

“No Money shall be drawn from the Treasury, but in Consequence of Appropriations made by Law; and a regular Statement and Account of the Receipts and Expenditures of all public Money shall be published from time to time.

“This power over the purse may, in fact, be regarded as the most complete and effectual weapon with which any constitution can arm the immediate representatives of the people, for obtaining a redress of every grievance, and for carrying into effect every just and salutary measure.”

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Resolved, That there be printed with illustrations as a Senate document a compilation of materials entitled “Committee on Appropriations, United States Senate, 138th Anniversary, 1867–2005”, and that there be printed two thousand additional copies of such document for the use of the Committee on Appropriations.

Attest:

EMILY REYNOLDS, *Secretary.*

Introduction

March 6, 2005, marked the 138th anniversary of the creation of the Committee on Appropriations of the United States Senate. In that time, the 287 members of the Committee, led by 25 different chairmen, have helped guide the financial operations of the United States Government through times of war and peace, depression and prosperity, constitutional crisis and political tranquility. The Committee's work has affected the lives and well-being of every American and the welfare of countless millions around the world.

The information in this publication will be useful to the members of the Committee, the Congress generally, and students of Government interested in the development and functioning of the Congressional appropriations process.

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