  | 36,087 44 | 36,087 44 |  |  |
|  |  | 1,936 01 |  |  | 1,936 01 |
| 43,380 58 |  | 43,380 58 | 6,489 75 |  | 36, 89083 |
| 3,790 22 |  | 3,790 22 | 3,790 22 |  |  |
| 25, 00001 |  | 66,887 79 |  |  | 66, 88779 |
|  |  | 4500 |  |  | 4500 |
|  | 825 | 1959 |  |  | 1959 |
|  |  | 2,211 25 |  |  | 2, 21125 |
|  |  | 4681 |  |  | 4681 |
|  |  | 41563 |  |  | 41563 79 |
|  |  | 79 |  | .......... | 79 |
|  | 9900 | 9900 | 9900 |  |  |
|  | 776 | 776 | 776 |  |  |
| 11705 | ....... | 11705 | 11705 |  |  |
|  | 69138 | 5,54799 | 1288 | 5,419 16 |  |
| 4; 048,982 10 | 107,79718 | 7, 112, 10939 | $3,358,33583$ | 146, 92918 | 3, 606,844 38 |

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| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$2, 955, 33011 |
| Incidental expenses Indian service in-- |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| California | 1876 | ...... | ........... | 4,658 32 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Colorado ............................................... $\left\{\begin{array}{\|l}18.1875 \\ 1876 \\ 187\end{array}\right\} \ldots . .$. |  |  |  |  |
| Do....................................... | 1877 187 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878   <br> $1873 *$ 19 292 |  |  |  |
| Dakota. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dakota (transfer account) | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Do | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Dakota |  |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  | 1877 …............ 13580 |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Idabo. |  |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 19  <br> $1873^{*}$ $\ldots .$.  <br> $\ldots .$.   |  |  |  |
| Montana (transfer account) Do . |  |  |  |  |  |
| Montana |  |  |  |  |
| Montana (reappropriated) | $\left.\begin{array}{\|c\|r\|r\|r\|}1875 \\ 18 \% 5\end{array}\right\} \begin{array}{r}20 \\ \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| Montana |  |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 1-.... |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Nerada |  |  |  |  |  |
| Nevada (deficiency) | 1875 20 |  |  |  |
| Nevada (reappropriated) |  |  |  |  |
| Do. |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico (transfer account) |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico ................... |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico (reappropriated) | $1874{ }^{18}$ |  |  |  |
| New Mexico (transfor account) | 1874 |  |  |  |
| New Mexico Me.............. |  |  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico (reappropriated). | 1875 $\cdots \cdots$ $\cdots \cdots \cdots$ <br> 1875 19  |  |  |  |
| New Mexico (reapproprated) New Mexico ............... | $\left.\begin{array}{\|c}1875 \\ 1875\end{array}\right\} \begin{aligned} & 19\end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| New Mexico |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 ................ 1,93762 |  |  |  |
| $\xrightarrow{\text { Orecon }}$ | 1878   <br> $1873^{*}$ 19 $\ldots .$. <br> $\ldots .$.   |  |  |  |
| Oregon |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oregon (transfer acconnt) |  |  |  |  |
| Oregon (reappropriated) | ${ }_{1875}^{1873^{*}} 1{ }^{19} \quad 376$ |  |  |  |
| Do | $1876{ }^{187}$ |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Do ${ }_{\text {Dah }}$ (transfer account) | 1878 19 292 <br> 1875 $\ldots$  |  |  |  |
| Utah (transfer account) |  |  |  |  |  |
| Dtah.. | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Do | 1877 18.......... 88279 |  |  |  |
| Do | 187819 292 ............... |  |  |  |
| Washington | $1876$ |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Wyoming | 1878 19 293 <br> 1874 $\ldots .$.  |  |  |  |
| Do |  |  |  |  |
| Do | $\begin{aligned} & 1875 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ | $\} \ldots$ |  | 14857 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 2,983, 72778 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repajments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate av́ailable for the fiscal year ending Jume 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to tho surplas fund June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
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| \$4, 196, 47801 | \$116, 38584 | \$7, 296, 591.63 | \$3, 490, 963 '56 | \$164, 72501 | \$3, 640,903 06 |
|  | 19057 | 48175 | 2147 |  | 46028 |
| - 1,00000 |  | 1,000 00 | 333670 | 927 3 | 66330 |
|  | 14575 | 62520 27688 | 39800 27688 | 22720 |  |
| 4,000 00 | 145 7 | 4,000 00 | 3, 686 |  | 31366 |
|  |  | 59075 | 131 | 58944 |  |
|  | 5160 7000 | 5160 7000 |  | 5160 7000 |  |
|  | 7000 | 7000 | 7000 |  |  |
| 47500 | 69006 | 1, 165.06 | 1,165 06 |  |  |
| .................. | 369 169 43 | 51298 |  | 51298 |  |
|  | 83165 | 2, 19004 | 1,095 00 |  | 1,09504 |
| 15,000 00 | 60000 | 15, 60000 | 15, 31378 |  | 28622 |
| 26757 | 10786 | 37543 33 | 26757 33 | 10786 | .....-...... |
| 15172 |  | 15172 | 15172 |  |  |
| 10716 | 7524 | 18240 | 10716 | 7524 |  |
|  | 2575 | 2575 | 2575 |  |  |
| 12498 |  | 12448 | 12498 |  |  |
| $33653$ | 6681 | 6681 33653 | 33653 | 6681 |  |
|  | 1,31973 | 3,719 65 | 2, 67754 | 1,042 11 |  |
| 44120 | 68871 | 9, 99808 | 5,200 24 |  | 4, 79784 |
| 30,000 00 | 8062 | 30, 08062 | 26, 03009 |  | 4, 05053 |
| ................. | 751 | 751 |  | 751 4314 | , |
|  | 4314 8700 | 4314 8700 | 8700 | 4314 |  |
|  | 768 | 768 |  | 768 | ................. |
|  |  | 38800 |  | 38800 |  |
| 50000 |  | 50000 | 7225 |  | $4 \overline{2775}$ |
|  | 20,324 35 | 45, 59\% 69 | 40,592 25 | --.-.-.-.-.-...... | 5, 00544 |
| 219, 00000 | 57431 | 219,574 31 | 175, 14801 | . | 44,426 30 |
| 25000 |  | 5,31250 5,500 00 | 25000 37500 |  | 5,06250 5,12500 |
| 25000 |  | 5,50000 763 | 37500 763 |  | 5,12500 |
| 763 |  | 763 | 763 |  |  |
| 241,639 66 | 1,01491 48 28 | $\begin{array}{r}336,36153 \\ 48 \\ \hline 8\end{array}$ | 8,03493 | 4828 | 328,326 60 |
|  | 855 91 | 85591 | 85591 |  |  |
|  | 1,826 48 | 1,826 48 |  | 1,826 48 |  |
|  | 62825 | 3.838 50 | 19577 |  | 3,642 73 |
| 20,000 00 |  | 20, 00000 | 18,766 11 |  | 1, 233889 |
|  | 32699 | 1,679 06 | 1,352 07 |  | 326.99 |
| 20,000 00 | 35297 3200 | $\begin{array}{r} 20,35297 \\ 32 \cdot 00 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 20,13137 \\ 3200 \end{array}$ |  | 22160 |
|  | 1, 90597 | 1,805 97 |  | 1, 80597 |  |
|  |  | 1,74270 | 66346 | 1, 07924 |  |
|  | 4, 02892 | 162,84116 | 65,11074 |  | $97,730 \quad 42$ |
| 400, 00000 | 70196 19984 | $\begin{array}{r}400,70190 \\ 8,659 \\ \hline 106\end{array}$ | 259,91738 | 8,65926 | 140,784 58 |
|  | 80000 | 80000 |  |  | 80000 |
| 25, 00000 |  | 25,000 00 | 22,539 86 |  | 2,460 14 |
|  | 2700 4200 | 985 4204 000 |  | 98504 4200 |  |
|  | 420 | 5, 00000 |  |  | - --- 5,000000 |
|  |  | 57400 |  |  | 57400 |
|  |  | 2,653 23 | 31931 | 2,333 92 |  |
|  |  | 2,31197 | 1,573 58 |  | 73839 |
| 15, 00000 |  | 15,000 00 | 11, 033975 |  | 3,960 25 |
| 5,00000 |  | 5,000 00 | 5,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 97453 | 97453 | 97453 |  |  |
| 5, 195,029 46 | 156, 31324 | $8,664,433$ 493 | 4, 181, 28892 | 184,728 06 | 4,298,41651 |


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| Brought forwa |  |  |  | \$3, 313, 090079 |
| Payment to L'Anse and Vieux de Sert Chippewas for lands (no year). |  |  |  | 20,000 00 |
| Payment to North Carolina Cherokees (no year).............. |  | 19 | 291 | 40, 87410 |
| Remoral of Pawnee Indians (reimbursable) .... |  |  |  | 83, 58039. |
| Telegraphing, and purchase of Indian supplies............ $\{$ | 1877 |  |  | 19, 76357 |
|  | 1879 | 20 | 86 |  |
| Salary of Ouray, head chief of the Ute | 1877 |  |  | 250 |
| Do .............................................. | 1878 | 20 | 86 |  |
| Statistics and historical data respecting Indiaus of the Duited Statos. | 1877 |  |  | 1,319 57 |
| Do ........................... | 1878 | 19 | 291 |  |
| Settlement, subsistence, and support of Shoshoves, Baunacks, and other bands in Idaho and Sontheastern Oregon. | 1876 | 19 | 291 | 2, 05027 |
| Settlement, subsistence, and support of Modocs now residing within Indian Territory. | 1874 | 19 | 291 |  |
| Settlenent, subsistence, and support of Modocs now residing withiu Indian 'Territory (transfer accombt). | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Settlement, subsistence, and support of Modocs now residing within Indiau Territory. | 1876 |  |  |  |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 290 |  |
| Subsistence of Arapahoes, Cheyennes, Apaches, Kiowas, Comanches, and Wichitas. | 1873* |  |  |  |
|  | $\begin{aligned} & 1875 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 37, 82963 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 107, 00791 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 290 |  |
| Subsistence of Kansas I | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 13411 |
| Sobsistence of Kansas Indians ............................. | 1878 | 19 | 290 |  |
| Subsistence and civilization of the Arickarees, Gros Vontres, $\{$ and Maudans. | $\begin{aligned} & 1875 \\ & 1876 \end{aligned}$ |  |  | 85308 |
| Do... | 1877 |  |  | 27,937 45 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 289 |  |
| Support and civilization of Indiaus at Fort Peck agon | 1877 |  |  | 41,861 35 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 289 |  |
| Support, education, and civilization of captive Indians.... $\{$ | 1876 |  |  | 203, 66921 |
| Support of Tonkawas at Fort Grifin, Texas. | 1878 | 19 | 290 |  |
| Support of schools, farms, \&c., for Apaches, Kiowas, and Comanches. | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Support of schools not otherwise provided for ............... | 1877 |  |  | 5,08179 |
| Support of schonls not olherw ise provided for (reappropriated). | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Support of schools not otherwise prorided for (transfer acconnt, reappropriated). |  |  |  |  |
| Support of schoola not otherwise provided for | 1878 | 19 | 292 |  |
| Support of schools for Sacs and Foxes in Io | 1876 |  |  | 40000 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 35000 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 284 |  |
| Support of schools for Ottoes and Missourias (reimbarsable) | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Survey of the Black Hills ............................................................ | 1878 | $\begin{aligned} & 19 \\ & 20 \end{aligned}$ | 1282 |  |
| Relief of Henry A. Webster, V. B. MrCollum, aad A. Colby, of Washington Territory, pre-emptors on Malah Iudian reservation. |  | 20 | , | 30290 |
| Relief of Redick McKee; act March 3, 1877. |  |  |  |  |
| Reimbursement to Osages for lossos sustained | 1878 | 19 | 292 |  |
| Removal of the Great and Little Osage Iudiaus (reimbursable) |  |  |  |  |
| Saw-mill, grist-mill, and bridge at Siletz Agency | 1878 | 19 | 292 |  |
| Support of Cbippewas on White Earth reservation | 1878 | 19 | 292 |  |
| Civilization of Wimmebagoes |  |  |  | 51310 |
| Compensation of five supervisors and twenty laborers on reservations in California. | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Construction of a wagon-road from Fort Kearney, Nebr., to easteru boundary of Califoruia. | 1873x |  |  |  |
| Constriction of wagon-roads in Idaho, Dakota, Montana, and Nobraska. | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Delivery of annnities, \&c., to Iudiansin Minnesota, Micligan, and Wisconsin. | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Expenses of Indian delegations visiting Washington in 1870. | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Expenses of Indian delegations visiting Washington in 1870 (transfer account). | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 3, 931, 86922 |

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unexpended June 30, 1877.-Continued.


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| Specific objocts of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877: |
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| Interioli-Indians.and Pensions-Contibued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  | ..... | \$3, 931, 86922 |
| Care of certain stray bands of Winnebagoes and Pottawatomies in Wisconsin. | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Negotiating treaty with Sionx of the Upper Missouri....... | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Support of schools, Central Superintendency................ | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Rescaing prisoners from Indians ............................ | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Purchase of wagons, teams, tools, \&c., for Northern Superin. tendency (transfer account). <br> Do | 1873 $1873^{*}$ |  |  |  |
| Removal and sinbsistonce of Indians in California to reservation, pay physicians, smitbs, \&ec. | 1873* |  |  |  |
| Army pensions to - - . |  |  |  |  |
| Invalids .... | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Widows and others (reappropriated) | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Widows and others. | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Navy ponsions toInvalids. | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Widows and orphans | 1871 |  |  |  |
| Army pensious. | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Do... | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Army pensions (reappropriated) | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Army peosions (transfor account) | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Army pensions....... | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do ${ }_{\text {Do }}$ | 1876 |  |  | $1,595,18471$ 425,40915 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 223 |  |
| 'Tees for preparing vouchers (Army peosions) | 1877 |  |  | 36,875 25 |
| Fees for examining surgeons (Army pens | 1878 | 19 | 224 | 33,756 00 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 224 |  |
| Compensation to agents (A.rmy pensions) | 1877 |  |  | 16817 |
| Do....... | 1878 | 19 | 224 |  |
| Navy pensions | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1876 |  |  | 3,60285 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 1,640 00 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 224 |  |
| Fees for proparing vouchers (Nary pensions) | 1877 |  |  | 4200 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 224 |  |
| Frees for examicing surgeons (Navy pensions) | 1877 |  |  | 23300 |
| Compensation to agents (Navy pensions) | 1877 |  |  | 77500 |
| Do........ | 1878 | 19 | 224 |  |
| Nary pension fund |  |  |  | (3) 31,59699 |
| Totals Interior-Indians and pensions................ |  |  |  | 6,061, 15234 |
| militaiz establishment. |  |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army ................ | 1871** |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army (reappropriated).. | 1871** |  |  | 10,267 54 |
| Pay of the Army (transfor accoant) <br> Pay of the Army | $1871 \times$ |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army (reappropriated) | 1872 |  |  | 35,009 76 |
| Pay of the Army (trausfor account) | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army. | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army (reappropriatod). | 1873 |  |  | 44,776 00 |
| Pay of the Army (transfer account) | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army. | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Army (reappropriated). | 1874 | 19 | 372 |  |
| Pay of the Ammy (transfor acconut) | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Pay and traveling and general expenses of the drmy | 1875 |  |  | 71, 19088 |
| Do...... | 1876 |  |  | 366, 32249 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 534, 423 92 |
| Do | 1878 | 20 | 1 |  |
| Mileage (tranafer account) | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Subsisteuce of officers. | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Subsistence of officers (transfer 'account) . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Carriod forward. |  |  |  | 1,061,996 53 |

## *And prior years.

+ Total repayments for the Interior Department, as per warrants issued, wero $\$ 378,267.43$; to which add the followiag repayments, transfered by ordor of the Secretary of tbe Treasury, viz: From Mintary Establishment, $\$ 64.97$; from Naval Establishment, $\$ 425,590.42$; making a total of $\$ 1,303,924,89$.
unexpended June 30, 1877, sc.-Continued.

| Apnropriations for the fiscal yearending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made duriog the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1873. | Payments daring the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 1878. | Balauces of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| $\begin{array}{r} \$ 5,728,65315 \\ 725 \end{array}$ | \$169, 22327 | $\begin{array}{r}89,829,745 \\ 7 \\ 7 \\ \hline 25\end{array}$ | \$4, 798, 52366 | \$428, 26012 | $\$ 4,602,96186$ 785 |
| 2548 |  | 2548 |  |  | 2548 |
|  | 107 | 107 |  | 107 |  |
|  | 2157 687 | 2157 687 |  | 2157 |  |
| 253 |  | 253 76980 | 253 |  |  |
|  | 75109 | 75409 |  | 75409 |  |
|  | 18000 | 18000 |  | 18000 |  |
| 45519 |  | 45519 759510 |  |  | 45519 |
|  | 7,52510 61393 | $\begin{array}{r} 7.52510 \\ 61393 \end{array}$ |  | 7,525 $\begin{array}{r}10 \\ 61393\end{array}$ |  |
|  | 11000 | 11000 |  | 11000 |  |
|  | 693 | 693 |  | 693 |  |
|  | 1,267 73 | 1,267 73 |  | 1, 26773 |  |
|  | 80005 | 80005 |  | 80005 |  |
| 90 | (1) 6497 | $\begin{array}{r}649 \% \\ \hline 9\end{array}$ | 6497 |  | 0 |
|  | 94923 | 94923 |  | 94983 |  |
|  | 3,797 59 | 1, 598, 98330 | 3,54763 | 1, 595, 43467 |  |
|  | 337, 35076 | 762,759 91 | 8,957 86 |  | 753, 80205 |
| 27,325, 00000 | 314,796 58 | 27, 639, 79658 | 26, 751, 874 50 |  | 887, 92203 |
| 225,1000 | 1,286 <br> 4,884 <br> 180 | 38,16150 229,88450 | 210,421 25 |  | $38,161.50$ $19,46.3$ |
|  | 2,585 46 | 26,341 46 | 21, 18235 |  | 36, 15911 |
| 235, 00000 | 13,813 23 | 248,813 23 | 241, 43200 |  | 7,381 23 |
|  | 1, 86169 | 2,039 86 | ${ }^{64318}$ |  | 1,38668 |
| 215, 00000 | 1,33357 | 216, 33857 | 87,08726 |  | 129,25131 |
|  | 5646 | 5646 |  | 5646 |  |
|  | 5097 | 50197 |  | 5097 |  |
|  | 7776 | 3;680 61 | 7585 | 3,603 36 |  |
|  | J, 18821 | 2,828 21 | 65970 |  | 2,16851 |
| 99, 40058 | $\left.{ }^{2}{ }^{2}\right) 438,33598$ | 537, 74556 | 534,283 53 |  | 3, 46203 |
| 3,40000 | 9300 | 4200 3,49300 | 3,252 00 |  | 4200 24100 |
|  |  | 23300 |  |  | 23300 |
| 2, 60000 | 80900 | 3,409 00 | 3,310 00 |  | 9900 |
|  |  | 77500 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 775.00 \\ 182975 \end{array}$ |
| $\begin{array}{r} 2,00000 \\ 30750 \end{array}$ | 7200 | 2,07200 31,904 | 24225 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 1,829 \quad 75 \\ 31,90+49 \end{array}$ |
| 33, 837,631 38 | t ].,303, 92282 | 41, 202, 70654 | 32,644,566 79 | 2, 039,637 28 | $6,518,50247$ |
|  | 1, 82028 | 1,820 28 |  | 1. 82028 |  |
|  | 3,074 51 | 13,34205 | 3.986 99 | 9,355 06 |  |
|  | 68, 473 82 | 68, 47382 | -68,473 82 |  |  |
|  | 21, 19387 | 21, 19387 |  | $2 \mathrm{~L}, 193 \mathrm{z7}$ |  |
|  |  | 35, 00976 | 2,429 55 | $32 ; 580 \quad 21$ |  |
|  | 6,563 7,826 7 | 6,563 7,826 7 | 6,563 05 | 7,8930 |  |
|  |  | 44, 77600 | 4, 40798 | 40,363 02 |  |
|  | 55, 51380 | 55, 51380 | 55,513 80 |  |  |
|  | 35, 81930 | 35, 81930 |  | 35,819 30 |  |
| 2,589 40 |  | 2,529 40 |  |  | $2,529.40$ |
|  | 1200 | 1200 | 1200 |  |  |
|  | 45, 066 5 3 | 116, 26335 | 7,54787 | 108, 71548 |  |
|  | 170,500 48 | 536,822 97 | 7,537 26 | 529, 285 71 |  |
|  | 403, 98482 | 938, 40874 | 1794,706 65 |  | 743, 70209 |
| 11,300,000 00 | 161, 10336 | 11, 461, 10336 | 11, 173, 34445 |  | 287, 758 9t |
|  | $\begin{array}{r} 3160 \\ 5330 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 3160 \\ 53392 \end{array}$ | $3160$ |  |  |
|  | 53302 48301 | 53392 43301 | 48301 | 53392 |  |
| 11, 302,529 40 | 982,000 65 | 13,346, 52658 | 11,525, 03803 | 787, 49815 | 1, 033, 99043 |
| (3) Tbis ropayment was transferred from "Transportation of the Army and its Supplies, 1875," Military Ledger. <br> ( ${ }^{2}$ ) This repayment was $\$ 12.745 .56$; to which add $\$ 425,590.42$, transferred from "Naval Pension Fuud Interest," Navy Ledger ; makinis a total of \$432,335.98. <br> ${ }^{(3)}$ 'Shis balance was $\$ 107,397.1 \mathrm{~L}$; from which deduct $\$ 75,800.12$, transferred to "Naval Pension Fund Interest," Navy Ledger. |  |  |  |  |  |
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| Mildtary Estadlishment-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| 1 |  |  |  | \$1, 061, 99653 |
| Pay in lieu of clothing to officers' servants (transfer account) | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Pay in lieu of clothing to officers' servants . $\therefore$............. | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Pay to discharged soldiers for clothing not dia | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Forage for officers' horses (transfor account) | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Pay of Military Academy | 1876 |  |  | 11, 06556 |
| Do................... | 1877 | 19 | 380 | 15,60153 |
| Bounty to volanteers, their widows and legal heirs | 1871 ${ }^{\text {* }}$ |  |  |  |
| Bounty to volunteers, their widows and legal heirs (transferaccount.). | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Bonnty to volantecrs, their widows and legal heirs (reappropriaterd). | 1871* | 20 | 126 |  |
| Collfetion and payment of bounty, prize money, and other claims of colored soldiers and $\cdot$ sailors. | 1875 | ... |  |  |
| Do. | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 16,235 04 |
| Do........................................................ | 1878 | 19 | 360 |  |
| Bonnty to rolunteors and regulars on enlistment (trausfer account). | 18.71* |  |  |  |
| Payment of expenses under reconstruction acts (transfer accornt). |  |  |  |  |
| Pay of two and three year volunteers....... | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Pay of two and thrce year volnnteer's (reappropriated). |  |  |  | 832,339 90 |
| Pay of two and three Jear volunteers (transfer account) | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Subsistence of the Army. | 1871** |  |  |  |
| Subsistevce ef the Army (transfer account. | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Subsistence of the Army (reappropriated) | 1871* | 20 | 127 | 7200 |
| Subsistence of the Army ................. | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Subsistence of the Army (reappro | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Snbsistence of the Army ...... | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Sinbsistence of the Army (reappropi | 1875 | 19 | 374 |  |
| Subsistence of the Army .........e. ..... | 1876 |  |  | 36603 |
| Do................. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do..................................... | 1878 | 20 | 1 |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department......... | 1871** |  |  |  |
| Kegular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department (roappropriated) | 1871* | 19 | 372 | 84000 |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Dopartmont (transfer acconit). | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Regular supplies of the Qnartermaster's Department ....... | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department (roappropriated). | 1872 | 19 | 372 |  |
| Regular snpplies ef the Quartermaster's Department........ | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Fegular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department (reappropriated). | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Reqular supplies of the Quartormaster's Department. ....... | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department (reappropriated). | 1874 | 19 | 373 |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department (transfer acconnt). | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department...... | 187.5 |  |  |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department (reappropriated). | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Regular supplies of the Quartermaster's Department...... $\{$ | 1875 1876 |  |  | 21,065 03 |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 376, 07327 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 500 |
| Tncidental expenses of the O M. Dept | 1878 | 20 | 1. |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dept ....................... | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dept. (reappropriated) ..... Incidental expeuses of the Q. M. Dept. (transfer account) | 1871* | 19 | 372 | - 7987 |
| Incidental expeuses of the Q. M. Dept. (transfer account) .... | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Incidental expenses of tho Q. M. Dept .................. | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dopt. (reappropriated) Do ......................................... | 1872 |  |  | 92682 |
| Incidental expenses of the Q M. Dept. (deficiency) | 1874 | 19 | 365 |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dopt ............. | $18 \% 4$ |  |  |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dopt. (reappropriated) | 1874 | 19 | 372 |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q.M. Dept ..................... | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dept. (reappropriated) | 1875 | 19 | 373 |  |
| Incidental expenses of the Q. M. Dept | 1876 |  |  | 44,276 79 |
| Do....................... | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 2,380,943 37 |

