TRUST FUNDS, INTERIOR DEPARTMENT.

COMMUNICATION

FROM

SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR,

IN RESPONSE TO

A resolution of the House, furnishing a full and complete schedule of all trust funds held by the chiefs of Bureaus in the Department of the Interior.

JULY 20, 1886.—Referred to the Committee on Ways and Means and ordered to be printed.

> DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, Washington, July 17, 1886.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt of a copy of a resolution of the House of Representatives, dated the 27th of May, as follows:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Treasury, the Attorney-General, the Postmaster-General, the Secretary of the Navy, and the Secretary of the Interior b. required, respectively, to furnish this House with a full and complete schedule of all trust funds in their custody, from whom and when received, to whom due, where held, and amounts of same; the amount of the unexpended balance of the Geneva award available for the payment of the judgments of the Court of Alabama Claims, and all other unexpended balances in the custody of either of the above-named officers of the Government; the estimated amount required for repayment to importers of excess of customs dues, and any and all claims, of whatever nature, estimated and ascertained, which may within the fiscal year become a liability against the Treasury of the United States.

In response I transmit herewith reports from the chiefs of Bureaus of this Department, containing the information called for by the resolution so far as it relates to this Department.

Very respectfully,

L. Q. C. LAMAR, Secretary.

The Speaker of the House of Representatives.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
PENSION OFFICE,
Washington, D. C., June 12, 1886.

SIR: In compliance with your verbal instructions of this morning, I have the honor to return herewith copy of resolution of the House Committee on Ways and Means calling for a complete schedule of all trust funds in the custody of this Department, and the amount of all unexpended balances, as well as the estimated amount required to pay all claims of whatever nature which may become a liability against the Treasury within the present fiscal year.

I have to report that from the latest information furnished to me—that is, under date of June 5, 1886—there was in the hands of the eighteen United States pension agents the sum of \$.0,918,195.16 of the Army pension fund and \$181,812.19 of the Navy pension fund.

There is in the Treasury of the United States, as shown by the records of this office at this time, \$64,063.56 of Army pension funds and \$151,733 Navy pension funds, balances of these appropriations respectively.

It is safe to assume that the claims against these appropriations will entirely exhaust them before the close of the present fiscal year. There is also at the present time an unexpended balance of \$419,372.92 of the appropriation for the arrears of pensions made by the act of Congress approved March 3, 1879.

It is estimated that at least \$5,000 will be required to pay the claims accruing on account of arrears during the remainder of the present fiscal year. It is proper to state, in this connection, that this appropriation in not deposited in the Treasury at the end of the fiscal year, it being made continuous by the act of March 3, 1879.

Of the appropriation for the various items in the conduct of this office, I am advised by Mr. Brock, the assistant chief clerk, that on this date the unexpended balances are as follows:

Salaries, \$311,555.64; salaries of special examiners, \$60,959.95; for the investigation of matters pertaining to Pension Bureau, \$92,462.27; per diem of additional special examiners, \$72,452.23.

The claims against these several items during the remainder of the

fiscal year are estimated to be as follows:

Salaries, \$160,000; salaries of special examiners, \$17,000; per diem for detailed clerks, \$13,000; per diem for special examiners, \$14,000.

I am not aware that there are any trust funds, so far as the Pension Office is concerned, within the custody of the Secretary of the Interior.

Very respectfully,

H. C. BELL, Chief Agents' Division.

Hon. John C. Black, Commissioner of Pensions.

PENSION OFFICE, June 12, 1886.

Respectfully forwarded to the Hon. Secretary of the Interior, with the remark that this information was requested by the resolution of Hon. A. S. Hewitt, of the House of Representatives, and it is believed that the statement as made by Mr. Bell is correct.

JOHN C. BLACK, Commissioner. DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF COMMISSIONER OF RAILROADS,
Washington, June 9, 1886.

SIR: I have had the honor to receive by reference from you to-day the resolution of the House of Representatives requiring each Department of the Government to furnish the House with a schedule of all trust funds in its custody; and respectfully report that I have had no such funds in my custody.

Most respectfully yours,

J. E. JOHNSTON, Commissioner.

Hon. H. L. MULDROW, Assistant Secretary, Interior Department.

> DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY, Washington, D. C., June 10, 1886.

