

*Chap. 91* AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR THE COMPENSATION OF  
THE COMMITTEE ON CORPORATION LAWS.

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

Compensation  
of committee  
on corporation  
laws.

SECTION 1. The sum of ten thousand five hundred dollars is hereby appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth from the ordinary revenue, for the compensation of the committee on corporation laws, such compensation being authorized by chapter three hundred and thirty-five of the acts of the year nineteen hundred and two.

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

*Approved February 16, 1904.*

*Chap. 92* AN ACT TO CHANGE THE NAME OF THE MASSACHUSETTS BAPTIST  
CONVENTION TO MASSACHUSETTS BAPTIST MISSIONARY SOCIETY.

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

Name changed.

SECTION 1. The Massachusetts Baptist Convention, a corporation continued under that name by chapter twenty-three of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and thirty-five, having been incorporated originally by chapter sixty-one of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and eight as the Baptist Missionary Society in Massachusetts, shall hereafter be known as Massachusetts Baptist Missionary Society.

Devises,  
bequests, etc.

SECTION 2. All devises, bequests, conveyances and gifts, heretofore or hereafter made to said corporation by any of said names, shall vest in the Massachusetts Baptist Missionary Society.

SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved February 16, 1904.*

*Chap. 93* AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF NORTH ANDOVER TO EXTEND  
ITS WATER SUPPLY SYSTEM AND TO BORROW MONEY THEREFOR.

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

Town of North  
Andover may  
extend its  
water supply  
system.

SECTION 1. The town of North Andover is hereby authorized to extend the water supply system acquired by it in pursuance of the provisions of chapter two hundred and two of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three, and to expend therefor a sum not exceeding thirty thousand dollars.

North Andover  
Water Loan,  
1904.

SECTION 2. For the aforesaid purpose the town of North Andover is hereby authorized to issue from time to

time bonds, notes or scrip to an amount not exceeding thirty thousand dollars. Such bonds, notes or scrip shall bear on their face the words, North Andover Water Loan, 1904: shall be payable at the expiration of periods not exceeding thirty years from the date of issue, or earlier, at the option of the town: shall bear interest, payable semi-annually, at a rate not exceeding four per cent per annum, and shall be signed by the treasurer of the town and countersigned by the board of water commissioners. The town may sell said securities at public or private sale, or pledge the same for money borrowed for the purposes of this act, upon such terms and conditions as it shall deem proper: *provided*, that such securities shall not be sold for less than the par value thereof. Proviso.

SECTION 3. Said town shall at the time of authorizing said loan provide for the payment thereof in such annual proportionate payments as will extinguish the same within the time prescribed in this act; and when a vote to that effect has been passed the amount required thereby shall without further vote be assessed by the assessors of the town in each year thereafter, in the same manner in which other taxes are assessed under the provisions of section thirty-seven of chapter twelve of the Revised Laws, until the debt incurred by the town under authority of this act shall be extinguished. Payment of loan.

SECTION 4. In addition to the amount which said town is required by the provisions of said chapter two hundred and two annually to raise, the town shall annually raise by taxation a sum which together with the income derived from the water rates will be sufficient to pay the annual expenses of operating its water works and the interest as it accrues on the bonds, notes or scrip issued as aforesaid by the town, and to enable the town to make such payments on the principal as may be required under the provisions of this act. Town to raise a certain sum by taxation annually.

SECTION 5. This act shall take effect upon its passage.

*Approved February 16, 1904.*

AN ACT TO AUTHORIZE THE TOWN OF HUDSON TO REFUND A PART Chap. 94  
OF ITS INDEBTEDNESS.

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

SECTION 1. The town of Hudson is hereby authorized to borrow, for a term not exceeding thirteen years, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars, for the pur- Town of Hudson may borrow a certain sum.