

EXTRADITION

Convention signed at Washington October 26, 1901

Ratified by Belgium January 28, 1902

Senate advice and consent to ratification, with an amendment, January 30, 1902¹

Ratified by the President of the United States, with an amendment, June 13, 1902¹

Ratifications exchanged at Washington June 14, 1902

Proclaimed by the President of the United States June 14, 1902

Entered into force July 14, 1902

Supplemented by conventions of June 20, 1935,² and November 14, 1963³

32 Stat. 1894; Treaty Series 409

The United States of America and His Majesty the King of the Belgians, having judged it expedient with a view to the better administration of justice and the prevention of crime within their respective territories and jurisdictions that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes and offences hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up, have resolved to conclude a new Convention for that purpose and have appointed as their Plenipotentiaries:

The President of the United States John Hay, Secretary of State of the United States; and

His Majesty the King of the Belgians, Mr. Charles C. Wauters, Chargé d'Affaires ad interim of Belgium near the Government of the United States;

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the following articles:

¹ The United States amendment reads as follows: "In Article II insert after the word 'committed' [para. 10] the following: 'and the amount of money or the value of the property embezzled is not less than two hundred dollars or one thousand francs.'" The text printed here is the amended text as proclaimed by the President.

² TS 900, *post*, p. 566.

³ 15 UST 2252; TIAS 5715.