SIR: In answer to the interrogatory relating to the resolution adopted by the House of Representatives on May 22, and referred to this office for report, I have the honor to state: First, there is in the custody of the Geological Survey no trust fund of any nature whatever. Second, there is in the Geological Survey an unexpended balance for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1885, of \$1,134.74, which is held to meet outstanding liabilities. Third, there are no other unexpended balances of appropriations made for the Geological Survey—not including, of course, the appropriations made for the current fiscal year.

I am, with great respect, your obedient servant,

J. W. POWELL, Director.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF LABOR,
Washington, D. C., June 11, 1886.

SIR: I am in receipt of a resolution of the House of Representatives, passed May 27, 1886, relative to trust funds, &c., and in compliance with your request for a report from this Bureau relative to the matters covered by said resolution, I have the honor to report that no trust funds of any nature, or any other funds described in said resolution, have come to my custody in any way.

I am, very respectfully, your obedient servant, CARROLL D. WRIGHT,

CARROLL D. WRIGHT, Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, UNITED STATES PATENT OFFICE, Washington, D. C., June 16, 1886.

SIR: In compliance with your indorsement of the 9th instant upon a copy of a resolution of the House of Representatives of the 27th ultimo,

that the Secretary of the Interior furnish a full and complete schedule of all trust funds in his custody, &c., I have the honor to say that this office has not in its possession any funds of the character described in the resolution above mentioned.

Very respectfully, your obedient servant,

M. V. MONTGOMERY.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR, GENERAL' LAND OFFICE, Washington, D. C., July 15, 1886.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, by reference from the Department for report, of a resolution of the House of Representatives relative to certain trust funds, &c., and in reply thereto have to state

that this office has no trust funds in its custody.

There are certain outstanding liabilities chargeable to the appropriations for the fiscal year 1886, the amount of which cannot be at present stated owing to the fact that the accounts thereto pertaining have not been adjusted. The liabilities of the Government for the past fiscal year are provided for by the appropriations made, and a large surplus will be turned into the Treasury. Contracts for surveying the public lands have been approved for \$90,988, and additional ones amounting to \$24,409 are still pending. If the contracts pending are approved, the estimated liability for surveying will be \$115,397. State fund accounts, accounts of special agents, registers and receivers, swamp indemnity, and other miscellaneous accounts outstanding will, it is estimated, approximate \$100,000 additional for the fiscal year 1886.

Very respectfully,

WM. A. J. SPARKS, Commissioner.

Hon. L. Q. C. LAMAR, Secretary of the Interior.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
BUREAU OF EDUCATION,
Washington, D. C., June 16, 1886.

SIR: In reply to your reference of the 9th instant, asking for an answer to a copy of the following resolution, offered by Mr. Hewitt, from the Committee on Ways and Means—

Resolved, That the Secretary of State, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Treasury, the Attorney-General, the Postmaster-General, the Secretary of the Navy, and the Secretary of the Interior be required, respectively, to furnish this House with a full and complete schedule of all trust funds in their custody, from whom and when received, to whom due, where held, and amounts of same; the amount of the unexpended balance of the Geneva award available for the payment of the judgment of the Court of Alabama Claims, and all other unexpended balances in the custody of either of the above-named officers of the Government; the estimated amount required for repayment to importers of excess of customs dues, and any and all claims, of whatever nature, estimated and ascertained, which may within the fiscal year become a liability against the Treasury of the United States—

I have the honor to reply that the amount appropriated for the use of the Bureau of Education for the year ending June 30, 1885, was \$49,397.60.

Of this there have been expended \$48,753.98. The outstanding liabilities amount to \$81.75. The balance is \$561.87.

Very respectfully,

WM. H. GARDINER, Acting Commissioner.

The SECRETARY OF THE INTERIOR.

DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR,
OFFICE OF INDIAN AFFAIRS,
Washington, June 16, 1886.

SIR: I have the honor to acknowledge the receipt, by your reference for report on the 9th instant, of a copy of resolutions of the House of Representatives, dated May 27, 1886, calling upon the Secretary of the Interior to furnish the House with a full and complete schedule of all trust funds in his custody, from whom and when received, to whom due, where held, and amounts of same; all unexpended balances in his custody, and the estimated amount of any and all claims, of whatever nature, estimated and ascertained, which may within the fiscal year become a liability against the Treasury of the United States.

