

HOUSE No. 1373.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 9, 1897.

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 \$122,400.

For the Committee,

FRANCIS C. LOWELL.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

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

AN ACT

In Addition to the Several Acts making Appropriations for Expenses Authorized the Present Year and for Certain Other Expenses Authorized by Law.

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 of
3 the Commonwealth from the ordinary revenue, for
4 the purposes specified in certain acts and resolves
5 of the present year and for certain other expenses
6 authorized by law, to wit:—

7 For the salary of the chief of the bureau of sta-
8 tistics of labor, as authorized by chapter four hun-
9 dred and thirty of the acts of the present year, the
10 sum of five hundred dollars, the same to be in
11 addition to any amount heretofore appropriated
12 for the same purpose.

13 For the salary of the first clerk in the office of
14 the bureau of statistics of labor, as authorized

15 by chapter four hundred and thirty of the acts of
16 the present year, the sum of two hundred dollars,
17 the same to be in addition to any amount hereto-
18 fore appropriated for the same purpose.

19 For the salary of the second clerk in the office
20 of the bureau of statistics of labor, as author-
21 ized by chapter four hundred and thirty of the
22 acts of the present year, the sum of one hundred
23 and fifty dollars, the same to be in addition to any
24 amount heretofore appropriated for the same
25 purpose.

26 For the salaries of two special agents in the
27 department of the bureau of statistics of labor,
28 as provided for by chapter four hundred and thirty
29 of the acts of the present year, the sum of four-
30 teen hundred dollars.

31 To provide for the military representation of
32 the Commonwealth at the unveiling of the Robert
33 G. Shaw monument, as authorized by chapter
34 seventy-seven of the resolves of the present year,
35 a sum not exceeding thirty-six hundred and fifty
36 dollars.

37 For Thomas Beetlestone, as authorized by
38 chapter seventy-eight of the resolves of the
39 present year, the sum of two thousand dollars.

40 For the erection of a statue of Major-General
41 Banks, as authorized by chapter seventy-nine of
42 the resolves of the present year, a sum not ex-
43 ceeding twenty thousand dollars.

44 For authorized expenses of committees of the
45 present legislature, to include clerical assistance,
46 stenographers and counsel fees to committees

47 authorized to employ the same, a sum not ex-
48 ceeding twenty-five hundred dollars, the same to
49 be in addition to any amount heretofore appro-
50 priated for the same purpose.

51 For certain improvements at the Taunton luna-
52 tic hospital, as authorized by chapter eighty of
53 the resolves of the present year, a sum not ex-
54 ceeding twenty thousand dollars.

55 For the erection of new buildings at the Worces-
56 ter lunatic hospital, as authorized by chapter
57 eighty-one of the resolves of the present year, a
58 sum not exceeding forty thousand dollars.

59 For expenses of an investigation into the ad-
60 vantages which would accrue to the Common-
61 wealth by the improvement of the navigation of
62 the Connecticut river, as authorized by chapter
63 eighty-two of the resolves of the present year, a
64 sum not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars.

65 For the purchase of a set of standard apothecaries' weights, and for furnishing counties, cities
67 and towns with duplicate sets of the same, as pro-
68 vided for by chapter four hundred and forty-three
69 of the acts of the present year, a sum not exceed-
70 ing twenty-five hundred dollars.

71 For a report of a plan for carrying into execu-
72 tion the recommendations of the state board of
73 education relative to school attendance and tru-
74 ancy, as authorized by chapter eighty-four of the
75 resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding
76 one thousand dollars.

77 To provide for the preparation of a schedule of
78 forms of pleadings in criminal cases, as author-

79 ized by chapter eighty-five of the resolves of the
80 present year, a sum not exceeding four thousand
81 dollars.

82 For a water supply for the Massachusetts
83 hospital for epileptics, as authorized by chapter
84 eighty-six of the resolves of the present year, a
85 sum not exceeding seventeen thousand five hun-
86 dred dollars.

87 For locating and marking the boundary line
88 between the Commonwealth of Massachusetts
89 and the State of Rhode Island, as authorized by
90 chapter eighty-eight of the resolves of the present
91 year, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars.

92 For the construction of a fence around a por-
93 tion of the grounds of the Massachusetts hospital
94 for dipsomaniacs and inebriates, as authorized by
95 chapter eighty-nine of the resolves of the present
96 year, a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars.

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

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, June 9, 1897.

Passed to be engrossed.

Sent up for concurrence.

JAMES W. KIMBALL, *Clerk.*