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| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877. |
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| Minitary Establishment-Continuel. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$2, 380, 94337 |
| Incidental expenses of the Quartermaster's Department | 1878 | 20 | 1 |  |
| Barracks and quarters (deficieuey). | 1871* |  |  | 1,194 55 |
| Barracks and guarters. | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Barracks and quarters (reappropriated) | 1871* | 19 | 365 |  |
| Barracks and quarters. | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Barracke and quarters (reappropriated) | 1872 |  |  | 3,525 27 |
| Barracks and quarters................... | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Barracks and quarters (reappropr | 1873 | 19 | 373 |  |
| Do.................... | 1874 | 19 | 373 |  |
| Barracks aud quart | 1875 |  |  | 7,718 25 |
| Do. <br> Do. | 1876 |  |  | 25, 19929 |
| Do Do | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 20 | 3 |  |
| Transportation of the Army and ite supplies. | 1871** |  |  |  |
| Irausportation of the Army and its supplies (reappropriated) | 1871 ${ }^{+}$ | 19 | 373 |  |
| Transportation of the Arms and its supplies (trauster ac. count). | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Transportation of the Army add its supplies................... | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Transportatiou of the Arruy aod its supplies (reappropriated) | 1872 |  |  | 44,716 43 |
| Transportation of the Army and its supplies..................... Transportation of the Army and its supplies (reappropriated) | 1873 | 19 | 373 |  |
| Transportatinn of the Army and its supplies (transfer account). | 1873 | 1 | 373 |  |
| Transportation of the Army and its supplies ....... | 1874 |  |  |  |
|  | 1874 | 19 | 373 |  |
| 'Transportation of the Arroy and its supplies ................. | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Txansportation of the Arwy and its supplios (transfer account). <br> Transportation of the Army and its supplies | 1875 1876 |  |  |  |
| Transportation of the Army and its supplies. <br> Do. | $1876$ |  |  | 226, 93852 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Do } \\ & \text { Do } \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | 20 20 | 44 3 | 87, 85265 |
| Transportation of officers and their baggage.................... | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Transportation of officers and their baggage (transfer acconnt) | 1871 ${ }^{\text {k }}$ |  |  |  |
| Trauspurtation of officers and their beggago (reappropriated) | 1871* | 19 | 365. |  |
| Horses for caralry and artillery (deficicney).................... | $1871{ }^{+}$ | 20 | 118 |  |
| Horses for cavalry and artillery (reappropriatod) | 1871* | 19 | 365 |  |
| Do. | 1872 |  |  | 3600 |
| Forses for cavalry and artillery | 1876 |  |  | 8,356 51 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1878 | 20 | 2 |  |
| Clothing, camp and garrison equipage | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Clothing, canp and garrison equipage (reappropriated) | 1871** | 20 | 127 | 3050 |
| Clothiog, camp and garrison equipage (transfer account) | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Clothing, camp and garrison oguipago | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Clothiug, camp and garrison equipage (transfor aocount) | 1872 |  |  |  |
| Clothing, camp ant garrison cquipage......................... | 1873 |  |  |  |
| Clothing, camp and garrison equipage (reappropriated)...... | 1873 | 20 | 127 |  |
| Clothiog, camp and garrison equipage .......................... | 1874 |  |  |  |
| Glothing, camp and garrison equipage (reappropriated) | 1874 | 20 | 127 |  |
| Clothiog, camp and garrison equipare | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Clothing, camp and garrison equipage (transfer acconet) | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Clothing, camp and garrison equipage. | 1876 |  |  | 172,76706 |
| Do.......... | 1877 |  |  | 83, 78426 |
| Do...................... | 1878 | 20 | 3 |  |
| National cometeries (deficioncy)..... | 1871********* |  |  |  |
| National comoteries (roappropriated) | 1871* | 20 | 118 |  |
| National cemeteries (deficiency) | 1872 | 20 | 118 |  |
| Dational cometeries | 1875 | 20 | 118 |  |
| National cometeries | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do..................................... | 1878 | 20 | 4 |  |
| Pay of superintendents of national cemeteries | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Tg.eadstones for graves in national cemeterios (under contratio. | 1878 1874 | 20 18 | 110 |  |
| Headstones for graves in national cemeteries................... | 1874 | 18 | 110 |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 3,043 062 66 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending Juno 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fis. cal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments dur. ing the fiscal year ending Juue 30, 1878. | Amount carried to the surplas fand June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations. June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$18, 105, 61479 | \$1,732, 64387 | \$22, 219, 20203 | \$18, 488, 20268 | \$2, 258,920,38 | \$1, 472,078 97 |
| 800, 00000 | 1020 | -800,010 20 | 791, 99242 |  | 8,087 76 |
| 33,433 44 |  | 34, 62799 | 1,194 55 |  | 33,433 44 |
| $2712$ | 6918 | 6918 2712 |  | 6918 | $2712$ |
|  | 42. 20 | 4220 |  | 4220 |  |
| 26880 |  | 3,794 07 |  | 3,525 27 | 26880 |
|  | 120 | ] 20 |  | 120 |  |
| 1,74200 |  | 1,74200 | 1,74200 |  |  |
| 3000 |  | - 3000 |  |  | 3000 |
|  | 68400 | 8, 40225 |  | 8,402 25 |  |
|  | 6,996: 63 | 32,195 92 | 67152 | 30,652 62 | 87178 |
|  | 9, 05399 | 9,053 99 | 1,54330 |  | 7,510 69 |
| 1,100,000 00 | 11,761 15 | 1, 111, 66115 | 1,096,681 55 |  | 15,079 60 |
| - ${ }^{\text {c. }}$ 82, 969.93 | 2,403 07 | 2,40307 82,96993 |  | 2,403 07 | 82,969 93 |
| - | 15338 | 15338 | 15338 |  |  |
|  | 11073 | 11073 |  | 11073 |  |
|  |  | 44, 716 43 | 21897 | 44, 49746 |  |
|  | 4701 | 4701 |  | 4701 | 281 |
| 23132 | 18.02 | 28132 1802 | 1802 |  | 28132 |
|  | 62213 | 62213 |  | 62213 |  |
| 42,860 17 |  | 42, 86017 |  |  | 42, 86017 |
|  | $\text { (t) } 95241$ | 95241 |  | 95241 |  |
|  | 13,336 05 | 240, 27457 | 238,612 53 | 11, 66204 |  |
| 1, 200, 00000 | 45, 42133 | 1,333,27398 | 705,264 36 |  | 628,009 62 |
| 4, 200, 00000 | 84833 4849 | 4, 200, 848383 | 4, 187, 42159 | 4849 | 13,426 74 |
| ..................... | 4849 2,97034 | - $\begin{array}{r}4849 \\ 2,97034\end{array}$ | $2,97034$ | 4849 |  |
| 92317 | 2, 510 | 2, 92317 | 2, 97034 |  | 92317 |
| 9.90286 |  | 9.90286 |  |  | 9,902 86 |
| 39500 |  | 39500 |  |  | . 39500 |
|  |  | 3600 |  |  | 3600 |
|  | $\begin{array}{r}1000 \\ 5 \\ \hline 18811\end{array}$ | 8, 36651 |  | 8,366 51 |  |
|  | 5.74811 | 5, 7811 |  | .................... | 5, 748 11 |
| 200, 00000 | 4,58503 72598 | 204, 58503 | 191, 82584 |  | 12, $759 \quad 19$ |
| $5805$ | 72598 | 72598 885 |  | 72598 | 8850 |
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|  | 9.80 | 280 | 280 |  |  |
|  | 126.60 | 12660 |  | 12660 |  |
| 23982 |  | 23982 |  |  | 23988 |
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|  | 83923 | 83923 |  | 83923 |  |
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|  | 32630 | 173, 09336 |  | 173, 09336 |  |
|  | 83.82280 | 167, 60796 | 99,343 96 |  | 68,203 10 |
| 900, 00000 | 56,947 73 | 936, 94773 | 703, 06813 |  | 253, 87960 |
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|  | 1,642 93 | 1,642 93 | 1,64168 |  | 125 |
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|  | 34269 | 34269 |  |  | 34269 |
| 59, 00000 |  | 59, 00000 | 55, 67183 |  | 3,323 17 |
| 19,000 00 |  | 19, 00000 | 19,000 00. |  |  |
|  | 3917 | 3917 |  | 3917 |  |
| 26, 882, 03567 | 1,983, 76512 | 31, 908, 86345 | 26, 663, 06133 | 2,545,445 43 | 2, 700, 356 69t |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal fear ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made duriug the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregato available for the fis. calyearending June 30, 1878. | Payments duriug the fiscal year ending Jane 30, 1878. | Amonnts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June $30,1878$. |
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| \$26, 889, 035•67 | (31, 983, 76512 | $\$ 31,908,86345$ 69,03448 | $\$ 26,663,06133$ 69,03448 | \$2, 545, 44543 | \$2, 700,35¢ 69 |
|  | 80241 12304 | 2,80241 12304 | 2,802 41 | 12304 |  |
| 1,89708 |  | 1,96533 5405 |  |  | 1,96533 |
| -............... 1345 | 5405 | 5405 13455 | 5405 |  | 13455 |
|  | 16, 00000 | 16, 00000 |  | 16,000 00 |  |
|  | 2,839 40 | 165,19052 2,83940 |  | 2,839 40 | 165,19052 |
|  | 3412 30513 | 3412 30513 | 3412 | 30513 |  |
| 19800 |  | 19800 |  |  | 19800 |
|  | 20470 | 27687 | 13765 | 13922 |  |
|  | 22915 | 2,666 03 | 2,666 03 |  |  |
| 200,000 00 | 31250 | 800,31250 | 187, 47281 |  | 15884069 |
|  |  | 2,94700 | 2, 425 15 |  | 52185 |
| 101, 00000 |  | 100,000 300 | 09,967 70 |  | 32 3 3 |
|  | 2100 | 2100 |  |  | 2100 |
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| 3,000 00 |  | 3,000 00 | 3,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 29 2,312 ${ }^{92}$ | 3,435 2,313 25 |  | 3,435 24 | 2,313 25 |
| 50,000 00 | 288.50 | 50, 28850 | 50, 26169 |  | 2681 |
| 10,000 00 |  | 10, 00000 | 10,000 00 |  |  |
|  | 1,559 39 | 1,559 39 |  | 1, 55939 |  |
|  | 2,432 82 | 2, 43208 |  | 2, 432 82 |  |
| 25,000 00 | 7,644 | 25,000 $\mathbf{7}, 644$ 10 | 20,000 00 | 7, 64410 | 5,000 00 |
|  | 7766 | - 7766 | 7766 | 7,64 10 |  |
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|  | 5478 879 | 5478 879 | 879 | 5478 | ................ |
|  | 879 1620 | $\begin{array}{r}814 \\ 5142 \\ \hline 82\end{array}$ | 879 | 51482 |  |
|  | 8632 | 8652 | 70 |  | 8576 |
| 100, 00000 | 98120 | 100, 98120 | 100,981 20 |  |  |
|  | 10741 | 10741 |  | 10741 |  |
|  | 73, 92775 | 73, 92775 | 73, 92775 |  |  |
|  | 1241 | 1241 | 1241 |  |  |
|  | 13682 | 18682 | 18682 |  |  |
|  | 16695 | 16695 |  | 11695 | 5000 |
|  | 65958 | 65958 | 65958 |  |  |
|  | 14352 | 14352 |  | 14352 | ..... |
|  | 42861 | 42861 | 42861 |  |  |
|  | 32953 | 9,324 65 | 1298 | 9,312 37 |  |
|  | 91453 | 1,345 05 | 1,294 78 |  | 5027 |
| 315,00000 | 17800 | 315, 17800 | 315, 10600 |  | - 7200 |
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| 100,000 |  | 100, 100000 | 100, 00000 | 100 | .................. |
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|  | 2,313 89 | 2,313 89 | 2,313 89 |  |  |
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| 200,000 00 | 27,862 94 | 236, 98201 | 166,809 15 | 1298 | 70, 172 89 |
|  | 4624 | 4624 |  |  | 4624 |
| 30, 00000 | 49715 | 30, 49715 | 30, 460 55 |  | 3660 |
| 10,000 00 |  | 10,000 00 | 111.000 00 |  |  |
| 125,000 00 |  | 125, 00000 | 125, 00000 |  |  |
| 6,00448 |  | 6,004 48 | 6, 00448 |  |  |
|  | 7569 2059 | 7569 2059 | 7569 |  | 2059 |
| 175,000 00 |  | 175,000 00 | 165,906 00 |  | 9,094 00 |
|  | 2,407 71 | 2, 40771 |  | 2, 40771 |  |
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| 46,10500 |  | 46,10500 45795 | 46, 10500 | 45795 |  |
|  | 21586 | 21586 |  |  | 21586 |
| 14, 62000 |  | 14,620 00 | 14,620 00 |  |  |
| 1,700 00 |  | 1,700 ${ }^{97}$ | 1,700 00 | 97 |  |
| 28, 407,759 73 | $2,134,80892$ | 34, 236, 30109 | 28, 347,607 82 | 2, 603,652 53 | $3,285,040 \quad 78$ |

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| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statates. - |  | Dalances of ap propriations Juy 1, 1877. |
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| Military Estabighment-Contiuued. |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |
| Batery at Fiun's Point, Delaware River, N j |  |  |  |  |
| Fort at Lazareno Poiut, Mc |  |  |  | 13,000 00 |
| Fort Brown, Tex. |  |  |  | 5,000 00 |
|  |  |  |  | 10,100000 10,000 000 |
| Fort at sleatraz Island, |  |  |  | 30000 |
| Preservatiou and repair of fution Do | $\begin{aligned} & 1877 \\ & 1878 \end{aligned}$ | 19 | 391 |  |
| Purchase of sites for seaccoast defonses. |  |  |  | 45,944 16 |
| Construction of sea-coast mortar latteries (reappropriated). Engineer depot at Willets Point. | 1878 | 20 | 3 |  |
| Exploration una snrvey of the Territories west of the iooth $\}$ | 1877 |  |  | 37,000 00 |
| meitidiau. | 1878 | 19 | 392 |  |
| Contingoncies of tortificatious |  |  |  |  |
| Surveys for military defenses. | 1876 |  |  | 10,560 00 |
| Improving harbor at- |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 42,000 4,000 400 |
| Swanton, V - |  |  |  | ${ }^{2}, 100000$ |
| Burlington, V |  |  |  | 14,000 00 |
| Boston, Mass... |  |  |  |  |
| Fall River, Mass. |  |  |  | $110,0000^{10}$ |
| New Bertforf, Mass |  |  |  | 1,00000 |
| Brideport, Conn |  |  |  | 6,00000 |
| Southport, Con | .... |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}15,50000 \\ 8,000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
|  |  |  |  | 3,00000 |
| Litild Sodns Bay, N. $\mathbf{Y}$ |  |  |  | 3 3,000 000 |
| ${ }^{\text {Pultueyville, }}$ Port Chester N . Y |  |  |  | 1,000 00 |
| Oswego, N. Y. |  |  |  | 50, 000000 |
| Roondout, $\mathrm{N} \cdot \mathrm{Y}$ |  |  |  | 23, 50000 |
| Port Jefferson, N . |  |  |  | - |
| Erie, Pa . |  |  |  | 25, 00000 |
| Marcus Hools, Pa. |  |  |  | ${ }^{6,162} 12$ |
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| Baltimnre. Md... |  |  |  | 30, 300000 |
| Noifoll, Va.. |  |  |  | 30, 300000 |
| Chariestown, |  |  |  | 7,000 00 |
| Sapannah, ${ }_{\text {a }}$ |  |  |  | 32,000 75200 00 |
| Galveston, T |  |  |  | 25,003400 |
| Tolerio, Ohio. |  |  |  | 47, 50000 |
| Sandusky Cits, |  |  |  | 12,500 00 |
| Areal water at Cleveland, |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 5,00600 \\ 30,000 \quad 00 \end{array}$ |
| Xwproving harbor at - |  |  |  |  |
| Eagle Harbor, Mich Ontoungun Mich |  |  |  | 7,40000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Traukfort, Mich. |  |  |  | 3,000 00 |
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| Harbor of refuge, Lake Huron, Mich .............................................................. 50,94925Improving harbor at- |  |  |  |  |
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| Cheborgan, Mioh......................................................................... |  |  |  |  |
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| Brought forw |  |  |  | \$4, 544, 08471 |
| Improving harbor at- |  |  |  |  |
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| Milwankee. Wis. |  |  |  | 11,000 00 |
| Konosha. Wis |  |  |  | 2,850 00 |
| Dulnth, Minn |  |  |  | 7,85000 |
| Burlington, yow |  |  |  | 5, 00000 |
| Fort Madison, Io |  |  |  | 5, 000000 |
| San Fraucisco, Ca |  |  |  | 1,500 25 |
| Onproving Saint Croix River Main |  |  |  | 60,00000 |
| Improving Saint Croix River, Maine |  |  |  | 34, 000000 |
| Improving Penolscot River, Maine. Improving Kennebec liver, Maine. |  |  |  | 20,00000 10,000 |
| Improring Cocheco River, New Hampshire |  |  |  | 6, 00000 |
| Brealswater at, Blocle Lsland, Rhode lsland |  |  |  | 40, 04000 |
| Improving Litlle Narragansett Bay, Rhode Isiand and Connecticat. ............................. 5,00000 |  |  |  |  |
| Improving Connecticat River, Connecticut |  |  |  | 32,00000 |
| Improving Endson River, New York |  |  |  | 35, 00000 |
| Improving East Chester Creek, New York |  |  |  | 25, 00000 |
| Remoring obstructious in East River at Hell Gate, New Yorls. |  |  |  | 120, 00000 |
| Improwing channel benween Staten Island and Now Jersey |  |  |  | 10, 00000 |
| Improving Paseaic River, New Jersey |  |  |  | 7,500 00 |
| Improving Schuylkill River, Pennsylvania |  |  |  | 9, 50000 |
| Inoproving Delaware Rivor below Petty's Istan |  |  |  | 17, 50000 |
| Coustructing piers in Delaware River, near Lew |  |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| Improving Wicomico River, Maryland |  |  |  | 2,000 00 |
| Improviug Appomattox River, Virginia |  |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| Improving James River. Virginia |  |  |  | 15,000 00 |
| Improving Nansemond River, Virginia |  |  |  | 3,000 00 |
| Improving Now River, Virginia. |  |  |  | 15, 00000 |
| Improving Elizabeth River, Virginia |  |  |  | 3,000 00 |
| Improving Litule Kanamha Rivor, West Virginia |  |  |  | 7, 30000 |
| Improving Great Kanawha Rivor, West Virginia |  |  |  | 415, 00000 |
| Improving Cape Fear River, North Carolin |  |  |  | 82, 50000 |
| Improving French Broad River, North Carolin |  |  |  | 7,000 00 |
| Improving Pamlieo River, North Carolina |  |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| Improving Chatraloochie and Fliat Rivers, Georg |  |  |  | 25, 000 tio |
| Improving Etewah River, Georgia. |  |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| Improving Coosa River, Georgia and Alaba |  |  |  | 30,000.00 |
| Improving Ocmalgeo River, Goorgia |  |  |  | 15,000 00 |
| Improving Apalachicola River, Elorida |  |  |  | 2,000 00 |
| Improving Yazoo River, Mississippi |  |  |  | 6, 40000 |
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| Improsiug mouth of Mississippi |  |  |  | 15, 000000 |
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| Inproving Mississippi River alove the Falls of Saint Anthony |  |  |  | 10, 70000 |
| Tomproving the Upper Mississippi River................... |  |  |  |  |
| Improving Mississippi, Missouri, aud Arkansas Rivers |  |  |  | 30,20000 |
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| Improving ship clannel, Galveston Bay, Texas. |  |  |  | 72,00000 |
| Improving Cypress Bayou, Texas.................................. |  |  |  |  |
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| Inproving Whito River, Arkansas ......................... |  |  |  | 8,800 00 |
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| Improving Ternessee River, Tennessee ................. |  |  |  | 400, 00000 |
| Improving Cumberland River, Tennessee .................... |  |  |  |  |
| Iuproving Hiawassee River, 'Cennessoe. |  |  |  | 6, 00000 |
| Improviug Ilinois River, Illinois.................................... |  |  |  |  |
| Remoral of bar in Mississippi River opposite Dubaque, Iowa. |  |  |  | 75, 00000 |
|  |  |  |  | 13,500 00 |
| Improring Des Moines Rapids, Mississippi River ........... Improviug Rock Island Rapids, Mississippi River. |  |  |  | 65, 00000 |
|  |  |  |  | 10,000 00 |
| Improving the Ohio River. |  |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}175,000 \\ 75,000 \\ \hline 100\end{array}$ |
| Improving Falls of the Ohio River and |  |  |  | 75, 60000008 |
| Improving AnSable River, Michigan |  |  |  | 1,000 00 |
| Improving Saint Clair Flats Canal, M, Carried forward. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  | 6, 863, 97785 |

