

priated to Saint Christopher's Hospital for Children, situate in the city of Philadelphia, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, for the purpose of maintenance.

July 18, 1901.—This bill is approved in the sum of \$12,000, and I withhold my approval of the balance of said appropriation because of insufficient State revenue.

WILLIAM A. STONE.

No. 541.

AN ACT

To provide for the ordinary expenses of the Executive, Judicial and Legislative departments of the Commonwealth, interest on the public debt, and for the support of the public schools, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one.

Appropriation for the two years commencing June 1, 1901.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby specifically appropriated to the several objects hereinafter named, for the two fiscal years commencing on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, and for the payment of bills incurred and remaining unpaid at the close of the fiscal year ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one, to be paid out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Also, for bills unpaid May 31, 1901.

For salaries of State officers, clerks and incidental expenses.

Section 2. For the payment of the salaries of the several State officers, the clerks and employes in the several departments of the State government, and for the incidental expenses of the said departments, the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary; the same to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon the State Treasurer in the amounts as follows, and in the manner prescribed by law.

Executive Department.

Governor.

For the payment of the salary of the Governor, two years, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Lieutenant Governor.

For the payment of the salary of the Lieutenant Governor, two years, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of sixteen thousand four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of contingent expenses, two years, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Contingent expenses.

For the payment of clerk hire and contingent expenses of the Lieutenant Governor, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Clerk hire and contingent expenses, Lieutenant Governor.

State Department.

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Secretary of the Commonwealth.

For the payment of the salary of the Deputy Secretary of the Commonwealth, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Deputy Secretary.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of forty-two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Clerk hire.

For the payment of the salary of the typewriter, two years, the sum of two thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Typewriter.

For the payment of the salary of the night watchman, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Night watchman.

For the payment of contingent expenses, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Contingent expenses.

For the payment of indexing Pamphlet Laws, the sum of two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Indexing pamphlet laws.

For the payment of postage and other expenses incident to the distribution of advance copies of the laws of one thousand nine hundred and one to the prothonotaries of the several counties, the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Distribution of laws to the prothonotaries.

For the payment of clerical assistance and other expenses, including postage and express charges, incurred under the provisions of the ballot law of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Expenses under ballot law.

For the payment of expenses incurred in enforcing the provisions of the laws requiring foreign corporations and certain other corporations to file statements and returns in the office of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, two years, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Enforcing laws relating to foreign corporations.

For the payment of classifying, arranging and tabulating old papers belonging to the files of the State Department, which were stored in the loft of the building formerly occupied by the Executive Departments, and for storing the same in proper shelves, and pro- Classifying and arranging old papers belonging to the files.

viding such shelves as are necessary, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Indexing corporation dockets and preparing register of corporations.

For making a general index of the corporation dockets and preparing a register of all corporations whose organization is of record therein, from one thousand seven hundred and thirty-three to the present time, in alphabetical order, setting forth the name of the company, with reference to the volume and page of foreign corporations having authorized agents in this Commonwealth, the sum of seven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerical assistance for purpose of enforcing laws against delinquent corporations.

For the payment of temporary clerical assistance for the purpose of enforcing the provisions of the laws against delinquent corporations, two years, the sum of five thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, Services as such shall be required for the said time.

For compiling and indexing fish and game laws.

For the payment of the expenses incurred in compiling, preparing for publication and indexing the fish and game laws of this Commonwealth, as directed in the concurrent resolution of the General Assembly, the sum of three hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Auditor General's Department.

Auditor General.

For the payment of the salary of the Auditor General, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. For the payment of the Auditor General, for services as a member of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, two years, the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deputy Auditor General.

For the payment of the salary of the Deputy Auditor General, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk to Board of Public Accounts.

For the payment of the salary of a clerk to the board of public accounts, two years, the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of fifty-seven thousand four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Execution of corporation tax laws.

For the payment of the execution of corporation tax laws, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expenses of examining accounts of city or county officers.

For the payment of necessary expenses of the person or persons, appointed in pursuance of law, to examine the accounts of city or county officers or individuals required by law to make report to the Auditor General of moneys due for fees or tax received for the use of the Commonwealth, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of contingent expenses, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of stenographers and typewriters and temporary clerical assistance, and for such compilations as may be necessary for the use of the Department, two years, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, That services as such shall be required for said time.

Stenographers, typewriters and clerical assistance.

For the payment of extra clerical service to audit licenses, and appropriation accounts, made necessary by the recent revenue and other legislation, two years, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, That such services shall be required during that time.

Extra clerical services to audit licenses, etc.

For the payment of the execution of the laws relating to the collection of mercantile licenses, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mercantile licenses.

For the purchase of patent indices, registries, law books and other publications necessary for the proper conduct of the work of collecting taxes from corporations, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For indices, registries, etc.

