

two clerks at salaries not exceeding six hundred dollars a year, for each clerk.

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

Approved April 28, 1862.

Chap. 165 AN ACT RELATING TO THE RECEPTACLE FOR THE INSANE AT IPSWICH.
Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Ventilation, Co. commissioners to provide for.

SECTION 1. The county commissioners of the county of Essex shall provide for the more thorough and constant ventilation of the receptacle for the insane connected with the house of correction at Ipswich.

Commissioners to examine insane in state prison, to visit receptacle quarterly.

SECTION 2. The commissioners for the examination of convicts in the state prison alleged to be insane, are hereby made a board of commissioners for the examination of the persons confined in said receptacle, and shall select one of their number to visit said receptacle once each quarter of a year. Each commissioner shall receive for his services in such capacity, the amount of his travelling expenses, and three dollars for each day he is so employed, and the bill therefor shall be audited and paid by the treasurer of the county of Essex.

May order removal to state hospital.

SECTION 3. Said commissioners, or said visiting commissioner selected as aforesaid, whose acts however, shall be subject to the revision of the board, may direct any person confined as insane, who in their judgment is capable of improvement by restorative treatment, to be removed to a state hospital; and they may cause such person to be remanded to said receptacle when they shall deem it expedient. The expenses of all such removals from and to said receptacle shall be paid in the first instance by the county of Essex; and said county shall be entitled to recover the same of the city, town or person obligated to support the person removed as aforesaid.

Approved April 28, 1862.

Chap. 166 AN ACT IN FURTHER ADDITION TO AN ACT IN AID OF THE FAMILIES OF VOLUNTEERS.
Be it enacted, &c., as follows :

Citizens by cession from R. I., provision for aid shall apply to families of.

SECTION 1. The provisions of the second section of the act to which this act is in addition, being chapter sixty-six of the acts of the present session, shall apply to those volunteers, who, although not inhabitants of the Commonwealth at the time of enlistment, have become such by the establishment of the boundary line between the states of Massachusetts and Rhode Island.

Aid to widow or children.

SECTION 2. Any town or city may raise money by taxation or otherwise, and if necessary apply the same under the