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| Brough |  |  |  | \$6, 863, 97785 |
| Improving Saint Mary's River and Saint Mary's Falls Canal,Michigan. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Improving Chippewa River, Wisconsin ...................... |  |  |  | 5, 00000 |
| Dredging Superior Bay, Wiscousin .... |  |  |  | 1,500 00 |
| Improving the Falls of Saint Anthons, Minuesota........... |  |  |  | 29,00000 |
| Preservation of the Falls of Saint anthony and navigation of the Mississippi River. |  |  |  | 1,000 00 |
| Construction of lock and danu on Mississippi River at Meeker's Island, Minnesota. |  |  |  | 25,000 00 |
| Improving Minnesota River, Minnes |  |  |  | 5, 00000 |
| Improving Red River of the North. |  |  |  | 5, 00000 |
| Improving Lower Willamette and Columbia Rivers, Oregon. |  |  |  | 16,000 00 |
| Improving Upper Willamette River, Oregon |  |  |  | 4, 00476 |
| Improving Unppgua River, Oregou.......... |  |  |  | 4,685 89 |
| Constructing canal around the Cascades of Columbia River, Oregon. |  |  |  | 84, 00000 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Repair, preservation, extension, and completion of river and harbor works. |  |  |  | 30,005 06 |
| Repairs of harbors on the Northern lakes |  |  |  | 6, 394•39 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Surveys of Union Pacitie and Central Pacific Railwaysbetween Conncil Blaffs, Iowa, and San Francisco, Cal. |  |  |  |  |
| Surveys of Northern and Northwestern lakes <br> Do. | $\begin{aligned} & 1874 \\ & 1875 \end{aligned}$ |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 96, 00000 |
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| Do.............................................. 1876 $^{1876}$...... |  |  |  |  |
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|  | 1877 |  |  | 25, 98425 |
|  |  |  |  | 21,063 31 |
| Expenses of recruitiog (transter acconnt) | 1871* |  |  | 2,0ı3 |
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| Experses of recruiting ........................................... 18. |  |  |  |  |
| Do...... | 1876 |  |  | 33,95318 |
| Do. | 1977 |  |  | 40,947 79 |
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| Do............. | 1877 |  |  |  |
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| Do. | 1873 | 20 | 126 |  |
| Do | 1874. | 20 | 126 |  |
| Expenses of military convicts (transfer account)............................ 1874 ....... |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses of military couvicts................... | 1876 |  |  | 24,674 49 |
| Do................................................ | 1877 |  |  | Ј, 903 93 |
| Do. <br> Reimbirsing the State of Kentucky for expenses iu suppressing the rebellion. | 18 | 19 | 360 |  |
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| Carried torsard. |  |  |  | 8, 632, 03600 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878 . | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate avail. able for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Paymentsduring the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplas fund June 30 , 1878. | Balances of ap. propriations, June 30, 1878. |
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| \$28, 606, 56123 | \$2, 155, 10946 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 37,625,64854 \\ 389,038 \quad 00 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 30,695,03814 \\ 274,038 \quad 00 \end{array}$ | \$2, 603, 65253 | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 4,326,95787 \\ 115,00000 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 103, 00000 | 75, 00000 |  | 25, 00000 |
|  |  | 5, 00000 | 5,000 00 |  |  |
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| 33440 |  | 9,98423 334 40 | 3,577 78 |  | 6,40645 33440 |
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|  | 2308 2781 | 2608 2781 | 2781 | 2608 |  |
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|  | 15150 | - 15150 | 15150 |  |  |
|  |  | $24,67449$ |  | 24,674 49 |  |
| 15,000 00 |  | $\begin{array}{r}5,90393 \\ 15,000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 1,31789 8,97077 |  | 4,586 <br> 5,029 |
|  |  | 320,620 62 |  | 320,620 62 |  |
| $30,061,01051$ | 2, 191, 20991 | 40, 834, 25642 | $32,724,68667$ | $3,030,42560$ | $5,129,14415$ |

Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

| Specific objects of appropriatious. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877. |
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| Tary Establishment-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$8, 632, 03600 |
| Refunding to States expenses incurred in raising volunteers. | 1876 |  |  | 107, 32461 |
| Colleoting, drilling, and organiziog volunteers | $1871^{\text {* }}$ |  |  |  |
| Collectiug, drilling, audorganizing volunteers (reappropriated) | 187L* |  |  |  |
| Collectiug, drilliug, and organizing volunteors (transter account). | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Draft and substitnte fund | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Draft and substitute fund (transfer account) | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Draft and substitute fuvd (reappropriated)..................... | 1871* | 20 | 126 |  |
| Horses and other property lost in the military service prior to July 1, 1875. |  | 20 | 129 |  |
| Horses and otber property lost in the military service, section 3483 Revised Statutes. |  | $\ldots$ |  |  |
| Support of Bureau of Refugees, Freedmen and a baudoned Lands (trauster account). | 1873* | ..... |  | 3,238 88 |
| Publication of the official records of the war of the rebellion. Do | 1878 | 19 | 350 | 5,000 00 |
| Support of National Home for Disabled Volnuteer Soldiers.. | 1878 | 19 | 3.0 |  |
| Construction, maintenance, aud repair of military telegraphlines. <br> Do | 1876 1877 |  |  | 1600 |
| $\begin{aligned} & \text { Do } \\ & \text { Do } \end{aligned}$ | 1877 | 19 | 0 |  |
| Protecting-piers at Rock Island Bidide | 1878 | 19 | 358 |  |
| Commission to investigate and report plan for reclamation of alluvial basin of Mississippi Liver (reappropriaterl). |  | 19 | 358 |  |
| Investigation of reported existence of cholera in Mexico.. |  |  |  | 5,000 00 |
| Militars prison at Fort Leavenworth, Kans. |  |  |  | 44441 |
| Support of military prison at Furt Leavenworth, Ka | 1878 | 11 | 360 |  |
| Capture of Jefferson Da | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Suppressing Indian hostilitios in the Territory of Montana |  |  |  | 3,26138 |
| Suppressing Indiau hostilities in the Territory of Dakota.. |  |  |  |  |
| Support of Soldiers' Home |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Pay, transportatiou, services, and supplies of Oregon and Washington Volunteer: $1.85 \overline{0}-56$ (roappropriated). |  | 20 | 1:2 |  |
| Soldiers' monnment at Central Branch Nat'L Military Home |  |  |  | 2,000 00 |
| Allowance for reduction of wages ....... ................... |  |  |  |  |
| Construetion of military posts on the Yellowstone and Mus. cleshells Rivers. |  |  |  | 50,000 00 |
| Bounty under act of July 28, 1860 . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  | R. S. | 3689 |  |
| Claims for quartomnasters' stores and commissary supplies.. |  | 20 | 129 | 1,862 25 |
| Claims of loyal citizens for supplies furnishod during the rebellion. | 1872 |  |  | 3,690 00 |
| Do ................................... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1873 |  |  | 16195 |
| Do |  |  |  | 16,371 29 |
| Traveling expenses First Miehigan Caralry | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Traveling expeoses Calitornia and Nevada, Volmeers | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Traveling expensos California aod Novada Volunteers prior to Juls 1, 1875. |  | 20 | 129 | - |
| Payment to loyal eitizens of Loudoun Connty, Virginia...... |  |  |  | 44950 |
| Coumntation of ratious to prisouers of war in rebel States prior to July 1, 1375. |  | 20 | 130 |  |
| Reliaf of G. H. Rupp . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  |  | 10000 |
| Reliof of W. Howard |  |  |  | 16500 |
| Relief of M. P. Thatcher |  |  |  |  |
| Reli $f$ of Catharine Harris |  | 20 | 89 |  |
| Relief of P. H. Groesbeck |  | 20 | $4 \cdot$ |  |
| Reliaf of J. W. Skiles... |  | 20 | 64 |  |
| Pelief of mosicians and soliliors at Ft. Sumter, 1861 (deficiency) |  |  |  |  |
| Relief of persous sutf ring fom the ravages of grasshoppors; limited to September 1, 1875 (reappropriated). |  |  |  |  |
| Total military establishment . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . |  |  |  | 8, セ31, 12127 |
| - Naval establishment. |  |  |  |  |
| Pay of the Nary |  | 19 | 385 | 13,424 98 |
| Pay of the Na7y (arrearages) |  | 20 |  |  |
| Pay of the Navy (deaciency) | 1877 | 19 | 366 |  |
| Contingent, Navy | 1871* |  |  |  |
| Do | 1876 |  |  | 39220 |
| Do | 1877 |  |  | 2,234 78 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 386 |  |
| Caried forward |  |  |  | 16,051 96 |

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unexpended June 30, 1877, 8c.-Continued.

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Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of apprapriations, July 1, 1877. |
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| Naval Establishments-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward |  |  |  | \$16,05196 |
| Pay of the Marine Corps (deficiency) | 1877 | 20 | 4 |  |
| Pay of the Marine Corps ..... |  | 1.9 | 391 | 37531 |
| Provisions, Marine Corps | 1876 |  |  | 48085 |
| Do | 1877 | 19 | 391 |  |
| Clothing, Marine Corps | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do.. | 1877 |  |  | 12,344 35 |
| Do.... | 1878 | 19 | 391 |  |
| Fuel, Maring Corps | 1876 | 19 | 391 | 74703 |
| Military stores, Marine Corps | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do ................ | 1877 |  |  | 243 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 391 |  |
| Transportation and recruiting, Marive Corps | 1876 |  |  | 2296 |
| Do................. | 1878 | 19 | 391 |  |
| Repairs of barracks. Marine Corps | 1877 | 19 | 391 | 1,000 00 |
| Do for horses, Matione corl | 1878 | 19 | 391 |  |
| Quarters for officers, Marine Corps | 1878 | 19 | 391 |  |
| Contingent, Marine Corps. | 1876 | 19 | 91 | 4377 |
| Pay Naval Academy | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do ........ | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 390 |  |
| Buildings and grounds, Naval Academy | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Heating and lighting Naval a cademy | $\begin{array}{\|l\|l} 1878 \\ 1876 \end{array}$ | 19 | 390 |  |
| Do.......................... | 1878 | 19 | 390 |  |
| Improving Hanover street, Naval Academy | 1878 | 39 | 356 |  |
| Contiogent, Naval Acadewy | 1876 |  |  |  |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 155 |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 390 |  |
| Maintenance of yards and docks <br> Do | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 388 |  |
| Natal-station, New London, Cono | 1876 |  |  | 800 |
| Naver-yard, League Island. | 1875 |  |  | 12083 |
| Do |  |  |  | 98,046.19 |
| Navy-yard, Pensacola, Fla | 1876 |  |  | 107, 28000 |
| Navy Pard, Mare Islaud, Cal | 1876 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}6446 \\ 3,44888 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
| Naval Dsylam, Philadelphia | 1877 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r}3,44888 \\ \hline 3087\end{array}$ |
| - Do. | 1877 |  |  | 9,479 64 |
| - Do | 1878 |  |  |  |
| Repairs and preservation at navy.yar | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Do Do | 1876 |  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 11051 \\ 7,57453 \end{array}$ |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | 360 |  |
| Civil establishment, navy yarls and stations | 1876 |  |  | 4174 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 |  |  |  |
| Contingent Yards and Docks | 1876 |  |  | 5392 1.00766 |
| Do. | 1877 | 19 | 388 | 1,90766 |
| Equipment of vessels | 1876 |  |  | 38042 |
| Do............ | 1877 |  |  | 230, 74444 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 388 |  |
| Bounties to sailors and marines.... | 1876 |  |  | 8,235 87 |
| Bounty for destruction of enemies' vessels |  |  |  |  |
| Contingent, equipment and recruiting | 1876 |  |  | 4516 |
| Do.... | 1877 |  |  | 32, 53407 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 388 |  |
| Navigation | 1876 |  |  | 24548 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 8,577 94 |
| $\xrightarrow{\text { D }}$ Hyd......... | 1878 | 19 | 386 |  |
| Hydrographic work Do.......... | 1876 |  |  | 17262 |
| Do.. | 1377 |  |  | 6,736 77 |
| Refracting telescope | 1878 | 19 | 386 |  |
| Refracting telescope | 1875 |  |  |  |
| Naval Observatory. | 1876 |  |  | 5102 |
| Do. | 1877 |  |  | 6990 |
|  | 1878 | 19 | 386 |  |
| Printiug illnstrations Polaris Expeditiou |  |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 566, 84204 |

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| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending Juve 30, 1878. | Repayments mado during the fiscal year 1878. | A ggregate arailable for the fis. cal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amonnts carried to the surplins fund June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878, |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$9, 450, 11877 | \$1, 795, 28125 | \$11, 261, 45198 | \$10, 590, 70 S 89 | \$2,53191 | \$668, 21118 |
| 45, 21958 | 51, 510232 | 50, 32190 | 49,802 15 |  | 51975 |
| 619,82500 | 65,68658 | 685,886 89 | 635,603 68 |  | 50,283 21 |
|  |  | 48085 |  | 480 ع5 |  |
| 14,27709 |  | 14, 27709 | 14, 27709 |  |  |
| $88,33000$ |  | $\begin{array}{r}88,330 \\ 4,233 \\ \hline 8\end{array}$ | 74, 32664 |  | - 14,003 36 |
|  | 4, 23358 | 4,233 12,661 12 | 4, 00000 12,56692 | 23358 | 9413 |
| 40,000 00 | 31670 2,30057 | 12,661 <br> 42,300 <br> 27 | 12,56692 <br> 40,000 <br> 1 |  | 2, 30057 |
|  |  | 74703 |  | 74703 |  |
| 25, 000 U0 |  | 25, 00000 | 16, 00000 | $\cdots 9$ | 9, 00000 |
|  | 9618 | 9618 8 8 |  | 9618 | $\ddot{9} 4$ |
| 5,00000 | 394 | 5,003 94 | 5,000 00 |  | 394 |
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|  | 14561 | 19, 92751 | 16,64200 |  | 3, 98551 |
| 440, 00000 | 17304 | 440, 17304 | 418,056 40 |  | 22,116 64 |
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|  |  | 12083 |  | 12083 |  |
|  | 36536 | 98.41155 | 98,411 55 |  |  |
|  |  | 107, 23000 | 107, 28000 |  |  |
|  |  | 6446 349 |  | 6446 |  |
|  | 86 | 3, 44974 | 3,448 00 |  | 174 |
|  |  | 3087 951475 | 9,352 00 | 3087 | 16275 |
|  | 51, 88417 | 51, 98417 | 41, 00253 |  | 10,881 64 |
|  | 22 | - 22 |  | 22 |  |
|  | 77 | 11128 |  | 11128 |  |
|  | 1,787 80 | 9,362 33 | 5,831 00 |  | 3,531 33 |
| 150, 00000 | 26031 | 150, 20031 | 142,51275 |  | 7,68756 |
|  |  | 4174 |  | 4174 |  |
|  | 91303 | 93003 | 37810 |  | 55193 |
| 166,627 28 | 50993 | 167, 13721 | 164,505 65 |  | 2,631 56 |
|  |  | 5392 29181 |  | 5392 |  |
|  | ${ }^{273} 58$ | - 2,18124 | $2,07200$ |  | 10924 22626 |
| 20,000 00 | 9,260 26 | - 29,26026 | 2903400 |  | 22626 |
| ................. | 288835 | 233,572 98 | 79,95639 | 38042 | 153,616 60 |
| 870,00000 | 1, 23407 | 871, 234 07 | 642,902 87 |  | 228, 33120 |
|  | ${ }_{6}^{67}$ | 2,236 54 | 34400 | 7, 89254 |  |
|  | 42435 | 42435 | - | 42435 |  |
|  | 132 | 4648 |  | 4648 |  |
|  | 3,645 81 | 36, 17988 | $\cdot 3,74159$ |  | 32, 43829 |
| 65,00000 | 42947 | 65,42947 | 51, 80647 |  | 13,623 00 |
|  |  | - 24548 |  | 24548 |  |
|  | 1,126 69 | 9,704 63 | 8,694 00 |  | 1,010 63 |
| 103,000 00 | 7,15600 | 110, 15600 | 109, 71907 |  | 43693 |
|  | 35 | 17297 | 17200 | 97 |  |
|  | 3,806 21 | 10,54298 | 7, 85800 |  | 2,68498 |
| 57, 80000 | 1,751 71 | 59,551 71 | 41, 30590 |  | 18,245 81 |
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|  | 3250 | 10240 | 100 |  | 10140 |
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|  | 33896 | 33896 |  | 33896 |  |
| 12, 422, 602 62 | 1,967, 30737 | 14, 956,752 03 | 13, 684, 80487 | 19,841 07 | 1,252,106 09 |

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| Specific objects of appropriations. | Year: | Statutes. |  | Balances of ap. propriations, July 1, 1877. |
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| al Establishiment-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward ...................................................................... 8876 |  |  |  |  |
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| Observation of the transit of Ven | ...... | 19 | 387 | 24046 |
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| Observation of the transit of Mercary | 1878 | 19 | 387 |  |
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|  | 1877 <br> 1878 | 19 | 387 | 17,703 70 |
| Magazine at Norfolk | 1877 |  |  | 1086 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Ordnavce material, proceeds of sale.........................Contingent, ordvanceC.............................1876 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Do... | 1877 |  |  | 73500 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Construction and repai | 1876 |  |  | 6,405 57 |
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|  | 1877 |  |  |  |
| Do | 1878 | 19 | $3 \cdot 9$ |  |
| Burean of Steam.Engineerivg; act Juue 14, 1878 | 1878 | 20 | 122 |  |
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|  | 1877 |  |  | 16,821 31 |
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| Civil establishment, Medicine and Surgery..................... 1880 |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  | 598 |
|  |  |  |  | 7576 |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Expenses incurred by naral board.............................. | 1877 |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Payment to William Young for royalty on ship's galless..................................................... 20. |  |  |  |  |
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|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
| Allowavce for reduction of wages........................ <br> Burial of ofticers and others, United States steamer Huron... <br> $\ldots . .1$ <br> 20 |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Indemnity for lost clothing.............................. ${ }^{\text {and...... }}$................. |  |  |  |  |
| Payment to ofticers and crew of the Kearsarge .............Relief of the beirs, \&c., of those lost in the United States1...... |  |  |  |  |
| steamer Oueida act May 18, 1870. |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Carried forward |  |  |  | 1,384, 338 |

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$1,384,33830$
*and prior years.
${ }^{1}$ This balance was transferred from "Navg Pension-fund (principal)," Interior Ledger.
mexpended June 30, 1877, fc.-Continucd.

| Appropriations for the fiscal Year ending June $30,1878$. | Repayments made during the fiscal year $18: 8$. | Aggregate arail able for the fiscal year erding Jone $30,1878$. Jane 3, 18 . | Payments during the fiscal year ending June $30,1878$. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { A mounts carried } \\ & \text { to the surplus } \\ & \text { fand June } 30, \\ & 1878 \text {. } \end{aligned}$ | Balances of appropriations, June 30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| \$12,422, 60262 | \$1, 967, 30737 | \$14, 956, 75203 | $\begin{aligned} & \$ 13,684,80487 \\ & 31500 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 19,84107 \\ 20 \\ 51 \end{array}$ | \$1, 252, 10609 |
|  | 72564 | $\begin{array}{r}33551 \\ 5,16414 \\ \hline 1\end{array}$ | 5,16400 |  |  |
| 19,50000 | 1,68821 | 21,18821 | 15,65500 |  | 5,533 21 |
| 5,000 00 |  | 5,240 46 | 4, 20000 |  | 54046 |
| 8, 00000 |  | 8,00000 | 2500 | ............ | 7,97500 |
| 1, 50000 |  | 1,50000 | 1,274 00 |  | 22600 |
| 1,200 00 |  | 1,200 00 | 1,01000 | .... 9 | 19000 |
|  | 9065 | 1,316 86 | 19510 |  | 1,12170 |
| 3,00000 | 24263 | 3,242 63 | 2,271 44 |  | 1971 19 |
|  | 1399 | 14239 | 13800 | 439 |  |
|  | $\bigcirc, 83989$ | 27,543 59 | 27, 50700 |  | ${ }^{36} 59$ |
| 188, 00000 | 3, 60650 | 191, 60650 | 173, 94:3 84 |  | 17, 662 66. |
|  | 2,145 22 | 2, 15608 | 2, 15376 |  | 232 |
|  | 15 | 347 | 347 |  |  |
|  | 5237 | 33037 | 32700 |  | 337 |
| $\begin{array}{r}38,500 \\ 7,12863 \\ \hline 17\end{array}$ | 194 | 38,50194 | 37,577 72 |  | 924828 734 |
| 7,128 63 | - | 68, 2525.5 | 67, 518 40 | 255 | 73415 |
|  | 913 | 74413 | 73100 |  | 1313 |
| 1,00000 |  | 1,000 00 | 78567 |  | 21435 |
|  | 5267 | 6,45824 | 27700 | 6,181 24 |  |
| $\begin{aligned} & 25,99341 \\ & 1,750,00000 \end{aligned}$ | 1,08187 1275 | $\begin{array}{r} 28,01183 \\ 1,750,01275 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 27,507441 \\ 1,712,14902 \end{array}$ |  | $\begin{array}{r} 50442 \\ 37,86373 \end{array}$ |
| - $1,347,45387$ |  | $1,347,45387$ | 1,625,978 23 |  | 721, 77564 |
| ................ | 2350 | 2350 |  |  | 2350 |
|  | ${ }^{3} 7333$ | $\begin{array}{r}380 \\ 38 \\ 37 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 1637 | 38 | 35730 |
| 942, 00000 | 76610 | 942,766 10 | 912, 20901 |  | 29,957 09 |
| 1, 423,876 67 |  | 1, 423, 87667 | 1, 090, 32976 |  | 333, 54691 |
|  | 20 |  |  |  |  |
|  | 19039 | - 23691 | ${ }^{65} 30$ | 17161 |  |
| 955, 00000 | 2, 90752 | 19,72883 956,84613 | 18,94077 856,30447 |  | $\begin{array}{r} 78806 \\ 100,54166 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 2350 |  | 2350 |  |
|  | 162,44310 | 168, 11226 | 149,62138 |  | 18,49088 |
| 223, 89880 |  | 223, 898880 | 217, 29547 |  | 6,603 33 |
|  | 20744 | $46917$ |  | 25311 | 323 |
| 35,000 00 | $36+$ 671 671 | 35,006 71 | 32,81144 |  | 2, 19527 |
|  | 1026 | 1026 |  | 1026 |  |
|  |  |  |  | 1583 |  |
| 30,000 00 | $\begin{array}{r}13252 \\ 4,12633 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 4, 06670 | $\begin{array}{r}3,94458 \\ 33 \\ 580 \\ \hline 184\end{array}$ |  | 12212 545 |
| 3, 0 | 74, 57031 | 74, 74094 | 66, 47112 |  | 8,169 82 |
|  |  | 1206 |  | 06 |  |
| 20,00000 | $\begin{array}{r} 2237 \\ 729 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,64042 \\ 20,00725 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,61200 \\ 11,70265 \end{array}$ |  | 2842 8,30460 |
|  |  | -1720 |  | 1720 |  |
|  | 15878 | 16114 | 14032 |  | 2082 |
| 25,000 00 | 68500 | 25, 68500 | 25,34502 |  | 33998 |
|  | 277 $\begin{array}{r}50 \\ 44\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 648 \\ 35320 \end{array}$ | 23467 | 648 | 11853 |
| 15,00000 | 279 25 | 15, 05928 | 14, 37045 |  | 65883 |
|  | 67388 | 67388 |  |  | 673 ¢8 |
|  | 7487 | 7487 | 7487 |  |  |
|  | 0,844 22 | 609, 96629 | 19, 13372 |  | 590, 83257 |
| 5,000 00 |  | 5,000 00 | 2,514 60 |  | 2, 485 |
|  |  | 16, 91257 | 16,695 67 |  | 21690 |
|  |  | $\begin{array}{r} 54000 \\ 800 \\ 00 \end{array}$ | 0,540 00 |  | 80000 |
|  |  | 75,800 12 | 75,800 12 |  |  |
|  | ${ }^{(2)} 17460$ | 17460 |  | 15363 |  |
| 6,000 00 |  | 6, 00000 | 4, 74759 |  | 1,252 41 |
| 4,39887 |  | 4,398 87 | 4,398 87 |  |  |
|  | 15093 | 15093 | 15093 |  |  |
| 24000 |  | 24000 | 24000 |  |  |
| 4, 53333 |  | 4,533 33 | 4,523 33 |  |  |
| 3,662 03 |  | 3, 66203 | 3, 66203 |  |  |
| 19, 519, 02823 | 2, 246,646 28 | 23, 150, 01281 | 19,967, 26570 | 27, 22091 | 3, 155,526 20 |

[^30]Statement exhibiting the balances of appropriations

| Specific objects of appropriations, | Year. | Statutes. |  | Balances of appropriations, July 1, 1877. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  | Vol. | Page or bection. |  |
| Naval Establishment-Continued. |  |  |  |  |
| Brought forward ...................... |  |  |  | \$1,384, 33830 |
| Relief of children of Otway H. Berryman and others |  |  |  | 13,56123 |
| Relief of Mrs. R. A. Kennedy......................... |  |  |  | 73900 |
| Relief of Robert A. Mayo..... |  |  |  | 1,507 59 |
| Relief of ${ }^{\text {R }}$. H. Coverdale. |  | 20 | 35 |  |
| Relief of sufferers by wreck of United States steamer Huron (gratuity, act December 14, 1877). |  | 20 | 225 | .......... |
| Total naval establishment |  |  |  | 1, 400, 14612 |

RECAPIT

unexpended June 30, 1877-Continued.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year onding June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year $18 \div 8$. | Aggregate available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments duriug the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | A mounts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 1878. | Balauces of appropriations, June 30, 18 i8. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  |  |  |  |  |  |
| \$19,519, 02823 | \$2, 246, 64628 | \$23, 150, 01281 | \$19, 967, 26570 | \$ $\$^{2} 7,22091$ | \$3, 155, 52620 |
|  |  | 13,561 23 | 90408 |  | 12,657 15 |
|  |  | 73000 |  |  | 73900 |
|  |  | 1,507 59 |  | 1,507 59 |  |
| 6,71800 |  | 6,718 00 | 6,718 00 |  |  |
| 62, 65029 |  | 62,650 29 | 62,650 29 |  |  |
| 19, 588, 396 52 | *2, 246, 64628 | 23, 235,188 92 | 20,037, 538.07 | 28,728 50 | 3,168, 92235 |

## ULATION.

| Appropriations for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Repayments made during the fiscal year 1878. | Aggregate available for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Payments daring the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. | Amounts carried to the surplus fund June 30, 1878. | Balances of appropriations, June30, 1878. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 927, 832, 09384 | \$1, 868, 11257 | \$41, 529, 06886 | \$30, 629, 52196 | \$4, 725, 70971 | \$6, 173, 83719 |
| $16,818,70176$ | 488, 78390 | 21, 217, 00517 | 17,412, 71733 | 588, 41220 | 3, 215, 87564 |
| . $3,297,97711$ | 73, 58314 | 4, 527, 64148 | 3, 621, 85474 | 245, 19143 | 660, 59531 |
| 4, 149, 886.23 | 56,502 49 | 5, 094, 60691 | 4,000,59164 | 578,206 20 | 515, 80907 |
| 456, 178,284 45 | 2,450,018 49 | 458, 628,302 94 | 458, 627, 83804 | 46490 |  |
| 33, 837, 63138 | 1,303, 922 82 | 41, 202, 70654 | 32, 644, 56679 | 2,039,637 28 | 6,518, 50247 |
| 31, 691, 63264 | 2, 298, $887 \cdot 87$ | 42, 821, 64178 | $34,453,10069$ | 3, 078, 67786 | 5, 289, 86393 |
| 19,588, 39652 | 2, 246,646 28 | 23, 235, 18892 | 20, 037, 53807 | 28,728 50 | 3, 168,922 35 |
| 593, 314, 60393 | 10,786, 45756 | $638,256,16260$ | 601, 427, 72926 | 11, 285, 09808 | 25,543,405 26 |

*Total repayments for the naval establishment, as per warrants issued, were
From which deduct the following repayments, transfersed to the Interior Department by order of the Secretary of the Treasury.

