

such sums, not exceeding three hundred dollars each in any one year, as may be necessary to entertain official and other visitors to the said institutions, such sums to be paid out of the current expenses of the institutions.

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

*Approved April 2, 1901.*

*Chap.225* AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE PROTECTION OF GAME BIRDS AND ANIMALS IN THE TOWN OF ESSEX.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

1899, 289, § 1,  
amended.

Protection of  
game birds and  
animals in  
Essex.

Section one of chapter two hundred and eighty-nine of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-nine is hereby amended by striking out the whole of said section and inserting in place thereof the following:— *Section 1.* Whoever takes or kills a rabbit, gray squirrel or chipmunk, or any kind of land bird, except beach or marsh birds, and except the English sparrow, within the limits of the town of Essex, at any time before the twentieth day of April in the year nineteen hundred and four, shall be punished by a fine of twenty dollars for every such rabbit, squirrel, chipmunk or bird so taken or killed.

*Approved April 2, 1901.*

*Chap.226* AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE CITY OF BOSTON TO PAY A SUM OF MONEY TO THE WIDOW OF MATTHEW WALSH.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

City of Boston  
may pay a sum  
of money to  
widow of  
Matthew  
Walsh.

The city of Boston is hereby authorized to pay to Mary Walsh, the widow of Matthew Walsh lately employed by the city as supervisor of plumbing, who died on the tenth day of September in the year nineteen hundred, the amount of salary to which he would have been entitled had he lived and served the city till the first day of January in the year nineteen hundred and one.

*Approved April 2, 1901.*

*Chap.227* AN ACT TO PROVIDE FOR THE REPAIR AND MAINTENANCE OF A CERTAIN HIGHWAY IN THE TOWN OF TRURO.

*Be it enacted, etc., as follows:*

Repair, etc., of  
certain highway  
in Truro.

SECTION 1. The county commissioners of the county of Barnstable shall, upon application of the selectmen of the town of Truro, expend a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars in any one year, for a period not exceeding