In compliance with the requirements of said resolution, as understood by this office, I inclose herewith the following detailed statements,

namely:

(1) Statement of moneys due to various Indian tribes, under treaty stipulations, not on deposit in the United States Treasury, upon which interest at 5 per centum per annum is annually appropriated by Congress, said interest being under the control of the Secretary of the Interior. These interest bearing principals have never been appropriated by Congress.

(2) Statement of funds held in trust by the Government in lieu of investment, under the control of the Secretary of the Interior, for the benefit of various Indian tribes, bearing interest at 4, 5, and 6 per centum per annum up to and including May 31, 1886, on deposit in the United

States Treasury.

• (3) Statement of invested tribal funds, held in trust by the Secretary of the Interior (Treasurer of the United States, custodian), being non-paying State stocks, the interest on which is annually appropriated by Congress; also abstracted bonds, the interest upon which is annually provided for by Congress.

(4) Statement of State bonds held in trust by the Secretary of the Interior (Treasurer of the United States, custodian), the interest on which

is regularly paid by said States.

(5) Statement of United State bonds (Union Pacific Railroad) held in trust by the Secretary of the Interior (Treasurer of the United States, custodian) for Indian tribes, the interest on which is paid semi-annually by the Secretary of the Treasury.

(6) Statement of receipts on account of sales of Indian lands, under the control of the Secretary of the Interior, on deposit in the United

States Treasury, not drawing interest, on hand May 31, 1886.

(7) Statement of all trust funds in custody of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs, on deposit with Treasurer of the United States.

Very respectfully,

J. D. C. ATKINS, Commissioner. 1.—Statement of moneys due various Indian tribes, under treaty stipulations, not on deposit in the United States Treasury, upon which interest at 5 per centum per annum is annually appropriated by Congress; said interest being under the control of the Secretary of the Interior. These interest-bearing principals have never been appropriated by Congress.

Tribes.		Statutes at Large.					Unex- pended bal-
	Date of treaties, &c.	Vol.	Page.	Sec.	Amount due under treaties.	Annual interest.	ance of interest on deposit in United States Treasury.
Choctaws	Jan. 20, 1825 June 22, 1855	7	236 614	9	}\$390, 257 92	\$19, 512 89	
Creeks	Aug. 7, 1856	11	701	6	200,000 00	10,000 00	
016089	June 14, 1866	14	786	3	675, 168 00	33, 758 40	
Iowas	May 7, 1854	10	1071	9	57, 500 00	2, 875 00	\$1, 236 86
Kansas	June 14, 1846	9	842	2	200, 000 00	10,000 00	13, 640 84
Kickapoos	May 18, 1854	10	1079	2	*89, 864 88	4, 493 24	2, 696 31
Miamies of Kansas	June 5, 1854	10	1094	3	21, 884 81	1,094 24	3, 307 55
Osages	June 2, 1825	7	242	6	69, 120 00	3, 456 00	1, 555 27
Pottawatomies	June 5, 1846 June 17, 1846	8 9	854	7	230, 064 20	11,503 21	
Sac and Fox of the Missis-	Oct. 2, 1837	7	541	2	200,000 00	10,000 00)
sippi	Oct. 11, 1842	7	596	2	800,000 00	40,000 00	11,849 71
Sac and Fox of the Missouri	Oct. 21, 1837	7	543	2	157, 400 00	7, 870 00	3 68
Seminoles	Aug. 7, 1856	11	702	8	500,000 00	25, 000 00	
}	May 21, 1866	14	757	3	70,000 00	3,500 00	
Shawnees	May 10, 1854	10	1056	3	40,000 00	2,000 00	
Winnebagoes	Nov. 1, 1837	7	546	4	804, 909 17	40, 245 45	3, 067 98
}	July 15, 1870	16	355		78, 340 41	3, 917 02)
					4, 584, 509 39	229, 225 45	37, 358 20

Note.—There are no claims chargeable to the above interest funds that will within the current fiscal year become a liability against the Treasury of the United States.

*On the 1st day of July next this principal of the Kickapoos will be reduced to \$88,175.68, Congress having by the Indian appropriation act, approved May 15, 1886, appropriated the sum of \$1,689.20 thereof for payment to five Kickapoo citizens.

2.—Statement of funds held in trust by the Government, in lieu of investment, under the control of the Secretary of the Interior, for the benefit of various Indian tribes, bearing interest at four, five, and six per centum per annum, up to and including May 31, 1886, on deposit in the United States Treasury.

