

jail or lock-up, and any officer or person violating this provision of law, shall be guilty of misdemeanor and punishable by fine not to exceed \$25 or by imprisonment in the district jail for a maximum term of fifteen days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

ARTICLE V.—GENERAL DISPOSITIONS.

Section 31.—Any official who is negligent in complying with the duties imposed on him by this Act, shall be deemed guilty of misdemeanor and punished by a fine not to exceed \$25 or by imprisonment in jail for a maximum term of fifteen days, or by both such fine and imprisonment.

Section 32.—This Act shall be liberally construed to the end that its purposes may be carried out, such purposes being the protection and welfare of the child, and affording children the means of reforming, of receiving an education and of becoming law-abiding citizens.

The proceedings and judgments determined herein shall only imply the exercise of an eminent "patria potestad" by The People of Porto Rico over children, against whom no criminal precedent shall be established.

Section 33.—That all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 34.—That this Act shall take effect July 1, 1915.

Approved, March 11, 1915.

[No. 38.]

AN ACT

PROVIDING FUNDS FOR NECESSARY EXPENSES OF THE FIRST SESSION OF THE EIGHTH LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF PORTO RICO.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Porto Rico:

Section 1.—That from any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated, there are hereby appropriated the following amounts to cover indispensable expenses incurred during the first session of the Eighth Legislative Assembly of Porto Rico:

Salaries, House of Delegates:

Temporary employees and employees of the the Insular Government whose services may be utilized during extra hours-----	\$600.00
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Contingent Expenses, House of Delegates:

Legislative printing -----	1,000.00
Incidentals -----	600.00
Mileage for members-----	50.00

Total-----	\$2,250.00
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Salaries, Executive Council:

Temporary employees for engrossing, enrolling, translating and other clerical work in connection with the session of the Legislative Assembly-----	\$750.00
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Contingent Expenses, Executive Council:

Legislative printing-----	650.00
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In all-----	\$1,400.00
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Section 2.—That all laws or parts of laws in conflict herewith are hereby repealed.

Section 3.—That this Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved, March 11, 1915.

[No. 39.]

AN ACT

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE NECESSARY EXPENSES OF CARRYING ON THE GOVERNMENT OF PORTO RICO FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING JUNE 30, 1916, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Porto Rico:

Section 1.—That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be respectively necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any funds in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated in full compensation for the services of the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, for the objects hereinafter expressly named:

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OF PORTO RICO.

Salaries, Executive Council: Five members, at \$2,500 each, \$12,500; secretary, \$3,000; assistant secretary, interpreter and translator, \$2,800; clerk and stenographer, \$1,800; clerk and stenographer, \$1,400; journal clerk, \$900; sergeant-at-arms, \$1,100; messenger, \$480; janitor, \$360; temporary employees for engrossing, enrolling, translating and other clerical work in connection with the session of the Legislative Assembly, \$1,500; in all, \$25,840.

Legislative printing, \$800; incidental expenses, \$450; postage and freight, \$200; traveling expenses, \$400; telephone and telegraph, \$10; stationery, \$800; in all, \$2,660.

Printing and binding the laws of Porto Rico and the Journal of the Executive Council, \$2,500; in all, \$2,500.

OFFICE OF THE FRANCHISE COMMITTEE.

Salaries, Franchise Committee: Secretary, \$2,700.

Regulation of Public Utilities: Printing of forms for special re-

ports, printing and incidental expenses in connection with inspection of facilities and equipment of public service corporations, printing and incidental expenses in connection with rate revision of public utilities, \$400; in all, \$400.

Total, Franchise Committee, \$3,100.

Total, Executive Council, \$34,100.

Provided, That the legislative printing for the Executive Council and the House of Delegates shall be done in the printing establishment offering to do the work at the lowest price after a public call for bids; *Provided*, That the Speaker of the House of Delegates and the President of the Executive Council may impose a fine not to exceed fifty dollars for each mistake or omission made by the printing contractor in complying with his contract.

Salaries, House of Delegates: Thirty-five members, for sixty days, at five dollars per day each, \$10,500; secretary, \$2,800; assistant secretary, \$2,400; assistant secretary and property clerk, \$2,200; sergeant-at-arms, \$1,100; interpreter and translator, \$1,700; typewriter clerk for the office of the Speaker, \$1,100; two typewriter clerks for the office of the secretary, at \$900, \$1,800; messenger, \$480; janitor, \$480; in all, \$24,560.

Temporary employees for engrossing, enrolling, translating and other clerical work in connection with the session of the Legislative Assembly, \$1,200; two messengers for sixty days, at \$60 each, \$120; in all, \$1,320.

Legislative printing, \$1,200; incidental expenses, \$1,000; purchase of books, furniture and equipment for library, \$200; mileage for members, \$450; in all, \$2,850.

Total, House of Delegates, \$28,730.

OFFICE OF THE GOVERNOR.

Salaries, Office of the Governor: Governor, \$8,000; secretary of the Governor, \$2,000; inspector of police under the Governor, \$2,200; stenographer and custodian of records, \$1,700; doorkeeper, \$500; messenger, \$360; in all, \$14,760.

Stationery and printing, \$500; telegraph and telephone, \$250; furniture, \$150; postage and freight, \$200; incidental expenses, \$650; in all, \$1,750.

Expenses, Executive Mansion: Care, maintenance and repair of government buildings used and occupied by the Governor of Porto Rico, care of grounds, wages of employees in connection therewith, telephone service, purchase, renewal and repair of furniture, water, light, miscellaneous and necessary incidental expenses, \$10,000; in all, \$10,000.

Miscellaneous expenditures, subject to the approval of the Governor: Payment of miscellaneous claims, not otherwise appropriated for, and emergency expenditures for other purposes, upon recommendation of the Auditor and the approval of the Governor of Porto Rico, and for which transfer may be made to specific appropriations

when the necessities of the public service may require it, \$20,000; in all, \$20,000.

Total, Office of the Governor, \$46,510.

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

Salaries, Office of the Secretary: Secretary, \$4,000; assistant secretary, \$3,000; chief clerk, \$2,300; clerk, \$1,700; clerk, \$1,600; clerk, \$1,600; clerk, \$1,400; clerk, \$1,300; clerk, \$1,300; clerk, \$1,200; clerk, \$1,200; clerk and archivist in charge of the Spanish archives to be appointed by the Secretary of Porto Rico with the approval of the Executive Council, \$1,200; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$1,000; clerk, \$600; messenger, \$480; messenger, \$360; in all, \$29,740.

Stationery and printing, \$750; furniture, \$200; postage and freight, \$500; telephone and telegraph, \$50; incidental expenses, \$500; in all, \$2,000.

Bureau of Weights and Measures—Salaries: Chief of Bureau, \$2,300; assistant chief, \$1,500; six inspectors, at \$1,000, \$6,000; typewriter-clerk, \$540; stenographer, \$900; warden, \$360; in all, \$11,600.

Stationery and printing, \$350; traveling expenses, \$4,000; telegraph and telephone, \$50; equipment of weights and measures, \$500; postage and freight, including transportation of equipment (including transfer of some testing sets from one municipality to another), \$600; incidental expenses, \$600; in all, \$6,100.

Total, Bureau of Weights and Measures, \$17,700.

Total, Office of the Secretary, \$49,440.

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL.

Salaries, Office of the Attorney General: Attorney General, \$4,000; Assistant Attorney General, \$3,000; special fiscal at large, \$3,500; law officer, \$2,300; law officer, \$2,300; chief of division of accounts, \$2,300; secretary and translator, \$1,600; file clerk, \$1,500; stenographer, \$1,400; stenographer, \$1,200; stenographer, \$1,100; two clerks, at \$1,200 each, \$2,400; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$720; two messengers, at \$360 each, \$720; janitor, \$360; in all, \$29,500.

Blank books, stationery, printing, office supplies, cablegrams, law books and other necessary incidental expenses, \$2,500; litigation fund, \$150; postage, \$300; traveling expenses, \$450; in all, \$3,400.

Total, Office of the Attorney General, \$32,900.

OFFICE OF THE TREASURER.

Salaries, Office of the Treasurer—Treasurer's Office proper: Treasurer, \$5,000; Assistant Treasurer, \$3,000; secretary, stenographer and translator, \$1,500; mail clerk, \$900; messenger, \$360; janitor, \$360; in all, \$11,120.