For the payment of the necessary labor in completing, assorting and classifying and filing away the papers and documents in the document-room of the Auditor General's Department, in the basement of the Executive Building, and providing pigeon-holes and cases for the same, and for folding and addressing the blanks of the several corporations doing business in this Commonwealth, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Assorting and classifying documents, etc.

For the payment of expert accountants (per section two, act July fifteenth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven; pamphlet laws, page two hundred and ninety-one), two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expert accountants.

Treasury Department.

For the payment of the salary of the State Treasurer, two years, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. For the payment of the State Treasurer, for services as a member of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, two years, the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

State Treasurer.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of twenty-five thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire.

For the payment of the stenographer and typewriter, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so

Stenographer and typewriter.

much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, Services as such shall be required for the said time.

Clerical assistance.

For the payment of clerical assistance in the opening of a new set of corporation ledgers, the balancing and the transferring of accounts, and the making of new indices for the same, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the contingent expenses, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Attorney General's Department.

Attorney General.

For the payment of the salary of the Attorney General, two years, the sum of seven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deputy Attorney General.

For the payment of the salary of the Deputy Attorney General, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of eleven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the contingent expenses, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Delinquent claims.

For the payment of the necessary costs and expenses incurred in the prosecution and collection of delinquent claims against corporations, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Department of Internal Affairs.

Secretary of Internal Affairs.

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of Internal Affairs, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deputy Secretary.

For the payment of the salary of the Deputy Secretary of Internal Affairs, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of sixty-three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Chief of Bureau of Mines.

For the payment of the salary of the Chief of the Bureau of Mines, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Assistant chief.

For the payment of the salary of the Assistant Chief of the Bureau of Mines, two years, the sum of two thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Messenger.

For the payment of the salary of the messenger in the Bureau of Mines, two years, the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the salary of a clerk, who shall be a stenographer and typewriter, in the Bureau of Mines and Mining, the sum of two thousand dollars, for two years, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stenographer and typewriter. This item disapproved.

For the payment of the deficiency in the expenses of the Bureau of Mines, for the year ending June one, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of three hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deficiency.

For the payment of contingent expenses, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of traveling and other incidental expenses for the collection of statistics by the Bureau of Industrial Statistics of the Department of Internal Affairs, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of fourteen thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; said amount to cover the contingent fund, provided by the act of Assembly of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and in addition thereto the expenses of the collectors of statistics appointed under the act of Assembly approved April fourth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine (Pamphlet Laws, page 26), and also to cover such extra services as may be required in compiling data for the annual report.

Traveling and other incidental expenses in collection of statistics.

For the payment of services rendered and expenses incurred in the collection of tax statistics, and for the compilation of the same, as required by the Act of Assembly approved May ninth, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid upon the warrant of the Auditor General upon specifically itemized vouchers properly certified by the Secretary of Internal Affairs.

Services and expenses in collecting and compiling statistics.

For the payment of the services and expenses to be incurred in the examination and repairs of the boundary line monuments between the State of Pennsylvania and adjoining States, as required by the second section of the act of Assembly approved the fourth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-nine, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid upon the warrant of the Auditor General upon specifically itemized vouchers properly certified by the Secretary of Internal Affairs.

Boundary line monuments.

For the payment of services and the necessary expenses incurred by the Bureau of Railways of the Department of Internal Affairs, in the investigation of complaints made against corporations, under section

Investigation of complaints against corporations.

eleven, article seventeen of the Constitution, and the fourth and fifth sections of the act approved the eleventh day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid upon the warrant of the Auditor General upon the presentation of specifically itemized vouchers certified by the Secretary of Internal Affairs, and approved by him.

Stenographer and typewriter.

For the payment of the salary of the stenographer and typewriter, two years, the sum of two thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the contingent expenses of the Bureau of Mines of the Department of Internal Affairs, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the two years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one.

This item disproved.

For the payment of the salary of a stenographer and typewriter in the Bureau of Railways, for two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Banking Department.

Commissioner of Banking.

For the payment of the salary of the Commissioner of Banking, two years, the sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deputy.

For the payment of the salary of the Deputy Commissioner of Banking, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of eight thousand four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Salaries and expenses of examiners.

For the payment of the salaries and expenses of the examiners, two years, the sum of seventy thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stenographer.

For the payment of the salary of the stenographer and typewriter, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Messenger.

For the payment of the salary of the messenger, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the contingent expenses, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Department of Public Instruction.

Superintendent.

For the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of clerk hire, two years, the sum of seventeen thousand four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. For extra clerical assistance, necessary in the distribution of the appropriation to the common schools, two years, the sum of six hundred dollars: Provided, That the sum paid for such clerical assistance shall not exceed one hundred dollars per month, for three months of each of said two years.

