

[Act No. 2319, January 31, 1914]

**AN ACT APPROPRIATING FUNDS FOR SUNDRY EXPENSES OF THE
INSULAR GOVERNMENT FOR THE FISCAL YEAR ENDING
DECEMBER THIRTY-FIRST, NINETEEN HUNDRED AND FOURTEEN,
AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.**

By authority of the United States, be it enacted by the Philippine Legislature, that:

SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as may be respectively necessary, are hereby appropriated, out of any funds in the Insular Treasury not otherwise appropriated, in compensation for the service of the Insular Government for the fiscal year ending December thirty-first, nineteen hundred and fourteen, unless otherwise stated.

LEGISLATIVE.

THE PHILIPPINE COMMISSION.

For salaries as follows:

President, at P9,000.00 per annum	P9,000.00
Four Commissioners, at P9,000.00 per annum each	36,000.00
Four Commissioners not Secretaries of Departments, at P13,500 per annum each	54,000.00
Secretary of the Commission, at P6,000 per annum	6,000.00
Four private secretaries, at P2,800 per annum each	11,200.00
Total	<hr/> 116,200.00

PHILIPPINE ASSEMBLY.

For salaries and wages, as follows:

Speaker of the Philippine Assembly, at P16.000 per annum	16,000.000
Secretary of the Philippine Assembly, at P6,000 per annum: Provided, That in case this office becomes vacant during the recess of the Legislature by death, resignation, or other cause, the Speaker may fill the office by appointment until a successor shall have been duly elected	6,000.00
Secretary to the Speaker, at P4,800 per annum	4,800.00
Per diems of thirty pesos each to eighty Delegates for ninety days of session, and per diems of thirty	P222,630.00

pesos for the chairman of the Committee on Accounts, for each day of work and service as such during the recess of the Philippine Legislature, in case his services are expressly required by the Speaker of the Assembly, who shall fix the minimum hours of work for said chairman as well as the manner in which he shall perform his duties

OFFICE OF THE SPEAKER.

One assistant private secretary, whose duties shall be performed by the chief clerk, without additional compensation.

Another assistant private secretary, whose duties shall be performed by the sergeant at arms, without additional compensation. One chief clerk, class seven, at P3,400 per annum

3,400.00

One stenographer, class nine, at P2,400 per annum

2,400.00

One stenographer, Class D, at P1,200 per annum

1,200.00

One clerk, Class I, at P600 per annum

600.00

One clerk, Class K, at P360 per annum

360.00

One messenger, at P420 per annum

420.00

One messenger, at P240 per annum

240.00

OFFICE OF ACCOUNTS.

One clerk, Class D, at P1,200 per annum

1,200.00

One messenger, at P300 per annum

300.00

OFFICE OF THE SECRETARY.

Secretary's division.

One minute clerk, class nine, at P2,400 per annum

2,400.00

One sergeant at arms, class nine, at P2,400 per annum

2,400.00

One stenographer, Class E, at P1,140 per annum

1,140.00

One clerk, Class H, at P720 per annum.

720.00

One messenger, at P300 per annum

300.00

Chief clerk's division.

Chief clerk, class five, at P4,000 per annum

4,000.00

One stenographer, Class C, at P1,440 per annum

1,440.00

One clerk, Class F, at P960 per annum

960.00

Two clerks, Class J, at P480 per annum each

960.00

One messenger, at P300 per annum

300.00

Stenographers for the committees.

One supervising stenographer, Class C, at P1,560 per annum

1,560.00

One stenographer, Class C, at P1,644 per annum

1,644.00

One stenographer, Class D, at P1,296 per annum	1,296.00
One stenographer, Class E, at P1,080 per annum	1,080.00
Four stenographers, Class F, at P960 per annum each	3,840.00
Two stenographers, Class I, at P600 per annum each.	P1,200.00

Journal division.

Chief of division, class nine, at P2,760 per annum	2,760.00
Two stenographers, class nine, P2,640 per annum each	5,280.00
One stenographer, class ten, at P2,208 per annum	2,208.00
One stenographer, Class A, at P1,848 per annum	1,848.00
One stenographer, Class C, at P1,440 per annum	1,440.00
Two stenographers, Class C, at P1,440 per annum each	2,880.00
One stenographer, Class C, at P1,440 per annum	1,440.00
One messenger, at P240 per annum	240.00

Bill and index division.

Chief of division, class nine,' at P2,580 per annum	2,580.00
Assistant chief of division, Class C, at P1,620 per annum	1,620.00
One clerk, Class D, at P1,200 per annum	1,200.00
One clerk, Class F, at P960 per annum	960.00
One clerk, Class H, at P720 per annum	720.00
One clerk, Class I, at P600 per annum	600.00
One messenger, at P420 per annum	420.00
One messenger, at P240 per annum	240.00

Records division.