425,59042
2,246,646 28

Statement of outstanding principal of the public debt of the Onited States on the 1st of January of each year from 1791 to 1842, inclusive; and on the lst of July of each year from 1843 to 1878, inclusive.


## CUSTOMS.

Statement of expenses for collecting the revenue from customs, by districts, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.
 ..... \$904, 59057
Brought forward
Brought forward
Nantucket, Mass ..... 2, 06430
Barnstable, Mass
4,73060
4,73060
Salem, Mass ..... 8, 02609
Bristol, R. I ..... 2,73194
Newport, R. I ..... 4, 12390
Providence, R. I ..... 21, $078^{\prime} 00$
Stonington, Conn ..... 1, 513.00
Fairfield, Conn ..... 2,48368
Nei London, Comn ..... 7, 19709
New Haven, Comn ..... 15, 85798
Middletown, Conn ..... 2,995 33
New York, N. Y ..... 2,385, 46840
Cape Vincent, N. Y ..... 11,483 25
Genesee, N. Y ..... 21. 04300
Buffalo, N. Y ..... 35,975 65
Oswego, N. Y ..... 28,065 11
Niagara, N. Y ..... 37, 13313 ..... 37, 13313
Dunkirk, N. Y ..... 1, 56400
Sag Harbor, N. Y ..... 1, 05900
Chaimplain, N. Y ..... 26,054 08
Oswegatchie, N. Y ..... 16,414 00
Albany, N. Y ..... 10,361 00
20000
Burington, N. J ..... -3,931 17
1,903 66 ..... 2,221 00
Great Egg Harbor, N. J .....
37300 .....
37300 ..... 5,778 50
Bridgetown, N. J
Bridgetown, N. J
3,894 59
Erie, Pa
12,439 00
12,439 00
Pittsburgh, Pa
Pittsburgh, Pa
323, 84658
323, 84658
Philadelphia, Pa
Philadelphia, Pa ..... 11, 38868
Amapolis, Md ..... 1,267 00
2,648 25
Eastern Maryland303, 54542
3,645 77
Bultimore, Md
Georgetown, D. C
11,931 28
Norfolk, Va
2,831 00
Petersburg, Va
75353
75353
Tappalannock, Va
Tappalannock, Va ..... 6,528 15
Rishmond, Va
27554
27554
Yorktown, Via
Yorktown, Via .....
2,334 63 .....
2,334 63
Cherrystone, Va ..... 2, 36800
Wheeling, W. Via ..... 42911
Wilmington, N. C ..... 13, 09508
Beanfort, N. C ..... 1, 47300 ..... 4, 02700Pamlico, $\mathrm{N} . \mathrm{C}$
Albemarle, N. C ..... 2,272 00
Charleston, S. C ..... 22,858 05
Beaufort, S. C. ..... 3,655 43
Georgetown, S. C ..... 1,860 59
Savannal, Ga ..... 27,573.60
Brunswick, Ga ..... 5,520 71
Saint Mary's, Ga. ..... 2, 13500
Saint John's, Fla ..... 2,511 17
Saint Mark's, Fla ..... 6, 68455
Pensacola, Fla ..... 21,595' 15
Fernandina. Fla ..... 1, 42900
Saint, Augustine, Fla ..... 4,304 28
Key West, Fla ..... 23, 81740
Apalachicola, Fla ..... 66485
Mobile, Ala ..... 20,369 45
Natchez, Miss ..... 47274
Pearl River, Miss ..... 4,921 54
Vieksburg, Miss ..... 65295
Teche, La ..... 7,086 07
New Orleans, La ..... 234, 29941
Paso Del Norte, Tex. and N. Mex ..... 16,234 37
Brazos, Tex ..... 41,360 89Carried forward

Statement of expenditures of assessing and collecting the internal revenue for the fiscal year
ending June 30,1878 , embracing salaries and expenses of collectors and salaries and
expenses of supervisors and subordinate offcers.

Brought forward
$\$ 270,04501$
$\$ 270,04501$
Illinois, first district ..... 55, 69468
second district ..... 8,531 83
third district ..... 12, 62380
fourth district ..... 18, 42486
fifth district ..... 43, 47621
seventh district ..... 5,364 85
eighth district ..... 24,885 93
thirteenth district ..... 17,037 28
Indiana, first district ..... 15, 09714
61747
third distirict
27,751 71
fourth district
12,387 05
sixth district
18,024 03
18,024 03
seventh district
seventh district ..... 9,000 60
eleventh district. ..... 6,836 33
Iowa, second district ..... 7,266 68
third district ..... 14, 72909
fourth district ..... 10,672 29
fifth district ..... 9, 64794
sixth district ..... 26177
Kansas ..... 9,043 49
Kentncky, second district ..... 35,699 43
fifth district ..... 102,195 25
sixth district ..... 41,913 35
seventh district ..... 76,525 10
eighth district ..... 33,102 09
ninth district ..... 12,976 84
Louisiana, first district ..... 30,817 01
second district ..... 6300
Maine, first district ..... 9,54751
second district ..... 66679fourth district
1529
Massachusetts, third district ..... 26, 49934
fifth district. ..... 27,330 56
tenth district ..... 13,778 32
46, 82625
46, 82625 ..... 15,80240 ..... 15,80240 ..... 17680 ..... 17680
Maryland, third district
Maryland, third district
7,928 50
Montana ..... 17, 85676
Michigan, first district
9,590 56
9,590 56
third district
third district ..... 6,50372
sixth district ..... 8,038 53
Minnesota, first district. ..... 8,088 86
second district ..... 7,878 37
70903
Mississippi, first district ..... 20,328 23
Missouri, first district ..... 40, 44615
second district ..... 9,955 40
fourth district ..... 15, 88406
fifth district ..... 10, 23581
sixth district ..... 17, 25830
New Jersey, first district ..... 10,754 16
third district ..... 11, 76670
fifth district ..... 26, 23181
New York, first district ..... 40,611 48
second district ..... 43, $027 \quad 13$
thind district45,34944
fourth district ..... 34565
eleventh district ..... 9,53403
twelfth district ..... 13,966 68
fourteenth district ..... 12, 07482
fifteenth clistrict ..... 8, 15510
twenty-first district ..... 10,085 75
twenty-fonrth district ..... 15,85037
twenty-sixth district ..... 8,555 56
twenty-seventh district ..... 10276 ..... 14,293 87twenty-eighth district
Carried forward

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Statement of expenditures for marine-hospital service, by districts, for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878.
Bangor, Me ..... \$1, 48957
Frenchman's Bay, Me ..... 94020
Walcloborough, Me ..... 83743
Machias, Me ..... 89301
Wiscasset, Me ..... 37825
Bath, Me ..... 91697
Portland, Me ..... 5,50845
Belfast, Me40700
Passamaquoddy, Me ..... 24450
Castine, Me ..... 27500
Portsmoutl, N. H ..... 28660
Vermont, Vt ..... 14600
62200
New Bedford, Mass
Marblehead, Mass ..... 5, 08156
Boston, Mass ..... 15, 27076
Barnstable, Mass ..... 6, 249.54
Salem, Mass ..... 13750
Edgartown, Mass ..... 3; 40576
Newport, R. I ..... 31310
Providence, R. I ..... 2,44243
New Haven, Conn ..... 1, 66090
Middletown, Conn ..... 22450
New Lonclon, Conn ..... 17242
New York, N. Y ..... 40, 29404
7374 Cape Vincent, N. Y
62850
62850
Oswego, N. Y
Oswego, N. Y ..... 39850
Champlain, N. Y ..... 21300
Oswegatchie, N. Y ..... 19300
Buffalo, N. Y ..... 4, 1838611600
Albany, N. Y
16100
Great Egr Harbor, N. J
318780
318780
..... 5500
..... 5500
Little Egg Harbor, N. J
Little Egg Harbor, N. J ..... 3, 47348
Perth Amboy, N. J
Perth Amboy, N. J
17, 10770
17, 10770
Philadelphia, Pa
13805
Erie, Pa
8725
8725
Delaware, De
Delaware, De
20660
20660
Eastern, Md
Eastern, Md ..... 13, 96573
Batimore, M
Batimore, M ..... 94363
Norfolk, V a ..... 12, 68392
Petersburg, Va ..... 300
Tappahamnock, Va ..... 35225
Richmond, Va ..... 1, 31479
650
Yorktown, Va
81200
81200
Wheeling, W. Va
Wheeling, W. Va ..... 1, 43389
91679
Pamlico, N. C
18: 00
Albemarle, N. C ..... 3, 98400
Beaufort, S. C ..... $15 \quad 5$
Savannah, Ga ..... 3, 736205450
Brmoswick, Ga
21500
Saint Mark's, Fla
2, 15425
2, 15425 ..... 16000
Saint John's, Fla
Saint John's, Fla
4, 93140
Pensacola, Fla
82466
82466
Apalachicola, Fla
Apalachicola, Fla
3, 48537
3, 48537
Key West, Fla
Key West, Fla
6, 61314
6, 61314 ..... 2500
Mobile, Ala
Mobile, Ala
3, 62230
3, 62230
Vicksburg, Miss
Vicksburg, Miss
22, $486 \cdot 58$
22, $486 \cdot 58$
New Orleans, La
New Orleans, La
12800
12800
Brazos Santiago, Tex
Brazos Santiago, Tex
5750
5750
Carried forward ..... 20352854
Saluria, Tex
Saluria, Tex
Brought forward ..... \$203, 52852
Galveston, Tex ..... , 44465
Corpus Christi, Tex ..... 8200
Memphis, Tenn ..... 3, 74400
Nashville, Tenn ..... 3, 17230
Louisville, Ky
1, 75100
Miami, Ohio
4, 55772
Cuyahoga, Ohio
9, 14794
9, 14794
Cincinnati, Ohio
Cincinnati, Ohio .....
7, 66767 .....
7, 66767
Detroit, Micli
Detroit, Micli
6575
6575
Superior, Mich ..... 44705
Huron, Mich ..... 2755
Evansville, Ind. ..... 3, 97249
Cairo, Ill ..... 7, 11243
Chicago, Ill ..... 21, 50038
La Crosse, Wis ..... 2, 40576
Milwaukee, Wis ..... 5, 06286
Minnesota, Minn ..... 1, 77465
Duluth, Minn ..... 12615
Dubuque, Iowa ..... 2, 13455
Saint Louis, Mo ..... 13,094. 04
Willamette, Oreg ..... 2, 79375
Oregon, Oreg ..... 7857
Puget Sound, Wash ..... 8,594 00
San Francisco, Cal ..... 21, $751 \cdot 19$
8350
Transportation
19, 75191
19, 75191
B. Birch disbursing agent
B. Birch disbursing agent
366, 36315
From which deduct the following excess of repayments:
Alexandria, Va ..... $\$ 369$
Pearl River, Miss ..... $20 \quad 00$
1, 07025Total net expenditiures marine-hospital service365, 29290

Statement of the number of persons employed in each district of the United States for the collection of customs for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878, with •their occupation and compensation.

| District, number of persons, aud occripation. | Compensa tion. | District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensa. tion. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| AROOSTOOK, ME. |  | frenchman's bay, me. |  |
|  |  | 1 collector | \$1,259 36 |
| 1 special deputy collector and inspector | 1, 46000 | 1 depaty collector | 1, 20000 |
| 3 deputy collectors and inspectors.... | 3,285 00 | 1 deputy collector .......... | 1200 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector | 72900 | 2 deputy collectors and inspectors | 1, 200000 |
| 1 inspector | 73000 | 1 istorekepper | 1200 |
| Passamaquoddx, me. |  | BANGOR, ME. |  |
| 1 collector | 3, 00000 | 1 collector. | 1.834 00 |
| 1 surveyor | 1,456 40 | 1 special deputy collector | 1,600 00 |
| 1 deputy collector | 1,800 00 | 3 inspectors | 3: 22500 |
| 1 deputy collector | 1,600 00 | 1 temporary inspector | 75000 |
| 3 deputy collectors and inspectors | 3,285 00 | 1 weigher and gauger, \&c | 59700 |
| 3 inspectors | 3,235 00 | 1 watchman | $730{ }^{\text {co }}$ |
| 1 inspector. | 1,095 00 | 1 janitor . | 50000 |
| 4 inspectors | 3, 64800 |  |  |
| 2 inspectors. | 1,45800 | caftine, me. |  |
| 1 watchman | 91200 | 1 collector |  |
| 3 watchmen | 2,190 00 | 2 depaty collectors and inspectors | 2. 19000 |
| 1 janitor | 36000 |  | 1, 09500 |
| H |  | 2 deputy colloctors. | 2,463 75 |
| 1 collector |  | belfast, me. |  |
| 1 special deputy | 1,095 00 | 1 collector | 1,298 05 |
| 2 deputy collectors.. | 1,638 00 | 3 deputy collector | 3,28500 |

Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, fc.-Continued.


Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, \&r.-Contiaued.

| District, number of persons, and occupation. |
| :---: |
| Boston and Charlestown, Mass.- |
| 1 clerks and storekeeper ............... |
| 1 clork and storek eeper. .................. |
| 1 wessenger and clerk |
| 1 messenger and clerk. |
| 8 messcugers. |
| . 1 messectors |
|  |  |
|  |
| 1 isspector of marbl |
| 1 inspectress.. |
| 1 special inspector 2 special inspectors |
|  |  |
|  |
| 1 captain night-watch |
|  |  |
|  |
| 3 weighers |
| 1 gatuer |
| 3 assistant weighers |
| 15 assistant weigners |
| 10 assistant weighers. |
| 1 warehouse superintende |
| 10 storekeepers:istorekeepers. |
|  |  |
|  |

## PIMMOUTH, MASS.

1 collector
1 depaty collector
1 deputy collector and inspector
1 deputy collector and inspector.
barnstable, mass.
1 collector
2. deputy collector and inspector.

1 depury collector and inspector.
1 depnty collector and inspector.
9 deputy collectors and inspectors
1 depnty collector and inspector.
1 deputy collector and inspector.
1 clerk
1 boatman
1 aid to reveune
21 storekeepers.

## Fall river, mass.

1 collector
1 deputy collector and inspector
2 inspectors aud weighers, \&c.
1 boatman
1 temporary night-inspector

## NEW BEDFORD, MASS.

1 collector
1 dcputy collector and inspector
1 cletk.
1 inspector
1 inspecsor and weigher, \&e
1 inspector
1 janitor.
1 inspector
1 inspector
1 deputy collector and iuspector.

## NANTUCKET, MASS.

1 collector
1 deputy collector
1 deputy collector

## EDGARTOWN, MASS.

1 collector
1 deputy collector, inspector, \&c
1 depaty collector
1 inspector
2 inspectors
1 boatman
nigbt-vatchman

## Compensa.

 tion.81,80000 90000
1, 00000
90000
6, 72000
5,76000
1, 46000
106, 0.32 50
30000
20000
1, 46000
2, 920.00
1, 46000

1. 46000

2, 40000
40,000 00
6, 00000
2, 100000
4, 38000
19, 16250
10, 95000
2, 00000
12,775 00
6,400 00
1, 10000

1, 28112
80000
39900
30000

2,983 00
90000
1,095 00
80000
1,500 00
50000
40000
30000
6000
30000
1, 05000

1, 17379
1,277 50
2, 19000
30000
3000

2, 26905
1,500 00
90000
1, 09500
1, 09500
7500
60000
3000
2000
23560

28024
80000
45000

66514
1,095 00
80000
60000
99600
30000
60000

| District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensation. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Providmene, ril. |  |
| 1 collector. | \$4,002 11 |
| 1 deputy collector and cashior | 1,600 00 |
| 1 deputy collector, inspector, and clerk | 2,000 00 |
| 4 inspectors, weighers, \&c .............. | 4,380 00 |
| 2 inspectors. | 2,190 00 |
| 2 inspectors. | 2,175 00 |
| 1 inspector. | 49800 |
| 1 boatman. | 45000 |
| 1 messenger and storekeeper | 90000 |
| 1 storekoepor . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 73000 |
| 1 пppraiser... | 3,000 09 |
| 1 messenger. | $912 \cdot 00$ |
| 1 janitor... | 74000 |
| bRistol and warrinn, f. l. |  |
| 1 collector | 10979 |
| 1 deputy collector;inspector, weigher, \&c | 93600 |
| I deputy collector and inspector....... | 24900 |
| 1 boatman................................. | 21600 |
| NEWPORT, R. I. |  |
| 1 coilector. | 66809 |
| 1 deputy collector | 1,000 00 |
| 1 inspector. | 1, 09500 |
| 1 iuspector | 60000 |
| 1 inspector | 30000 |
| 1 inspector | 19800 |
| 1 occasional inspector | 16500 |
| 1 boatman . . . . . . . . . . | 35840 |
| Stonington, CONN. |  |
| 1 collector. | $5 \% 651$ |
| 3 deputy collectors aud inspectors. | 89925 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector. ...... | 9231 |
| 1 boatruan........ | 14400 |
| NEW LONDON, CONA. |  |
| 1 collector. | 3, 00000 |
| 1 deputy collector and clerk | 1,600 00 |
| 2 inspectors . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 2, 1.9000 |
| 1 inspector... | 49300 |
| 1 boatman and messenger | 48000 |
| 1 janitor. | 50000 |
| MIDDLETOWN, CONS. |  |
| 1 collector. | 1,. 04680 |
| 2 deputy collectors | 1,850 00 |
| 1 temporary inspector | 600 |
| 1 clerk.......... | 60000 |
| 1 storekbeper | 10000 |
| 1 janitor..... | 50000 |
| NEW HAVEN, CONN. |  |
| 1 collector. | 3, 20000 |
| 1 depaty collector | 1,600 00 |
| 1 clerk. | 1,200 00 |
| 1 clerk | 1, 09500 |
| 1 clerk | 60000 |
| 2 weighers and gangers | 2,19000 |
| 4 inspectors.... | 4,380 00 |
| 1 i inspector | 7200 |
| 1 inspector | 4800 |
| 1 watchuan | 1, 09500 |
| 1 watchman | - 40000 |
| 1 messenger. | 50000 |
| 1 janitor.. | 51250 |
| 1 fireman. | 60005 |
| FALRFIELD, CONN. |  |
| 1 collector | 1,299 44 |
| 1 deputy collector, inspector, weigher, \&c | 1,200 00 |
| 1 inspector .-................ : .............. | 22500 |
| 1 iuspector. | 19800 |
| 1 temporary inspector. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 6250 |

## Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, \&o.-Continued.