Bureau of Accounts and of the paymaster: Chief of Bureau, \$2,300; assistant chief, \$1,700; financial, receiving and stamp clerk, \$1,700; clerk, \$1,500; clerk, \$1,500; clerk, \$1,300; two clerks, at \$1,100

each, \$2,200; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$1,000; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$600; in all, \$16,900.

Bureau of Municipal Finance: Chief of Bureau, \$2,300; assistant chief, \$1,700; clerk and stenographer, \$1,200; in all, \$5,200.

Bureau of Property Taxes: Chief of Bureau, \$2,300; assistant chief, who shall have all the powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$1,700; assessor and investigator of corporations, who shall have all the powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$1,800; clerk, who shall have all the powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$1,500; clerk and stenographer, \$1,300; five clerks, at \$1,200 each, who shall have all the powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$6,000; two clerks, at \$1,100 each, who shall have all the powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$2,200; clerk, \$1,000; clerk, \$900; two clerks, at \$900 each, \$1,800; clerk, \$720; three clerks, at \$600 each, \$1,800; messenger, \$360; three assessors, at \$1,500 each, who shall have all powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$4,500; two assessors, at \$1,400 each, who shall have all powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$2,800; assessor, who shall have all powers conferred upon internal revenue agents, \$1,300; clerk for the assessment and collection of the income tax, as prescribed by the Tariff Act of the United States, enacted October 3, 1913, \$1,400; two clerks for the assessment and collection of the income tax, as prescribed by the Tariff Act of the United States, enacted October 3, 1913, at \$1,200, \$2,400; in all, \$35,780.

Bureau of Internal Revenue: Chief of Bureau, \$2,300; clerk, with powers of internal revenue agents, \$1,600; clerk, with powers of internal revenue agents, \$1,600; two clerks, at \$1,100 each, \$2,200; clerk and stenographer, \$1,100; two clerks, at \$900 each, \$1,800; clerk, \$720; clerk, \$600; internal revenue agent at large, \$1,800; seven internal revenue agents, at \$1,400 each, \$9,800; five internal revenue agents, at \$1,300 each, \$6,500; five internal revenue agents, at \$1,200 each, \$6,000; six internal revenue agents, at \$1,100 each, \$6,600; in all, \$42,620.

Salaries, collectors of internal revenue, who shall have all the powers conferred upon internal revenue agents and upon assessors: Collector, San Juan, \$1,800; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$840; messenger, \$300; collector, Ponce, \$1,800; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$600; clerk, \$480; messenger, \$300; collector, Mayagüez-Hornigueros, \$1,800; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$480; messenger, \$240; collector, Arecibo, \$1,800; clerk, \$720; clerk, \$480; messenger, \$240; collector, Caguas, \$1,200; clerk, \$600; collector, Humacao, \$1,200; clerk, \$600; collector, Guayama, \$1,200; clerk, \$600; collector, Aguadilla-Moca, \$1,200; clerk, \$360; collector, Utuado, \$1,100; clerk, \$360; collector, Bayamón, \$1,200; clerk, \$360; collector, Yauco, \$1,100; clerk, \$360; collector, San Germán-Lajas, \$1,100; clerk, \$360; collector, Río Piedras, \$1,100; clerk, \$360; collector, Juana Díaz, \$1,100; collector, Fajardo, \$1,100; collector, Vieques, \$900; messenger, \$180; collector, Manatí, \$900; collector, San Sebastián, \$900; collector, Carolina, \$900; collector, Lares, \$900; collector, Yabucoa, \$860; collector, Coamo, \$860; collector, Cayey, \$860; collector, Río Grande, \$860; collector, Cabo

Rojo, \$860; collector, Aguada-Rincón, \$860; collector, Vega Baja, \$860; collector, Juncos, \$760; collector, Salinas, \$760; collector, Naguabo, \$760; collector, Patillas, \$760; collector, San Lorenzo, \$760; collector, Guayanilla, \$760; collector, Loíza, \$760; collector, Ciales, \$760; collector, Las Marías, \$760; collector, Arroyo, \$760; collector, Vega Alta, \$760; collector, Aibonito, \$760; collector, Camuy, \$720; collector, Quebradillas, \$720; collector, Maunabo, \$720; collector, Barros, \$720; collector, Isabela, \$720; collector, Morovis, \$720; collector, Sabana Grande, \$720; collector, Dorado, \$720; collector, Toa Alta, \$720; collector, Comerío, \$720; collector, Cidra, \$720; collector, Jayuya, \$720; in all, \$59,600.

Stationery and printing, which shall be made in Spanish and in English, \$6,000; lighting and water, \$100; telephone and telegraph service, \$1,200; incidental and traveling expenses, \$3,000; postage and express, \$3,000; traveling expenses, internal revenue agents, \$8,316; care of horses for internal revenue agents, including care, stabling, shoeing, veterinary assistance and medicines, \$7,200; traveling expenses, assessors, \$4,200; care of horses for assessors, including care, stabling, shoeing, veterinary assistance and medicines, \$2,500; in all, \$35,516.

Total, Office of the Treasurer, \$206,736.

OFFICE OF THE AUDITOR.

Salaries, Office of the Auditor—Auditor's Office proper: Auditor, \$4,000; Assistant Auditor, \$3,000; secretary and stenographer, \$1,600; mail and file clerk, \$1,000; messenger, \$360; janitor, \$360; in all, \$10,320.

Division of General Accounts: Chief of Division, \$2,300; assistant chief, \$1,700; one clerk, \$1,500; one clerk, \$1,400; clerk, \$1,300; two clerks, at \$1,200 each, \$2,400; two clerks, at \$1,100 each, \$2,200; two clerks, at \$720 each, \$1,440; clerk, \$480; in all, \$14,720.

Division of Property Accounts: Chief of Division, \$2,300; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$720; in all, \$5,020.

Provided, That such officials and employees of the Insular Government or branches thereof, as may be designated by the Auditor, with the approval of the head of the department, if any, shall hereafter keep records of all property other than real estate and render reports when requested in such form and manner as the Auditor shall prescribe; *Provided, further,* That, for the purpose of creating and maintaining more adequate control of all the property aforementioned, the detailed accounts of the said property in the possession or under the control of any official or employee of the Insular Government or its branches, shall be carried by the Auditor to such extent as he may deem practicable; *Provided,* That all the aforesaid officials and employees shall be required to give bond as provided in Section 119 of the Political Code.

Division of Disbursements and Claims: Chief of Division, \$2,300; assistant chief, \$1,600; one clerk, \$1,400; one clerk, \$1,300; clerk, \$1,100; two clerks, at \$1,100 each, \$2,200; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$840; in all, \$11,640.

Division of Audits and Examinations: Chief of Division, \$2,300; examiner, \$1,800; examiner, \$1,800; examiner, \$1,800; examiner, \$1,700; clerk, \$1,200; clerk and stenographer, \$1,200; clerk, \$1,000; in all, \$12,800.

Total, \$54,500.

Stationery and printing, \$750; telegraph and telephone service, \$25; traveling expenses, \$3,000; postage and freight, \$300; incidentals, \$200; in all, \$4,275.

Total, Office of the Auditor, \$58,775.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF THE INTERIOR.

Salaries, Office of the Commissioner of the Interior—Office of the Commissioner proper: Commissioner, \$4,000; Assistant Commissioner, \$3,000; secretary and stenographer, \$1,500; file clerk and translator, \$1,300; two messengers, at \$360 each, \$720; janitor, \$360; chauffeur, \$540; in all, \$11,420.

Contingent expenses, automobile expense, traveling expense, postage and freight, stationery and printing and miscellaneous expenses, \$10,000; in all, \$10,000.

Salaries, Division of Public Lands and Archives: Chief of the Division, \$2,300; clerk and surveyor, \$1,300; archivist and librarian, \$1,100; in all, \$4,700.

Field work, traveling expenses, purchase and repair of instruments, wages and traveling expenses in connection with new surveys, \$10,000; in all, \$10,000.