Clerk hire.

Assistants.

For the payment of the expenses of the State Normal School examiners, two years, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Examiners.

For the payment of the contingent expenses, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the salary of a stenographer and typewriter, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stenographer.

For the payment of the cost of circulating the Pennsylvania School Journal, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

School Journal.

Adjutant General's Department.

For the payment of the salary of the Adjutant General, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Adjutant General.

For the payment of clerk hire in the Adjutant General's office and employes at the State Arsenal, two years, the sum of twenty-four thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire, etc.

For the payment of the salary of the stenographer, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stenographer.

For the payment of the contingent expenses, including the shipping of arms, and so forth, two years, the sum of seven thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the expenses of the State Military Board, two years, the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Military Board.

State Library.

For the payment of the salary of the State Librarian, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Librarian.

For the payment of the salary of the First Assistant State Librarian, two years, the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

First assistant.

Second assistant.	For the payment of the salary of the Second Assistant State Librarian, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Messenger.	For the payment of the salary of the messenger, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Night watchman.	For the payment of the salary of the night watchman, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Freight, postage, etc. Approved for \$5,000.	For the payment of freight, expressage, postage, cleaning room, and miscellaneous expenses, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Law books, etc.	For the purchase of law books and exchanges, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Newspapers, etc.	For the payment of the annual subscription to at least one leading newspaper in each county of the Commonwealth, for permanent preservation, two years, the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
English Parliamentary papers.	For the purchase of such of the English Parliamentary papers as may be deemed advisable by the Librarian and the trustees of the State Library, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Books. Approved for \$7,000.	For the purchase of miscellaneous books, two years, the sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Stenographer.	For the payment of the services of a stenographer and typewriter, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.
Cataloguer.	For the payment of the salary of the cataloguer in the State Library for the completion of the law catalogue, to be published during the present year, and for the continuation of the regular cataloguing work of the Library, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, That the said cataloguer shall not receive more than one hundred and twenty-five dollars per month for the time actually employed.
Catalogue and index.	For the payment of expenses incident to the continuation of the work of preparing a catalogue of the Library on the card catalogue plan, and for such indexing work as may be needful, for two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

State Reporter.

State Reporter.

For the payment of the salary of the State Reporter, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the salary of the Assistant State Reporter, two years, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Assistant.

For the payment of stationery, clerk hire and assistance, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk hire, etc.

Public Grounds and Buildings.

For the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Public Grounds and Buildings, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Superintendent.

For the payment of the salary of the bookkeeper, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Bookkeeper.

For the payment of the salary of the mechanic, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mechanic.

For the payment of the salary of the night watchman, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Night watchman.

For the payment of the salary of the gardener, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Gardener.

For the payment of the salary of the assistant gardener, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Assistant gardener.

For the payment of the salary of the sergeant of police, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Sergeant of police.

For the payment of the salaries of five policemen (each nine hundred dollars per annum), two years, the sum of nine thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Policemen.

For the payment of the salary of two elevator men (each nine hundred dollars per annum), two years, the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Elevator men.

For the payment of the salary of the carpenter and cabinet maker, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Carpenter.

For the payment of the expenses in keeping the public buildings and grounds in order, and repairing and improving the same, two years, the sum of thirty-two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Grounds and buildings.

For the payment of the general contingent fund, as provided for in section sixteen of the act of Assembly approved March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

General contingent fund.

Insurance.

For the payment of premiums on insurance upon the public buildings and the contents thereof, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Water.

For the payment to the city of Harrisburg, for supplying the public buildings and grounds with water for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Secretary.

For the payment of the salary of the secretary of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, two years, the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the salary of the night watchman in the building now occupied by the Departments of Agriculture, Insurance, Factory Inspector, Banking, Adjutant General, and Soldiers' Orphans' School Commission, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Electric light,
power and heat.

For the payment of electric light, power and steam heat for the public buildings and grounds, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, such amount as may be found due on the contract made for furnishing said electric light, power and steam heat, upon an account rendered and settled by the Auditor General in the usual manner; and also such amount for gas as may be found due the gas company, when supplied on the contract with the company, and upon a regular account being rendered to the Auditor General and settled in the usual manner in accordance with existing laws. The contracts to be awarded and all moneys to be expended under the direction of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, and all work to be under the supervision of the Superintendent of the same, who shall certify to the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings that the contracts have been carried out in a satisfactory manner before warrants shall be drawn. The said Superintendent shall file quarterly with the Auditor General, within ten days after the close of each quarter for settlement, specifically itemized vouchers for all sums expended by him under this paragraph.

Gas.

Contracts.

Quarterly statements.

Rent.

