

deem to be equitable, and the amounts so to be paid by each shall be assessed and collected by the treasurer of the Commonwealth at the time required for the payment of the state tax of said town and said city respectively. Said board shall make all reports required by this resolve to the general court on or before the first Wednesday of January in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-six.

Approved May 29, 1895.

RESOLVE RELATIVE TO THE PARTICIPATION OF THE COMMONWEALTH IN THE COTTON STATES AND INTERNATIONAL EXPOSITION TO BE HELD IN ATLANTA IN THE STATE OF GEORGIA.

Chap.113

Resolved, That for the purpose of exhibiting the resources, products and general development of the Commonwealth, at the cotton states and international exposition to be held in Atlanta in the state of Georgia from the eighteenth day of September to the thirty-first day of December in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five, a board of managers of Massachusetts, consisting of five residents of the Commonwealth, of whom three shall be men and two women, shall be appointed by the governor by and with the consent of the council. Said managers shall have charge of the interests of the Commonwealth and its citizens in the preparation and exhibition at said exposition of the natural and industrial products of the Commonwealth, and of her textile fabrics and various manufactures. They shall communicate with the officers of said exposition and obtain and disseminate through the Commonwealth all necessary information regarding the same; and in general shall have and exercise full authority in relation to the participation of the Commonwealth and its citizens in said exposition. Said managers, with the approval of the governor, may appoint delegates, not more than ten in number, whose expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of this resolve shall be defrayed by the Commonwealth. To carry out the provisions of this resolve a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars may be expended under the direction of the governor and council.

Exposition at Atlanta, Georgia, board of managers, appointment, etc.

Approved June 1, 1895.

RESOLVE RELATIVE TO THE DEDICATION OF THE NATIONAL MILITARY PARK ON THE BATTLEFIELDS OF CHICKAMAUGA AND CHATTANOOGA.

Chap.114

Resolved, That there be allowed and paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth a sum not exceeding ten

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thousand dollars, to be expended under the direction of the governor and council, to enable the Commonwealth to be properly represented at the dedication ceremonies to be held at Chickamauga in the state of Georgia, and Chattanooga in the state of Tennessee, in the month of September in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-five, through the following officials:—His excellency the governor and eight members of his staff, the lieutenant governor and four members of the executive council, the secretary of the Commonwealth, the treasurer and receiver general, the auditor of accounts, the attorney-general, the president of the senate, the speaker of the house, the joint committee on military affairs, a special committee of nine members of the senate and twenty-two members of the house, to be appointed by the presiding officers of the two branches, respectively, the clerk of the senate, the clerk of the house, the sergeant-at-arms, and a delegation of three members each, from the second and thirty-third regiments of Massachusetts volunteers who were present in the battles of Chickamauga and Chattanooga. Any vacancies occurring in said joint committee on military affairs or joint special committee may be filled by the presiding officer of the branch in the representation of which such vacancies occur. *Approved June 4, 1895.*

Chap.115

James N.
Tolman.

RESOLVE IN FAVOR OF JAMES N. TOLMAN.

Resolved, That in recognition of the long and faithful service of James N. Tolman, a messenger in the sergeant-at-arms' department, who has been employed therein as watchman, sergeant-at-arms' messenger and in charge of the legislative document room for nearly fifty years, and is now afflicted with a disease which incapacitates him from further service, the sergeant-at-arms be allowed to continue the said James N. Tolman on his pay roll for the term of one year from the date of the passage of this resolve, which sum shall be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth to the said James N. Tolman monthly, and, in case of his death, the same sum per month shall be paid to his widow to the end of the year provided for by this resolve. *Approved June 4, 1895.*

Chap.116

George C.
Abbott, justice
of the peace,
acts confirmed.

RESOLVE TO CONFIRM THE ACTS OF GEORGE C. ABBOTT AS A JUSTICE OF THE PEACE.

Resolved, That all the acts done by George C. Abbott of Melrose as a justice of the peace, between the twelfth