

HOUSE No. 1647

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Feb. 1, 1916.

The committee on Ways and Means, who were authorized to report from time to time such appropriation bills as the exigencies of the public service may require, report the accompanying bill, amounting to \$105,500.

For the committee,

JACOB BITZER.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Sixteen.

AN ACT

Making Appropriations for the Salaries and Expenses
of the State Board of Insanity.

*Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives
in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the
same, as follows:*

1 SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned
2 are appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury
3 of the commonwealth, from the ordinary revenue,
4 for the state board of insanity for the fiscal year
5 ending on the thirtieth day of November, nine-
6 teen hundred and sixteen, to wit: —

7 For the salary of the chairman of said board,
8 the sum of fifty-five hundred dollars, and for the
9 salaries of the two other members the sum of ten
10 thousand dollars. (Acts 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$10,500.)

11 For the salaries of officers and employees, a
12 sum not exceeding forty-three thousand five hun-
13 dred dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 87, sect. 3; Acts
14 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$46,500.)

15 For traveling, office and contingent expenses,
16 including printing and binding the annual report,

17 a sum not exceeding ten thousand dollars. (Rev.
18 Laws, ch. 87; Acts 1902, ch. 438; 1906, ch. 184;
19 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$10,750.)

20 For transportation and medical examination of
21 state paupers, under the charge of the board, for
22 the present and previous years, a sum not ex-
23 ceeding five thousand dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch.
24 87; Acts 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$10,000.)

25 For the support of insane paupers boarded out
26 in families, under the charge of the board, or
27 temporarily absent under the authority of the
28 same, for the present and previous years, a sum
29 not exceeding sixteen thousand five hundred dol-
30 lars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 87; Acts 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$20,000.)

31 For the support of state paupers in the hospital
32 cottages for children, a sum not exceeding ten
33 thousand dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 87, sect. 126;
34 Acts 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$10,000.)

35 For expenses of an investigation as to the nature,
36 causes, results and treatment of mental diseases
37 and defects, and the publication of the results
38 thereof, a sum not exceeding five thousand dol-
39 lars. (Acts 1909, ch. 504; 1914, ch. 762.)

(Appropriation 1915, \$2,500.)

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

