

Bill accompanying the petition of E. Leroy Sweetser that the salary of the surgeon-general of the militia be established. Public Service. January 16.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventeen.

AN ACT

To establish the Salary of the Surgeon General of the Militia.

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. Section thirty-six of chapter six hundred
2 and four of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and
3 eight, is hereby amended by striking out the words
4 "twelve hundred", in the second line of said section,
5 and inserting in place of the words stricken out, the
6 following words:—two thousand,—so that said section
7 as amended shall read as follows:—*Section 36.* The
8 surgeon general shall receive a salary of two thousand
9 dollars a year; and, subject to the orders of the com-
10 mander-in-chief, shall have general supervision and con-
11 trol of all matters pertaining to the medical department
12 of the militia, and shall prescribe the physical and mental
13 disabilities exempting from military duty. He shall pur-
14 chase and issue all medical and hospital supplies, and
15 shall perform such other official duties as the commander-
16 in-chief shall direct.

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

It is the duty of the House of Representatives to inquire into the conduct of the President of the United States and to report thereon to the Senate.

The Commission of the President

is the first step in the process of impeachment.

AN ACT

to provide for the impeachment of the President of the United States.

Enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives of the United States of America in Congress assembled, this 12th day of July, 1868.

Section 1. That the President of the United States shall be impeachable and liable to impeachment for any high crime or misdemeanor, or for any other offense which may be deemed by Congress to constitute an impeachable offense.

Section 2. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