Salaries, Division of Harbors and Docks: Chief of Division and Captain of the Port, San Juan, \$2,000; captain of the port, Ponce, \$1,100; captain of the port, Mayagüez, \$720; clerk, San Juan, \$720; clerk and messenger, San Juan, \$360; clerk, Ponce, \$360; two signalmen, San Juan, at \$300 each, \$600; guard for prisoners cleaning bulkheads and docks, San Juan, \$360; percentage payments to pilots acting as captains of port at ports other than San Juan, Ponce and Mayagüez, \$1,500; in all, \$7,720.

Salaries, Division of Disbursements and Accounts: Chief of Division, \$2,300; chief clerk, \$1,700; bookkeeper, \$1,400; storekeeper, \$1,100; civil service file clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$1,100; three voucher clerks, \$900 each, \$2,700; watchman, \$360; messenger, \$360; in all, \$12,120.

Salaries, Bureau of Public Works: Superintendent, \$3,000; assistant superintendent, \$2,200; engineer in charge of municipal work, \$2,600; designing engineer, \$2,200; assistant engineer, \$1,800; assistant engineer, \$1,700; chief clerk, \$1,300; draftsman, \$1,100; draftsman, \$840; two draftsmen, at \$720 each, \$1,440; stenographer and translator, \$1,100; stenographer, \$1,000; in all, \$20,280.

Salaries, Division of Public Buildings: Architect, \$2,300; chief draftsman, \$1,800; draftsman, \$900; superintendent of public buildings, \$1,800; two inspectors, at \$1,100 each, \$2,200; clerk and stenographer, \$1,400; in all, \$10,400.

Construction, maintenance and repair of public roads; payment of wages, purchase of material, rent of tool sheds and *caminero* houses, construction and repair of roads, bridges, *caminero* houses, bulkheads and embankments, and other necessary expenses other than in the Department of the Interior in San Juan, to be expended in the discretion of the Commissioner of the Interior, either in the direct purchase of material and employment of labor, or in payment on account of contracts entered into by the Commissioner of the Interior, for the maintenance, construction and repair of roads and bridges, or so much thereof as may be necessary, \$290,000; in all, \$290,000.

Maintenance, care, necessary repairs to and reconstruction of public buildings other than the Executive Mansion, \$15,000; water for public buildings, exclusive of the Executive Mansion, \$1,500; electric lighting for public buildings, exclusive of the Executive Mansion, \$1,550; in all, \$18,050.

Salaries, Bureau of Insular Telegraph—Central Office, San Juan: Superintendent, \$2,300; clerk and accountant, \$1,300; clerk and translator, \$900; two clerks, at \$480 each, \$960; janitor, \$300.

Operators: Chief operator, \$1,300; operator and clerk, \$900; manager, Ponce, \$1,000; manager, Mayagüez, \$900; three operators, at \$900 each, \$2,700; four operators, at \$840 each, \$3,360; six operators, at \$720 each, \$4,320; seven operators, at \$600 each, \$4,200; twenty-four operators, at \$480 each, \$11,520; two relief operators, at \$480 each, \$960; nine operators, at \$360 each, \$3,240; clerk, Ponce, \$480; two clerks, San Juan, at \$360 each, \$720; two telephone operators, at \$300 each, \$600; four telephone operators, at \$240 each, \$960; six telephone operators, at \$180 each, \$1,080; eight telephone operators, at \$120 each, \$960; messenger, \$300; two messengers, at \$240 each, \$480; six messengers, at \$180 each, \$1,080; seven messengers, at \$120 each, \$840; fifty-two messengers, at \$60 each, \$3,120.

Maintenance of lines: Chief lineman, \$900; two linemen, at \$720 each, \$1,440; eleven linemen, at \$480 each, \$5,280; in all, \$58,400.

Office rent, light, purchase of material, instruments, etc., necessary incidental expenses, transportation and subsistence for employees, freight, postage, printing and stationery, purchase, maintenance or hire of horses and oxen for use of linemen, \$12,750; in all, \$12,750.

Total, Commissioner of the Interior, \$465,840.

OFFICE OF THE COMMISSIONER OF EDUCATION.

Salaries, Office of the Commissioner of Education—Office of the Commissioner proper: Commissioner, \$4,000; Assistant Commissioner, \$3,000; secretary and stenographer, \$1,500; stenographer and clerk, \$1,300; janitor and copyist, \$480; messenger, \$360; messenger, \$360; in all, \$11,000.

School Board Accounts: Chief, \$2,300; clerk and bookkeeper, \$1,100; clerk and stenographer, \$900; clerk, \$1,100; in all, \$5,400.

Accounts and Records: Chief, \$2,300; clerk, \$1,500; clerk and stenographer, \$1,300; clerk, \$1,300; clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$900;

clerk, \$1,100; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$600; messenger, \$360; in all, \$11,360.

Division of Supervision: Three general superintendents, at \$1,800 each, \$5,400; superintendent of Spanish language, \$1,800; in all, \$7,200.

Stationery, printing, office supplies, cablegrams, telegrams, traveling expenses, minor repairs and other incidental expenses, \$9,000; postage, \$1,500; in all, \$10,500.

Salaries, Common Schools: For ten principals at \$75 per month each, for nine months, \$6,750; for one hundred and ten (110) teachers of English at \$75 per month, each, for nine months, \$74,250; for eight hundred and twenty-five (825) Spanish or English graded teachers at \$60 per month each, for nine months, \$445,500; for thirteen hundred and twenty-five (1,325) rural teachers at \$38 per month each, for nine months, \$453,150; for two supervising principals at \$1,500 per year each, \$3,000; for three supervising principals at \$1,300 per year each, \$3,900; for thirty-six supervising principals at \$1,100 per year each, \$39,600; fifty continuation teachers at \$80 per month each, for nine months, \$36,000; extra compensation to one hundred graded teachers as acting principals at five dollars per month each for nine months, \$4,500; *Provided*, That for the purpose of compensation vacation periods authorized by the Commissioner of Education shall be considered as days of actual service in the school month in which they occur; in all, \$1,066,650.

For local transportation, storage and distribution of school equipment, school books and school supplies, minor repairs to school buildings, traveling expenses of teachers rendering service in more than one town, printing of forms, etc., for use in schools and school banks, correcting and examination of papers, sundries and incidentals, \$6,000; in all, \$6,000.

Textbooks and school supplies: For the purchase of school textbooks, school equipment and school supplies, and for freight and insurance charges on same, \$50,000; in all, \$50,000.

Provided, That school textbooks and supplies shall be furnished free of charge to the pupils of the public schools up to and including the eighth grade, and the Commissioner of Education may authorize the sale of school textbooks to pupils in accordance with rules and regulations to be made by him; *And provided, further*, That after July 1, 1915, the pupils of all high and continuation schools shall provide their own textbooks and supplies in accordance with rules and regulations to be made by the Commissioner of Education.

Salaries, High Schools: For principals, assistant principals, teachers and janitors, \$53,845; in all, \$53,845.

Contingent expenses, High Schools: For equipment, supplies, water, electricity and incidentals, \$5,000; in all, \$5,000.

Instruction and training of young men from Porto Rico in the United States: For the instruction of young men sent to the United States from Porto Rico, in subjects determined by the Commission authorized by Sections 68, 69 and 70 of the Codified School Law, approved March 12, 1903, at \$500 (7), \$3,500; in all, \$3,500.

Technical education of Porto Rican students in the United States: For the instruction of young men and women sent from Porto Rico to the United States, in the various arts and trades, under authority of Sections 71 to 77, inclusive, of the Codified School Law, approved March 2, 1903, at \$250 (13), \$3,250; in all, \$3,250.

Education of Porto Rican women in the United States: For the education of young women sent from Porto Rico to the United States, in subjects determined by the Commission authorized by an Act to provide for the education of a certain number of young Porto Rican women in the United States, approved March 12, 1908, at \$500 (3), \$1,500; in all, \$1,500.

Total, Department of Education, \$1,235,205.

UNIVERSITY OF PORTO RICO.

For support and maintenance of the Normal Department, Colleges of Law, Pharmacy and Liberal Arts, and the College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts of the University of Porto Rico, including deans' salaries, salaries of teachers, salaries of janitors, purchase of apparatus, equipment, textbooks and supplies; for the improvement of grounds and athletic fields; for supplies, stationery, stamps, cablegrams, traveling expenses, of the president of the board of trustees and of the members thereof, and other necessary incidental expenses; *Provided*, That the total amount to be spent at the College of Agriculture and Mechanic Arts at Mayagüez from all available funds to be assigned by the board of trustees shall not be less than \$40,000, \$35,000; in all, \$35,000.

