

Middlesex, and numbered in said cemetery twenty-eight hundred on Sylvan Path therein, be and the same hereby is conveyed and released to Samuel S. Constant, his heirs and assigns.  
*Approved April 29, 1865.*

*Chap. 42.*

Allowances for improvements.

## RESOLVE CONCERNING THE STATE ARSENAL.

*Resolved,* That there be allowed and paid for improvements at the state arsenal, the following sums, to wit: for shutters on the new building, a sum not exceeding fourteen hundred dollars; for shutters on the old building, a sum not exceeding seven hundred dollars; for work-shop, a sum not exceeding forty-three hundred dollars; for steam-engine, shafting and lathe, a sum not exceeding thirty-six hundred dollars; for grading new lot and repairing drive-way, a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars.

*Approved April 29, 1865.*

*Chap. 43.*

Governor to appoint commissioners to edit.

## RESOLVES RELATING TO THE PUBLICATION OF THE PROVINCIAL STATUTES.

*Resolved,* That the governor, with the consent of the council, be and he hereby is authorized and empowered to appoint three or more commissioners, learned in the law and in the history of Massachusetts, whose duty it shall be to prepare for publication a complete copy of the statutes and laws of the province and state of Massachusetts Bay, from the time of the province charter to the adoption of the constitution of the Commonwealth, including all the sessions, acts, private and public, general and special, temporary and perpetual, passed from time to time by the general court, all incorporations of towns and parishes, and all other legislative acts of legal or historical importance appearing on the records of the general court, with suitable marginal references to the statutes and judicial decisions of the province and Commonwealth, the orders of the king in council, and to such other authorities as in their opinion may enhance the value and usefulness of the work, and to append to the same a full and complete index.

Deposit of copy.

*Resolved,* That said copy, when so prepared and completed shall be deposited in the office of the secretary of the Commonwealth.

Allowance for expenses.

*Resolved,* That for the purpose of procuring a manuscript copy of said statutes, and for other clerical assistance, a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars shall be allowed and paid out of the treasury from time to time upon the approval of the governor.

*Approved April 29, 1865.*