Square 1 15	Data of	Statu	Statutes at Large.		Amount		Unex- pended bal	
Tribes.	Date of acts, resolu- tions, or treaties.	Vol.	Page.	Sec.	Amount in the United States Treasury.	Annual interest.	ances of interest in United States Treasury.	
Choctaw orphan fund	Sept. 27, 1830	7	337	19	\$1,608 04	\$80 40		
Choctaw school fund Choctaw general fund	Apr. 1, 1880 Apr. 1, 1880	21 21	70 70		49, 472 70 47, 514 00	2, 473 63 2, 375 70		
Cherokee fund	July 15, 1870 June 5, 1872	16 17	362 228		{ 724, 137 41	36, 206 87		
Cherokee asylum fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		64, 147 17	3, 207 36		
Cherokee national fund Cherokee orphan fund	Apr. 1, 1880 Apr. 1, 1880	21 21	70		427, 242 20	21, 362 10		
Cherokee school fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		228, 835 43 458, 764 06	11, 441 77 22, 938 20	\$21 0	
Chickasaw national fund Chippewa and Christian In-	Apr. 1,1880	21	70		959, 678 82	47, 983 94		
dians' fund Delaware general fund	Apr. 1, 1880 Apr. 1, 1880	21 21	70		42, 560 36 673, 894 64	2, 128 01 33, 694 72		
Delaware school fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		11,000 00	550 00	12, 083 8	
Iowa fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		116, 543 37	5, 827 16	1, 401 1	
Kansas school fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	. 70		27, 174 41	1, 358 72	2, 371 2	
	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		10,000 00	500 00	293 0	
Kickapoo general fund. L'Anse and Vieux de Sert	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		123, 465 70	6, 173 28	1, 497 7	
Chippewa fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		20,000 00	1,000 00	2, 175 9	
Menomonee fund	Apr. *1, 1880 Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		134, 039 38	6, 701 97	3, 806 9	
Omaha fund Osage fund	Apr. 1, 1880 Apr. 1, 1880	21 21	70 70		57, 214 24 5, 733, 014 74	2, 860 71 286, 650 73	497, 956 8	
Osage school fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	- 70		119, 911 53	5, 995 57	481 0	
Ponca fund	Mar. 3, 1881	21	422		70,000 60	3, 500 00	2,721 3	
Pottawatomie general fund Pottawatomie educational	Apr. 1,1880	21	70		89, 618 57	4, 480 93	23, 253 2	
fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		76, 993 93	3, 849 70	1,711 7	
Pottawatowie mill fund Sac and Fox of the Missis-	Apr. 1,1880	21	70		17, 482 07	874 10	1, 152 3	
sippi fund	Apr. 1,1880	21	70		55, 058 21 21, 659 12	2,752 91 1,082 96	1,424 0	
Senecas of New York fund	Apr. 1, 1880 Feb. 19, 1831	4	442	1	*100,000 00	16,000 00	6, 336 2	
Do	June 27, 1846	9	35	2-3	*118, 050 00	5, 902 50	395 0	
Seneca fund Seneca and Shawnee fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21 21	70		40, 979 60 15, 140 42	2, 048 98 757 02		
Seneca (Tonawanda band)	Apr. 1, 1880				10, 140 42	101 02		
fund .	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		86, 950 00	4, 347 50	4, 481 2	
Shawnee fund	Apr. 1, 1880 July 3, 1882	21 22	149	2	1, 985 65 6, 000 00	99 28 300 00	554 1 1,048 3	
Eastern Shawnee fund	Apr. 1, 1880	21	70		9,079 12	453 95	285 8	
Stockbridge consolidated fund	Feb. 6, 1871	16	405		75, 886 04	3, 794 30	395 4	
Umatilla school fund Ute five per cent. fund	Apr. 1, 1880 Apr. 29, 1874	21 18	70 41	2	46, 646 14 500, 000 00	2, 332 30 25, 000 00	30, 861 0	
Ute four per cent. fund Payment to North Carolina	June 15, 1880	21	204	5	1, 250, 000 00	‡50, 000 00	20, 056 2	
Cherokees	Aug. 15, 1876	19	197	1	33, 948 38	1, 697 41		
man	Mar. 3, 1875	18	424		5, 000 00	250 00	1	
Otoe and Missouria fund	Aug. 15, 1876	19	208	/-	416, 861 59	20, 843 07	31, 395 9	
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^{*}The interest on the moneys to the credit of the Senecas of New York is annually appropriated by Congress in the Indian appropriation act.
†Six per cent.
‡ Four per cent.
NOTE.—There are no claims chargeable to the above interest accounts that will, within the current fiscal year, become a liability against the Treasury of the United States.