For the payment of the rent of rooms in the building at the corner of Second and Locust streets, Harrisburg, formerly occupied by the Department of Public Instruction, for the term of nine months commencing June one, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and ending February twenty-eight, nineteen hundred, the sum of nine hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Night watchman
at Grace M. E.
Church.
This item disap-
proved.

For the payment of the night watchman at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, from June first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, to January third,

one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, at one dollar per day, five hundred and eighty-two dollars; the bill for above services to be examined and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Public Buildings and Grounds before payment.

Board of Sinking Fund Commissioners.

For the payment of the salaries of the three commissioners, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Commissioners.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Clerk.

Board of Pardons.

For the payment of the salaries of the members of the board, two years, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Members of the Board.

For the payment of the salary of the recorder of the board, two years, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Recorder.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk, two years, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the messenger, two years, the sum of eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Messenger.

For the payment of the salary of the tipstaff, two years, the sum of eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Tipstaff.

Department of Agriculture.

For the payment of the salary of the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of seven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Secretary.

For the payment of the salary of the Deputy Secretary of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Deputy Secretary.

For the payment of the salary of the Economic Zoologist of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Economic Zoologist.

For the payment of the salary of the Dairy and Food Commissioner of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Dairy and Food Commissioner.

Veterinarian.

For the payment of the salary of the State Veterinarian of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Chief clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the chief clerk of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of three thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk to Commissioner.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk to the Dairy and Food Commissioner, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk to Zoologist.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk to the Economic Zoologist, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stenographer.

For the payment of the salary of the stenographer and typewriter of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of one thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Messenger.

For the payment of the salary of the messenger of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent fund,
etc.
Approved for
\$10,000.

For the payment of the contingent fund and traveling expenses of the officers of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Farmers' local
institutes.
Approved for
\$30,000.

For the payment of the expenses of farmers' local institutes, two years, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expenses of
Dairy and Food
Commissioner.
Approved for
\$50,000.

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Dairy and Food Commissioner, two years, the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon the presentation of specifically itemized vouchers, approved and certified to by the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture.

Department of Forestry.

Commissioner.

For the payment of the salary of the Commissioner of Forestry, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk to the Commissioner of Forestry, two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Special examinations,
contingent
expenses, etc.

For the payment of special examinations into diseases destroying our growing timber; to encourage and promote the development of forestry, and for contingent expenses connected with the necessary work of the Commissioner of Forestry, two years, the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Department of Public Printing and Binding.

For the payment of the salary of the Superintendent of Public Printing and Binding, two years, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Superintendent.

For the payment of the contingent expenses, two years, the sum of twelve hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the rent of office, two years, the sum of two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Rent.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk and book-keeper, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Clerk and book-keeper.

Board of Revenue Commissioners.

For the payment of the salaries of the three members of the board, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Members of Board.

For the payment of the salary of the clerk, two years, the sum of six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Clerk.

Factory Inspector and Deputies.

For the payment of the salary of the Factory Inspector, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Factory Inspector.

For the payment of the salaries of twenty-five Deputy Factory Inspectors, two years, the sum of sixty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Deputies.

For the payment of the salary of the chief clerk, two years, the sum of three thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Chief clerk.

For the payment of the stenographer and assistant clerk, two years, the sum of two thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Stenographer, etc.

For the payment of the salary of the messenger and clerk, two years, the sum of one thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Messenger, etc.

For the payment of the contingent expenses of the Factory Inspector, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the traveling expenses of the Deputy Factory Inspectors, two years, the sum of twenty-two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Traveling expenses.

Harbor Officers, Philadelphia.

Harbor Master.

For the payment of the salary of the Harbor Master, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deputies, messenger, etc.
Approved for \$15,000.

For the payment of the salaries of the deputies, messenger, engineer, pilot, fireman and crew of the steam launch, two years, the sum of twenty thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Boat for Harbor Master.
This item disapproved.

For the purchase or building of a boat, suitable for the use of the Harbor Master, to replace the one now in use, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; said appropriation to be paid by the State Treasurer upon warrants drawn by the Auditor General in favor of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings, on the presentation of the proper vouchers: Provided, That if the new boat is constructed it shall be built within this Commonwealth, under contracts to be made by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and buildings, and approved by the Governor.

Rent, stationery, etc.

For the payment of the rent and care of the office, stationery, telephone service, and the official expenses of the harbor master, two years, the sum of one thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Repairs, coal, oil, etc.

For the payment of repairs, coal, oil, and equipment of the steam launch, two years, the sum of two thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Port Warden.

For the payment of the salary of the Port Warden, two years, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Quarantine Physician.

For the payment of the salary of the Quarantine Physician, two years, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Health Officer.

For the payment of the salary of the Health Officer, two years, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Thomas Saller, as health officer.

