

appeal, under the same rules and regulations as provided for in chapter one hundred and seventeen of the General Statutes: *provided*, that the attested copies and notices required to be given by said chapter shall be served upon such parties as the judge of probate shall direct.

Proviso.

Provision for the support of poor Indians in state almshouses.

SECTION 4. Upon the application of the overseers of the poor of any town, to the board of state charities, said board shall make provision in the state almshouses or elsewhere for the support of any persons heretofore known as Indians who may be unable to support themselves, and who have not acquired a settlement in any town; and upon the application of any Indian who has heretofore received aid from the Commonwealth, the said board shall furnish to such person in the state almshouses or elsewhere, such aid as they may deem expedient.

Agent of board of state charities may sell or lease house in Webster.

SECTION 5. The general agent of the board of state charities shall take charge of the house, and all property connected therewith, in the town of Webster, belonging to the Commonwealth, and may lease the same to persons heretofore known as members of the Dudley tribe of Indians, upon terms substantially like those upon which they have heretofore occupied it; or he shall, under the direction of the board of state charities, sell the same at public auction, and the proceeds of such leases or sale shall be paid into the treasury of the Commonwealth.

Approved June 23, 1869.

Chap. 464

AN ACT IN FURTHER ADDITION TO AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET CERTAIN EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED THE PRESENT YEAR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows:

Appropriations.

SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are appropriated to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth, from the ordinary revenue, except in cases otherwise ordered, for the purposes specified in certain acts and resolves of the present year, and for other purposes, to wit:—

Compensation of legislature, &c.

In the resolve chapter ninety-six, establishing the compensation of members of the senate and house of representatives and of the clerks and chaplains thereof, and of the lieutenant-governor and council, a sum not exceeding one hundred and seventy-five thousand five hundred dollars in addition to the amounts heretofore appropriated.

Daniel Lorden and others.

In the resolve chapter ninety-seven, in favor of Daniel Lorden and others, the sum of ten thousand two hundred and seventy-two dollars and thirty-nine cents.

Invertebrate animals.

In the resolve chapter ninety-eight, in relation to the republication of the report on the invertebrate animals of Massachusetts, a sum not exceeding seven thousand dollars.

In the resolve chapter ninety-nine, in relation to the reconstruction of the workshops at the state prison, a sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars.

State prison workshops.

In the resolve chapter one hundred, establishing the compensation of the doorkeepers, messengers and pages of the senate and house of representatives, a sum not exceeding nine thousand eight hundred and thirty-nine dollars in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated.

Doorkeepers, messengers, &c.

In the resolve chapter one hundred and two, establishing a bureau of statistics on the subject of labor, a sum not exceeding five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars, for the present year, to wit: for the salary of the chief one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars; for the salary of the deputy one thousand dollars, and for the expenses of said bureau three thousand dollars.

Bureau of statistics.

For the salary of the clerk of the insurance commissioner, in accordance with the provisions of chapter four hundred and thirty-four of the acts of the present session, the sum of five hundred dollars in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated.

Clerk of insurance commissioner.

The fees received as compensation for the valuation of policies on lives are hereby appropriated to be applied in accordance with the provisions of chapter four hundred and thirty-four of the acts of the present year; and any other appropriation thereof inconsistent herewith is repealed.

Valuation of life policies.

In the act chapter four hundred and fifty-three, relating to the board of state charities, a sum not exceeding five thousand two hundred and fifty dollars for the present year, to wit: for the salary of the visiting agent one thousand two hundred and fifty dollars; for the compensation of assistants, for contingent expenses, and for the maintenance of children, as therein provided, three thousand dollars; and for the salary of the secretary of said board one thousand dollars, the latter to be in addition to the appropriation heretofore made.

Board of state charities.

In the act chapter four hundred and fifty-four establishing the salary of the chief clerk of the department of the treasurer and receiver-general, the sum of three hundred dollars in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated.

Chief clerk in treasury.

For the expenses of legislative committees incurred during the present session, the sum of two thousand dollars in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated: *provided*, that nothing in this act or in any other act passed at the present session, shall be so construed as to authorize or allow the payment of any sum or sums of money out of the treasury of the Commonwealth, for the compensation or

Expenses of legislative committees.
Proviso.

expenses of any committee, authorized to sit during the recess without the concurrence of both branches of this legislature.

Enfranchisement of Indians.

In the act concerning the enfranchisement of the Indians, a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, for the expenses therein authorized.

Stationery, house of representatives.

For stationery for the house of representatives, purchased by the clerk thereof, a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars, in addition to the amount heretofore appropriated.

Messenger of surgeon-general.

For the messenger of the surgeon-general the sum of two hundred dollars, in addition to his present salary, which shall be allowed and paid.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved June 24, 1869.

Chap. 465

AN ACT IN RELATION TO THE COMPENSATION OF THE DOORKEEPERS, MESSENGERS AND PAGES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Doorkeepers, messengers and pages of legislature.

SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth, from the ordinary revenue, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars in addition to the amounts heretofore appropriated for the compensation of the doorkeepers, messengers and pages of the senate and house of representatives.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

Approved June 24, 1869.

Chap. 466

AN ACT IN FURTHER ADDITION TO AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS TO MEET CERTAIN EXPENDITURES AUTHORIZED THE PRESENT YEAR, AND FOR OTHER PURPOSES.

Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Appropriations.

SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are appropriated to be paid out of the treasury of this Commonwealth, from the ordinary revenue, except in cases otherwise ordered, for the purposes specified in certain acts and resolves of the present year, herein cited, and for other purposes, to wit :

Increase N. Emerton.

In the resolve, chapter five, in favor of Increase N. Emerton, the sum of fifty-two dollars.

James F. Hodgdon.

In the resolve, chapter six, in favor of James F. Hodgdon, the sum of one hundred dollars.

State prison.

In the resolve, chapter eight, concerning improvements at the state prison, a sum not exceeding three thousand eight hundred and forty dollars.

Idiotic school.

In the resolve, chapter nine, in favor of the Massachusetts school for idiotic and feeble-minded youth, the sum of twelve thousand five hundred dollars.