3.—Statement of invested tribal funds held in trust by the Secretary of the Interior (Treasurer of the United States, custodian), being non-paying State stocks, the interest on which is annually appropriated by Congress; also abstracted bonds the interest on which is annually provided for by Congress.

Stocks and tribes.	Per cent.	Amount.	Annual interest.	
Cherokee national fund:				
. Florida	7	\$13,000 00	\$910 00	
Louisiana	6	11, 000 00	660 00	
Missouri (abstracted)	6	50, 000 00	3,000 00	
North Carolina (abstracted)	6	13, 000 00	780 00	
North Carolinia	6	28, 000 00	1, 680 00	
South Carolina	6	118, 000 00	7, 080 00	
Tennessee (abstracted)	6	5, 000 00	300 00	
Tennessee	5	125, 000 00	6, 250 00	
Tennessee	6			
Virginia	0	90, 000 00	5, 400 00	
Cherokee school fund:	_			
Florida	7	7,000 00	490 00	
Louisiana	6	2,000 00	120 00	
North Carolina (abstracted)	6	8,000 00	480 00	
North Carolina	6	13,000 00	780 00	
South Carolina	6	1,000 00	60 00	
Tennessee (abstracted)	6	7,000 00	420 00	
Virginia	6	1,000 00	60 00	
Chickasaw national fund:				
Arkansas	6	168,000 00	10,080 00	
Tennessee	6	104, 000 00	6, 240 00	
Tennessee	51	66, 666 663	3, 500 00	
Choctaw general fund:			. 10	
Virginia	6	450,000 00	27,000 00	
Delaware general fund:				
Florida	7	53,000 00	3, 710 00	
North Carolina	6	87,000 00	5, 220 00	
Iowas' fund:				
Florida	7	22,000 00	1,540 00	
Louisiana	6	9, 000 00	540 00	
North ('arolina	6	21, 000 00	1, 260 00	
South Carolina	6	3,000 00	180 00	
Kaskaskias, Peorias, Weas, &c., fund:	-	10 000 00	2 244 00	
Florida	7	16, 300 00	1, 141 00	
Louisiana	6	15, 000 00	900 00	
North Carolina	6	43, 000 00	2,580 00	
South Carolina	6	3,000 00	180 00	
Kaskaskias, Peorias, and school fund:	1		4 - 1-1	
Florida	7	- 20,700 00	1, 449 00	
Menomonees' fund:				
Tennessee	5	19,000 00	950 00	

Note.—In addition to the above abstracted bonds, one Indiana \$1,000 six per cent. bond of the Pottawatomies' educational fund was lost prior to 1-61, while in the possession of Hon. G. N. Fitch. (For details reference is made to House Report No. 78, of select committee on the abstracted trust bonds, Thirty-sixth Congress, second session; see Exhibit G, page 339 of report.) No interest has been appropriated on this sum since the date of loss of said bond.

No unexpended balance of interest on hand.

4.—Statement of State bonds held in trust by the Secretary of the Interior (Treasurer of the United States, custodian), the interest on which is regularly paid by said States.

Fund or tribe.	Per cent.	Amount.	Annual interest.	Unexpended balance of interest in United States Treasury.
Chickasaw national fund:			1	
Maryland Chickasaw incompetents:	6	\$8, 350 17	\$501 01	
Indiana	5	2,000 00	100 00	\$2,400 00
Total		10, 350 17	601 01	2,400 00

NOTE.—No claims are chargeable to the above amount of interest that will, during the current fiscal year, become a liability against the Treasury of the United States.

5.—Statement of United States bonds held in trust by the Secretary of the Interior (Treasurer of the United States, custodian) for Indian tribes, the interest on which is paid semi-annually by the Secretary of the Treasury.