For the payment of the salary of Thomas Sailor, as Health Officer, from January first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, the sum of four hundred and sixteen dollars and sixty-six cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerk.

For the payment of the salary of a clerk to the Health Officer, two years, the sum of two thousand four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Deputy physicians.

For the payment of the salaries of the two Deputy Quarantine Physicians, two years, the sum of eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the rent of an office for the State Quarantine Board, care of the office, stationery, clerk hire, telephone service, and official expenses of the Board, two years, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Rent, stationery,
etc.
Quarantine
Board.

For the payment of the rent and care of the office of the Health Officer, telephone and messenger service and stationery, two years, the sum of one thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Rent, stationery,
etc., health officer.

For the payment of the maintenance of the State Quarantine Inspection Station, including rent of buildings and grounds and quarantine boat, erection of necessary buildings authorized by law, wages of employes, telephone service, heat and light, two years, the sum of forty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Maintenance
Quarantine In-
spector Station.

For the purchase of land for the State Quarantine Inspection Station, and for the purchase or building of a boat suitable for the use of said station, the sum of sixty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; Provided, That the said land shall be taken under condemnation proceedings, by virtue of the Commonwealth's right of eminent domain as now provided by law, and no more land shall be taken than that which is now occupied by and used for the purposes of the said station: And provided further, That if a new boat is constructed, it shall be built within this Commonwealth, under contracts to be made by the State Quarantine Board, and approved by the Governor; and the appropriation hereby made for the said boat shall not include the cost of any disinfecting apparatus.

Purchase of land,
and building or
purchase of a
boat.

Medical Council.

For the payment of the salary of the secretary and treasurer of the Medical Council of Pennsylvania, two years, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Secretary and
treasurer.

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Medical Council, two years, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Expenses.

College and University Council.

For the payment of the traveling expenses of the members of the College and University Council, two years, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Traveling ex-
penses.

Judiciary Department.

Section 3. For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the Supreme and Superior Courts, the sal-

aries and mileage of the president and other law judges of the several courts of common pleas in the Commonwealth, and the judges of the separate orphans' courts, and for the compensation of common pleas judges holding courts in other districts, and for the payment of the salaries and mileage of associate judges, the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one; payments to be made quarterly, on August thirty-first, November thirtieth, February twenty-eighth and May thirty-first, of each year; but when, by reason of death or resignation, salary for a fraction of a quarter is due to any judge, it shall be computed according to the ratio it bears to the whole quarter, so as not, however, to increase or diminish the salary he is entitled to receive under the several acts of Assembly fixing the compensation of judges: Provided, That at the beginning of any term, the interval from the first Monday of January to the first day of March shall be reckoned as two-thirds of a quarter, and at the close of a term the interval from the first day of December to the first Monday of January shall be reckoned as one-third of a quarter.

Proviso.

Supreme Court Judges.

Supreme Court Judges.

For the payment of the salaries of the Supreme Court Judges, two years, the sum of one hundred and thirteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerks.

For the payment of the salaries of the seven clerks, two years, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerks in offices of prothonotaries.

For the payment of the salary of a clerk in the offices of the prothonotaries of the Supreme Court for the eastern and western districts, respectively, two years, the sum of four thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Contingent expenses.

For the payment of the cleaning of and contingent expenses of the Supreme Court room at Harrisburg, the sum of four hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Superior Court Judges.

Superior Court judges.

For the payment of the salaries of the judges of the Superior Court, two years, the sum of one hundred and five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Clerks.

For the payment of the salaries of the seven clerks of the Superior Court, as authorized by the act of Assembly of May fifth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, for two years, the sum of nine thousand

eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the salaries of the crier and necessary tipstaves of said Superior Court, two years, the sum of ten thousand eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Crier and tipstaves.

For the purchase of books, stationery, supplies, and other necessary expenses of said Superior Court, two years, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General, upon the presentation of specifically itemized vouchers approved by the prothonotaries of the said Superior Court at Philadelphia and Pittsburg.

Books, stationery, etc.

Common Pleas Judges.

For the payment of the salaries of the fifteen common pleas judges in the county of Philadelphia, two years, the sum of two hundred and ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Common pleas judges, county of Philadelphia.

For the payment of the salaries of the nine common pleas judges in the county of Allegheny, two years, the sum of one hundred and eight thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Allegheny county.

For the payment of the salaries of the two common pleas judges in the county of Dauphin, two years, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Dauphin county.

For the payment of the salaries of the common pleas judges in the counties of Cambria, Delaware, Erie and Lehigh, at the rate of five thousand dollars each per annum, as prescribed by the act of Assembly approved the fourth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-three, for two years, the sum of forty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Cambria, Delaware, Erie and Lehigh.