| District, wumber of persons, and | Compensa- tion. | District, number of persons, and | Compensa- tion. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Sag hirbor, n. y. |  | New York; N. Y.-Continued. |  |
| 1 collcetor. | \$479 ${ }^{\circ} 37$ | 1 superintendent of samples.......... | \$2,500 00 |
| 1 survejor | 48945 | 21 examiners | 52,500 00 |
| 1 deputy collector | 30000 | 8 craminers | 17, 60000 |
| 1 deputy collector ...................... | 18000 | 14 examiners.......................... | 28, 00000 |
| port jefferson, N . Y . |  | 8 examiners........................... | $\begin{array}{r} 14,40000 \\ 2,20000 \end{array}$ |
|  |  | 3 clerks | 5,400 00 |
| 1 surveyor | 21750 | 1 examiner of marble.................. | 1,500 00 |
|  |  | 8 clerks................................. | 11,200 00 |
| NEW YORK, N. X. |  | 12 clerks | 19, 20000 |
|  |  | 17 clerks | 20, 40000 |
| 1 collector | 12,000 00 | 2 clerks. | 2,400 00 |
| 1 cluief clerk | 4, 00000 | 24 ammplers | 28,800 00 |
| 8 deputy collectors | 24, 00000 | 8 samplers | \&, 00000 |
| 1 deputy collector... | 2,000 00 | 3 foremen. | 4,10625 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspecto | 1,460 00 | 80 openers and packers | 87,60000 |
| 1 auditor | 2, 20752 | 11 measengers | 9,900 00 |
| 1 assistant auditor... | 3,334 35 | 2 messengers | 2,00000 |
| 1 chief disbursing cler | 3, 16075 | 1 superintendent warehou | 2,79300 |
| 1 cashier. | 5, 00000 | 74 storekeepers | 108, 04000 |
| 1 assistant cash | 2,913 50 | 1 storekeeper | 1,460 00 |
| 3 clerks. | 5, 274490 | 2 storekepepers' | 2, 00000 |
| 2 cleiks | 2,483 40 | 1 naral officer | 8,00000 |
| 9 clerks | 22,500 00 | 1 comptrollor | 5,00000 |
| 1 clerk | 1, 40670 | 1 deputy naval | 2,50000 |
| 20 clerks | 25,783 00 | 1 clerk. | 2,500 00 |
| 12 clerks | 10,927 20 | 7 clerks | 15, 40000 |
| 29 clerks | 33, 99380 | 10 clerks | 20,00000 |
| 39 clerks | 32, 28420 | 14 clerks | 95, 20000 |
| 1 clerk and cigar inspe | 2, 00000 | 14 clerks | 22, 10000 |
| 28 clerks | 20,540 00 | 7 clerks | 9, 80000 |
| 35 clerks | 26,075 00 | 2 clerks | 2,40001 |
| 41 clerks | 38,449 00 | 4 elerks | 4, 00000 |
| 46 clerk | 30, 46120 | 1 clerk | 80000 |
| 1 clerk | 1,500,00 | 1 surveyor | 8,00000 |
| 70 clerks | 98,000 00 | 1 auditor | 5,00000 |
| 64 clerks | 45, 01120 | 1 deputy surv | 2,500 00 |
| 73 clerks | 36, 25910 | 1 clerk. | 1, 211831 |
| 20 clerks | 11,722 00 | 1 clerk |  |
| 16 clerks | 6,622 40 | 5 clerks | 8.00000 |
| 9 clerks. | 4,74750 | 8 . clerks | 11,200 00 |
| 2 clerks. | 98460 | 1 clerk | 53003 |
| 33 messengers | 11, 47410 | 2 messengers | 1,800 00 |
| 26 messengers | 8, 60860 | 5 messengers | 1,024 00 |
| 5 messengers | 1,490 00 |  |  |
| 1 messenger | 23440 | tchogue, n. y. |  |
| $1 \begin{aligned} & 1 \text { opener and pack } \\ & 1 \\ & \text { clerk }\end{aligned}$ | 58610 |  |  |
| 1 messenger |  | 1 surve |  |
| 1 scrubber | 54000 | albany, n. y. |  |
| 1 scrabber | 36000 |  |  |
| 1 carpenter | 1,150 00 | 1 surveyor | 4,940 74 |
| 1 carpenter | 1,095 00 | 1 deputy surveyor and inspector | 1,460 00 |
| 4 ushers | 4, 80000 | 4 inspectors | 4,380 00 |
| 1 engineer | 1,500 00 | 1 inspector, temporar |  |
| 1 enginoer | 1,000 00 |  |  |
| 4 firemen | 2, 88000 | champlain, n. y. |  |
| 7 watchmen | 7,000 00 |  |  |
| 20 watchmen | 21, 90000 | 1 collector | 2,530 00 |
| 4 Sunday watchm | 52000 | 1 special deputy collector | 1, 60000 |
| 1 portor | 52750 | 1 depaty collector and clerk | 1, 400000 |
| 15 porters | 10,800 00 | 1 deputy collector and clirk .......... | 1,200 00 |
| 227 inspector | 331, 42000 | 1 deputy collector and slerk .......... | 1, 00000 |
| 4 coast inspectors | 72900 | 1 duty collector and inspector | 71294 |
| 7 inspectresses. | 7,665 00 | 8 deputy collectors. | 6, 40000 |
| 90 night-watchmen | 98, 55000 | 1 depaty collector. | 59997 |
| 7 weichers. | 17, 50000 | 4 deputy collectors and inspectors | 3,610 0 |
| 56 assistant weighers | -22, 74000 | 7 deputy collectors and inspectors | 3,870 0 |
| 7 javitors. | 1,446 00 | 3 special inspectors. | 4,380 00 |
| 13 weighers', clerk | 10,357 10 | 2 tewporary inspectors |  |
| 13 weighers' foremen | 10,357 10 |  |  |
| ${ }_{1} 6$ gangers | 12,000 00 | OSWEGATCHIE, N. Y. |  |
| 1 measurer of marble | 2,000 00 |  |  |
| 7 measurers of vessels | 10,220 00 | 1 collector | 2,500 00 |
| 1 general appraiser | 3, 00000 | 1 special deputy collector | 1,600 0 |
| 1 appraiser | 4, 00000 | 1 deputy collector | 1,500 00 |
| 10 assistant appraisers | 30, 00000 | 9 deputy collectors | 2,400 00 |
| 2 clerks | 5, 00000 | 2 deputy collectors | 2, 19000 |

## Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, fo.-Continned.

District, number of persons, and
occupation.

Oswegatchie, N. Y.-Continúed.
3 deputy collectors
3 doputy collectors
1 deprity collector
1 depaty collector
2 deputy collectiors
1 deputy collector
1 depaty collector

## CAPE VINCNNT, N. Y:

1 collector
1 special deputy collector
1 depity collector.
2 deputy collectors
7 deputy collectors
6 inspeotors
OSWEGO, N. Y.
1 collector
1 special depaty collector
1 depaty collector
1 depaty collector
$\bigcirc$ deputy collectors
2 donuty collectors
1 deputy collector.
1 depaty collector
1 deputy collector
1 inspector.
1 inspector
1 inspector.
2 inspoctors
I inspector.
1 inspector
1 inspector:
1 inspector
1 superintendent warehouse
1 storekeeper
3 storekeopers
1 storekeeper
1 janitor

## GENESEE, N. Y.

1 colleetor
1 deputy colloctor and clerk

1. deputy collector and clerk

2 depaty collectors and clerks
1 clerk
12 deputy collectors and inspectors
2 inspectors
nlagalia, n. y.
1 collector
1 doputy collector
1 deputy collector
1 deputy collector
2 deputy collectors
14 deputy collector
3 inspectors
1 depuity collector and inspector
2 deputy collectors and inspectors
$\stackrel{2}{2}$ storekeepers
I special inspector
1 inspectress
3 deputy collectors and inspectors
1 deputy coliector and inspector.
2 deputy collectors aud inspectors
1 deputy collector and inspector
buflalo creek, n. y.
1 collect or
1 deputy collector
2 deputy collectors
3 deputy collectors

$\$ 2,40000$


35700
91200
1, 80000
72900
36000

2,500 00
1,500 00
1, 20000
]., 80000
3, 15000
3,41700
t, 50000
1,600 00
1, 47513
' 94952
1., 96640

1,541 00
1, 00 ธ 80
98700
18300
64200
73500
64200
1, 37400 78300 72000
1, 09500 59400
1, 09500 26750 57000 11500 45000

2,500 00
1,600 00
1, 40000 2,000 00 84379 9, 71400 2, 19000

2,500 00
2,500 00
1, 80000
1,500 00
2, 80000
15, 33000
3, 28500
1,04700
1, 82400
48800
1, 42400
72000
2, 19600
$\begin{array}{r}76200 \\ 1.450 \\ \hline\end{array}$
1, 45200
65400

2,500 00
2, 20000
2,920 00
3,285 00

tion
$\$ 3,00000$
1,40000
1, 39160
1, 20000
60000
28352
13800
1,10400
55200
18300
91250
8,61500

1, 07003
1,00000
$970 \quad 15$
1, 20000
1,095 00

2,145 90
1, 20000
1, 09500
1, 20000

27569
60000

53697
46200

64256
6750
7854

3, 00000
1, 758. 30
2,110 00
1, 65060
1,500 00
2, 50000
3, 60000
22, 12440
1, 270
66000
4, 0000
40000
5, 0c0 00
625,00

Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, so.-Continued.

| District, number of persous, aud occupation. | Compensa. tion. | District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensa tion. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Philadeliphia, Pa.-Continued. |  | Ealtimoré, Md.-Continued. |  |
| 1 clerk | \$1,799 94 | 1 cashier | \$2,500 00 |
| 1 clerk | 1, 60000 | 1 assistant cashier | 21249 |
| 3 clerks | 4,711 12 | 1 assistant sastier | 1. 57506 |
| 1 messenger | 72000 | 1 chief liquidating clerk | 25002 |
| 1 surveror | 5,000 00 | 1 chief entry clerk. | 1, 800.00 |
| 2 depaty surveyors | 3,675 27 | 10 clerks...... | 2, 12490 |
| 1 clerk............. | 1, 40000 | 6 clerks | 8, 026.96 |
| 1 clerk | 1,200 00 | 8 clerks | 1, 406.53 |
| 1 messonger | 72000 | 7 clerks | 9,799 79 |
| 1 general appraiser | 3,000 02 | 7 clerks | 1,15500 |
| 1 clerk ...... | 1,300 00 | 8 clerks | 9, 80056 |
| 1 appraiser | 3,000 00. | 7 clerks | 96278 |
| 2 assistant appraisers | 5,000 00 | 5 elerks | 5,325 67 |
| 5 examiners. | 8,19797 | 3 nessengers and copsists | 2,396 80 |
| 1 examiner of drugs | 1,000 00 | 3 messengers . - . . . . . | 3,228 06 |
| 1 clerk ........... | 1,50000 | 2 laborers. | 1,206 20 |
| 3 clerks | 3,361 90 | 1 captain of watch | 87508 |
| 1 clerk | 70330 | 4 watchmen. | 45250 |
| 9 packers | 6, 78000 | 4 watchmen | 2,94880 |
| 1 messenger | 70000 | 43 inspectors | 53, 15100 |
| 4 watchroed | 2,880 00 | 1 captain night-inspectors | 1,27750 |
| 1 watchman | 70000 | 1 lieutenant night-inspectors | 1,094 68 |
| 1 foreman | 90000 | 33 night-inspectors............ | 32,999 50 |
| 3 laborers | 1,983 95 | 1 femalc examiner | 59995 |
| 1 marker. | 72000 | 2 narkers. | 1,679 96 |
| 1 weigher | 2,000 00 | 1 nossenger | 8995 |
| 8 aseistant weighers | 7,790 70 | 2 special inspectors | 2,179 00 |
| 1 clerk | 1,200 00 | I ficeman. | 46742 |
| 2 foremen | 1,8:5500 | 1 broatman | 27870 |
| 1 messengor. | 42200 | 2 boatmen | 83214 |
| 1 porter | 64230 | Night service of inspectors | 62100 |
| 1 gauger | 2,00000 | Temporary inspectors. | 35100 |
| 1 nueasurer | 1,277 50 | 1 weigher. | 2, 00000 |
| 3 laborers | 1,984 60 | 2 clerks. | 2,147 77 |
| 3 special inspectors | 4, 38000 | 13 assistant wcighers | 14,335 24 |
| 45 inspectors...... | 56, 27650 | 1 messenger ......... | -622 28 |
| 2 inspectors. | 2, 18100 | 2 gaugers | 37417 |
| 98 night.ratchmon | 24, 87250 | -Laborers, per hour. | 7,339 83 |
| 1 inspectress | - 79200 | 1 general appraiser | 3,000 00 |
| 1 inspector (lazarett | 60000 | 1 clerk. | 13750 |
| 2 bargemen | 1, 44000 | 2 appraisers. | 6, 00000 |
| 18 laborers. | 12,393 80 | 2 examiners. | 42498 |
|  |  | 3 examiners | 4, 72508 |
| ERIL, PA. |  | 4 examiners | 75016 |
|  |  | 3 examiner | 4,17817 |
| 1 collector | 2,500 00 | 3 clerks | 56262 |
| 3 inspectors | 2,064 00 | 2 clerks. | 2,799 91 |
| 1 inspector. | 1,15600 | 1 foreman | ], 00004 |
| 1 deputy collecto | 1, 400.00 | 3 samplers | $34500$ |
|  |  | 3 openers and packer <br> 6 laborers | $\begin{array}{r} 34500 \\ 4,40952 \end{array}$ |
| pitisburgh, Pa. |  | 6 laborers 5 laborers | $\begin{aligned} & 4,40952 \\ & 3,12703 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 5 laborers <br> 4 laborers | $\begin{array}{ll} 3,127 & 03 \\ 356 \end{array}$ |
| 1 surveror....... | 4,276 48 | 4 laborers | $35612$ |
| 1 special deputp survej | 1,800 00 | 3 laborers. . | $23250$ |
| 1 depnty survejor | 1, 60000 | 1 messenger | 63010 |
| 1 clerk... | 1, 20000 | 1 storekeeper | 25002 |
| 1 examiner and inspector | 1, 11600 | 1 storekeeper | 1, 55518 |
| 3 inspectors....... | 3, 05700 | 1 assistant storekeeper | 16249 |
| 1 messenger. | 60000 | 1 clerk | 1,399 97 |
|  |  | 4 porters. | 3,275 49 |
| DELAWARE. |  | 2 laborers | 15500 |
|  |  | 2 laborers | 1,260 20 |
| 1 collector | 2,036 99 | 1 messenger | 89.95 |
| 1. deputy collector and clerk | 1, 60000 | 1 engineer . | $\text { 1, } 19999$ |
| 1 deputy collector. . 1 ............ | 500 903 000 | 1 fireman 1 superintendent of steres | $\begin{aligned} & 1,09500 \\ & 913 \end{aligned}$ |
| 1 deputy collector. and inspector | 99300 .99600 | 1 superintendent of steres 5 storekeepers ............ | $\begin{array}{r} 91302 \\ 9,27950 \end{array}$ |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector | - 60000 | Night serviees of storekeepers | 9, 14400 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector | 49200 | 1 naval officer........ | 5, 00000 |
| 5 boatmen . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1,500 00 | 1 deputy naval officer | 2,500 00 |
|  |  | 2 clerks | 3,052 26 |
| baltumore, MD. |  | 2.clerks | 2,84780 |
|  |  | 2 clerks | 75016 |
| 1 collector. | 6,999 98 | 2 clerks | 48747 |
| 2 deputy collector | 6, 00000 | 1 clerk | 124.96 |
| 1 deputy collector | 80000 | 3 clerks | 3, 11077 |
| 1 auditor. | 2,500 00 | 2 clerks. | 2,450 14 |
| 1 assistant anditor | 1,423 40 | 1 messenger. | 72000 |

Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, \&o.-Contiuued.

| District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensation. | District, namber of persons, and occupation. | Compensation. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Baltimore, Md.-Continued. |  | Wheeling, w. va. |  |
| 1 surveyor: | \$3,667 09 | 1 surveyor ........ |  |
| 1 deputy sarveyor | 2,173 91 |  |  |
| 1 cleris.... | 15313 | albemarle, n. C. |  |
| 1 clerk | 11360 | 1 colleetor.... ............ | 1,243 69 |
| 1 clerk | ${ }_{753} 23$ | 1 deputy collector. | 1,095 00 |
| 1 clerk | 73998 |  |  |
| 1 messenger | 69838 | 1 collector .... ............ | 1,52. 88 |
| 1 in lieu of moieties | 1605 | 1 deputy collector | 1,000 00 |
|  |  | 1 deputy collector | 50000 |
| 1 collector .......... | 39453 | 1 deputy collector. | 32000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 300 | 1 deputy collector. | 30000 24000 |
| 1 inspector... | 1,095 00 | 1 diepaty coliector. |  |
| 1 boatman.................. | 18000 | beaufort, N . |  |
| 1 collector................ | 1,99740 | 1 collector | 1,14731 9 |
| 1 deputy collector and inepector. gleorgetown, d.c. | 1,095 00 | $1 \text { boatman }$ | 24000 |
| 1 collector | 1,305 73 | 1 collector | 2,500 00 |
| 1 special deputy collector | 1,460 00 | 1 deputy collector | 1,800 00 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspec | 1,095 00 | 1 clerk. | 1, 20000 |
| 1 inspector................ | 36800 | 6 inspeotors | 6,570 00 |
| alexandria, va. |  | 4 boatmen |  |
| 1 collector ......... | 49015 | GEORGETOWN, 8. c. |  |
| 1 depity collector and inspeetor | 1,200 00 | 1 collector | 43302 |
| 1 inspector. | 1,095 00 | 1 depaty collector | 70250 |
| tappahannock, va. |  | 2 boatmen |  |
| 1 collector | 42300 | 1 collector |  |
| 1 deputy collector | 36500 | 1 depaty collector | 2,40000 |
|  |  | 2 clorics | 3,20000 |
| 1 collector. YO.............. | 56735 | 1 clerk | 1,300 00 |
|  | 56735 | 1 clerk | 1,200 00 |
| richmond, va. |  | 1 chief inspector, | 1, 46000 |
| 1 collector :............... | 1,516 11 | 5 inspectors | 5,47500 |
| 1 deputy collector | 1, 40000 | 2 night-watc | 1,460 600 |
| 1 clerls and inspector | 1, 09500 | 4 boatmen |  |
| 1 inspector.. | 1,095 00 | 1 messenger. | 2, 80000 |
| 1 engincer | 78000 | 1 assistant messenger | 60000 |
| 1 assistaut engiue | 18000 | 1 appraiser..... | 1,500.00 |
| 1 watchma <br> 1 janitor | 62500 | 1 janitor. | 45000 |
| 1 boatman | 24000 | - beaumort s.c. |  |
| 1 special inspector | 86000 | 1 collector .......... |  |
| 1 temporary inspector | 11800 | 1 special doputy colloctor | 2500 |
| 1 temporary cler | 28200 | 1 inspector............... | 1,095 00 |
|  |  | 2 boatmen. | 60000 |
| 1 collector Petersburc, va. | 42368 | 1 messenger................ | 7500 |
| 1 deputy colloctor and clerk | 1,000 00 |  |  |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector. | 1,095 00 | 1 collector Savaniah, ga. |  |
| 1 messenger and watchman...... | 73000 | 1 collector ........... | 3,579 2 2 |
|  |  | 1 clerk and anditor . | $\begin{array}{r}2,000 \\ 1600 \\ \hline 1200\end{array}$ |
| NORFOLK AND P̧ortsmouth, va. |  | 3 clerks............ | 4, 20000 |
| 1 collector | 3,000 00 | 1 inspector | 1,460 00 |
| 1 deputy collector | 1,600 00 | 3 inspectors | 3,23500 |
| 2 clerks. | 2, 60000 | 1 inspector. | 1,07400 |
| 1 clerk | 82420 | 1 inspector | 1,068 00 |
| 1 inspector and storekeep | 91840 | 1 temporary inspector. | 5400 |
| 6 inspectors | 2,793 00 | 1 temporary inspector. | 7200 |
| 1 inspector | 1, 09200 | 1 temporary inspector. | 3000 |
| 2 night-watchmen | 7500 | 5 night-watchmen. | 4, 56250 |
| 1 boatman | 48000 | 1 night-watebman. | 80500 |
| 3 boatmen . | 90000 | 1 messenger. | 54000 |
|  |  | 3 boatmen | 1,620 00 |
| Cherrystone, va. |  | 1 boatman | 30000 |
| 1 collector | 83310 | 1 survejor | 41130 |
| 1 inspector | 1,095, 00 | 1 deputy surveyor | 4989 |
| 1 doputy collector and boatman | 20000 | 1 messenger | 36000 |
| 2 boatmen | 20000 | 2 appraisers. | 3,00000 |
| 4 night-watchm | 8000 | 1 porter. | 36000 |

## Statement of the number of persors employed in each district, fec.-Continued.

| District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensation. | District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensation. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| bRUNSWICK, GA. |  | MOBILE, ALA. |  |
| 1 collector | \$1,771 20 | 1 collector | \$2,919 65 |
| 2 deputy collect | 2,19000 | 1 depaty collector and casbier......... | 1,600 00 |
| 1 inspector. | 1,095 00 | 1 depaty collector and clerk...,...... | 1,50000 |
| 6 boatmeri | 1,800 00 | 1 clork $\ldots . .$. | 1,200 00 |
|  |  | 1 messsenger. | 73000 |
| SAINT MARY's, ga. |  | 2 janitors ... | 1,000 00 |
|  |  | 3 inspectors.............................. | 1, 35000 |
| 1 oollector | 1,048 86 | 5 inspector's . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3,150 00 |
| 1 deputy colle | 82000 | 1 special inspector | 60000 |
| 1 clerk.... | 30000 | 4 boatmen | 1,920 00 |
| 1 boatman | 30000 | 1 boatman | 48000 |
|  |  | 2 night-inspoctors. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 73000 |
| fernandina, fla. |  | 1 storekeeper . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1, 19500 |
| 1 collector | 1,536 86 | PEARL miver, MISS. |  |
| 1 deputy collec | 1, 09500 |  |  |
| 1 inspector. | 72900 | 1 collector --........... | 1,343 88 |
| 3 boatmen | 00000 | 3 inspectors. | 3,285 ט0 |
|  |  | 2 boatmon | 600.00 |
| Saint augustine, flat. |  | VICKSBURA, miss. |  |
| 1 collector ........ | 53385 | 1 collector | 57450 |
| 2 deputy collectors and inspectors ....- | 1,46000 | 1 collector | 57450 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector ......- | $\begin{array}{r}300 \\ 24 \\ 00 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | Natchez, Miss. |  |
| 1 special deputy collector | 2400 | Natchez, Miss. |  |
| 6 boatmen | 1,440 00 | 1 collector | 50000 |
| SAINT JOHN'S, PLA. |  | NEW ORLEANS, LA. |  |
|  | 1,274 35 | 1 collector | 7,000 00 |
| 1 deputy collector....................... | 73000 109500 | 2 deputy collectore | 6,000 00 |
| 1 depaty collector and inspector....... | 1,09500 | 1 deputy collector | 35000 |
|  |  | 1 auditor.................. . . . . . . . . . . . | 2,500 00 |
| KEY WEST, FLA. |  | 1 cashier | $\bigcirc, 50000$ |
|  |  | 1 chiei clerk | 84030 |
| 1 collector | 4,370 00 | 2 elerlss | 2, 659 30 |
| 1 deputy collecto | 2,30664 | 6 clerks | 9, 454 80 |
| 1 cashier | 1,400 00 | 5 clerks | 7,325 96 |
| 3 clerks | 3,600 00 | 9 clerks | 12,367 94 |
| 3 inspectors. | 3,28500 | 6 clerks | 6,700 57 |
| 1 inspector. | 30000 | 2 clerks | 1,915 80 |
| 2 inspectors. | 1, 46000 | 6 mossengers | 3, 9i9 14 |
| 1 temporary inspector | 2400 | 3 messengers | 20290 |
| 4 night-watchmen | 2, 43400 | 2 messengers. | 10100 |
| 2 storekeepers ... | 1,41600 | 1 warehouse saperintendent, \&c ...... | 1, 43475 |
| 1 messonger | 73000 | 7 storekeepers ....................... . . . | 9, 22052 |
| 4 boatmen. | 1,600 00 | 2 яppraisers . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 3, 50540 |
| 4 boatruen | 1, 20000 | 1 assistant appraiser .................... | 2,500 05 |
| 1 janitor | 50000 | 5 examiners.................: $\cdot$ : : : . . | 8, 47696 |
|  |  | 2 opeuers and packers ....... ....... | 1, 60000 |
| SAINT MARE'S, Flat | - | 1 sampler . .-. . . . . . . . . . . . . . . - - . . . . | 6740 |
| 1 ${ }^{\text {all }}$. |  | 1 special examiner of drags : .......... | 1, 00000 |
| 1 collector | 1,164 96 | 1 chief weigher .......................... | 2, 00000 |
| 2 inspectors | 2,19000 | 6 assistant weighers ...... .............. | 6,69780 |
| 1 inspector | 64500 | 1 ganger .................................. | 1, 49996 |
| 2 inspectors | 22800 | 3 foremen to weigher.....- ....-......- | 25.20 |
| 1 inspector. | 91200 | 1 custom-house superintendent........ | 11790 |
| 1 temporary inspector | 4800 |  | 1, 46000 |
| 2 temporary iuspectors. | 3000 | 2 markers .-..:-........................ | 65050 |
| 1 temporary inspector. | 2700 | 1 captain of night-watch :- . . . . . . . . . . . | 80000 298673 |
| 4 bratmen. | 1,200 00 | 5 night-watchmen <br> 1 chief laborer $\qquad$ | $\begin{array}{r} 2,98673 \\ 79999 \end{array}$ |
| apalachicola, fla. |  | 14 laborers | 8,248 48 |
|  |  | 19 boatmen ............................... | 13,320 98 |
| 1 collector | 63378 | 2 inspectors . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 1,52400 |
|  |  | 29 inspectors....................... . . . . . | 31, 72240 |
| pensacota, fla. |  | 22 night-watchmen . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 15, 34200 |
|  |  | 1 naval officer .-......................... | 4,930 70 |
| 1 collector | 3,000 00 | 1 deputy naval ofticer | 2,500 00 |
| 1 deputy collector aud clerk............ | 1,60000 | 1 chief clerk .............................. | 2,000 00 |
| 1 depaty collector and clerk........... | 1, 20000 | 1 cutry elerk..... . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 15160 |
| 1 clerk.-.. | 1, 00000 | 3 clerks . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . | 4, 80000 |
| 9 inspectors. | 9,855 00 | 1 clerk | 12640 |
| 2 night-watchmer | 1, 46000 | 1 clerk | 11790 |
| boatmen | 1,80000 | 1 messenger | 7080 |
| 1 messanger .............................. | 60000 | 1 messenger | 65940 |
| 1 janitor .................................... | 50000 | 1 surveyor. | 2,44380 |

## Statement of the namber of persons employed in each district, foc.-Continned

District, number of persons, and
$\frac{\text { occupation. }}{\text { New OrLenns, La.-Continued. }}$

1 deputy survejor
1 clerk
1 clerk
1 clerk
2 nessangers
1 messeuger....
1 messenger.
TECIIR, LA.
1 collector
2 iuspectors
1 inspcetor
1 inspector
1 temporary inspector.
2 hoatmen
galveston, TEx.
1 collector
1 special deputy collector
1 clerk.
3 elsrks.
1 inspector and deputy collector
1 inspector and collector.
5 inspectors.
1 inspuector.
1 special inspector
4 night-watchwen
1 night-watchman
1 night-watchntan
1 assistant weigber and gauger
2 boatmen
1 messenger.
1 assistant messenger
galuma, TEx.
1 collector
1 special deputy collector.
1 deputy collector.
1 depaty collector and mounted inspector
1 mounted imspector
1 monnted inspector
2 inspector'3.
1 messenger
1 boatnaan

## CORPUS CBRISTL, TEX.

1 collector
1 special deputy collector
1 deputy collector and clerk
1 deputy collector and inopector..
2 deputy collectors aud inspectors.
1 iuspoctor and storekeeper
1 inspector and clerk.
2 mounted inspectors
1 inspector
1 porter.

