

HOUSE No. 17.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, January 23, 1877.

The Committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petition of the president and directors of the Billerica and Bedford Narrow Gauge Railroad, for extension of time in which to organize, report the accompanying Bill.

For the Committee,

H. H. WILDER.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts.

In the Year One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-Seven.

AN ACT

Making Appropriations for the Maintenance of the Government for the present year.

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

1 SECT. 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are
2 appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury, from
3 the ordinary revenue, for the purposes specified, to
4 meet expenses for the year ending on the thirty-
5 first day of December, in the year eighteen hun-
6 dred and seventy-seven, to wit:—

SUPREME JUDICIAL COURT.

7 For the salary of the clerk of the supreme judi-
8 cial court of the Commonwealth, three thousand
9 dollars. [Gen. Stat. chap. 121, sect. 5.]
10 For the salary of the reporter of decisions of
11 the supreme judicial court, three hundred dollars.
12 [Gen. Stat. chap. 121, sect. 56.]
13 For clerk hire and incidental expenses of the