For the payment of the salaries, at the rate of four thousand dollars each per annum, of the other common pleas judges (as now provided by law), in the other districts of the Commonwealth, for two years, the sum of five hundred and thirty-six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Remaining districts.

Orphans' Court Judges.

For the payment of the salaries of the four orphans' court judges in the county of Philadelphia, two years, the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Orphans' court judges in Philadelphia county.

For the payment of the salaries of the three orphans' court judges in the county of Allegheny, two years, the sum of thirty-six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Allegheny county.

Other districts.

For the payment of the salaries of the seven other orphans' court judges in the other districts of the Commonwealth, at the rate of four thousand dollars each per annum (as now provided by law), for two years, the sum of fifty-six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Associate Judges.

Associate judges.

For the payment of the salaries of the associate judges, the sum of sixty-four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mileage and Extra Services.

Mileage, etc.

For the payment of the mileage of common pleas and associate judges, and the compensation of common pleas judges holding courts in other districts, the sum of seventy-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Legislative Department.

Legislature.

Section 4. For the payment of the expenses of the Legislature for the year one thousand nine hundred and one, the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, That the salary, stationery, postage and mileage of the members of the Legislature shall be paid by the State Treasurer on the warrant of the President pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House, respectively.

Senate.

Senate.

For the payment of the salaries, mileage, stationery and postage of fifty-two Senators, the salaries and mileage of the officers and employes, the salary of the chaplain, the postage for the Lieutenant Governor, and the postage on the Legislative Record, the following amounts, or so much thereof as may be necessary; all warrants subject to deductions for advances made by the State Treasurer:

Salaries of Senators, etc.

For the payment of the salaries of fifty-two Senators, and extra compensation allowed by law to the President pro tem. of the Senate, the sum of seventy-eight thousand one hundred and seventy-eight dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mileage.

For the payment of the mileage of fifty-two Senators, the sum of three thousand three hundred and fifty-nine dollars and twenty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stationery.

For the payment of the stationery allowed by law to fifty-two Senators, fifty dollars each, the sum of

two thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the postage allowed by law to fifty-two Senators, the sum of five thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Postage.

For the payment of the postage for the chief clerk and assistants allowed by law, the sum of one hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Postage for chief clerk.

For the payment of the postage for the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of one hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Postage for Lieutenant Governor.

For the payment of the postage on the Legislative Record the sum of three thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Postage on Legislative Record.

For the payment of the salaries of the officers and employes of the Senate (except librarian and watchman), the sum of fifty thousand eight hundred and fifty-four dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Salaries of officers and employes.

For the payment of the mileage of the officers and employes of the Senate, the sum of one thousand two hundred and forty-two dollars and forty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Mileage.

For the payment of the salary of the chaplain, the sum of five hundred and thirty-four dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Chaplain.

For the payment of the salaries of the returning officers of the Senate, at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of seven hundred and forty-five dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Salaries of returning officers.

For the payment of the mileage of the returning officers of the Senate, at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of three hundred and thirty-nine dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Mileage of returning officers.

For the payment of the salary of the watchman, at three dollars per day, for the time actually employed as provided by law, the sum of two thousand two hundred and five dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary. Watchman.

For the services of a calendar and property clerk in Senate, the sum of nine hundred dollars, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one. Calendar and property clerk. This item disapproved.

For the payment of the salary of the Librarian of the Senate, for the two years ending the first Tuesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and three, as provided by law, the sum of four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; payable quarterly, as provided by an act, entitled "An act supplementary to the several acts relating to the State Treasurer and to the commissioners of the sinking Librarian.

fund," approved the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Chief clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the Chief Clerk of the Senate for the year ending the first Tuesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and three, as provided by law, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; payable quarterly, as provided in the case of the Librarian of the Senate.

Stenographer.

For the payment of the stenographer and typewriter for the President pro tempore of the Senate, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of nine hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Assistant clerk.

For the payment of salary of the assistant clerk of the Senate, for the time actually employed during the recess, as authorized by law, the sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty-eight dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Janitors.

For the payment of the salaries of two janitors of the Senate, for the time actually employed during the recess, as authorized by law, the sum of three thousand three hundred and forty-two dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Appropriation Committee.

For the payment of the expenses of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, in investigating schools, reformatories, prisons, asylums, hospitals and other institutions supported in whole or in part from the Treasury of the Commonwealth, and for necessary clerical assistance, the sum of four thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the chairman of said committee, on presentation of the proper vouchers.

Judiciary General Committee.

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Judiciary General Committee of the Senate, and for clerical assistance, et cetera, the sum of ten hundred dollars, to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the said committee.

House of Representatives.

House of Representatives.

