

## LC12. MUSIC DIVISION

[Created by appropriation act effective July 1, 1897. Reorganized in 1902. See, for sketch of division, annual report of Library of Congress, 1901 (LC1.1:901).]

Classification  
no.

## LC12.1: Annual reports

(date) [1907-09, extracts only appeared in annual reports of Library of Congress (LC1.1:).]

## LC12.2: General publications

- D79 Dramatic music, class M1500, 1510, 1520, catalogue of full scores; by Oscar George Theodore Sonneck. 1908.
- St2 Star-spangled banner. Report on Star-spangled banner, Hail Columbia, America, Yankee Doodle [with bibliography]; by Oscar George Theodore Sonneck. 1909.

## LC12.3: Bulletins

(nos.) [None issued.]

## LC12.4: Circulars

(nos.) [None issued.]

## N. NAVY DEPARTMENT †

[Created by act approved Apr. 30, 1798, supervision of naval affairs having been exercised prior to that time by the War Department. Reorganized by acts of Aug. 31, 1842 and July 5, 1862. A further reorganization under order of the Secretary of the Navy was put into effect Dec. 1, 1909.]

† Toward the close of the period covered by this Checklist, Secretary Meyer planned radical changes in the organization of the Navy Department. His scheme of organization was set forth in detail and promulgated by the publication entitled Changes in Navy regulations, 1909, no. 6 (N1.11<sup>2</sup>:909<sup>6</sup>), dated Nov. 18, 1909 and effective Dec. 1, 1909. It was not, however, until some months thereafter that any portion of the new scheme received the sanction of Congress, and even then it was only a temporary sanction, which permitted a trial of the plan for a year. The time has since been extended, but up to the date of the present writing (May, 1911) the reorganization can not with assurance be considered a permanent arrangement.

It is impracticable here to enter into a detailed description of the Meyer reorganization. Among its most important features is one which grouped the work of the Navy Department under 4 general divisions, as follows: (a) Division of Operations of the Fleet; (b) Division of Personnel; (c) Division of Material; (d) Division of Inspections. To assist the Secretary of the Navy in coordinating and carrying on the work of these 4 divisions, there are on duty in the office of the Secretary 4 officers of the Navy, on the active list, known, respectively, as the (a) Aid for operations; (b) Aid for personnel; (c) Aid for material; (d) Aid for inspections. These officers advise the Secretary on all matters pertaining to the duties of their respective divisions. The divisions over which they preside do not, however, issue documents and are not Government publishing offices. Hence in this Checklist there is no classification assigned to them.

In pursuance of recommendations from the Navy Department (see 61st Congress, 2d session, House report 293, serial no. 5591), the Bureau of Equipment (N5.) was abolished by naval appropriation act approved June 24, 1910 (Stat. L. v. 36, pt. 1, p. 613), and its work distributed to other bureaus; see, for further information, footnote for N5.

Information concerning changes in other bureaus, etc., affected by the Meyer reorganization and by naval appropriation act of June 24, 1910 may be found in footnotes at the points affected.