

hundred and thirty-one of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one, the appropriation having expired by limitation.

Legislative printing and binding.

For printing and binding ordered by the senate and house of representatives, or by concurrent order of the two branches, a sum not exceeding twenty-four thousand five hundred dollars.

Tables and indexes relating to the statutes.

For the preparation of tables and indexes relating to the statutes of the present and previous years, under the direction of the governor, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars.

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

Approved February 9, 1893.

Chap. 14. AN ACT MAKING AN APPROPRIATION FOR INVESTIGATIONS INTO THE BEST METHODS OF PROTECTING THE PURITY OF INLAND WATERS.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows :

Appropriation.

SECTION 1. The sum hereinafter mentioned is appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth from the ordinary revenue, for the payment of certain expenses in connection with the protection of the purity of inland waters during the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three, to wit :—

Purity of inland waters, etc.

For providing for investigations into the best methods of assuring the purity of water supplies and disposal of sewage, for services of engineers, clerks and other assistants, made necessary and authorized by chapter three hundred and seventy-five of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and eighty-eight, which requires the state board of health to have general care and oversight of all inland waters and report measures for preventing the pollution of the same ; also for proper disposal of all sewage matter, a sum not exceeding twenty-seven thousand dollars.

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

Approved February 9, 1893.

Chap. 15. AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR INCIDENTAL, CONTINGENT AND MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES OF THE VARIOUS COMMISSIONS OF THE COMMONWEALTH.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows :

Appropriations.

SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the Common-

wealth from the ordinary revenue, for the purposes specified, to meet expenses for the year ending on the thirty-first day of December in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three, to wit: —

COMMISSIONERS AND OTHERS.

- For incidental and contingent expenses of the tax commissioner and commissioner of corporations, a sum not exceeding thirty-four hundred dollars. Tax commissioner and commissioner of corporations.
- For expenses of the state valuation, under the direction of the tax commissioner, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars. State valuation.
- For travelling and incidental expenses of the commissioners of savings banks, a sum not exceeding thirty-three hundred dollars. Commissioners of savings banks.
- For incidental and contingent expenses in the department of the insurance commissioner, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars. Insurance commissioner.
- For travelling and other necessary expenses of the harbor and land commissioners, a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars. Harbor and land commissioners, travelling expenses.
- For incidental and contingent office expenses of the harbor and land commissioners, a sum not exceeding eight hundred dollars. Incidental expenses.
- For the compensation of experts or other agents of the board of railroad commissioners, a sum not exceeding thirty-eight hundred dollars. Railroad commissioners, agents.
- For rent of office, care of office and salary of messenger for the board of railroad commissioners, a sum not exceeding thirty-one hundred dollars. Messenger, etc.
- For books, maps, statistics, stationery, incidental and contingent expenses of the board of railroad commissioners, a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars. Expenses.
- For travelling and incidental expenses of the inspector and assistant inspector of gas meters, a sum not exceeding six hundred and fifty dollars; and for such additional apparatus as the inspector of gas meters may find necessary, a sum not exceeding two hundred and fifty dollars. Inspector and assistant inspector of gas meters.
- For clerical assistance, expenses of examinations, printing of civil service rules and regulations and other information for the use of applicants, printing, advertising and stationery, care of office and rent of room for registration of laborers, travelling and incidental expenses of Civil service commissioners.

the civil service commissioners, chief examiner and secretary, a sum not exceeding nine thousand dollars.

Controller of county accounts.

For travelling and office expenses of the controller of county accounts, a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars.

Board of arbitration and conciliation.

For travelling, incidental and contingent expenses of the state board of arbitration and conciliation, a sum not exceeding thirty four hundred dollars, which shall include the compensation of expert assistants.

State board of health.

For general work of the state board of health, including all necessary travelling expenses, a sum not exceeding seventy-eight hundred dollars.

State pension agent.

For clerical assistance, travelling expenses, rent, care of rooms and other necessary expenses of the state pension agent, a sum not exceeding four thousand dollars.

Deputy sealer of weights, measures and balances, etc.

For travelling and other necessary expenses of the deputy sealer of weights, measures and balances, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars; and for furnishing sets of standard weights, measures and balances to towns not heretofore provided therewith and to each newly incorporated town, also to provide cities and towns with such portions of said sets as may be necessary to make their sets complete, a sum not exceeding six hundred dollars.

Commissioner of foreign corporations.

For clerk hire, rent, janitor, gas, printing, postage, travelling and incidental expenses of the commissioner for the supervision of foreign corporations engaged in the business of selling or negotiating bonds, mortgages, notes or other choses in action, a sum not exceeding twenty-five hundred and sixty-five dollars.

Ballot law commission.

For compensation and expenses of the ballot law commission, a sum not exceeding fifteen hundred dollars.

Treasurer, tax on collateral legacies, etc.

For such expenses as the treasurer and receiver general may find necessary to carry out the provisions of the act imposing a tax on collateral legacies and successions, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Inquests, accidental deaths on railroads.

For expenses in connection with taking evidence given at inquests on deaths by accidents upon steam and street railroads, a sum not exceeding two thousand dollars.

Moneys of certain insolvent corporations.

For the payment of unclaimed moneys in the hands of the receivers of certain insolvent corporations, after the same have been deposited in the treasury of the Commonwealth, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars.

To carry out the provisions of the act relative to the payment from the treasury of the Commonwealth of funds received from public administrators, a sum not exceeding four thousand dollars. Funds received from public administrators.

For rent of rooms for the use of the civil service commissioners, a sum not exceeding fourteen hundred and fifty dollars. Civil service commissioners, rooms.

For rent of rooms for the use of the bureau of statistics of labor and for the services of a janitor, a sum not exceeding three thousand dollars. Bureau of statistics of labor, rooms, etc.

For rent of a room for the bureau of statistics of labor for storage purposes, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars. Rooms for storage.

For rent of suitable rooms to be used as a laboratory by the state board of health, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars. State board of health, laboratory.

For rent of rooms for the use of the controller of county accounts, a sum not exceeding six hundred and fifty dollars. Controller of county accounts, rooms.

For contingent expenses of the bureau of statistics of labor, to be expended under the direction of the sergeant-at-arms, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars. Bureau of statistics of labor, expenses.

For expenses incurred in the construction and repair of roads in the town of Mashpee during the year eighteen hundred and ninety-two, the sum of three hundred dollars. Roads in Mashpee.

For assistance to the town of Truro in maintaining a section of its county highway, known as Beach Point road, a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars. Beach Point road in Truro.

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

Approved February 9, 1893.

AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR EXPENSES IN CONNECTION WITH THE PRISONS OF THE COMMONWEALTH AND CERTAIN OTHER REFORMATORY EXPENSES.

Chap. 16.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows:

SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth from the ordinary revenue, for the purposes specified, to meet expenses for the year ending on the thirty-first day of December in the year eighteen hundred and ninety-three, to wit:— Appropriations.

For travelling expenses of the commissioners of prisons, and of the secretary and agents of said commissioners, a sum not exceeding twenty-five hundred dollars. Commissioners of prisons, travelling expenses.