INSULAR LIBRARY OF PORTO RICO.

Salaries, Insular Library of Porto Rico: Librarian, \$1,500; assistant librarian, \$1,200; cataloguer, \$900; clerk, \$720; clerk, \$600; historian, \$1,500; janitor, \$300; in all, \$6,720.

Lighting, incidentals, books, periodicals, newspapers and binding books (provided that at least one-half of the amount shall be expended in books, periodicals and newspapers, of which amount at least one-half shall be expended in books, periodicals and newspapers in the Spanish language), furniture, etc., \$3,300; in all, \$3,300.

Total, Insular Library of Porto Rico, \$10,020.

GOVERNMENT OF THE ISLAND OF CULEBRA.

Salaries, Government of the Island of Culebra: Alcalde, \$720; municipal physician, \$600; secretary, \$400; watchman, \$360; two teachers, at \$60 each per school month for nine months, \$1,080; in all, \$3,160.

Contingent expenses, Government of the Island of Culebra, \$750; in all, \$750.

Total, Government of the Island of Culebra, \$3,910.

OFFICE OF LABOR, CHARITIES AND CORRECTION.

Salaries, Office of Labor, Charities and Correction—Office of the

Director proper: Director of Labor, Charities and Correction, compensation in addition to that received by him as a member of the Executive Council, \$1,500; assistant director, \$3,000; chief clerk and translator, \$1,700; stenographer and typewriter, \$1,200; janitor, \$420; messenger, \$360; in all, \$8,180.

Office of Files and Records: File clerk, \$900; assistant file clerk, \$480; in all, \$1,380.

Bureau of Labor: Chief of Bureau, \$2,300; assistant chief, \$1,800; chief clerk and statistician, \$1,200; stenographer, \$1,200; clerk, \$900; messenger, \$360; two investigators, at \$900 each, \$1,800; in all, \$9,560.

Stationery and printing, \$2,000; telephone and telegraph service, \$100; traveling expenses, \$2,000; postage and freight, \$900; incidentals, \$200; in all, \$5,200.

Office of Charities: Chief clerk and visiting inspector for the charitable institutions under regulations by the Director with the approval of the Executive Council, \$1,500; clerk and translator, \$1,100; clerk, \$600; in all, \$3,200.

Office of Prisons: Chief clerk and visiting inspector for the penal institutions under regulations by the Director with the approval of the Executive Council, \$1,600; clerk and translator, \$1,100; clerk, \$900; clerk, \$800; clerk, \$700; in all, \$5,100.

Office of Accounts: Chief, \$1,600; purchasing clerk and bookkeeper, \$1,500; clerk and personnel record keeper, \$1,100; voucher clerk, \$1,100; examiner of bills and other services, \$1,100; clerk, \$720; clerk, \$1,200; in all, \$8,320.

Traveling expenses, \$720; transportation of prisoners, \$700; lighting, \$160; stationery and printing, \$1,500; postage and freight, \$300; telephone and telegraph service, 450; incidentals, \$300; in all, \$4,130.

CHARITABLE INSTITUTIONS.

Salaries, Blind Asylum: Oculist, \$1,200; manager, \$1,100; *practicante*, \$600; clerk and storekeeper, \$600; matron, \$360; night watchman, \$300; cook, \$240; two attendants, at \$240 each, \$480; six attendants, at \$180 each, \$1,080; servant, \$144; fourteen servants, at \$96 each, \$1,344; assistant matron, \$240; barber, \$240; in all, \$7,928.

For subsistence of patients and not exceeding 32 employees, at not exceeding 16 cents per diem each, \$6,500; clothing and bedding, \$900; unexpendable property purchases, \$100; medical supplies, \$600; fuel, \$500; incidentals, \$300; water and lighting, \$700; transportation of patients both ways, \$500; in all, \$10,100.

Salaries, Insane Asylum: Superintendent, \$2,300; assistant superintendent, \$1,800; physician, \$1,100; clerk and storekeeper, \$900; matron, \$600; head attendant, \$500; attendant, \$480; two attendants, at \$360 each, \$720; janitor, \$360; superintendent of kitchen, \$360; carpenter, \$360; mason, \$360; porter, \$300; three attendants, at \$300 each, \$900; seven attendants, at \$240 each, \$1,680;

seven attendants, at \$180 each, \$1,260; servant, \$168; five servants, at \$144 each, \$720; nineteen servants, at \$144 each, \$2,736; in all, \$17,604.

For subsistence for patients and not exceeding 56 employees, at not to exceed 17 cents per diem each, \$22,000; clothing and bedding, \$2,000; fuel, \$1,000; incidentals, \$200; water and lighting, \$2,000; medicines and supplies, \$1,000; transportation of patients, \$500; unexpendable property purchases, \$100; in all, \$28,800.

Provided, That any moneys received by the Insane Asylum from pay-patients shall be deposited in the Treasury of Porto Rico to the credit of the appropriation "Contingent Expenses, Insane Asylum," being equally divided between the sub-head "Subsistence" and the sub-head "Clothing, bedding, etc.," and shall be available for expenditure during the fiscal year in which it is received.

Salaries, Girls' Charity School: Superintendent, \$1,500; clerk, \$900; teacher and pianist, \$780; three teachers, at \$720 each, \$2,160; teacher of cooking, \$360; visiting inspectress; *Provided,* That the inspectress shall visit each department of school at least once each week, and report monthly to the head of the department, \$480; matron, \$500; janitor, \$360; infirmarian, \$240; teacher of straw-work, \$360; milliner, \$360; drawn-work teacher, \$360; storekeeper, \$300; superintendent of clothing, \$240; two dressmakers, at \$240 each, \$480; seamstress, \$240; shoemaker, \$240; porter and gardener, \$240; cook, \$180; laundress, \$240; assistant cook, \$144; six servants, at \$96 each, \$576; in all, \$11,240.

For subsistence not exceeding 175 inmates and 29 employees, at not to exceed 15 cents per diem each, \$11,400; clothing and bedding, \$2,000; textbooks and school supplies, \$300; unexpendable property, \$200; medicines, \$350; fuel, \$1,200; incidentals, \$400; water and lighting, \$1,100; in all, \$16,950.

Provided, That any moneys received by the Girls' Charity School from the sale of articles made by the girls shall be deposited in the Treasury of Porto Rico in special trust fund, to be known as "Sale of Articles, Girls' Charity School, Trust Fund," and shall be available for the purchase of raw material for future similar work and for the payment of small amounts to the girls upon leaving the school, which payments shall be in accordance with such general rules as the Director of Labor, Charities and Correction shall prescribe to govern such cases.

Salaries, Boys' Charity School: Superintendent, \$1,800; clerk, \$900; storekeeper, \$720; six teachers, for scholastic instruction, at \$720 each, \$4,320; teacher of carpentry and cabinet making, \$900; teacher of painting and drawing, \$720; teacher of masonry, \$600; teacher of sanitary plumbing, \$600; teacher of shoemaking, \$600; inspector of monitors and servants in charge of the account books of the workshops and property clerk, \$820; bandmaster and music teacher (for Boys' and Girls' Charity Schools), \$900; instructor of gymnastics and athletic games, \$720; monitor and military instructor, \$480; monitor, \$360; monitor, \$360; monitor, \$360; head servant in

charge of general cleaning, \$600; four servants, at \$120 each, \$480; two servants, at \$144 each, \$288; nurse (graduated), \$480; tailor, \$600; matron, \$360; porter and messenger, \$360; matron for small boys, \$360; cook, \$300; assistant cook, \$120; night watchman, \$360; gardener and horticulturist, \$360; chief laundress, \$240; five laundresses, at \$108 each, \$540; seven seamstresses, at \$108 each, \$756; in all, \$21,364.

For subsistence for not exceeding 275 inmates and 37 employees and breakfast for 17 employees at not to exceed 15 cents per diem each, \$17,700; clothing and bedding, \$4,000; textbooks and school supplies, \$300; unexpendable property, \$200; medicines, \$600; fuel, \$1,000; incidentals, \$300; equipment and supplies for industrial teaching, \$1,000; water, \$900; lighting, \$750; in all, \$26,750.