## bilazos de santiago, tex.

1 collector
1 deputy collector.
1 depnty collector and inspector
1 clerk.
3 clerks
1 storekeeper
3 deputy collectors and inspectors
11 mountzd inspectors
5 inspectors
1 inspector.
1 inspectress
1 messenger
1 watchman
$\underset{\substack{\text { Compensa- } \\ \text { tion. }}}{ }$
$\$ 2.50000$ 1, 64840 -1, 16790 50440 1, 19940 5050
4550.

1, 64633
2, 19000
97900
1, 15650
9000
96000

4, 028 13
2,000 00
1, 70000
4, 80000
1, 28200
1, 22250
6, 41000
99900
1, 46000
3, 65000
1, 04550
53200
73000
1, 46000
73000
50000

2,141 12
1, 35050
1, 35000
1, 27750
1, 24600
1, 09500
2,190 00
36000
35700

2, $726 \quad 15$
1, 80000
1, 45003
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1, 80000
4,80000
1, 40000
3, 83260
14, 05250
6, 38750

- 91200

1,095 00
75000
75000

| District, number of persons, and occupation. | Compensa. tion. |
| :---: | :---: |
| PASO DEL NOMTE, TEX. |  |
| 1 collector | \$2,000 00 |
| 1 special deputy con | 1,510 00 |
| 1 deputy collector. | 1,200 00 |
| 2 deputy coltectors | 2,000 00 |
| 3 deput.y collectors | 1, 80000 |
| 1 deputy collector. | 50000 |
| 4 mounted inspectors | 4,320 00 |
| 1 night-watchman .................... | 60000 |
| MEMPHIS, TENN. |  |
| 1. surveyor | 1,298 63 |
| 1 doputy survejor and cler | 1,000 00 |
| 1 messenger | 60000 |
| 1 porter. | 9000 |
| NASHVILLE, TENN. |  |
| 1 surreyor ...... | 88567 |
| LOUISVILLE, KY. |  |
| 1 survey | 3,19377 |
| 1 special depaty collector and | 1, 66000 |
| 1 inspector and oxamin | 35667 |
| 1 clerk. | 1, 20000 |
| 1 clerk. | 1, 00000 |
| 1 inspecior and depnty surveyor | 1, 09500 |
| 1 messenger | 54750 |
| 1 night-watchman....................... | 7208 |
| CINCINNATI, OHIO. |  |
| 1 вurveyor ................................ | 5,000 00 |
| 1 special deputy survejo | 2,000 00 |
| 1 assistant bookkeeper. | 1,200 00 |
| 1 measurer. | 1,053 00 |
| 1 clerk. | 1,000 00 |
| 2 clerks | 1, 80000 |
| 1 арргаізөг | 3, 00000 |
| 1 examiuer | 1,500 00 |
| 1 porter | 60000 |
| 1 weigher, gauger | 1,095 00 |
| 4 inspectors.... | 4,370 00 |
| 1 storekeeper | 1, 09500 |
| 1 messenger. | 48000 |
| 1 watchman | 6000 |
| 1 janitor ....--............................. | 40000 |
| 1 examiner of drugs..................... | 1500 |
| 2 firemen | 31564 |
| CUYAHOGA, OHIO. |  |
| 1 collector | 2,500 00 |
| 1 appraiser | 3,000 00 |
| 1 special deputy coll | 1,600 00 |
| 1 deputy collector. | 1,200 00 |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector | 1, 09500 |
| 1 deputy collector and clerk. | 90000 |
| 1 clerk. | 1,000 00 |
| 3 inspectors... | 3, 28500 |
| 1 deputy collector and watchman | 73000 |
| 2 deputy collectors. | 96000 |
| 2 deputy collectors | 60000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 2500 |
| 1 night-watchman. | 1,052 00 |
| 1 opener and packer | 60000 |
| 1 jaditor | 72000 |
| 1 freman. | 63875 |
| SANDUSKY, OHIO. |  |
| 1 collector. | 2,500 00 |
| 1 deputy collector. | 1, 00000 |
| 2 deputy collectors | 80000 |
| $\underset{\sim}{\text { a }}$ deprity collectors. | 40000 |
| 2 deputy collectors. | 24000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 11250 |

Statement of the number of persons employed in each district, fo.-Coutinued.

| District, number of persons, aud occupatiou. | Compensation. | District, number of persons, and occupatiou. | Compensation. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| miami, ohio: |  | michigan, mich. |  |
| 1 collector | \$2,518 00 | 1 collector | \$2,500 00 |
| 1 special deputy collector | 1,400 00 | 1 deputy collector | 1,200 00 |
| 1 depaty collector | 1;000 00 | 2 deputy collectors | 1,200 00 |
| 1 deputy collector | 72000 | 1 deputy collector. | 42742 |
| 1 inspoctor............................. | 1,095 00 | 1 deputy collectior | 34194 |
| Jetroit, mich. |  | 1 depuuy collector. | $\begin{aligned} & 30000 \\ & 769 \quad 35 \end{aligned}$ |
|  |  | 1 deputy collector. | 21371 |
| 1 collector | 4; 50000 | i deputy collector | 20000 |
| 1 appraiser | 3,00000 | 1 doputy cellector. | 1857 |
| 1 deputy collector and cler | 2,000 00 | 3 deputy collectors | 5129 |
| 1 deputy collector and cleris | 1,800 00 | 1 deputy collector. | $1: 2823$ |
| 4 deputy collectors and clerks......... | 4, 800000 |  |  |
| 1 deputy collector, clerk, and inspector | $\begin{array}{r}999 \\ 1500 \\ \hline 500\end{array}$ | evansville, ind. |  |
| 2 epecial iuspectors | 2, 122000 | 1 surseyor | 76055 |
| 2 storekeepers | 2,190 00 | 1 depaty surveyor | 50000 |
| 1 depaty collector and inspector | 1,460 00 |  |  |
| 1 deputy collector and inspector | 1,277 50 | michigan City, ind. |  |
| 3 deputy collectors and inspectors | 3,28500 |  |  |
| 8 deputy collectors and inspectors | 7,29600 3,64500 | 1 |  |
| 2 deputy collectors and iuspectors | 73200 | chicago, ill. |  |
| 5 deputy collectors and inspectors | 1,200 00 |  |  |
| 2 depaty collectors and inspecto | 24000 | 1 collector | 4, 50000 |
| 10 inspectora | 9,120 00 | 1 depaty collector and clerk | 2, 80000 |
| 3 iuspectors | 2,187 00 | 2 deputy collectors and clerk | 4, 00000 |
| 1 inspectress | 54600 | 1 deputy collector and clerk | 1,55000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 60080 | 1 deputy collector and clerk | 1, 40000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 60.00 | 1 depaty collector and clerrs | 16000 |
| 1 messeuger | 60000 | 1 auditor | 2,20000 |
| 1 janitor | 50000 | 1 assistant auditor | 1, 61680 |
| 1 assistant janitor..................... | 400.00 | 1 cashier | 2,000 00 |
|  |  | 1 clerk | 2,000 00 |
| huron, mich. ${ }^{\circ}$ |  | 1 clerk | 1, 58320 |
|  |  | 1 clerk | 1,55820 |
| 1 collector | 2,718 89 | 1 clerk | 1,442.00 |
| 1 special deputy colleetor | 1,700 00 | 2 clerks | 2.80000 |
| 1 Uookkeeper and cashier | 1,40000 | 1 clerk | 1,25000 |
| 1 deputy collector and clerk | 1,200 00 | 1 clerk | 1, 20000 |
| 1 deputy collector and clerk | 1,000 00 | 1 elerk | 30000 |
| 1 depaty collector aud clerk | 95000 | 9 inspectors | 9, 85500 |
| 1 deputy collector and clers | 80000 | 3 inspectors | 3,47100 |
| 1 doputy collector | 1,000 00 | 2 inspectors | 1,650 00 |
| 1 deputy collector | 61000 | 2 inspectors | 1,608 00 |
| 3 deputy collectors | 1,260 00 | 1 inspector. | 78300 |
| 1 daputy collector | 40000 | 1 inspector. | 68200 |
| 1 deputy collector. | 1,200 00 | 1 watchman | 91250 |
| 5 deputs collectors | 1,000 00 | 2 messengera | 1,460 00 |
| 2 depaty collcetors | 24000 | 1 storekeeper | 1,09500 |
| 1 messenger | 60000 | 2 storekeepers | 2,25200 |
| 1 watchman | 73000 | 1 storekeөper | 73000 |
| 2 depnty collectors and insp | 2,555 00 | 1 storekeepe | 32250 |
| 4 deputy collectors and inspectors | 3, 64800 | 1 appraiser | 3,000 01 |
| 2 deputy collectors and inspoctors | 1,410 00 | 2 examiners | 3,000 00 |
| 6 deputy collectors and iuspectors | *6,570 00 | 1 clerk | 1,200 00 |
| 1 inspector. | *1,095 00 | 1 meissenger | 91250 |
| 7 iuspectors... | 6,33400 | galena, ILL. |  |
| 2 inspectors... | $\begin{array}{r}1,44000 \\ .24000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 1 surveror .............. |  |
| 1 inspectress. <br> 1 inspector | * 1,09500 |  | 473 88 |
| SUPERIOR, MICH. |  | 1 survegor |  |
|  |  | 1 depaty survejor | 00 |
| 1 collector | 2,500 00 |  |  |
| 1 special deputy col | 1,400 00 |  |  |
| 1 deputy collector. | 1,116 90 | 1 collector $\times$........ | 2,500 00 |
| 1 deputy colloctor | 78043 | 1 special depaty collector | 1,80000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 30000 | 1 deputy collector. | 1,500 00 |
| 3 deputy colloctors | 89991 | 2 inspectors | 2, 19000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 29970 | 1 deputs collector. | 40000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 18310 | 1 depaty collector. | 30000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 14007 | 1 depaty collector | 35000 |
| 2 deputy collectors | 24940 | 1 deputy collector | 25000 |
| 1 deputy collector | 4160 | 1 deputy collector. | , |
| 1 deputy collector |  | la crosse, wie. |  |
| 3 inspectors | 3,285 00 | 1 sarvejor | 1,200 00 |

* Paid by railroad companies.

Statenver.t of the number of persons employed in each district, fo.-Continued.
District, number of persous, and occupation.

DULUTH, Minn.
1 collector
1 кресial deputy collector.
1 deputy collector.
1 inspector
1 inspector.
1 inspector and clerk

## MINNESOTA, MINN.

1 collector
1 deputy collector
1 deputy collector.
9 depaty collectors $\qquad$
1 inspector
2 inspectors
1 inspector
1 inspector ar d clerk.
1 storekeeper
hurlington, Iowa.
1 surveyor

> DUBUQUE, IOWA.

1 sarveyor

## GAINT LOUIB, MO.

1 surveror
1 special deputy and olerk
2 deputy collectors and clerk
1 depaty collector and clerk.
1 depaty collector and clerk
2 clerks.
2 clerks
1 clert.
1 appraiser
1 examiner
inspectors
3 inspector.
1 messenger
1 strorekeeper
1 laborer.
1 watchman

## OMAHA, NEBR.

1 surveyor
1 depaty survoyor and inspector
montana and idaho.
1 collector
1 depaty collector
PUGET SOUND, WAGH.
1 collector
2 deputy collectors and clerks
1 clerk and inspector.
1 inspector.
6 inspectors
1 inspector.
1 watchman
3 boatmen

## OREGON, OREG.

1 collector
…...
1 deputy colloctor
1 deputy collector
1 doputy colloctor
2 inspoctors
2 boatmen

## WILLAMETTE, OREG.

1 collector
1 deputy collector
1 deputy collector
3 inspectors


1,500 00
1, 20000
13800
1, 09500
70500
7050

2,50000
2,000 00
1,460 00
2, 19000 84800
2,55500
1,095 00
1, 09500 30500

39070

47248

5,000 00
2,800 00
4, 00000
1, 80000
1,6:10 00
2,600 00
2,400 00
90000
3,00000
1, 40000
2,920 00
1,368 75
3,832 50
72000
91250
60000
91250

40020
1,274 00

1,14160
40000

3,000 00
4, 30000
1,200 00
1, 46000
T, 20000
1, 09500
7.3000

1,800 00

3,00000
1, 60000
90000
50000
2, 19000
96000

3,000 00
2, 40000
2, 20000
3,950 00


Statement exhibiting the number and tonnage of the registered, enrolled, and licensed vessels of the United States.on June 30, 1878.

| States and Territories. in which docamented. | Registered. |  | Enrolled. |  | Licensed under 20 tons. |  | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. |
| Maine | 550 | 383, 783. 98 | 1, 687 | 144, 601. 11 | 528 | 6, 517.70 | 2, 765 | 534, 902.69 |
| New Hampsbire | 10 | 9, 726.08 | 48 | 3, 392. 32 | 19 | 232.68 | 77 | 13, 351. 08 |
| $\nabla$ ermont. |  |  | 19 | 3,414.06 | 4 | 38.96 | 23 | 3, 453.02 |
| Massachusetts | 605 | 299, 500.70 | 1, 503 | 168, 649.13 | 417 | 4, 585. 84 | 2,525 | 472, 735.67 |
| Rhode Island | 5 | 1, 082.76 | 160 | 36.667. 21 | 135 | 1, 373. 90 | 300 | 39, 123. 87 |
| Connecticat | 45 | 11, 855.71 | 450 | 64, 324. 20 | 345 | 3, 721. 29 | 840 | 79, 901. 20 |
| New York | 915 | 596, 352.48 | 3,887 | 656, 081. 49 | 801 | 8,879. 27 | 5, 603 | 1, $261,313.24$ |
| New Jersey | 42 | 3, 893.32 | 808 | 86, 721.88 | 380 | 4, 022.74 | 1,230 | 94,637.94 |
| Pennsylvani | 142 | 70, 740. 21 | 1, 344 | 278, 163.83 | 162 | 2,036. 18 | 1, 648 | 359, 940.92 |
| Delaware | 1 | 252.63 | 145 | 14, 546. 37 | 38 | 429.64 | 184 | 15, 228. 64 |
| Maryland | 114 | 40,352. 08 | 1, 044 | 82, 292.44 | 618 | $7,292.15$ | 1, 776 | 129, 936.67 |
| District of Colurubia | 2 | 441.53 | 60 | 7, 838.78 | 37 | - 429.82 | 1,99 | 8,760. 13 |
| Virginia | 36 | 9, 077. 29 | 375 | 19,815.44 | 726 | 6,954. 01 | 1, 137 | 35, 846. 74 |
| North Carolina | 2.5 | 4, 720.66 | 87 | 4,671.76 | 211 | 2, 299.39 | 323 | 11,631. 81 |
| South Carolina | 17 | - 5,546.54 | 85 | 7, 441.95 | 126 | 1, 485.99 | 228 | 14, 474. 48 |
| Georgia | 19 | 7, 341. 26 | 48 | 12,822. 27 | 36 | 342.16 | 103 | 20, 505. 69 |
| Florida | 72 | $9,384.65$ | 133 | 15, 621. 66 | 152 | 1, 617. 75 | 357 | 26,624. 06 |
| Alabama | 25 | 8, 457. 84 | 55 | 8, 051. 30 | 36 | 329.42 | 116 | 16, 838. $5 ¢$ |
| Mississippi | 11 | 861.14 | 92 | 7,746.13 | 69 | 822.48 | 172 | 9, 429. 75 |
| Lonisiana | 72 | 31, 174.88 | 290 | 58, 267.34 | 285 | 2, 719.2: | 64i | 92, 154. 44 |
| Texas. | 26 | 6, 123.73 | 105 | 8, 617. 15 | 149 | 1, 605. 38 | 280 | 16, 346. 26 |
| Tennessee |  |  | 80 | 13, 194. 0.2 | 11 | 135.96 | 91 | 13, 329.98 |
| Kentucky |  |  | 64 | 14, 919.45 | $\cdot 7$ | 91.53 | 71 | 15, 010.93 |
| Missouri'. | 4 | 535. $46^{\circ}$ | 359 | 128, 666.67 | 6 | 68.33 | 369 | 129, 270.51 |
| Iowa. |  |  | 44. | 3,680. 36 | 4 | 52.00 | 48 | 3, 732.36 |
| Nebraska |  |  | $27^{\circ}$ | 5, 619. 27 |  |  | 27 | 5,61!. 27 |
| Minnesota |  |  | 59 | 6,246. 57 | 12 | 181. 82 | 71 | 6, 423.39 |
| Wisconsin | 5 | 1, 637.67 | 390 | 70, 728. 70 | 2 | 26.47 | 397 | 72, 392.84 |
| Illinois | 46 | 19, 743.57 | 424 | 82,336. 00 | 33 | 437.81 | 503 | 102, 517.38 |
| Indiasa |  |  | 79 | 8,722.46 |  |  | 79 | 8, 722. 46 |
| Michigan | 12 | 3:294. 29 | 743 | 140,211.93 | 193 | 2, 371. 04 | 948 | 145, 877.26 |
| Ohio. | 5 | 1, 573.30 | 576 | 154, 658. 42 | 61 | 693.25 | 642 | 156, 921.97 |
| Went Virginia |  |  | 326 | $42,538.85$ | 21 | 268.40 | 407 | 42, 807.25 |
| Arizona | 4 | . 834.46 | 4 | 554.20 |  |  | 8 | 1, 3<8.66 |
| California | 160 | 75, 128.01 | 611 | 106, 385. 26 | 134 | 1,772.47 | 905 | 183, 285. 74 |
| Oregon | 4. | 1,773.03 | 110 | 34, 979.36 | 32 | 326.63 | 146 | 37, 079.02 |
| Washington | 55 | 14, 702. 20 | 34 | 16, 120.78 | 19 | 177.91 | 108 | 31,090. 89 |
| Alaska. | - | 156.04 |  |  | , | 24.38 | 11 | 180.42 |
| Total of the United States | 3,037 | 1, 629, 047. 40 | 16,415 | $2,519,360.12$ | 5, 812 | 64, 357. 02 | 25,264 | 4, 212, 764. 54 |
| SUMMARE. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Atlanticand Gralf coasts | 2,718 | 1, 505, 887.53 | 10,651 | 1, 334, 734. 76 | 5, 197 | 56, 793. 27 | 18, 566 | 2, 897, 415. 56 |
| Pacific coast | 231 | 1, 92, 593.74 | 759 | 15*,039.60 | 188 | 2,301.39 | 1,178 | 252, 934. 73 |
| Northern lakes | 71 | 26,557. 04 | 2,774 | 574, 210.63 | 321 | 3, 828. 98 | 3, 166 | 604, 656. 65 |
| Western rivers | 17. | 4, 009.09 | 2,231 | 452, 375. 13 | 106 | 1,373. 38 | 2,354 | 457, 757.60 |
| Total United States | 3, 037 | 1, 629, 047.40 | 16,415 | 2,519,360. 12 | 5, 812 | 64, 357.02. | 25, 264 | 4, 212, 764. 54 |


| - | Sailiug-vesselat. |  | Steara-vessels. |  | Canal-boats. |  | Barges. |  | Totai. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | T'ons. | No. | ''uns. | No. | Tous. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. |
| Maine | 2,683 | 518, 677.82 | 81 | 16,073. 45 |  |  | 1 | 151.42 | 2,765 | 534, 902. 69 |
| New Hampshire | 72 | 13, 070.44 | 5 | 280.64 |  |  |  |  | - 77 | 13, 351.03 |
| Vermont. | 13 | 731.10 | 8 | 2, 583.33 | 2 | 138. 59 |  |  | 23 | 3, 453.02 |
| Massachosetts | 2, 365 | 421, 124.03 | 153 | 4.4, 441:74 |  |  | 7 | 2,169.90 | 2, 525 | 472, 735.67 |
| Rhode Islaud | 244 | 17,304. 10 | 56 | ${ }^{21,819.77}$ |  |  |  |  | 340 | 39, 123.87 |
| Connecticut. | 704 | 46, \%60. 57 | 91 | 27, 023.60 | 1 | 120.00 | -44 | 6,092. 03 | 840. | 79, 901. 20 |
| New York | 3, 153 | 687, 923. 99 | 1,011 | 374, 293.00 | 878 | 64, 501.99 | ${ }^{561}$ | 129, 594.26 | 5, 603 | 1,261, 313.24 |
| New Jersey | 805 705 | $51,624.23$ $141,217.14$ | 103 | $16,921.56$ $130,885.69$ | 163 27 | $15,431.47$ $3,499.24$ | ${ }_{462}^{6 \%}$ | $10,660.68$ 84,337 | 1,230 | $94,637.94$ $359,940.22$ |
| Delaware... | 159 | 11, 298.69 | 16 | 2, 629.99 |  | 3, 40, 24 | 9 | 1, 2999.96 | 184 | 15, 228.64 |
| Marylad | 1,641 | 92, 145. 20 | 133 | 37, 657.17 |  |  | 2 | 134.20 | 1,776 | 129, 936. 673 |
| District of Columbia |  | 2,531.78 | 32 | 6,060. 08 |  |  | ${ }_{7}^{1}$ | 163.27 |  | $8,760.13$ -35.846 |
| North Carolina | $\begin{array}{r}1,045 \\ \hline 01\end{array}$ | 28, 042.200 | 85 22 |  |  |  |  | 735.54 | ${ }^{1} 1$ | 11, 1991.81 |
| South Carolina. | 187 | 9. 16.2 .45 | 41 | 5,312. 03 |  |  |  |  | 228 | 14, 474.48 |
| Goorgia | 76 | 10, 183. 70 | 24 | 10, 024.10 |  |  | 3 | 297. 89 | 103 | ${ }^{211}, 505.69$ |
| Florida. | 29\% | 19, 481.61 | 6.5 | 7, 148. 45 |  |  |  |  | 357 | 26, 224.06 |
| Alabama. | 172 | $10,244.64$ $-\quad 3,421.76$ | ${ }_{46}^{39}$ | $6,082.86$ $4,739.74$ |  |  | - ${ }^{5}$ | 511.06 $1,26=95$ | 116 172 | $\begin{array}{r}16,8 \\ 9,428.75 \\ \hline\end{array}$ |
| Louisiava. | 443 | 35, 057.61 | 189. | 54, 280.53 |  |  | . . 15 | 2, 816. 30 | 6.17 | 92, 154. 44 |
| Texas. | 232 | 8,019. 86 | 33 | 6,099. 15 |  |  |  | 2,227. 25 | 2 e 0 | 16, 346. 26 |
| Tennesseo |  |  | 89 | 13, 2666.25 |  |  | 2 | ${ }^{63} .73$ | 91 | 13, 329.98 |
| Kentucky |  |  | 47 | 11,616.68 |  |  | 24 | 3, 394. 30 | 71 | ${ }^{50}, 010.98$ |
| Missonri |  |  | 174 | 59, 094. 08 |  |  | 195 | 70, 176. 43 | 369 | 12Y, 270.51 |
| Iowa.. |  |  | 48 | 3, 732. 36 |  |  |  |  | 48 | 3,732. 36 |
| Nobraska, | 2 | 92. 64 | - 27 | $\begin{array}{r}\text { 5, } 619.27 . \\ \cdots \\ \hline \text { 4,71. } 76\end{array}$ |  |  |  | 1,624.29 | ${ }_{71}^{27}$ | 5, 619. <br> 6,428 <br> 189 |
| Wisconsia | 280 | 54, 826. 58 | 115 | 17,315.41 |  |  | 2 | 1250. 85 | 397 | 72, 392.84 |
| Illinois. | 295 | 68, 529.39 | 161 | 23, 670.28 |  |  | 47 | 10,317. 71 | 503 | 102, 517.38 |
| Iudiana. |  |  | 54 | 5, 611. 28 |  |  | 25 | 3, 111. 18 | 79 | 8,722. 46 |
| Michigan | 444 | 50, 920.94 | 369 | 60,772.77 |  |  | 135 | 34, 183. 53 | 948 | 145, 877.26 |
| West Virginia | 244 | 63, 730. 72 | 220 | 64, 619.6. |  |  | 178 | 28,574.63 | ${ }_{6}^{642}$ | 156, 924. 97 |
| Arizona...... |  |  | ${ }_{4}$ | 16, 834.46 |  |  | 4 | 20,554. 20 | 8 | 42, $1,382.66$ |
| California | 676 | 111,880.45 | 168 | 63,226. 86 |  |  | 61 | 8, 178.43 | $90 \overline{3}$ | 183, 285.74 |
| Oregon.. | 44 | 2, 733.37 | 81 | 28,735.62 |  |  | 21 | 5,610.03 | 146 | 37, 079.02 |
| Washiugton Territory Alaska | 69 10 | 25, 691.08 | 39 | 5,309.81 |  |  |  |  | 108 | 31, 000.89 |
| Alaska. | 10 | 134. 57 |  | 45.85 |  |  |  |  | 11 | 180.42 |
| Total | 17,593 | 2,521, 318.91 | 4,472 | 1, 167, 672. 26 | 1, 071 | 88, 691. 29 | 2,198 | 435, 076. 08 | 25, 264 | 4, 212, 764. 54 |

SUMMARY.