Chief of division, class eight, at P2,980 per annum	2,980.00
Assistant chief, Class A, at P1,800 per annum..	1,800.00
One clerk, Class C, at P1,440 per annum	1,440.00
One clerk, Class E, at P1,080 per annum	1,080.00
One clerk, Class F, at P960 per annum	960.00
One clerk, Class I, at P600 per annum	600.00
One messenger, at P240 per annum	240.00

Mailing section.

One mailing and information clerk, Class I, at P660 per annum	660.00
One mailing clerk, Class K, at P360 per annum	360.00
Two mail carriers, at P300 per annum each	600.00

Disbursements division.

Disbursing officer, class eight, at P2,980 per annum	2,980.00
Assistant disbursing officer, Class A, at P1,800 per annum	1,800.00
Two clerks, Class G, at P840 per annum each	1,680.00
One clerk, Class J, at P540 per annum	540.00
One messenger, at P300 per annum	300.00

Supply section.

One storekeeper, Class D, at P1,200 per annum..	
1,200.00 One clerk, Class J, at P480 per annum	480.00
One clerk, Class K, at P360 per annum	P360.00
One messenger, at P240 per annum	240.00

Law division.

Chief of division, class three, at P5,400 per annum	5,400.00
One legislative clerk, class nine, at P2,400 per annum	2,400.00
One translator, class ten, at P2,040 per annum	2,040.00
One clerk, Class C, at P1,584 per annum	1,584.00
One stenographer, Class D, at P1,260 per annum	1,260.00
One stenographer, Class D, at P1,248 per annum	1,248.00
One clerk, Class H, at P720 per annum.	720.00
One messenger, at P240 per annum	240.00

Library Section.

One librarian, Class D, at P1,200 per annum	1,200.00
One clerk, Class E, at P1,080 per annum	1,080.00
One clerk, Class F, at P960 per annum	960.00
One clerk, Class G, at P840 per annum	840.00
One messenger, at P360 per annum	360.00
One messenger, at P300 per annum	300.00
One telephone operator, at P420 per annum	420.00

Janitor Service.

One janitor, Class F, at P960 per annum	960.00
Three laborers, at P300 per annum each	900.00
Three laborers, at P240 per annum each	720.00
One chauffeur, Class H, at P720 per annum	720.00
One porter, at P420 per annum	420.00

Supplementary force.

Officers appointed in accordance with Act No. 2292; employees rendering service several days before, during, and several days after a session	10,000.00
Officers and employees of other departments of the Government, who, at the request of the Assembly,	1,440.00

of the Speaker or of the Secretary thereof, and with the consent of their respective chiefs, shall have rendered or shall render services to the Assembly	
For such accrued leaves as may be granted to officers and employees of the Assembly, whether their compensation be on a monthly or annual rate, in accordance with Act Numbered Nineteen hundred and twenty-two	2,500.00
Total of salaries, per diems, and wages	369,238.00
Deduction on account of vacancies, etc.	3,900.00
Total available for salaries, per diems, and wages	365,338.00

CONTINGENT EXPENSES.

Traveling expenses of the Speaker while on tours of inspection in the provinces and transportation expenses in Manila	4,000.00
Traveling expenses of Delegates and their actual and necessary expenses for board and lodging in Manila until the eve of the opening of a session if they arrive in this capital by the steamer, conveyance or train immediately preceding such opening, and for such expenses of board and lodging in Manila after the adjournment of the session until the departure of the first steamer, conveyance or train for return to the province where their official residence is located	P7,100.00
Traveling expenses of the officers and employees of the Assembly; expenses of authorized investigations by the Assembly or committees or members thereof on official business	2,500.00
Rent of buildings	6,780.00
Furniture, equipment, including uniforms for officers, pages, and messengers of the Assembly; stationery; purchase of books for the library and installation of the library; purchase of means of transportation and other equipment	17,000.00
Postage, telegrams, and cablegrams, including those that the Assembly or the Speaker thereof shall address to or receive from either of the two Resident Commissioners in the United States	7,000.00
Translations, printing and binding; electric current and telephones; repairs to buildings; transportation of officers and employees; and transportation of property	30,200.00
Expenses for stationery and postage of the Delegates at the rate of P50 per annum each..	4,000.00
Repairs to furniture and means of transportation; consumption of water and ice; minor expenses and other incidental expenses	6,082.00
Total of contingent expenses	84,662.00