Provided, That any moneys received by the Boys' Charity School from the sale of articles made and work done inside or outside of the institution by the boys shall be deposited in the Treasury of Porto Rico in a trust fund to be known as "Sale of articles and work done, Boys' Charity School, Trust Fund," and shall be available for the purchase of raw material for future similar work and for the payment of small amounts or presentation of instruments and tools of art and trade to the boys upon leaving the school, which payment or presentation shall be in accordance with such general rules as the Director of Labor, Charities and Correction shall prescribe to govern such cases; *Provided*, That 50 per cent of the receipts from band concerts shall be placed in a special trust fund, known as "Recreation Fund," to be expended for library books, athletics and amusements.

For all institutions under the Department of Labor, Charities and Correction: Dentist, \$1,400; oculist, 1,200; medical inspector and visiting physician to the Boys' and Girls' Charity Schools, \$1,200; in all, \$3,800.

Penal Institutions—Salaries, Penitentiary: Warden, \$1,800; deputy warden, \$1,400; storekeeper, \$900; clerk, \$1,100; physician, \$900; *practicante*, \$600; master shoemaker, \$660; master tailor, \$660; master carpenter, \$720; sergeant, \$720; four corporals, at \$480 each, \$1,920; eighteen guards, at \$408 each, \$7,344; in all, \$18,724.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents each per diem, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration additional for sick prisoners, \$25,008; clothing for prisoners of the penitentiary and all district jails at no more than \$6 each, \$6,000; saving fund for discharged prisoners, \$2,500; medicines, \$800; unexpendable property, \$300; fuel, \$500; incidentals, \$2,400; water, \$1,100; lighting, \$1,200; telephone and telegraph service, \$87; postage and freight, \$110; in all, \$40,005.

Provided, That any moneys received by the Penitentiary from the sale of articles made by the prisoners therein shall be deposited in the Treasury of Porto Rico in a trust fund, to be known as "Sale of articles, Penitentiary, Trust Fund," and shall be available for the purchase of raw materials for future similar work.

Salaries, San Juan and Arecibo district jails—Provided, That all

male prisoners for the judicial district of San Juan shall be sent to serve their terms to the referred to jail at Arecibo; *Provided, further*, That there shall be in San Juan three wards annexed to the Penitentiary: one for summary prisoners from the judicial district of San Juan, one for condemned women from both districts, and the third for minors from all jails: Jailer at Arecibo, \$900; physician at Arecibo, \$500; *practicante* at Arecibo, \$360; clerk at Arecibo, \$420; deputy jailer at San Juan, \$600; physician at San Juan wards, \$300; *practicante* at San Juan wards, \$480; clerk at San Juan wards and attendant at the wards for minors, \$480; teachers for the ward for minors, \$360; three corporals, at \$480 each, \$1,440; fifteen guards, at \$408 each, \$6,120; in all, \$11,960.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents per diem each, with not to exceed 4 cent per ration additional for sick prisoners (in Arecibo and San Juan), \$16,495; lighting and water, \$1,575; telephone and telegraph service, \$160; postage and freight, \$30; medicines, surgical instruments, soap, furniture, repairs and other incidental expenses, \$1,854; in all, \$20,114.

Salaries, Ponce Jail: Jailer, \$900; physician, \$540; *practicante*, \$420; clerk, \$420; two corporals, at \$480 each, \$960; eight guards, at \$408 each, \$3,264; in all, \$6,504.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents per diem each, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration additional for sick prisoners, \$8,279; lighting and water, \$600; telephone and telegraph service, \$75; postage and freight, \$50; medicines, surgical instruments, soap, repairs and other incidental expenses, \$500; in all, \$9,495.

Salaries, Mayagüez Jail: Jailer, \$900; physician, \$420; *practicante*, \$360; clerk, \$420; two corporals, at \$480 each, \$960; eight guards, at \$408 each, \$3,264; in all, \$6,324.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents per diem each, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration additional for sick prisoners, \$6,171; lighting and water, \$600; telephone and telegraph service, \$75; postage and freight, \$37; medicines, surgical instruments, soap, printing, \$701; in all, \$7,584.

Salaries, Humacao Jail: Jailer, \$720; physician, \$420; *practicante*, \$360; clerk, \$420, two corporals, at \$480 each, \$960; eight guards, at \$408 each, \$3,264; in all, \$6,144.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents per diem, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration additional for sick prisoners, \$8,380; lighting and water, \$430; telephone and telegraph service, \$75; postage and freight, \$46; medicines, surgical instruments, soap, oil, furniture, repairs and other incidental expenses, \$600; in all, \$9,531.

Salaries, Guayama Jail: Jailer, \$720; physician, \$420; *practicante*, \$360; clerk, \$420; two corporals, at \$480 each, \$960; six guards, at \$408 each, \$2,448; in all \$5,328.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents per diem each, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration additional for sick prisoners, \$6,347; lighting and water, \$340; telephone and telegraph service, \$70; postage

and freight, \$40; medicines, surgical instruments, soap, furniture and other incidental expenses, \$410; in all, \$7,207.

Salaries, Aguadilla Jail: Jailer, \$720; physician, \$360; *practicante*, \$300; clerk, \$420, corporal, \$480; six guards, at \$408 each, \$2,448; in all, \$4,728.

For food for prisoners at not to exceed 13 cents per diem each, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration additional for sick prisoners, \$4,073; rent for jail building, \$720; lighting and water, \$70; telephone and telegraph service, \$60; postage and freight, \$30; medicines, surgical instruments, soap, furniture and other incidental expenses, \$375; in all \$5,328.

Salaries, Reform School for Juvenile Delinquents: Director, \$1,100; school teacher, \$720; rural teacher, \$480; two teachers, at \$600 each, \$1,200; master carpenter, \$720; clerk and storekeeper, \$720; clerk, \$480; visiting physician, \$720; *practicante* and infirmarian, \$720; machinist-electrician, \$720; music teacher, \$600; two corporals, at \$540 each, \$1,080; eight guards, at \$408 each, \$3,264; cook, \$240; cart-driver, \$240; messenger, \$180; in all, \$13,184.

For subsistence of inmates and employees, at 13 cents per capita, with not to exceed 4 cents per ration for sick inmates, \$6,865; equipment for school building and farm, \$1,000; lighting and water, \$500; for the purchase of an electric accumulator, \$1,000; telegraph and telephone service, \$62; transportation and care of animals, \$240; postage and freight, \$35; clothing, fuel, medicines, bedding, and other incidental expenses, \$2,803; in all, \$12,505.

Total, Department of Labor, Charities and Correction, \$374,271.

INSULAR POLICE OF PORTO RICO.

Salaries, Insular Police: Chief, \$3,000; secretary and stenographer, \$1,500; chief of detectives, \$1,400; voucher clerk, \$1,200; storekeeper and bookkeeper, \$1,100; file clerk, \$1,100; clerk and translator, \$900; *chauffeur*, \$720; clerk, \$600; in all, \$11,520.

District Chiefs: Three first class, at \$1,700 each, \$5,100; four second class, at \$1,600 each, \$6,400; four third class, at \$1,200 each, \$4,800; four fourth class, at \$1,100 each, \$4,400; four fifth class, at \$1,000 each, \$4,000; four sixth class, at \$900 each, \$3,600; twenty seventh class, at \$780 each, \$15,600; twenty-four eighth class, at \$750 each, \$18,000; fifteen sergeants, at \$700 each, \$10,500; forty corporals, at \$600 each, \$24,000; six hundred guardsmen, at \$456 each, \$273,600; in all, \$370,000.

Provided, That Section 13 of the Insular Police Law of 1908 is hereby repealed, and future enlistments and reenlistments shall be made in accordance with such regulations as may be prescribed by the Insular Police Commission and approved by the Governor.

Stationery and printing, \$2,500; lighting and water, \$3,800; telephone and telegraph services, \$3,000; rent of quarters, \$12,000; transportation, \$6,000; care of animals, \$7,500; automobile supplies and repairs, \$2,000; unexpendable property purchases, \$1,500; postage

and freight, \$850; secret and confidential services, \$1,000; incidental expenses, \$2,000; in all \$42,150.