Statement cxhibiting the number and tonnago of ressels employed in the cod and naackerol fisheries.on June 30, 1878.

| States and costoius-districts in which documented. | Vessels above 20 tons. |  | Vessels under 20 tous. |  | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. |
| Palne. |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Passamaquoddy .... | 16 | 72.547 | 12 | 141. 74 | 28 | 867. 21 |
| Machias ..... | 7 | 210.78 | 12 | 153. 44 | 19 | 364.22 |
| Frenchman's Bay | 31 | 1, 604. 39 | 32 | 388.85 | 63 | 1,993.24 |
| Castide | 53 | 2,660. 87 | 43 | 533.45 | 96 | 3, 194. 32 |
| Bangor |  |  | 3 | - 24.17 | 3 | 94.17 |
| Belfast. | 27 | 1, 175. 76 | 35 | 432.42 | 62 | 1, 608. 18 |
| Waldoborongh | 82 | 3,299. 33 | 86 | 1,058.08 | 168 | 4, 357. 41 |
| Wiscasset ... | 54 | 2, 943.30 | 36 | 394.92 | 90 | 3, 338. 22 |
| Bath | 6 | 152. 91 | 21 | 258. 98 | 27 | 411.89 |
| Portland and Falmouth | 76 | 3,664.80 | 50 | 630.91 | 126 | 4, 295.71 |
| Saco | 1 | 31. 30 | 12 | 107. 66 | 13 | 138.98 |
| Kennebunk | 5 | 176, 09 | 9 | 106. 49 | 14 | 2 c 2.58 |
| Yorli | 1 | 30.64 | 3 | 30.28 | 4 | 60.92 |
| Total | 359 | 16,675. 64 | 354 | 4, 261.39 | 713 | 20,937. 03 |
| Portsmouth. | 19 | 1, 058.52 | 15 | 160.04 | 34 | 1, 218.56 |
| Mewburyport .-.-............. | 21 | 1,011.90 | 7 | 83. 24 | 28 | 1, 095. 14 |
| Gloncester . . | 345 | 26, 657. 14 | 66 | 732.85 | 411 | 21, 389.99 |
| Salem and Boverly | 33 | 2,347. 15 | 10 | 117.83 | 43 | 2, 464. 98 |
| Marblehead | 29 | 1, 413.45 | 28 | 298.10 | 57 | 1, 711,55 |
| Boston and Cbarlestown | 85 | 4,577.08 | 20 | 212.39 | 105 | 4, 789. 47 |
| Plymouth. | 25 | 1, 355. 69 | 13 | 109.58 | 38 | 1, 465. 27 |
| Barnstable. | 197 | 13, 727. 59 | 51 | 580.95 | 248 | 14, 308. 54 |
| Nantacket. | 1 | 33.70 | 1 | 6.50 | 2 | - 40.20 |
| Edgartown |  |  | 6 | 57.31 | 6 | - 57.31 |
| New Bedford | 18 | 902.05 | 50 | 472.37 | 68 | 1, 374. 42 |
| Fall River | 9 | 332.06 | 22 | 243.53 | 31 | 575.59 |
| Total | 763 | 46,357. 81 | 274 | 2,914.65 | 1, 037 | 49,272.46 |
| Providence | 5 | 189.21 | 28 | 238.51 | $\cdot 33$ | 427. 72 |
| Newport. | 36 | 1, 796.17 | 70 | 727.60 | 106 | 2,52:3.77 |
| Bristol and Warren. |  |  | 6 | 44. 52 | 6 | 44. 52 |
| Total | 41 | 1, 985.38 | 104 | 1, 010.63 | 145 | 2,996. 01 |
| Stonington . ................. . . . . . . . . . . . . | 40 | 1, 410.99 | 48 | 552.62 | 88 | 1,963,61 |
| New London | 41 | 1,837. 70 | 69 | 838. 26 | 110 | 2, 675. 96 |
| Middletown |  |  | 3 | 25.51 | 3 | 25. 51 |
| Total | 81 | 3, 248.69 | 120 | 1, 416. 39 | 201 | 4, 665. 08 |
| New York | 11 | 392.46 | 111 | 951. 38 | 122 | 1,349.94 |
| Sar Harbor. | 40 | 3, 142. 28 | 116 | 1,185. 28 | 156 | 4,327.56 |
| Total | 51 | 3, 540. 4 | 227 | 2,136. 66 | 278 | 5, 677.40 |
| NEW JERSEY. <br> Great Egg Harhor | 1 | 24. 59 |  |  | 1 | 24.59 |
| pennstlyania. |  |  | 1 | 5.17 | 1 | 5.17 |
| Fernandina............... | 1 | 61.09 |  |  | 1 | 61.09 |
| CALIFORNIA. <br> San Francisco | 16 | 1,525. 06 | 2 | 24.80 | 18 | 1,609.86 |
| San Diego | 1 | 21. 80 | 5 | 57.78 | 6 | 79.58 |
| Total | 17 | 1,606.86 | 7 | 82.58 | 24 | 1,689.44 |

SUMMARX.

| Maine | 359 | 16, 675. 64 | 354 | 4, 261. 39 | 713 | 20;937.03 |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| New Hampshi | 19 | 1, 058. 52 | 15 | 160.04 | 34 | 1,218. 55 |
| Massachnsetts | 763 | 46, 357. 81 | 274 | 2.914. 65 | 1,037 | 49, 272. 46 |
| Rhode Island | 41 | 1, 98.5. 38 | 104 | 1, 010.63 | . 145 | 2, 99 ถ. 01 |
| Connecticut | 81 | 3,248. 69 | 120 | 1, 416. 39 | 201 | 4, 665.08 |
| New York | 51 | 3, 540.74 | 227 | 2, 136. 66 | 278 | 5, 677.40 |
| New Jersey. | 1 | ¢4.59 |  |  | 1 | 24, 59 |
| Pennsylvania |  |  | 1 | 5.17 | 1 | 5. 17 |
| Florida | 1 | 61.09 |  |  | 1 | 61. 09 |
| California | 17 | 1,606.86 | 7 | 82.58 | 24 | 1,689. 44 |
| Grand total | 1,333 | 74, 559. 32 | 1,102 | 11,987. 51 | 2,435 | 86,546. 83 |

Statement showing the number and tonnage of vessels of the United States employed in the whale fisheries on June 30, 1878.

|  | Customs-districts in which documented. | No. | Tons. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Rnaton, Mass |  |  | 423.00 |
| Barnstable, Mass |  | 23 | 2,208. 47 |
| Edgartown, Mass . |  |  | 634.16 |
| New Bedford, Mass |  | 141 | 34, 831.91 |
| New Lundon, Cuna |  | 11 | 1, 552, 12 |
| Total |  | 182 | 39, 699.66 |

Condensed statement showing the number and tonnage of vessels built in the United States during the year ended June 30, 1878.

| States and Territories. | Sailing-vessels. |  | Steam-vessels. |  | Canal-boats. |  | Barges. |  | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Tons. | No. | - Tons. | No. | Tons. | No | Tons. | No. | Tons. |
| THE ATLASTIC AND GULECOASTS. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Maine . . . ${ }^{\text {a }}$. . . | 113 | 65, 193. 46 | 4 | 576.53 |  |  |  |  | 117 | 65, 769, 99 |
| New Hamnshire | 2 | 2, 2941.69 | ${ }_{9}$ | 31.73 |  |  |  |  | 4 | 2,972.8.2 |
| Masaachusetis. | 50 | 17, 337. 80 | 9 3 | 667. 72 |  |  | 1 | 127.52 | 60 | 18, 133.04 |
| Rhode Island |  | 26.79 |  | 119.25 |  |  |  |  | 6 | 146. 04 |
| Connectient | 17 | 1, 135.36 | 6 | 319.89 |  |  | 21 | 1,807.97 | 44 | 3,263. 22 |
| New York | 72 | 3, 577. 20 | 30 | 5,851. 56 | 8 | 748.73 | 9 | 1, 161. 22 | 119 | 11, 339.31 |
| New Jersey | 23 | 851.78 | 9 | 247.51 |  |  | 3 | 445. 10 | 35 | 1,544. 39 |
| Penusylvan |  | 1,882. 56 | 24 | 21, 298.67 |  |  |  |  | 3.2 | 23, 181. 23 |
| Delaware | 14 | 4, 980.49 | 7 | 4, 491. 02 |  |  | 2 | 410.67 | 23 | 9, 882. 18 |
| Maryland | 41 | 1, 472. 44 | 6 | 437. 14 |  |  | 2 | 296. 27 | 49 | 2, 205. 85 |
| Distiict of Columbia | 2 | 21.77 | 4. | 158.93 |  |  |  |  | 6 | 180. 79 |
| Virginia | 33 | 809.54 | 2 | 995.74 | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | 35 | 1,805. 28 |
| North Carolina | 11 | 187. 45 | 1 | 9. 29 |  |  | - |  | 12 | 196. 74 |
| South Carulina. | 15 | 240.06 | 2 | 117. 34 | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | 17 | 357.40 |
| Georgia. . | 5 | 44.52 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 5 | 44. 52 |
| Florida. | 19 | 690.40 | 3 | 497.12 | $\cdots$ |  | $\cdots$ |  | 23 | 1,187.58 |
| Alabana | 3 | 31. 47 | 6 | 515.40 |  |  |  |  | 9 | 546.87 |
| Mississippi | 13 | 234. 16 | , | 199. 84 | .- |  | 1 | 38.46 | 17 | 472. 46 |
| Louisiana. | 10 | 138.99 | 3 | 196.90 | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | 13 | 335.89 |
| Texas | 9 | 239.16 | ... |  |  |  |  | ... | 9 | 239.16 |
| Total. | 463. | 102, 037. 69 | 124 | 36, 730. 98 | 8 | 748.73 | 39 | 4,287. 21 | 63.4 | 143, 804. 61 |
| the pacific coast. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Oregon | 7 | 182. 75 | 11 | 4, 234.21 | $\cdots$ |  | 5 | 448.29 | 23 | 4, 865.25 |
| Washington Territory. |  | 631.74 | 1 | 5.08 | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | 6 | 636.62 |
| Alaska |  | 6.43 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 6.43 |
| Total | 36 | 2, 523.90 | 22 | 8, 360.53 | $\cdots$ |  | 5 | 448.29 | 63 | 11, 332.72 |
| the northern lakes. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Vermont. | 1 | 104. 42 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 104. 42 |
| New York | 2 | 17.95 | 20 | 4,033. 95 | 11 | 1, 159.77 | ... |  | 33 | 5, 211. 67 |
| Ohio . | ${ }^{7}$ | 195.30 | 6 | 1, 275.51 |  |  |  |  | 13 | 2, 070.81 |
| Michigan | 18 | 1, 047. 17 | 17 | 2,066. 08 | $\cdots$ |  | 2 | 129.89 | 37 | 3, 243. 14 |
| Illinois | 3 | 55.03 | 10 | 457.10 |  |  |  |  | 13 | 512.13 |
| Wisconsin | 1 | 42.04 | 2 | 21.01 | $\cdots$ |  |  |  | 3 | 253. 05 |
| Minnesuta | 1 | 43.01 |  |  |  |  |  |  | 1 | 43.01 |
| Total. | 33 | 1, 504.92 | 55 | 8, 643.65 | 11 | 1,159.77 | 2 | 129.89 | 101 | 11, 438.23 |
| Louisiana. |  |  |  | 564.44 |  |  |  |  | 8 | 564, 44 |
| Mississipui |  |  | 2 | 125. 49 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 125. 49 |
| Tennebsee |  |  | 14 | 1, 150. 44 | $\cdots$ |  | 2 | 63.73 | 16 | 1, 214.17 |
| Kentucky |  |  | 25 | 6, 471.76 |  |  | 23 | 8, 891. 19 | 48 | 15, 3022. 95 |
| Missouri. |  |  | 8 | 1,711.64 |  |  | 17 | 2,388. 39 | 25 | 4, 100.03 |
| Nebraska. |  |  | 2 | 50.08 |  |  | .. |  | 2 | 50.08 |
| Wisconsin |  |  | 1 | 312. 75 |  |  |  |  | 1 | 312.75 |
| Minnesota |  |  | 6 | 449.83 |  |  |  |  | 6 | 449.83 |
| Illinuis |  |  | 2 | 250.20 |  |  |  |  | 2 | 250.20 |
| Indiana |  |  | 9 | 584. 58 |  |  | 3 | 172.53 | 12 | 757.11 |
| Ohio |  |  | 22 | 6,541. 89 |  |  | 111 | 13, 547. 69 | 133 | 20, 089.58 |
| West Virginia |  |  | 11 | 975. 74 |  |  | 93 | 6, 200.17 | 104 | 7, 175. 91 |
| Pennsylvania. |  |  | 23 | 8,935. 60 |  |  | 78 | 9, 539. 87 | 101 | 18,475. 47 |
| Tutal |  |  | 133 | 28, 124, 44 |  |  | 327 | 40, 003.57 | 460 | 68,928.01 |

Condensed statement showing the number and tonnage of vessels built, fec.-Continued.

| States and Territories. | Sailing.vessels. |  | Steam-vessels. |  | Canal-boats. |  | Barges. |  | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons, | No. | Tons. | No. | Tons. |
| SUmmary. |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |  |
| Atlantic and Gulf coasts $\qquad$ | 463 | 102, 037. 69 | 124 | 36, 730. 98 | 8 | 748. 73 | 39 | 4, 287. 21 | 634 | 143, 804. 61 |
| Pacific coast | 36 | 2,52.3. 90 | 22 | 8,360 53 |  |  | 5 | 448.29 | 63 | 11,332. 72 |
| Northern lakes. | 33 | 1,504.92 | 55 | 8, 643. 65 | 11 | 1,159. 77 | 2 | 129.89 | 101 | 11, 438. 23 |
| Western rivers |  |  | 133 | 28, 124. 44 |  |  | 327 | 40,803. 57 | 460 | 68,928. 01 |
| Grand total. | 532 | 106, 066. 51 | 334 | 81, 859.60 | 19 | 1,908. 30 | 373 | 45, 668.96 | 1, 258 | 235, 503.57 |

Summary statement of sailing-vessels built in the United States during the year ended June 30, 1878.

|  | Class of ressels. | Number. | Tounage. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ships |  | $34^{\circ}$ | 50, 225. 46 |
| Barks. |  | 41 | 29, 578.70 |
| Barkentines |  | 6 | 3,363.76 |
| Brigs |  | 7 | 2,863. 15 |
| Schooners |  | 279 | 18, 181. 81 |
| Sloops |  | 165 | 1, 853.63 |
| Total |  | $5 \% 2$ | 106, 066. 51 |

Summary statement of steam-vessels built in the Onited States during the year caded June 30, 1878.

|  | Class of vessels. | Namber. | Tonnage. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| River steamers, side-wheel. |  | 57 | 21, 173.05 |
| River steamers, stern-wheel |  | 112 | 25, 647.59 |
| River steamers, propellers. |  | 141 | 7, 090.35 |
| Lake steamers, side-wheel |  | $\frac{1}{7}$ | 98.15 |
| Lake steamers, propeliers. |  | 7 | $6,461.90$ |
| Octan steamers, side-wheel |  |  |  |
| Ocear steamers, propelhers. |  | 16. | 21,388. 56 |
| Total. |  | 334 | 81, 859.60 |

Summary statement of canal-boats and barges built in the Onited States during the year ended June 30, 1878.

|  | Class of vessels. | Number. | Tonnage. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Canal-boats |  | 19 | 1,902. 50 |
| Barges |  | 373 | 45, 6i68. 96 |
| Total. |  | 392 | 47, 577. 46 |

Statement showing the class, number, ard tonnage of iron vessels buill in the Guited States during the year ended Jine $30,1878$.

| Ports. | Sailing-ressels. |  | Stearu-vassels. |  | Total. |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
|  | Number. | Tons. | Nuuber. | Tons. | Nómber. | Tous. |
| Philadelphia, Pa |  |  | 16 | 20,329.07 | 16 | 20,329. 07 |
| Pitisburd, Pa |  |  | 3 | 576. 47 | 3 | 576. 47 |
| Wilmunton, Jel |  |  | 7 | 4, 491. 0.2 | 7 | 4, 491.022 |
| Baltimore, Md |  |  | 2 | 48.51 | 2 | 48. 51 |
| Buffialo, N. Y. |  |  | 1 | 306.12 | 1 | 306.12 |
| Cinc:mati, Obio |  |  | 1 | 128.31 | 1 | 128. 31 |
| Saint Louis, Mo. |  |  | 2 | 1,080. 79 | , | 1,0 0 0. 79 |
| Total |  |  | 32 | 26, 360.29 | 32 | 26, 960. 29 |

Statement showing the number and class of vessels buil', and the tonnage thereof, in the sevel al States and Territories in the United' States, from 1815 to 1578, inclusive.


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## LIABILITIES OF THE UNITED STATES T0 INDIAN TRIBES, UNDER TREATY STIPULATIONS.

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# LIABILITIES OF THE UNITED STATES T0 INDIAN TRIBES, UNDER TREATY STIPULATIONS. 

Department of the Interior, Washington, September 18, 1878.
Sir: I have the honor to transmit herewith a statement showing the present liabilities of the United States to Indian tribes under treaty stipulations, as per request of your letter of the 11th instant.

A copy of the communication of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, dated 17 th instant, forwarding statement to the department, is also inclosed.

Very respectfully,
C. SCHURZ,

Secretary.
The Honorable the Secrietary of the Treasury.

Department of the Interior,
Office of Indian Affairs, Washington, September 17, 1878.
Sur: I have the honor to inclose herewith statement showing the present liabilities of the United States to Indian tribes, under treaty stipulations, to be forwarded to the Hon. Secretary of the Treasury, as per his letter of request dated the 11th instant, referred by the department same date.

