

Chap. 279 AN ACT MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR THE DECENNIAL CENSUS,
FOR THE SOLDIERS' HOME IN MASSACHUSETTS AND FOR CERTAIN
OTHER EXPENSES AUTHORIZED BY LAW.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows :

- Appropriations. SECTION 1. The sums hereinafter mentioned are appropriated, to be paid out of the treasury of the Commonwealth from the ordinary revenue, except as herein otherwise provided, for the purposes specified in certain acts and resolves of the present year, to wit:—
- Decennial census. For the decennial census, as authorized by chapter seventy-one of the acts of the present year, a sum not exceeding thirty thousand dollars.
- Purchase of books for state library. For the purchase of books for the state library, as authorized by chapter one hundred and fourteen of the acts of the present year, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, the same to be in addition to any amount heretofore appropriated for the same purpose.
- Concentrated commercial feed stuffs. For expenses incurred in carrying out the provisions of the act relative to concentrated commercial feed stuffs, as authorized by chapter one hundred and seventeen of the acts of the present year, the sum of twelve hundred dollars.
- Widow of Charles O. Brady. For the widow of Charles O. Brady, as authorized by chapter three of the resolves of the present year, the sum of fifty-eight dollars and six cents.
- Children of Edwin N. Robbins. For the children of the late Edward N. Robbins, as authorized by chapter four of the resolves of the present year, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars.
- Lemuel Burr. For Lemuel Burr, as authorized by chapter five of the resolves of the present year, the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars.
- Report on docks and terminal facilities. For additional copies of the report of the state board on docks and terminal facilities, as authorized by chapter six of the resolves of the present year, the sum of thirteen hundred eighty-eight dollars and sixty-five cents.
- George E. Merry. For George E. Merry, as authorized by chapter seven of the resolves of the present year, the sum of one hundred and seventy-five dollars.
- Manual. For printing additional copies of the manual of the general court, as authorized by chapter eight of the resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding four hundred and fifty dollars.

- For George O. Bent, as authorized by chapter nine of the resolves of the present year, the sum of three hundred and sixty dollars. George O. Bent.
- For furnishing two buildings at the Massachusetts school for the feeble-minded, as authorized by chapter ten of the resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding five thousand dollars. Massachusetts school for the feeble-minded.
- For the Trustees of the Soldiers' Home in Massachusetts, as authorized by chapter thirteen of the resolves of the present year, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars. Trustees of the Soldiers' Home.
- For the family of the late B. Alden Nourse, as authorized by chapter fourteen of the resolves of the present year, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars. Family of B. Alden Nourse.
- For the Massachusetts Agricultural College, as authorized by chapter fifteen of the resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding twelve thousand dollars. Massachusetts Agricultural College.
- For repairs to the training ship Enterprise, as authorized by chapter seventeen of the resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding fifteen thousand dollars. Training ship Enterprise.
- For expenses in connection with the codification of the election laws, as authorized by chapter eighteen of the resolves of the present year, the sum of five hundred dollars. Codification of election laws.
- For furnishing and equipping the new buildings of the Massachusetts hospital for epileptics, as authorized by chapter nineteen of the resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding twenty-two thousand seven hundred and fifty dollars. Massachusetts hospital for epileptics.
- For printing the special report of the board of agriculture on the extermination of the gypsy moth, as authorized by chapter twenty of the resolves of the present year, a sum not exceeding three hundred dollars. Report on extermination of the gypsy moth.
- For the expense incurred by the secretary of the Commonwealth in the purchase of parchment, the sum of seven hundred and sixty-five dollars. Purchase of parchment.
- For printing and binding the records of the Massachusetts troops of the period of the revolution, as authorized by chapter one hundred of the resolves of the year eighteen hundred and ninety-one, the sum of four hundred and fifty-seven dollars and two cents. Revolutionary records.
- For the Northwest Middlesex Teachers' Association, as authorized by chapter one hundred and fifty-four of the acts of the present year, the sum of twenty-five dollars, which is hereby made payable from the moiety of the Northwest Middlesex Teachers' Association.

income of the Massachusetts School Fund applicable for educational purposes.

Payment of bounties to Massachusetts soldiers.

For clerical assistance and such other expenses as may be necessary in carrying out the provisions of the act for the payment of bounties to Massachusetts soldiers from the treasury of the Commonwealth in certain cases, as authorized by chapter one hundred and seventy-nine of the acts of the present year, a sum not exceeding one thousand dollars, and for the payment of such bounties as may be found to be due, a sum not exceeding twenty-five thousand dollars.

Executive stenographer

For the services of a stenographer for the executive department, as authorized by chapter one hundred and eighty-eight of the acts of the present year, the sum of five hundred dollars, the same to be in addition to any amount heretofore appropriated for the same purpose.

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

Approved April 14, 1897.

Chap. 280 AN ACT RELATIVE TO THE TIME OF APPOINTMENT OF OFFICERS AND THE TERMS OF OFFICE OF THE COUNCILLORS AND CENSORS OF THE MASSACHUSETTS MEDICAL SOCIETY.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows :

Councillors of Massachusetts Medical Society may appoint officers.

SECTION 1. The councillors of the Massachusetts Medical Society may appoint officers, under the provisions of section three of chapter one hundred and twenty-three of the acts of the year eighteen hundred and two, at such meeting of the councillors either preceding or succeeding the annual meeting of the said society, as the society may by its rules and by-laws determine.

Terms of office.

SECTION 2. The terms of office of the councillors and censors annually elected by the district societies, into which the Massachusetts Medical Society is divided, may begin at such times as shall be fixed by the rules and by-laws of the said Massachusetts Medical Society.

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

Approved April 14, 1897.

Chap. 281 AN ACT TO ESTABLISH A CERTAIN BOUNDARY LINE BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF BOURNE AND WAREHAM.

Be it enacted, etc., as follows :

Boundary line between Bourne and Wareham established.

SECTION 1. The boundary line between the towns of Bourne and Wareham is hereby established as follows : —