Total, Insular Police of Porto Rico, \$423,670.

OFFICE OF SANITATION SERVICE.

Salaries, Office of the Director of Sanitation—Director's Office proper: Director, \$4,000; assistant director, \$3,000; medical secretary in charge of the work of the Insular Board of Health, \$2,200; two veterinary inspectors, at \$1,300 each, \$2,600; stenographer, \$1,500; file clerk, \$1,300; stenographer, \$1,200; *chauffeur*, \$540; clerk, \$480; messenger, \$360; janitor, \$360; telephone operator, \$360; fees of the Insular Board of Health, \$1,000; in all, \$18,900.

Division of Property and Accounts: Chief of Division, \$2,300; bookkeeper, \$1,600; clerk, \$1,200; clerk, \$900; in all, \$6,000.

Division of Sanitary Engineering: Sanitary Engineer, \$2,500; Assistant Sanitary Engineer, \$1,600; two plumbing inspectors, at \$1,300 each, \$2,600; stenographer, \$1,200; draftsman, \$1,100; in all, \$9,000.

Division of Transmissible Diseases and Bacteriological Laboratory: Chief of Division, \$2,300; laboratory director, \$1,800; bacteriologist, \$1,300; pharmacist, \$1,000; clerk, \$900; laboratory assistant, \$600; janitor, \$360; in all, \$8,260.

Division of Chemical Laboratory: Chemical director, \$2,500; chemist, \$1,500; two food and drug inspectors, at \$1,400 each, \$2,800; pharmacist, \$1,200; assistant chemist, \$1,100; clerk, \$600; janitor, \$360; in all, \$9,860.

Chemicals and disinfectants, \$500; lighting and water, \$200; postage and freight, \$1,500; purchase of vaccine and serums, \$1,000; stationery and printing, \$1,500; supplies and equipment, bacteriological laboratory, \$1,000; supplies and equipment, chemical laboratory, \$1,000; telephone and telegraph service, \$960; traveling expenses, including maintenance of automobiles, \$2,000; incidentals: miscellaneous supplies, toilet articles, ice, repairs to office furniture and typewriters and for other minor office expenses, \$500; in all, \$10,160.

Total, Office of the Director of Sanitation, \$62,180.

Leper Colony—Salaries, Leper Colony: Resident minor surgeon \$900; attendant, \$360; attendant, \$240; two watchmen, at \$300 each, \$600; two boatmen, at \$180 each, \$360; gardener, \$120; three laundresses, at \$150 each, \$450; cook, \$180; cook, \$96; in all, \$3,306.

Subsistence: Maintenance of 39 patients and 13 employees at 30 cents per day each, \$5,475; clothing and bedding, \$2,000; unexpendable property purchases, \$500; incidentals: fuel, ice, etc., \$630; in all \$8,605.

In all, Leper Colony, \$11,911.

Salaries, Quarantine Hospital: Superintendent, \$480; nurse, \$120; attendant, \$240; cook, \$96; servant, \$96; in all, \$1,032.

Subsistence: Maintenance of patients and employees, \$700; lighting and water, \$200; incidentals, \$100; in all, \$1,000.

In all, Quarantine Hospital, \$2,032.

Salaries, field force, \$66,000; in all, \$66,000.

Killing and burying animals, \$300; labor, including maintenance of animals and equipment, materials, purchase of equipment, \$12,000; light and water, \$600; postage and freight, \$800; rent, \$1,780; telephone and telegraph service, \$200; traveling expenses, \$6,000; in all, \$21,680.

In all, field force, \$87,680.

To continue the campaign against anemia in Porto Rico under the direction of the Director of Sanitation all disbursements to be made upon the approval of the Director of Sanitation, \$8,000; in all, \$8,000.

Total, Sanitation Service, \$171,803.

Provided, That medical members of the Service of Sanitation may practice their profession when it does not interfere with their duties; *And, Provided further*, That the city physicians of each one of the municipalities of the island are hereby required to perform such sanitary service as may be assigned to them by the Director of Sanitation within his jurisdiction under rules laid down by an ordinance of the Municipal Council, which must be approved by the Director of Sanitation, and such rules so approved shall be included as a condition of the duties of said city physicians in the contracts made by them with the municipalities; *Provided*, Said city physicians shall receive additional compensation for sanitation service rendered by them, which compensation shall be fixed by the Director of Sanitation with the approval of the Executive Council, but the same shall not exceed \$300 a year and shall be paid from the appropriation of \$66,000 for "Salaries, Field Force."

INSTITUTE OF TROPICAL MEDICINE AND HYGIENE OF PORTO RICO.

To pay for the current expenses of the Institute of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene of Porto Rico, created by an Act approved March 13, 1912, for the installation of its offices, purchase of instruments, apparatus and books for all the purposes of its development, including its scientific expeditions to different parts of the island, the maintenance of dispensaries, payment of fees for patients submitted to observation in municipal or insular hospitals, purchase of medicines and utensils, payment of salaries and incidental expenses, \$11,000; in all, \$11,000.

Total, Institute of Tropical Medicine and Hygiene of Porto Rico, \$11,000.

BOARD OF COMMISSIONERS OF AGRICULTURE.

For the Board of Commissioners of Agriculture for the continuance of the work of the board as specified in Joint Resolution No. 13, approved March 28, 1914, \$15,000; in all, \$15,000.

Total, Board of Commissioners of Agriculture, \$15,000.

DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR THE DISTRICT OF PORTO RICO.

Salaries: Judge, \$5,000; district attorney, \$4,000; marshal, \$3,500; clerk of the court, \$2,500; court stenographer, \$2,000; * chief deputy marshal, \$2,000; deputy marshal, San Juan, \$1,800; deputy marshal, Ponce, \$1,500; deputy marshal, Mayagüez, \$1,500; deputy clerk and stenographer, \$1,500; deputy clerk, San Juan, \$1,200; deputy clerk, San Juan, \$1,200; deputy clerk, Ponce, \$1,200; deputy clerk, Mayagüez, \$1,200; stenographer to judge, \$1,500; interpreter and translator, \$1,800; messenger to judge, \$480; messenger, San Juan, \$480; messenger, marshal's office, San Juan, \$240; messenger and janitor, Ponce, \$360; messenger and janitor, Mayagüez, \$360; in all, \$35,320.

Purchase of law books, \$400; traveling expenses of marshals and deputy marshals in serving processes, \$900; incidental expenses of the court, \$1,200; traveling expenses of the court, \$1,000; incidental expenses of judge's office, \$100; incidental expenses of district attorney's office, \$250; pay to bailiffs, \$350; in all, \$4,200.

Fees and mileage of witnesses, United States Court, \$1,000; fees and mileage of jurors, \$5,000; fees of United States Commissioners, \$400; in all, \$6,400.

Total, United States District Court of Porto Rico, \$45,920.

INSULAR COURTS.

Salaries, Insular Courts—Supreme Court of Porto Rico: Chief justice, \$5,000; four associate justices, at \$4,500 each, \$18,000; *fiscal*, \$3,500; marshal, \$3,000; secretary and reporter, \$2,500; assistant secretary and reporter, \$2,000; English and Spanish stenographer, \$1,500; interpreter and translator, \$1,600; stenographer, \$1,100; deputy secretary, \$1,200; stenographer for *fiscal*, \$1,300; typewriter, \$1,100; typewriter, \$1,000; typewriter, \$900; janitor, \$580; two bailiffs, at \$460 each, \$920; in all, \$45,200.

For office supplies, stationery, postage and other necessary incidental expenses, \$1,000; purchase of law books, \$300; water, \$20; lighting, \$50; in all, \$1,370.

Publication of the Decisions of the Supreme Court.—Salaries, publication of the Decisions of the Supreme Court: Translator, \$1,700; property clerk, \$1,200; Spanish proofreader and clerk, \$1,200; English proofreader and clerk, \$1,200; Spanish proofreader, \$900; in all, \$6,200.

For office supplies, stationery, postage, printing and binding of "Porto Rico Reports" and "Decisiones de Puerto Rico," and other necessary incidental expenses, \$6,000. For the publication of advance sheets containing the decisions of the Supreme Court in the order in which they are rendered, \$1,000.