Fund or tribe.	Per cent.	Amount.	Annual interest.
Cherokee national fund:			
United States issue to Union Pacific Railroad, Eastern Division Cherokee school fund:	6	\$156, 638 56	\$9, 398 31
United States issue to Union Pacific Railroad, Eastern Division Cherokee orphans' fund:	6	51, 854 28	3, 111 26
United States issue to Union Pacific Railroad, Eastern Division Delaware general fund:	6	22, 223 26	1, 333 40
United States issue to Union Pacific Railroad, Eastern Division	6	49, 283 90	2, 957 03
Total		280,000 00	16, 800 00

NOTE .- No unexpended balance on hand.

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6.—Statement of receipts on account of sales of Indian lands, under the control of the Secretary of the Interior, on deposit in the United States Treasury, not drawing interest, on hand May 31, 1886.

Appropriations.	Acts and treaties.	On hand May 31, 1886.	
Civilization fund	Proceeds of sale of Osage ceded lands in Kansas, first article treaty of September 29, 1865, Stats. 14, p. 687.	\$20, 907	89
Proceeds of Sioux reservations in Minne- sota and Dakota.	Act March 3, 1863, 12 Stats., 819	57, 452	25
Fulfilling treaty with Kansas, proceeds of lands.	Article 4, treaty of October 5, 1859, 12 Stats.,	4, 254	14
Fulfilling treaty with Omahas, proceeds of lands.	Act July 31, 1872, Stats. 17, p. 392, section 4.	712	26
Proceeds of New York Indian lands in Kansas.	Acts of February 19, 1873, and June 23, 1874, 17 Stats., 466; 18 Stats., 273.	1, 775	31
Fulfilling treaty with Pottawatomies, proceeds of lands.	Treaty of February 27, 1867, Stats. 15, p.	32, 584	94
Fuifilling treaty with Winnebagoes, pro- ceeds of lands.	Second article, treaty April 15, 1859, Stats. 12, p. 1,102.	20, 621	61
Claims of settlers on Round Valley Indian Reservation, California,	Act March 3, 1873, 17 Stats., 633	594	37
Fulfilling treaty with Sac and Fox of Missouri, proceeds of lands.	Treaty of March 6, 1861, 12 Stats., 1,171	13, 025	38
Fulfilling treaty with Shawnees, proceeds of lands.	Act April 7, 1869, 16 Stats., 53	1, 270	56
Fulfilling treaty with Pawnees, proceeds of lands.	Act April 10, 1876, 19 Stats., 28	159, 128	67
Fulfilling treaty with Miamies of Kansas, proceeds of lands.	Act March 3, 1872, 17 Stats., 631	20, 993	06
Total		333, 320	38

NOTE.—There are no claims chargeable to the above funds that will within the current fiscal year become a liability against the Treasury of the United States.

Schedule of all trust-funds in custody of the Commissioner of Indian Affairs.

[Received from Hon. Hiram Price.]

	When eccived. On what account.		To whom due.	Where held.	Amount.	
188	5					
Mar.		Payment made by Dakota Central Railroad, for land on the Sioux Res- ervation in Dakota.	Sioux of different tribes, located on the Sioux Reserva- tion, Dakota.	On deposit with the Treasurer, United States.	\$3, 200 00	
Mar.	25	Payment made by Chicago, Milwan- kee and Saint Paul Railroad, as par- tial payment for right of way and ground for stations on Sioux Res- ervation in Dakota.	do	do	13, 911 00	
Маг.	25	Payment made by Dakota Central Railroad, for right of way on Sioux Reservation in Dakota.	do	do	375 00	
Mar.	25	Payment made by Chicago, Milwaukee and Saint Paul Radiroad, for 129.19 acres of land for right of way, and for 188 acres for depot grounds on Crow Creek Reservation in Dakota.	Sioux Indians located in the Crow Creek Reservation, Dakota.		1, 424 76	
Mar.	25	Payment made by Chicago, Milwaukee and Saint Paul Railroad, for right of way of branch road through the Sisseton Reservation, Dakota.	Sioux of Lake Tra- verse on the Sisse- ton Reservation, Dakota.	do	2, 402 13	
Mar.	25	Payment made by the War Department, being balance of amount realized from sale of Sioux ponies in 1876.	Sioux of different tribes, located on the Sioux Reserva- tion in Dakota.	do	171 15	
		Total			21, 484 04	

NOTE.—The above amount is not subject to draft until legislation is had by the Congress authorizing the acceptance and payment of the same.