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Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 8, 1901.

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 \$356,100.

For the committee,

BENJ. C. DEAN.

## Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and One.

### AN ACT

Making Appropriations for the Compensation and Travel of the Members of the General Court, for the Compensation of the Officers Thereof and for Expenses in Connection Therewith.

*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 purposes specified, to meet expenses for  
5 the year ending on the thirty-first day of Decem-  
6 ber in the year nineteen hundred and one, to  
7 wit: —

8 For the compensation of senators, thirty thou-  
9 sand seven hundred and fifty dollars. [Acts  
10 1892, chap 59.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$30,750.)

11 For travelling expenses of senators, a sum not

12 exceeding thirty-two hundred dollars. [Acts  
13 1892, chap. 59.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$3,200.)

14 For compensation of representatives, one hun-  
15 dred and eighty thousand seven hundred and  
16 fifty dollars. [Acts 1892, chap. 59.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$180,750.)

17 For travelling expenses of representatives, a  
18 sum not exceeding twenty thousand dollars.  
19 [Acts 1892, chap. 59.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$20,000.)

20 For the compensation of the chaplains of the  
21 senate and house of representatives, three hun-  
22 dred dollars each. [Pub. Stats., chap. 2, sect.  
23 23.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$600.)

24 For the salaries of the clerks of the senate and  
25 house of representatives, three thousand dollars  
26 each. [Acts 1884, chap. 329.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$6,000.)

27 For the salaries of the assistant clerks of the  
28 senate and house of representatives, two thousand  
29 dollars each. [Acts 1894, chap. 394.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$4,000.)

30 For such additional clerical assistance for the  
31 clerks of the senate and house of representatives  
32 as may be necessary for the proper despatch of  
33 public business, a sum not exceeding three thou-  
34 sand dollars. [Acts 1888, chap. 1.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$3,000.)

35 For the salary of the sergeant-at-arms, thirty-  
36 five hundred dollars. [Acts 1895, chap. 284.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$3,500.)

38 For the salary of the first clerk in the office of  
39 the sergeant-at-arms, twenty-two hundred dol-  
40 lars. [Acts 1893, chap. 358.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$2,200.)

41 For the salaries of the door-keepers of the  
42 senate and house of representatives, fifteen hun-  
43 dred dollars each. [Acts 1895, chap. 193.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$3,000.)

44 For the compensation of assistant door-keepers,  
45 postmaster, messengers and pages to the senate  
46 and house of representatives, a sum not exceed-  
47 ing thirty-one thousand five hundred dollars.  
48 [Acts 1882, chap. 257; 1895, chaps. 11, 44 and  
49 193.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$31,500.)

50 For stationery for the senate purchased by the  
51 clerk, a sum not exceeding nine hundred dollars.  
52 [Res. 1856, chap. 74.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$900.)

53 For stationery for the house of representatives  
54 purchased by the clerk, a sum not exceeding fifteen  
55 hundred dollars. [Res. 1856, chap. 74.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$1,500.)

56 For printing and binding ordered by the senate  
57 and house of representatives, or by concurrent  
58 order of the two branches, a sum not exceeding  
59 thirty thousand dollars. [Res. 1856, chap. 74.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$30,000.)

60 For printing and binding the manual of the  
61 general court, under the direction of the clerks  
62 of the senate and house of representatives, a sum  
63 not exceeding three thousand dollars. [Acts  
64 1894, chap. 393.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$3,000.)

65 For books, stationery, postage, printing and  
66 advertising, ordered by the sergeant-at-arms, a  
67 sum not exceeding one thousand dollars. [Res.  
68 1856, chap. 74.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$1,000.)

69 For contingent expenses of the senate and  
70 house of representatives, and necessary expenses  
71 in and about the state house, a sum not exceeding  
72 six thousand dollars. [Pub. Stats., chap. 5; Acts  
73 1887, chap. 128.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$6,000.)

74 For authorized expenses of committees of the  
75 present legislature, to include clerical assistance  
76 to committees authorized to employ the same, also  
77 expenses in connection with committee adver-  
78 tising, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand  
79 dollars. [Pub. Stats., chap. 16.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$28,000.)

80 For expenses of summoning witnesses before  
81 committees and for fees for such witnesses, a sum  
82 not exceeding two hundred dollars. [Pub. Stats.,  
83 chap. 16, sects. 46 and 47.]

(Appropriation 1900, \$1,800.)

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

