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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, March 12, 1896.

The committee on Counties, to whom were referred the estimates of the several counties for the present year and the accounts of the county treasurer, report, in part, the accompanying Resolve.

For the Committee,

JAMES W. COLEMAN.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Ninety-six.

### RESOLVE

Granting a County Tax for the County of Essex.

1     *Resolved*, That the county commissioners for the  
2 county of Essex are hereby authorized to levy as the  
3 county tax of said county for the current year, in the  
4 manner provided by law, the sum of two hundred and  
5 twenty-five thousand dollars, to be expended for the fol-  
6 lowing purposes, to wit: —

7     For interest on county debt, a sum not exceeding four  
8 thousand five hundred dollars.

9     For salaries of county officers and assistants, fixed by  
10 law, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand four hun-  
11 dred dollars.

12    For salaries and expenses of district and police courts,  
13 a sum not exceeding thirty-three thousand five hundred  
14 dollars.

15    For salaries of jailers, masters and assistants, and  
16 support of prisoners in jails and houses of correction, in  
17 excess of receipts, a sum not exceeding forty-three thou-  
18 sand dollars.

19    For criminal costs in superior court, in excess of  
20 receipts, a sum not exceeding twenty-one thousand  
21 five hundred dollars.

22 For civil expenses in supreme and superior courts, a  
23 sum not exceeding sixteen thousand five hundred dol-  
24 lars.

25 For trial justices, a sum not exceeding four thousand  
26 dollars.

27 For transportation expenses of county and special  
28 commissioners, a sum not exceeding five hundred dol-  
29 lars.

30 For medical examiners, inquests and commitment of  
31 the insane, a sum not exceeding eight thousand five  
32 hundred dollars.

33 For auditors, masters and referees, a sum not exceed-  
34 ing three thousand dollars.

35 For repairing, furnishing and improving county build-  
36 ings, a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars.

37 For care, fuel, lights and supplies in county buildings,  
38 other than jails and houses of correction, a sum not  
39 exceeding twelve thousand dollars.

40 For highways, bridges and land damages, in excess of  
41 receipts, a sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars.

42 For clerical assistance in county offices, in excess of  
43 receipts, a sum not exceeding five thousand six hundred  
44 dollars.

45 For law libraries, a sum not exceeding two thousand  
46 dollars.

47 For truant schools, in excess of receipts, a sum not  
48 exceeding five thousand dollars.

49 For miscellaneous and contingent expenses, in excess  
50 of receipts, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars.

