

HOUSE No. 1384

By Mr. Quigley of Chelsea, petition of James Buchanan, Jr., and Andrew P. Quigley relative to providing for construction of additional buildings and for equipment and improvements at the Soldiers' Home in Chelsea. Military Affairs and Public Safety.

The Commonwealth of Massachusetts

In the Year One Thousand Nine Hundred and Fifty.

AN ACT PROVIDING FOR CONSTRUCTION OF ADDITIONAL BUILDINGS AND FOR ADDITIONAL EQUIPMENT AND IMPROVEMENTS AT THE SOLDIERS' HOME IN CHELSEA.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court assembled, and by the authority of the same, as follows:

1 The trustees of the Soldiers' Home in Massachu-
2 setts are hereby authorized to construct additional
3 buildings and purchase equipment for said Home,
4 and perform certain work in or near said Home, and,
5 after an appropriation has been made therefor, may
6 expend the following amounts for the following
7 purposes:—

1. Six duplex houses for doctors	\$125,000 00
2. Internes' home	75,000 00
3. Finished grading walls and fences around Powder Horn hill	20,000 00
4. New elevator in present service building, includ- ing walls, etc.	40,000 00

5. Repairs to Sargent Hall for use of male employees, including elevators	\$30,000 00
6. Enlarge boiler plant, stand-by generator, heating changes, rewiring, elevator and stair enclosure in existing building; connecting officers' dwellings to central steam plant (includes installation of additional boiler in boiler plant)	355,000 00
7. New dormitory for member patients	400,000 00
8. Retaining wall, rear of nurses' home	40,000 00
9. Storage building between nurses' home and paint shop with flat roof	18,000 00
10. Out-patient waiting room to go outside present waiting room, with entrance from Hillside avenue, and out-patient and laboratory changes	33,000 00
11. Pneumatic tube	10,000 00
12. Macadam roadway and parking facilities	10,000 00
13. Roadways for approaches to new hospital	30,000 00
14. Tunnel to nurses' home	7,500 00
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15. Incinerator by boiler plant	10,000 00
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Total	\$1,203,500 00