The publication of the decisions of the Supreme Court of Porto Rico shall be in two editions, one in English and the other in Spanish,

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each of not more than 750 copies, which shall be sold at cost. Only those decisions of the Supreme Court as are accompanied by opinions shall be inserted in such editions; in all, \$7,000.

Total, Supreme Court of Porto Rico, \$59,770.

District Court of San Juan.—Section 1: Judge, \$4,000; secretary, \$1,800; deputy secretary and interpreter, \$1,100; deputy secretary, \$1,100; deputy secretary and file clerk, \$900; stenographer, \$1,100; stenographer, \$600.

Section 2: Judge, \$4,000; secretary, \$1,800; deputy secretary, \$1,100; stenographer, \$1,100; clerk, \$900; *fiscal*, \$3,500; assistant *fiscal*, \$2,300; stenographer for the *fiscal*, \$900; marshal, \$1,700; first deputy marshal, \$900; first deputy marshal, \$900; two second deputy marshals, at \$480 each, \$960; janitor, \$480; messenger, \$360; in all, \$31,500.

Provided, That the assistant *fiscal* of the District Court of San Juan, Section 2, shall also act as a law officer of the Office of the Attorney General when the Attorney General requires him so to do.

District Court of Ponce: Judge, \$3,750; *fiscal*, \$3,500; secretary \$1,700; deputy secretary, file clerk and interpreter, \$1,100; deputy secretary, \$900; marshal, \$1,700; second deputy marshal, \$480; deputy marshal, \$900; stenographer, \$1,100; stenographer for the *fiscal*, \$600; clerk, \$900; janitor, \$360; in all, \$16,990.

District Court of Mayagüez: Judge, \$3,750; *fiscal*, \$3,500; secretary, \$1,700; deputy secretary, file clerk and interpreter, \$1,100; marshal, \$1,700; deputy marshal, \$900; second deputy marshal, \$480; stenographer, \$1,100; stenographer for the *fiscal*, \$480; janitor, \$360; in all, \$15,070.

District Court of Arecibo: Judge, \$3,500; *fiscal*, \$3,300; secretary, \$1,700; deputy secretary, file clerk and interpreter, \$1,100; marshal, \$1,700; deputy marshal, \$900; second deputy marshal, \$480; stenographer, \$1,100; typewriter for the *fiscal*, \$360; janitor, \$360; in all, \$14,500.

District Court of Humacao: Judge, \$3,500; *fiscal*, \$3,300; secretary, \$1,700; deputy secretary, file clerk and interpreter, \$1,100; marshal, \$1,700; deputy marshal, \$900; second deputy marshal, \$480; stenographer, \$1,100; stenographer for the *fiscal*, \$480; janitor, \$360; in all, \$14,620.

District Court of Guayama: Judge, \$3,500; *fiscal*, \$3,300; secretary, \$1,700; deputy secretary, file clerk and interpreter, \$1,100; marshal, \$1,700; deputy marshal, \$900; second deputy marshal, \$480; stenographer, \$1,100; typewriter for the *fiscal*, \$360; janitor, \$360; in all, \$14,500.

District Court of Aguadilla: Judge, \$3,500; *fiscal*, \$3,300; secretary, \$1,700; deputy secretary, file clerk and interpreter, \$1,100; marshal, \$1,700; deputy marshal, \$900; second deputy marshal, \$480; stenographer, \$1,100; typewriter for the *fiscal*, \$360; janitor, \$360; in all, \$14,500.

Purchase of law books, \$700; postage, \$500; office supplies, and other necessary incidental expenses for the seven district courts, to be expended by the Attorney General, \$5,000; water for the district courts, \$250; lighting for the district courts, \$250; rent of court-houses, district courts, Humacao, at \$720; Guayama, at \$840; and Aguadilla, at \$600, \$2,160; traveling expenses, judges and *fiscals* of the district courts, including per diem, \$2,000; care of horses for the marshals and deputy marshals for serving citations in both civil and criminal matters, in their respective judicial district, at not exceeding \$5 per month each, \$1,320; traveling expenses for marshals and deputy marshals of district courts outside of their respective judicial districts; *Provided*, That no payment shall be made on account of hire of coaches or horses, except when the coaches or horses are hired for the transportation of prisoners, \$200; autopsies, district courts, \$1,000; fees of witnesses testifying before the district courts and *fiscals*, \$20,000; fees of jurors and incidental expenses of jury procedure in the district courts, at not to exceed \$1.50 per day for each juror, \$22,000; in all, \$55,380.

Total, Insular Courts, \$236,830.

REGISTRARS OF PROPERTY.

Salaries, Registrars of Property—Office at San Juan (two sections): Two registrars, at \$2,750 each, \$5,500; two officers, at \$1,100 each, \$2,200; officer, \$900; seven clerks, at \$600 each, \$4,200; in all, \$12,800.

Provided, That the Attorney General shall assign the employees of the Registry of Property of San Juan to duty in Section 1 and Section 2 of said registry, according to the necessity of the business thereof.

Office at Ponce: Registrar, \$2,750; officer, \$900; four clerks, at \$480 each, \$1,920; in all, \$5,570.

Office at Mayagüez: Registrar, \$2,750; officer, \$900; three clerks, at \$480 each, \$1,440; in all, \$5,090.

Office at Arecibo: Registrar, \$2,750; officer, \$900; three clerks, at \$480 each, \$1,440; in all, \$5,090.

Office at San Germán: Registrar, \$2,500; officer, \$600; two clerks, at \$480 each, \$960; in all, \$4,060.

Office at Humacao: Registrar, \$2,500; officer, \$600; two clerks, at \$480 each, \$960; in all, \$4,060.

Office at Caguas: Registrar, \$2,000; officer, \$600; two clerks, at \$480 each, \$960; in all, \$3,560.

Office at Guayama: Registrar, \$2,500; officer, \$600; two clerks, at \$480 each, \$960; in all, \$4,060.

Office at Aguadilla: Registrar, \$2,000; officer, \$600; clerk, \$480; in all, \$3,080.

For office supplies, stationery, furniture, blank books, and other incidental expenses, including postage for ten registrars of property, to be purchased and supplied by the Attorney General of Porto Rico, \$2,800; rent of office for two sections at San Juan, Guayama and

Ponce at \$360 each; Mayagüez, Arecibo and Caguas at \$300 each; San Germán, Humacao and Aguadilla, at \$240, \$3,060; in all, \$5,860.

Total, Registrars of Property, \$53,230.

Salaries, municipal courts: For municipal judges of the courts of San Juan, Ponce, Mayagüez, Arecibo and Bayamón, at \$1,700 each, \$8,500; for municipal judges of the courts of Aguadilla, Utuado, Manatí, Coamo, Guayama, Cayey, Humacao, Vieques and Fajardo, at \$1,400 each, \$12,600; for municipal judges of the courts of Carolina, Añasco, San Germán, Cabo Rojo, Yauco, Barros, San Lorenzo, Salinas, Vega Baja, Lares, Adjuntas, Caguas, San Sebastián, Yabucoa, Juana Díaz, Patillas, Río Grande, Río Piedras, Ciales and Camuy, at \$1,100 each, \$22,000; secretaries of the municipal courts of San Juan and Ponce, at \$1,100 each, \$2,200; secretaries of the municipal courts of Mayagüez, Bayamón, Arecibo, Utuado, Manatí, Aguadilla, Coamo, Guayama, Fajardo and Humacao, at \$900 each, \$9,000; secretaries of the municipal courts of Carolina, Vega Baja, Lares, Añasco, San Germán, Cabo Rojo, Yauco, Barros, Cayey, Caguas, San Lorenzo, Adjuntas, San Sebastián, Salinas, Vieques, Juana Díaz, Patillas, Río Grande, Yabucoa, Río Piedras, Ciales and Camuy, at \$720 each, \$15,840; deputy secretaries of the municipal courts of San Juan, Ponce, Mayagüez and Bayamón, at \$600 each, \$2,400; marshals of the municipal courts of San Juan, Ponce, Mayagüez, Arecibo and Guayama, at \$1,100 each, \$5,500; marshals of the municipal courts of Bayamón, Utuado, Manatí, Aguadilla, Coamo and Humacao, at \$900 each, \$5,400; marshals of the municipal courts of Carolina, Vega Baja, Lares, Añasco, San Germán, Cabo Rojo, Yauco, Barros, Cayey, Caguas, Fajardo, San Lorenzo, Adjuntas, San Sebastián, Salinas, Vieques, Yabucoa, Juana Díaz, Patillas, Río Piedras, Ciales, Camuy and Río Grande, at \$720 each, \$16,560; in all, \$100,000.