Very respectfully,
E. A. HAYT,

Commissioner.
The Honorable the Secretary of the Interior.

|  | Twenty installmeuts of annuity, in moner, gocds, or other articles, provisions, ammunition, and tobacco. | Annuity, $\$ 3,500 ;$ goods, \&c., $\$ 6,500$; provisions, \&c., $\$ 1,000$; seven installments unappropriated. |  |  | 77,000 00 |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Chippewas of Lake Superior. | Support of smith and shop, and pay of two farmers, during the pleasure of the Presi. dent. | Estimated at..................... | Vol. 10, p. $1112 \ldots$ | 1,800 00 |  |  |  |
| Chippewas of the Mississippi. | Ten installments in money, at $\$ 20,000$ each, third article treaty of February 22, 1855, and third article treaty of May 7, 1864. | Six installments, of $\$ 20,000$ each, due. | Fol. 13,p. 694, § 3 |  | 120,000 00 |  |  |
| Do. | Forty-six installments, to be paid to the chiefs of the Mississippi Indians. | Twelve installments, of $\$ 1,000$ each, due. | Vol. 9, p. 904, § 3 |  | 12,000 00 |  |  |
| Chippewas, Pillagers, and Lake Wimnebagoshish | Forty installmeuts: in money, $\$ 10,666.66$; goods, $\$ 8,000$, and for purpuses of atility, \$4,000. | Sixteen installments, of \$22,666,66 each, due. | $\begin{aligned} & \text { Vol. 10, p. 1168, } \\ & \text { 3; vol. 13, p. } 694, \\ & \$ 3 . \end{aligned}$ |  | 362, 66656 |  |  |
| Do........., | Ten installments, for purposes of education, per third article treaty of May 7, 1864. | Six installments, of $\$ 3,000$ each, due. | Vol. 13, p. 694, §3 |  | 18,000 00 |  |  |
| Choctaws | Permanent annuities | Sceond artiole treaty of November $16,1805, \$ 3,000$; thirteenth article treaty of October 18, 1820, $\$ 600$; sccond article treaty of January 20 . $1825, \$ 6,000$. | Vol. 7, p. $99, \$ 2 ;$ rol. 11, p. 614, § 13 ; vol. $7, \mathrm{p}$. $235, \$ 2$. |  |  | 9,600 00 |  |
| Do. | Provisions for smiths, \&e. | Sixth article treaty of October 18, 1820 ; ninth article treaty of January $20,1825$. |  |  |  | 92000 |  |
|  | Interest on $\$ 390,257.92$, articles ten and thirteen, trieaty of Jamuary 22, 1855. |  | Vol. 11, p. 614, § 13. |  |  | 19,512 89 | \$390, 25792 |
| Confederated tribes and bandsin Middle Oregon. | Five installments, for beneficial purposes, under direction of the Piesident, treaty of June 25, 1855. | One installment, of \$2,000, duc | Vol. 12, p. 964, §2 |  | 2,000 00 |  |  |
|  | Twenty installments, for pay and subsistence of one physician, sawyer, miller, superintendent of farming, and school-teacher. | One installment, of \$5,100, due | Vol. 12, p. 964, § 4 |  | 5,100 00 |  |  |
|  | Twenty installments for salary of head chief.. | One installment, of $\$ 500$ | \%do ........... |  | 50000 |  |  |
| Creeks | Permanent annuities | Treaty of August 7 | Vol. 7, p. $36,{ }^{36}$ |  |  | 1, 5100000 |  |
|  |  | Treaty of January 24, 1826 | Vol. 7, p. 287, ${ }^{2}$ |  |  | 3, 20,000 00 | 490,00000 |
| Do | Smiths, shops, \&c. | Treaty of January 24, 1826. | Vol. 7, p. 287, § 8 |  |  | 1,11000 | 22, 20000 |
|  | Wheelwright, permanent. | Treaty of January 24, 1826, and August 7, 1856. | Vol. 7, ${ }^{2}$. 287, $\$ 8$; vol.11, p.700, $\$ 5$ |  |  | ${ }^{600} 00$ | 12,000 00 |
| Do... | Allowance during the pleasure of the President for blacksmiths, assistants, shops and tools, iron and steel, wagon-maker, edncation and assistance in agricultural operations, \&c. | Treaty of February 14, 1833, and treaty of Augnst 7, 1856. | $\begin{gathered} \text { Vol. }, \text { p. } 419, \$ 5 \text {, } \\ \text { vol. } 11, \text { p. } 700, \$ 55^{2} \end{gathered}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 84000 \\ 27000 \\ 60000 \\ \text { 1, } 00000 \\ 2,00000 \end{array}$ |  |  |  |
| Do. | Interest on $\$ 200,000$ held in trust, sixth article treaty August 7, 1856. | Treaty of August 7, 1856. | Vol. 11, p. 700, §6 |  |  | 10,000 00 | 200, 00000 |
| Do. | Interest ou $\$ 075,168$ held in trust, third article treaty June 14, 1866, to he expended noder the direction of the Secretary of the Interior. | Expended under the direction of Secietarçof the Interior. | Vol. 14, p. 786, § 3 |  |  | 33,758 40 | 675,16800 |


| D | Twenty installments, for two farmers, two millers, blacksmith, gunsmith, tinsmith, carpenter and joiner, and wagon and plow maker, $\$ 7,400$, and keeping in repair blacksmith's, carpenter's, wagon and plow maker's shops, $\$ 500$. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Do. | Twenty installments, for keeping in repair flouring and saw mill, and supplying the necessary fixtures. |
| Do | Twenty installments, for pay of physician $\$ 1,400$, keeping in repair hospital and for medicine, $\$ 300$. |
| Do | Twenty installments, for repairing buildings for various employes, \&c. |
| Do. | Twenty installments, for each of the head chief's of the Flathead, Kootenay, and Upper Pend d'Oreille tribes, at $\$ 500$ each. |
| Gros Ventres | Amonnt to be expended in such goods, provisions, \&e., as the President may from time to time determine as necessary. |
| Iowas. | Interest ou $\$ 57,500$, being the balance on $\$ 157,500$. |
| Kansas | Interest on \$200,000, at 5 per ce |
| Kickapoos | Interest on \$93,581.09, at 5 per cent |
| Klamatbs and Modocs. | Five installments of $\$ 3,000$, third series, to be expended under the direction of the President. |
|  | Twenty installments, for repairing saw-mill, and huikdings for blacksmith, carpenter, wagon and plow maker, mannal-labor school, and hospital. |
| Do. | For tools and materials for saw and flour mills, carpenter's, blacksmith's, wagon and plow maker's shops, books and stationery for man-ual-labor school. |
| Do. | Pay of superintendent of farming farmer, blacksmith, sawyel, carpenter, and wagon and plow maker. |
| D | Pay of physician, miller, and two teachers, for twenty years. |
| Makalas. | Ten installments, being the fifth series, for heneficial objects, under the direction of the President. |
| Do. | Twenty installments, for agricultural and industrial schools and teachers, and for smith, carpenter, farmer, and physician. |
| Menomonees. | Fifteen installments, to pay $\$ 242,686$, for cesgion of land. |
| Miamies of Kansas. | Permanent provision for smith's shops and miller, \&c. |
| Dó | Twenty installments upon $\$ 150,000$, third article treaty of June 5,1854 |





| 1)o. | Sixteen installments, for boarding and clothing children who attend school, providing schools, \&c., with necessary furniture, purchase of wagous, teams, tools, \&c. |
| :---: | :---: |
| Do | Salary of two subordinate chiefs. . . . . . . . . . . . . |
| Do | Fifteen installments, for repairs of houses, mills, shops, \&c. |
| Do. | Salary of two matrons for schools, two assistant teachers, farmer, calpenter, and two millers. |
| Northern Cheyenves and Arapa. hoes. | Thirty installments, for purchase of clothing, as per sixth article treaty May 10, 1868. |
|  | Teu installments, to be expended by the Secretary of the Interior, for Indians engaged in agrienlture. |
| Do | Pay of teacher, farmer, caspenter, miller, blacksmith, engineer, and physician. |
| Omahas | Fifteen installments, thitd series, in money or othertrise. |
| Do | Iwelve installments, fourth series, in money or otherwise. |
| Osages | Interest on $\$ 69,120$, at 5 per cent., for educational purposes. |
|  | Interest on $\$ 300,000$, at 5 per cent., to be paid semi-gnmually, in money or such articles as tho Secretary of the Interior may direct. |
| Ottoes and Missourias. | Fifteen instalments, third series, in money or otherwise. |
| Do. | Iwelve iustallments, last series, in money or othervise. |
| Pawnees. | Aunnity goods, aud such articles as may be necessary. |
| Do. | Support of two manual-labor schools and pay of teachers. |
| Do. | For iron and steel aud other necessary articles for shops, and pay of two blacksmiths, one of which is to be tim and gun smith, and compensation of two strikers and apprentices. |
| Do. | Farming utensils and stock, pay of farmer, milles, and engineer, and compensation of apprentices, to assist in working in the milh, and keeping in ropair grist and sew mill. |
| Poncas. | Fifteen installments, last series, to be paid to them or expended for their benefit. |
| Do. | Amount to be expended during the pleasure of the President for purposes of civilization. |
| Pottawatomies <br> Do. | Permanent anuuity in money |



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\hline Vol. 14, p. 650, § 5 \& 3,500 00 \& \& \& <br>
\hline Vol. 15, p. 657, § 6 \& \& 240,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline ...do \& \& 375,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline Vol. 15, p. 658, § 7 \& 6, 00000 \& \& \& <br>
\hline Vol. 10, p. 1044,\$4 \& \& 80,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline Vol.10, p.1044, §4 \& \& 120,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline Vol. 7, p. 242,§6 \& \& \& 3,456 00 \& 69,12000 <br>
\hline Vol. 14, p. 687, § 1 \& \& \& 15,000 00 \& 300, 00000 <br>
\hline Vol. 10, p.1039,§4 \& \& 36,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline . .do \& \& 60,000 00 \& \& <br>
\hline Vol. 11, p. 729, §2 \& \& \& 30,000 00 \& <br>
\hline Vol. 11, p. 729, §3 \& 10,000. 00 \& \& \& <br>
\hline Fol. 11, p. 729, § 4 \& 2, 18000 \& \& \& <br>
\hline Vol. 11, p. 730, § 4 \& 4,400 00 \& \& \& <br>
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\hline Vol. 12, p. 998, § 2 \& 10,000 00 \& \& \& <br>

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# ABSTRACT REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE UNITED STATES COAST SURVEY. 

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## ABSTRACT REPORT

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## SUPERINTENDENT UNITED STATES COAST SURVEY.

## United States Coast Survey Office, Washington, October 21, 1878.

Sir: I have the honor to transmit a brief statement of the progress made in the survey of the Atlantic coast, Gulf of Mexico, and Pacific coast of the United States, during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1878. My annual report will contain, as usual, the details pertaining to the several classes of work herein recapitulated.

The geodetic and other operations of the fiscal year include soundings in the seaward approaches of Mount Desert Island, off the coast of Maine, and, in that vicinity, topographical surveys at the head of Frenchman's Bay and Blue Hill Bay; hydrography of the vicinity of Deer Isle and Isle au Haut, and tidal observations in Penobscot entrance; geodetic work at Guustock Mountain and at Guilford, for determining geographical points in New Hampshire; triangulation for the harbor commissioners' survey of Boston upper harbor ; determination of the positions of lighthouses on the coast of Massachusetts; development of the action of seacurrents as affecting navigation across the Gulf of Maine; tidal obseryations at Providence, R.I. ; shore-line survey and soundings in Duck Island Harbor, Connecticut ; detailed topograppical survey of the north and west approaches to New Haven, Conn., and of the western shore of Jamaica Bay, including Rockaway Inlet; survey of Coney Island and of the shores of Sheepshead Bay and Gravesend Bay, Long Island, N. Y.; hydrography of Rockaway Inlet and of the adjacent parts of Jamaica Bay; pendulum observations at New York City; tidal observatious at Governor's Island aud at Sandy Hook; topography of the shores of Hiudson River near Peekskill, N. Y.; tidal bench-marks at Stuyvesant and Albany, established by lines of level; primary triangulation connected with geodetic stations in New Hampshire, Vermont, and Massachusetts; latitudes and longitudes for the State commissioners in adjustment of the boundary-line between New York and Pennsylvania; geodetic points determined in the northern part of New Jersey and in Eastem Pennsylyania; latitude, longitude, and the magnetic elements at Harrisburg; points determined and special observations of tides and currents in the Delaware River at and near Philadelphia; triangulation for light-house positions in Delaware Bay ; topographical survey continued eastward of Norfolk, Va.; tidal observations at Fort Monroe ; special observations in the waters of Chesapeake Bay in regard to salinity and density ; benchmarks along the Potomac near Washington, D. C., for comparing floodlevels; magnetic declination, dip, and intensity determined at Washington ; lines with spirit-level ruu between Hagerstown and Cumberland, Md.; "primary triangulation at stations on the Blue Ridge, Va.; marine notes derived from examinations between Cape Henry and Cape Fear, for the Atlantic Coast Pilot; positions of life-saving stations between

Cape Henry and Cape Hatteras, determined and marked on sheets of the survey; topography of the shores of Cape Fear River below Wilmington, N. C.; primary triangulation between Kent Island base line, Md., and the base near Atlanta, Ga., closed at stations in North Carolina; hydrography of the coast of South Carolina, above Murrell's Inlet, including Little River; coast examinations between Fernandina, Fla., and the Dry Tortugas, and marine notes compiled for publication; tidal observations at Fernandina; hydrography of the eastern coast of Florida, from Mosquito Inlet southward to Cape Cañaveral; survey of the Saint John's River, Florida, extended southward to the vicinity of Tocoi, and of Indian River to the neighborhood of Cape Malabar; hydrography of Cliarlotte Harbor and triangulation of Sarasota Bay on the gulf coast of Florida; survey of Crooked River adjacent to Saint George's Sound, and supplementary soundings in Duer's Channel and off Light-House Point; deep-sea soundings, with observations for temperature and density, in the waters of the Gulf of Mexico ; triangulation, topography, and hydrography of Barataria Bay, Louisiana, nearly completed; continuous record of the water-level of the Mississippi at New Orleans; survey of the river continued at Donaldsonville, Natchez, Vicksburg, Greenville, and Helena; latitude and longitude determined at the same places; triangulation continued in Northern Alabama, and stations selected in Northern Mississippi; reconnaissance along the coast of Louisiana and Texas, for triangulation between Vermilion Bay and Galveston Bay; triangulation of Laguna Madre, Texas, extended southward of Baffin's Bay; magnetic declination, dip, and intensity determined at Dollar Point, San Antonio, Hempstead, and Groesbeck, Tex., and at Vinita, in Indian Territory.

On the Pacific coast of the United States, and at points intermediate between the eastern coast and western coast, the operations of the fiscal year include hydrography of the bar and of parts of the harbor of San Diego, Cal.; triangulation for determining the geographical positions of San Clemente Islaud and Santa Barbara Island; soundings in approaches to the Pacific coast from Point Dume westward to Santa Cruz Island; topographical survey continued on Catalina Island; soundings in its western approaches and between Santa Rosa Island and Point Conception ; topography of the coast in the vicinity of Poiut Arguello, and from Ynez River northward toward Point Sal; and of the coast north and south of Point Sur ; tidal observations at Sancelito in San Francisco Bay; supplementary observations on the horizoutal angles recorded at the primary stations on Mount Helena and Mount Diablo, California; selection of points for primary triangulation along the coast between Point Arenas and Cape Blanco; hydrography of the approaches to Columbia River, Oregon, and detailed survey of the shores and channel between Mount Coffin and Kalama; selection of points for primary triangulation in Washington Sound and across the Strait of Fuca; sites for base lines. examined in the Willamette Valley, Oregon, and on Whidbey Island, Washington Territory; hydrography of Admiralty Inlet; survey of the shores of Puget Sound from Commencement Bay to Budd's Inlet, and of the northern part of Hood's Canal; inspection of topography in the field in this section ; compilation of the titles of charts, \&c., illustrating the coast features and hydrography of Alaska.

At stations of the geodetic connection between the Atlantic coast triangulation and that of the Pacific coast, and at others occupied for determinations of latitude, longitude, and the magnetic declination or variation of the compass, the operations include observations for latitude and longitude at Memphis and Nashville, Tenn. ; at Cairo, Ill.; at Hick-
man and Paducah, Ky.; and telegrapinic exchanges by signals at Nashville for the longitude of places along the Mississippi River, as already recited ; determination of the magnetic elements at Nashville, and of latitude and azimuth near Lebamon, Tenn. ; stations selected in Kentucky for the triangulation between Cumberland Gap and the Ohio River; and in Ohio, for geographical positions between Athens and Columbus; also in Southern Mlimois and near Madison, in Wisconsin; the magnetic elements determined at the last-named place, and also at La Crosse; at Minneapolis, in Minnesota; at Sibley, Des Moines, Davenport, and Keokuk, in Iowa; at Omala, in Nebraska; and at Lawrence, in Kansas; latitude and longitude determinations at Summit Station in Nevada.

Progress commensurate with the field-work has been made in the Coast Survey Office, in which the work comprises the reduction and discussion of all observations; the preparation for publication of the records and results; the drawing of hydrographic charts from the original notebooks, and of topographical and hydrographic sheets for publication; the engraving, electrotyping, printing, and issue of the same, and the repairs of instruments used in the survey.

Tide-tables for the principal ports of the United States for the year 1879 have been published; the drawing of seventy-eight charts has been in progress, forty-two have been completed, and of that number twentyone have been issued by photolithography.

Seven copper-plate engraved charts have been completed, and six* others are in hand, exclusive of one hundred and thirty-five plates on which additions have been engraved. Twenty-one thousand six hundred and twenty-three copies of charts have been issued within the year, and upwards of one thousand copies of the annual reports from the office. The second volume of the Atlantic Coast Pilot is now in course of publication.

Respectfully submitted.

C. P. PATTERSON,<br>Superintendent.

Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

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[^1]:    a Nearly $15,000,000$ pounds. None of the other manafactories in this column produced over $3,000,000$ pounds, excepting one in Ilinois, which produced between $3,000,000$ and $4,000,000$ pounds.

[^2]:    *These collections, assessed under act of July 1, 1862, at the several different rates of $\$ 1.50, \$ 2, \$ 2.50$ and $\$ 3.50$ per thousand, were returned in one aggregate, the average late of tax being $\$ 2.37 \mathrm{t}$.

[^3]:    *The amount here reported is 0.72 per cent. of the receipts from sales of proprietary stamps during the fiscal year.

    Total amount of drawback allowed during fiscal year 1877, $\$ 55,002.40$.

[^4]:    *:Since Gactober 2, 1876, part of the third district of Maryland

[^5]:    Whole number of offers received
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[^6]:    *These tabular statemuts are printed in pamplet form, but are omitted from this zeport for want of space.

[^7]:    *The reserve cities, in addition to New York, Boston, Philadelphia, and Baltimore, are Albany: sPittsburgh, Washington, New Orleans, Louisville, Cincinnati, Cleveland, Chicago, Detroit, Milwankee, Saint Louis, and San Francisco.

[^8]:    *The following extract from the London Economist of October 26, 1878, clearly illustrates the superiority of the national banking system of this country, so far as the safety of circulating notes is concerned, over the systems of Great Britain. The closing sentence, contrasting the superior system of the Isle of Man with those of the United Kingdom, is significant:
    "A curious detail in the business of the City of Glasgow Bank has been brought to light. The Bank of Mona, an institntion in the Isle of Man, was incorporated with it, and a large circulation of notes existed in that island. The House of Keys, which regulates these matters with more foresight than the House of Commons, in 1845 required adequate security on real estate to be held, not only against every note which was issued, but against every note sigued by the anthorities of the bank, whether held by them or by the public. The manager of the Bank of Mona, faithful to his trust while his superiors at Glasgow were so unmindful of theirs, has published a statement that the security is intact and immediately available. The gold which the City of Glasgow Bank should but does not hold would have been no security to the note-holder more than to any other creditor of the bank. The annual migrations of sovereigns to the north, in accordance with the act of 1845 , is a continual inconvenience to the Bank of England, and but little benefit to any one. One is tempted to ask whether something like the precedent set by the House of Keys might not be followed with advantage in Great Britain."
    'The London Bankers' Magazine for November of the present year, in referning to this bank failure, says:
    "At all events, a strong argument in favor of the deposit of government securities, instead of the dispatch of gold to meet the periodical expansion of the Scotch circulation, is desirable from what has happened."

[^9]:    * The currency value of the interest upon the bonds deposited as security for circulation is $\$ 17,689,372$, as is shown in a table on the next page. If from this amount be deducted ten per cent., $\$ 1,768,937$, which is the interest upon that portion of the bonds on which the banks receive no circulation, and the tax upon the circulation issued, $\$ 3,144,680$, there will remain $\$ 12,775,755$, which is the net amount of currency interest received by the banks upon ninety per cent. of the bonds deposited as security for their circulating notes.

[^10]:    Those who take this view proceed on the assumption that the banks will be called upon to pay their deposits in specie. This was not true during any former period of specie payment, and is less likely to be true under the national banking system than it was mader any previous system of banking. The banks in this country, from their first organization, have, in times of resumption as well as of suspension, reeeived from their dealers current bank-notes and have paid out the same. This is true to-day in England, Scotland, Germany, and France, in all of which countries the bank-note is preferred, as a rule, to either gold or silver. Only a small portion of the bank circulation of the comutry, at any period prior to 1863 , was either safe or convertible; yet even this circulation, poor as it was, was freely received by the bauks outside of the commercial cities, and was paid out by them to their depositors, so closely identified were the interests of the one with the other. The notes which were retnmed from the commercial centers for redemption were readily paid ont and circulated at home, and

[^11]:    *The capital stock is stated at rarious dates, the aniount at a miform date in each year not being obtainable.
    $\dagger$ Yearly averages for twenty-five years. $\quad \ddagger$ Totals for twentr-five years.

[^12]:    *The capital of the banks which reported State taxes in 1.874 was $\$ 476,836 ; 031$, in $187.5 \$ 493,738,408$; in $1876 \$ 488,272782$, and in $1877 \$ 474,667,771$.

[^13]:    *The capital of the banks that paid State, connty, and maniepan taxes on stock and real estate is \$474.667,771.
    $\dagger$ Califoruia banks pay no State tares on capital, except such as is infested in real estate.

[^14]:    *Subtract or add for portions of notes lost or destroyed.

[^15]:    * The capital of the banks that paid State, county, and municipal taxes on stock and real estate is \$488,272,782.

    California banks pay no State taxes on capital, except such as is invested in real estate.

[^16]:    *Includes $\$ 799,979$ excess of hiabilities over assets.

[^17]:    * Estimated.

[^18]:    * Iucluding State bank circulation outstanding.

[^19]:    *The United States trade-dollar has been well received in China, and is eagerly welcomed in those parts of the conntry where the true value of the coin is known. It is a legal tender at the ports of Foochow and Canton in China, and also at Saigon and Singapore, and, although not legally cunent in this colony, it is anxiously sought after by the Chinese, and in the bazaars it is seldom to be purchased. In proof of the estimation in which the trade-dollar is held in the south of China, we need only statethat the bulk of the direct exchange business between San Francisco and Fong-Kong(which is very considerable) is done in this coin, the natives preferring it to the Mexi-. can dollar:
    Late advices from San Francisco report that so great is the demand for trade-dollars. for shipment to China, that the Cabifonnia mint is mequal to the task of turning out the coin fast enough to satisfy requirements. This is, in our estimation, evidence powerful enongh to convince the most skeptical as to whether the United States tradedollar hats been a success or not. It is the best dollar we have ever seen here, and as there can be no doubt as to the standard and purity being maintained, it. will become more popular day by day, and, we doubt not, ultimately find its way into the morth of China, where the people are more prejudiced against imovation.
    Trade-dollars are current by count at Singapore, Penang, Bangkok, and Saigon; they are current by weight at, Swatow, Amoy, Foochow, and Canton. In Hong-Kong they are not a legal tender, and the banks will only take them from each other by special arringement; but the Chinese take them freely in Hong-Koug when they want coin of any description, which is very seldom, as they prefer bank-notes, and only take coin from the bamks when they require to export it from the colony. In the Sonth of China, the Straits and Cochin Chini, the trade-dohar is well known and passes withont comment along with the clean Mexican dollars, but in Shanghai and the northern ports it is naknown, and is not likely to be current for a length of time.

    My opinion is that ultimately it will be current all over China; it is the best coin that ever has been imported, and, weing produced at the fonntain-head of silver, can loe laid down more cheaply than any other dollar. The reliable character of the coin (for weight or purity) is a futher consideratiou which must be favorably entertained.
    China requires many millions of dollars amnally, and while the clean Mexican dollar will be imported for the North of China, the trade-dollar will be imported for the South. I would ronghly estimate that the San Francisco steamers will hing from fout to six lacs (four to six hundred thonsand) of trade-collars each fortnightly trip, all the year round. I base this estimate upon the experience of last season's requirements.

[^20]:    Hon. H. R. Linderman,
    Director United States Mint, Washington, D. C.

[^21]:    Hon. John Sherman,
    Secretary of the Treasury.

[^22]:    Hon. John Sherman, Secretary of the Treasury.

[^23]:    *The tabular statements referred to are printed in pamphlet form and omitted from this report.

[^24]:    agrees with the Balance of Covered Moneys due the Onited States, as shown per
    Statement VI., Treasuror's Quarterly Accomnt.
    286, 959, 07875

[^25]:    Note.-Tbe public debt statement shows ontstanding $7-30$ s of 1864 and of 1865 , on June $30,1878, \$ 157,150$, or $\$ 5,000$ less than the above; an error having oceurred whereby an amount of $\$ 5,000$ deducted as redeemed in Augost, 1868 , the sottlement of which was afterward suspended, was again deducted when the suspension was removed.

[^26]:    Redeemed, exchanged, and transferred Onited States bonds, with coupons attached, examined, 'egistered, and scheduled for destruction.

[^27]:    * And prior fears.

[^28]:    * And prior years.

[^29]:    $\dagger$ Ropayment (\$64.97) was transferred to "Army Pensions, 1875 transfer account ${ }_{2}$ Interior (Indians and Pensions) Ledger:

[^30]:    ${ }^{2}$ Repayment $\$ 425,590.42$ is transferred to "Navy Pensions," Interior Ledger.

[^31]:    * New measurement from 1866 .