For the payment of the salaries, mileage, stationery and postage of the members of the House of Representatives, the salaries and mileage of the officers and employes, the salary of the chaplain, and the postage on the Legislative Record, the following amount, or so much thereof as may be necessary; all warrants subject to deductions for advances made by the State Treasurer:

Salaries of members.

For the payment of the salaries of two hundred and two members of the House, and extra compensation allowed by law to the Speaker of the House, the sum of three hundred and three thousand one hundred

and seventy-eight dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

For the payment of the salary, stationery and postage of P. R. Cotter, member of the House of Representatives from McKean county, deceased, the sum of one thousand seven hundred and forty-three dollars and twenty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid to his legal representatives.

Salary, etc., of
P. R. Cotter, de-
ceased.

For the payment of the salary of William F. Stewart, member of the House of Representatives of Philadelphia, deceased, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, to be paid to his legal representatives.

Salary of William
F. Stewart, de-
ceased.

For the payment of the salary, stationery and postage of Howard L. Calder, member of the House of Representatives from Dauphin county, deceased, the sum of one thousand six hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid to his legal representatives.

Salary, etc., of
Howard L.
Calder, deceased.

For the payment of the mileage of two hundred and two members of the House, the sum of thirteen thousand and thirty-four dollars and twenty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mileage.

For the payment of stationery allowed by law to two hundred and two members of the House, fifty dollars each, the sum of ten thousand one hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Stationery.

For the payment of the postage allowed by law to two hundred and three members of the House, one hundred dollars each, the sum of twenty thousand three hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Postage.

For the payment of the postage for the chief clerk and assistants, allowed by law, the sum of one hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Postage for Chief
Clerk.

For the payment of the postage on the Legislative Record, the sum of five thousand six hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Postage of Leg-
islative Record.

For the payment of the salaries of officers and employes of the House (except resident clerk and watchman), the sum of sixty-five thousand five hundred and fifty-two dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Salaries of offi-
cers and em-
ployes.

For the payment of the mileage of the officers and employes of the House, the sum of two thousand two hundred and eleven dollars and fifty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Mileage.

For the payment of the salary of the chaplain, the sum of five hundred and thirty-four dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Chaplain.

For the payment of the salaries of the returning officers of the House, at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of two thousand four hundred and eighty-four dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Salaries of re-
turning officers.

Mileage.

For the payment of the mileage of the returning officers of the House, at the beginning of the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of seven hundred and twenty-one dollars and eighty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Watchman.

For the payment of the salary of the watchman, at three dollars per day, for the time actually employed, the sum of two thousand two hundred and five dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Judiciary General Committee.

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Committee of Judiciary General of the House of Representatives, and for clerical assistance, et cetera, the sum of nine hundred dollars; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the chairman of said committee.

Ways and Means Committee.

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Ways and Means Committee of the House of Representatives, and for clerical assistance, et cetera, the sum of eight hundred dollars; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the chairman of said committee.

Resident Clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the resident clerk of the House of Representatives, for the year ending the first Tuesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and two, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, and for the year ending the first Tuesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and three, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, as provided by law; payable quarterly as provided by an act of Assembly, entitled "An act supplementary to the several acts relating to the State Treasurer and to the commissioners of the sinking fund," approved the ninth day of May, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

Stenographer.

For the payment of the stenographer and typewriter for the Speaker of the House of Representatives, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of nine hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Chief Clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the chief clerk of the House of Representatives, for the year ending the first Tuesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and three, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, as provided by law; payable quarterly as in the case of the resident clerk of the House of Representatives.

Assistant clerk.

For the payment of the salary of the assistant clerk of the House of Representatives, for the time actually employed during the recess, as authorized by law, the sum of two thousand two hundred and twenty-eight dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Committee on Appropriations.

For the payment of the expenses of the Committee on Appropriations of the House of Representatives,

in investigating schools, reformatories, prisons, asylums, hospitals, and other institutions supported in whole or in part from the Treasury of the Commonwealth, and for necessary clerical assistance, the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of Ward R. Bliss, chairman of said committee, on the presentation of the proper vouchers.

For the payment of the janitor of the elevator, during the recess, to and including the first Tuesday of January, one thousand nine hundred and three, at the rate of three dollars per day, as provided by the act of Assembly, the sum of one thousand six hundred and seventy-four dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Janitor.

For the payment of the necessary expenses of the committee on rules of the House of Representatives, and for clerical assistance, et cetera, the sum of six hundred dollars, to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the chairman of said committee.

Committee on Rules.
This item disapproved.