Office supplies, stationery and other necessary incidental expenses for the 34 municipal courts, to be expended by the Attorney General, \$5,000.

Provided, That every municipality having a municipal court shall furnish suitable quarters, with the approval of the Attorney General, for the offices of the court and for the performance of all its necessary duties.

Traveling expenses of municipal court officials, including a per diem of \$1.50 in connection with the trial of cases outside of the capitals of the district, \$3,000; care of horses for the marshals of municipal courts for serving citations, both civil and criminal, in their respective judicial districts, at not to exceed \$8.20 per month each, \$3,346; traveling expenses of marshals of municipal courts outside of their respective judicial districts; *Provided,* That no payment shall be made on account of hire of coaches or horses, except when the coaches or horses are hired for transportation of prisoners, \$1,400; for fees of witnesses and medical experts, municipal courts, \$1,000.

Provided, That physicians, who are insular or municipal officials, shall perform, free of charge, services as medical experts, when they may be required to perform said services by the court.

For fees of medical experts, in cases of lunacy, provided by Act

No. 26, approved March 7, 1912; *Provided,* That physicians who are insular or municipal officers shall perform free of charge this service, when they be required to perform such services by the court, \$500; in all, \$14,246.

Total, Municipal Courts, \$114,246.

CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION.

Salaries, Civil Service Commission: Chairman and Examiner, \$2,700; per diem for two members of the Commission at the rate of \$5 per capita for each meeting they attend not exceeding five meetings per month, \$600; chief clerk and assistant examiner, \$1,300; file clerk, \$720; clerk, \$480; messenger, \$360; in all, \$6,160.

For printing, telephone, telegrams, postage, freight and other incidental expenses, \$760; in all, \$760.

Total, Civil Service Commission, \$6,920.

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENDITURES.

Subvention to the "Liga Anti-Tuberculosa de Puerto Rico," to be paid in twelve parts, for the maintenance of its hospital and sanatorium and for the prevention of tuberculosis in Porto Rico, \$10,000; subvention to the "Liga Anti-Tuberculosa de Ponce," payable in twelve equal parts, per annum, \$4,000; subvention to the Ponce Asylum for Orphans, payable in one-twelfth parts, \$1,200; relief of the minor children of Román Baldorioty de Castro, in accordance with the Act of March 12, 1903, \$166.68; pension for Dr. Agustín Stahl, \$1,200; appropriation of one hundred dollars a month for the support of the Deaf and Dumb Asylum established at San Juan, P. R., for the fiscal year 1915-16, \$1,200; subvention to Miss Margarita Callejo, to enable her to continue her musical studies at Milan, payable quarterly in advance, \$500; for the expenses incident to conducting a survey of the natural resources of Porto Rico and the collection of exhibits thereof in cooperation with the New York Academy of Science, \$5,000; in all, \$23,266.68.

Total, Miscellaneous Expenditures, \$23,266.68.

Section 2.—The Auditor of Porto Rico is hereby authorized to allow payment of extra compensation to such employees of the Insular Government, including the Executive Council and the House of Delegates as may have been or as may hereafter be employed on work pertaining to the Legislative Assembly or commissions or committees thereof, at the rate not to exceed seventy-five cents per hour, to be paid from available and appropriate appropriations of said bodies.

Section 3.—That from the appropriation of \$10,000 to cover the expenses of the "Economy Commission" created under Joint Resolution No. 1, approved January 28, 1914, there shall be paid to each member of said commission not receiving a fixed salary from the Insular Government, traveling expenses and a per diem of ten dollars for each day's session of said commission, while the Legislative As-

sembly is not in session; *Provided*, That the provisions of this and the preceding Section shall take effect immediately upon the approval of this Act.

Section 4.—When, in the opinion of the Governor, the interests of the public service require it he may authorize transfers from appropriations provided for any particular department of the Insular Government to other appropriations provided for the same department, and may also in like manner authorize transfers from one sub-head of appropriations to another sub-head; *Provided*, That no new offices shall be created nor any changes in salaries or rates of compensation made except such as may be approved by the Economy Commission and the Governor of Porto Rico; *And provided, further*, That the Commission of Economy and Efficiency created by Joint Resolution No. 1, approved January 28, 1914, is hereby continued for and during the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916.

Section 5.—All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Approved, March 11, 1915.

[J. R. No. 1.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

TO EXTEND THE TIME WITHIN WHICH THE EXECUTIVE COUNCIL MAY SUBMIT TO THE GOVERNOR OF PORTO RICO FOR APPROVAL, A GENERAL PLAN OF SECONDARY RAILROADS.

WHEREAS, An Act entitled "An Act providing for secondary railroads subventioned by The People of Porto Rico," approved March 27, 1914, at Section 4, provides that "the Executive Council shall form a general plan of secondary railroads, which it shall complete and submit to the Governor of Porto Rico for approval prior to December 1, 1914;"

WHEREAS, The Executive Council was unable to complete its study of the general plan of secondary railroads and submit the same to the Governor of Porto Rico on the date fixed in the said Act;

NOW, THEREFORE, *Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of Porto Rico:*

Section 1.—That the date fixed in section 4 of an Act entitled "An Act providing for secondary railroads subventioned by The People of Porto Rico," be and hereby is changed to May 1, 1915.

Section 2.—All laws or parts of laws in conflict with this Act are hereby repealed.

Section 3.—That this Act shall take effect upon its approval.

Approved, March 2, 1915.

[J. R. No. 2.]

JOINT RESOLUTION

TO AUTHORIZE THE TREASURER OF PORTO RICO TO PAY A CERTAIN JUDGMENT ENTERED AGAINST THE PEOPLE OF PORTO RICO IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE UNITED STATES FOR PORTO RICO, AND TO PAY A CLAIM OF MESSRS. BALSEIRO AND GIORGETTI, AND MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR SUCH PURPOSES, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

WHEREAS, On November 18, 1909, The People of Porto Rico was declared, by the District Court for the Judicial District of San Juan, entitled to take for the benefit of the University of Porto Rico the goods and chattels and lands of one Eliza Kortright, who died without lawful heirs; which lands were taken possession of by The People of Porto Rico; and

WHEREAS, On April 22, 1912, a judgment was rendered, in the District Court of the United States for Porto Rico, in favor of one Bonocio Ramos, decreeing that the said Bonocio Ramos was entitled to a certain portion of the said land, and assessing damages to the said Ramos in the amount of six thousand (\$6,000) dollars, with interest at six per cent, from the date of the judgment (April 22, 1912), and costs; and

WHEREAS, This judgment in the District Court of the United States for Porto Rico was affirmed by the Supreme Court of the United States, on the 16th day of March, 1914 (232 U. S., 627); and

WHEREAS, The said Ramos is entitled to a further amount of six hundred and thirty-six and 97/100 dollars (\$636.97), as damages from the date of the entry of the said judgment to the time that he was placed in possession of the land recovered in the said action; and

WHEREAS, In pursuance of the mandate of the Supreme Court of the United States, an execution was issued out of the District Court of the United States for Porto Rico on behalf of the plaintiff in the said action for the amount of such judgment and costs, and a supplemental execution was issued for the amount of the said damages sustained by the plaintiff for the detention of his lands from the date of the original judgment in the District Court of the United States for Porto Rico until he was put in possession of the said portion of the said tract of land, and a levy was made on the other tracts of land which were escheated to The People of Porto Rico from the estate of Eliza Kortright; and

WHEREAS, The District Court of the United States for Porto Rico granted an order staying the execution until March 1, 1915, in order to give The People of Porto Rico an opportunity to appropriate funds to pay the judgment; and

WHEREAS, The lands which were levied upon are of a value greatly in excess of the amount of said judgment, interest, costs and damages, and if they were sold at a forced sale upon execution would result in injury to The People of Porto Rico; and