

HOUSE No. 56.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 8, 1906.

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 \$63,987.47.

For the committee,

GILBERT M. STALKER.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Six.

AN ACT

Making Appropriations for Salaries and Expenses in the Department of the Secretary of the Commonwealth.

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 treas-
3 ury of the Commonwealth, from the ordinary rev-
4 enue, for the purposes specified, for the eleven
5 months ending on the thirtieth day of Novem-
6 ber, nineteen hundred and six, to wit: —

7 For the salary of the secretary of the Com-
8 monwealth, thirty-two hundred eight dollars and
9 thirty-three cents. [Rev. Laws, chap. 5; Acts
10 1905, chap. 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$3,500.)

11 For the salary of the first clerk in the secre-
12 tary's department, twenty-two hundred ninety-

13 one dollars and sixty-six cents. [Rev. Laws,
14 chap. 5; Acts 1905, chap. 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$2,500.)

15 For the salary of the second clerk in the secre-
16 tary's department, two thousand sixteen dollars
17 and sixty-six cents. [Rev. Laws, chap. 5; Acts
18 1905, chap. 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$2,200.)

19 For the salary of the chief of the archives divi-
20 sion in the secretary's department, eighteen hun-
21 dred thirty-three dollars and thirty-three cents.
22 [Rev. Laws, chap. 5; Acts 1905, chap. 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$2,000.)

23 For the salary of the cashier in the secretary's
24 department, a sum not exceeding eleven hundred
25 dollars. [Rev. Laws, chap. 5; Acts 1905, chap.
26 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$1,200.)

27 For messengers and such additional clerical as-
28 sistance as the secretary may find necessary, a
29 sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand nine
30 hundred thirty-three dollars and thirty-three
31 cents. [Rev. Laws, chap. 5; Acts 1905, chap.
32 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$27,200.)

33 For incidental and contingent expenses in the
34 secretary's department, a sum not exceeding
35 thirty-four hundred thirty-seven dollars and fifty
36 cents. [Rev. Laws, chap. 5; Acts 1905, chap.
37 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$3,750.)

38 For the arrangement and preservation of state
39 records and papers, a sum not exceeding thirty-

40 six hundred sixty-six dollars and sixty-six cents.

41 [Acts 1885, chap. 337; 1905, chap. 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$4,000.)

42 For postage and expressage on documents to
43 members of the general court, and for transporta-
44 tion of documents to free public libraries, a sum
45 not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars. [Rev.
46 Laws, chap. 9, sect. 15.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$2,500.)

47 For furnishing cities and towns with ballot
48 boxes and for repairs to the same, a sum not ex-
49 ceeding two thousand dollars. [Rev. Laws, chap.
50 11; Acts 1905, chap. 211.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$2,000.)

51 For the purchase of histories of regiments, bat-
52 teries and other military organizations of the
53 Massachusetts volunteers who served in the civil
54 war, a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars.
55 [Acts 1893, chap. 14.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$1,000.)

56 For expenses in connection with the preserva-
57 tion of town records of births, marriages and
58 deaths previous to the year eighteen hundred and
59 fifty, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars.
60 [Acts 1902, chap. 470.]

(Appropriation 1905, \$15,000.)

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