

HOUSE No. 487

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 14, 1914.

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 \$463,870.

For the committee,

THOMAS W. WHITE.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fourteen.

AN ACT

Making Appropriations for the Compensation of the Members of the General Court, for the Compensation of Certain 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 are
2 appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the
3 commonwealth, from the ordinary revenue, for the
4 purposes specified, for the fiscal year ending on the
5 thirtieth day of November, nineteen hundred and
6 fourteen, to wit:—

7 For the compensation of senators, forty-one thou-
8 sand dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 3, sect. 8; Acts 1911,
9 ch. 676.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$41,000.)

10 For compensation for travel of senators, a sum
11 not exceeding thirty-two hundred dollars. (Rev.
12 Laws, ch. 6, sect. 8; Acts 1911, ch. 676.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$3,200.)

13 For the compensation of representatives, two

14 hundred and forty-one thousand dollars. (Rev.
15 Laws, ch. 3, sect. 8; Acts 1911, ch. 676.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$241,000.)

16 For compensation for travel of representatives, a
17 sum not exceeding nineteen thousand dollars. (Rev.
18 Laws, ch. 3, sect. 8; Acts 1911, ch. 676.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$19,000.)

19 For the salary of Henry D. Coolidge, clerk of the
20 senate, thirty-five hundred dollars. (Acts 1907, ch.
21 304.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$3,500.)

22 For the salary of William H. Sanger, assistant
23 clerk of the senate, twenty-five hundred dollars.
24 (Acts 1911, ch. 674.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$2,500.)

25 For such additional clerical assistance to the clerk
26 of the senate as may be necessary for the proper
27 despatch of public business, a sum not exceeding
28 fifteen hundred dollars. (Acts 1904, ch. 87.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$1,500.)

29 For the salary of James W. Kimball, clerk of the
30 house of representatives, thirty-five hundred dol-
31 lars. (Acts 1907, ch. 304.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$3,500.)

32 For the salary of Frank E. Bridgman, assistant
33 clerk of the house of representatives, twenty-five
34 hundred dollars. (Acts 1911, ch. 674.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$2,500.)

35 For such additional clerical assistance to the clerk
36 of the house of representatives as may be necessary
37 for the proper despatch of public business, a sum
38 not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars. (Acts
39 1904, ch. 87; 1906, ch. 126.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$2,500.)

40 For the compensation of the chaplains of the sen-
41 ate and house of representatives, twelve hundred
42 dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 3, sect. 14; Acts 1913, ch.
43 450.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$940.32, — part of a year.)

44 For the salaries of the doorkeepers of the senate
45 and house of representatives, and the postmaster,
46 forty-four hundred dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 10;
47 Acts 1903, ch. 323; 1911, ch. 115.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$4,400.)

48 For the compensation of assistant doorkeepers
49 and messengers to the senate and house of repre-
50 sentatives, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand
51 two hundred dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 10; Acts 1911,
52 ch. 115.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$25,200.)

53 For the compensation of the pages to the senate
54 and house of representatives, a sum not exceeding
55 sixty-one hundred and twenty dollars. (Rev. Laws,
56 ch. 10.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$6,120.)

57 For printing and binding ordered by the senate
58 and house of representatives, or by concurrent order
59 of the two branches, a sum not exceeding fifty-eight
60 thousand dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 6, sect. 49.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$58,000.)

61 For printing and binding the manual for the gen-
62 eral court, under the direction of the clerks of the
63 senate and house of representatives, a sum not ex-
64 ceeding fifty-four hundred dollars. (Rev. Laws,
65 ch. 9, sect. 10.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$5,400.)

66 For stationery for the senate, purchased by the

67 clerk, a sum not exceeding eight hundred dollars.

68 (Rev. Laws, ch. 6, sect. 49.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$800.)

69 For stationery for the house of representatives,

70 purchased by the clerk, a sum not exceeding one

71 thousand dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 6, sect. 49.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$1,000.)

72 For contingent expenses of the senate and house

73 of representatives, and necessary expenses in and

74 about the state house, a sum not exceeding eighty-

75 three hundred and fifty dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 10,

76 sect. 4.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$8,350.)

77 For authorized expenses of committees of the

78 present general court, including clerical assistance

79 to committees authorized to employ the same, a sum

80 not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars. (Rev. Laws,

81 ch. 6, sects. 43, 44.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$20,000.)

82 For expenses of advertising hearings of the com-

83 mittees of the present general court, including ex-

84 penses of preparing and mailing the advertisements

85 to the various newspapers, a sum not exceeding ten

86 thousand dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 6; 1903, ch. 283.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$10,000.)

87 For expenses of summoning witnesses, and for

88 fees of such witnesses, a sum not exceeding two hun-

89 dred dollars. (Rev. Laws, ch. 6, sect. 51.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$200.)

90 For expenses in connection with the publication

91 of the bulletin of committee hearings, a sum not ex-

92 ceeding eight thousand dollars. (Acts 1911, ch.

93 427.)

(Appropriation 1913, \$8,000.)

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

SENATE, Jan. 14, 1914.

Passed to be engrossed, in concurrence.

HENRY D. COOLIDGE, *Clerk.*

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, Jan. 14, 1914.

Passed to be engrossed.

Sent up for concurrence.

JAMES W. KIMBALL, *Clerk.*