Section 5. For the payment of the publication of the Legislative Record, the sum of three dollars and forty-four cents per page, in accordance with the contract relating thereto; and for the payment, at the same rate per page, of two hundred copies over and above the regular edition, delivered to the State Librarian, as provided for by an act of Assembly approved June twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five; for printing the wrappers for the Legislative Record, the sum of one dollar and seventy-four cents per set; for making an index for the Legislative Record, the sum of three hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided, That the number of the copies of the indices furnished by the contractor shall be equal to the number of copies of the Record printed by him.

Legislative Record.
That portion of this item with reference to two hundred extra copies is disapproved.

Wrappers.

Index.

Section 6. For the payment of the incidental expenses of the two Houses of the Legislature for the year commencing December first, one thousand nine hundred, such sums as may be necessary; to be expended by the chief clerks of the two Houses, who shall render to the Auditor General accounts therefor, from time to time, with proper specifically itemized vouchers, to be settled in the same manner as other accounts; but neither chief clerk shall have in his hand at any time more than two thousand dollars for which accounts have not been rendered and settled; and the whole amount expended by each chief clerk shall not exceed the sum of eleven thousand eight hundred dollars for the chief clerk of the Senate, and the sum of thirteen thousand five hundred dollars for the chief clerk of the House of Representatives, out of which

Incidental expenses of the two Houses of the Legislature.

Total amount each clerk may expend.

sums such necessary extra labor in the Senate and House of Representatives during the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, as shall be certified to by the presiding officers and chief clerks thereof, shall be paid for.

Expenditures in
office of Resident
Clerk.

Senate Librarian.

Bound copies of
Record.

Back numbers of
Record.

Documents.

Expenses during
the recess, etc.

Calendar and
property clerk.
This item disap-
proved.

Indices for
journals.

Public and Nor-
mal Schools.

Portion to city
of Philadelphia.

Section 7. For the payment of postage, labor, express charges and other expenses in the office of the resident clerk of the House of Representatives, during the recess, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of like services and expenses in the office of the Librarian of the Senate, the sum of one thousand seven hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and like sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for each of the said officers, for the year one thousand nine hundred and two; to be audited and settled by the Auditor General and State Treasurer in the usual manner. And the resident clerk shall receive from the Public Printer the bound copies of the Legislative Record and forward them to the members of the House; he shall also receive from the contractor for publishing the Legislative Record the back numbers due the members of the House after the adjournment, and fold and mail them to the address of the persons to whom they have been mailed by the members during the session; he shall also receive, after the adjournment, from the Public Printer any documents and other printed matter authorized by law to be printed, and have the same promptly forwarded by the contractor; and for the payment of the necessary expenses in the offices of the chief clerk of the Senate and the chief clerk of the House of Representatives, during the recess of one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of eight hundred dollars each, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be settled by the Auditor General in the usual manner, and like sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the year one thousand nine hundred and two.

For the payment of a calendar and property clerk of the House of Representatives, the sum of nine hundred dollars, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one.

For the payment of the chief clerk of the Senate and the chief clerk of the House of Representatives, for making indices for the journals of each house, the sum of two hundred dollars each.

Section 8. For the support of the public schools and Normal Schools of this Commonwealth, for the two years commencing on the first day of June, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of eleven million dollars: Provided, That the city of Philadelphia shall be entitled to a proper portion of this appropriation, and out of the amount received by the city

of Philadelphia there shall be paid the sum of three thousand dollars to the Teachers' Institute of said city, the sum of three thousand dollars to the Philadelphia School of Design for Women for their corporate purposes, and the sum of ten thousand dollars to the Teachers' Annuity and Aid Association of said city: And provided further, That out of the amount hereby appropriated, there shall be paid for the education of teachers in the State Normal Schools, the sum of four hundred thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be applied as follows: For each student over seventeen years of age, who shall sign an agreement binding said student to teach in the common schools of this State two full annual terms, there shall be paid the sum of one dollar and fifty cents a week, in full payment of the expenses for tuition of said students: Provided, That each student in a State Normal School drawing an allowance from the State, must receive regular instruction in the science and art of teaching, in a special class devoted to that object, for the whole time for which such allowance is drawn; which amount shall be paid upon the warrants of the Superintendent of Public Instruction: And provided further, That out of the said amount, hereby appropriated, there shall be set apart the sum of fifty thousand dollars, to be expended, on the warrants of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, for the encouragement and support of township high schools: Provided, That participation in the amount hereby appropriated for the encouragement and support of township high schools shall not be made dependent upon the teaching of any dead or foreign language. The remainder of the amount hereby appropriated shall be paid on warrants of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, drawn in favor of the several school districts of the Commonwealth, in amounts designated by the State Treasurer, and whenever he shall notify the Superintendent of Public Instruction, in writing, that there are sufficient funds in the State Treasury to pay the same.

Education of
teachers in Nor-
mal Schools.

Proviso.

Township high
schools.

Warrants.

Section 9. For the payment of the salaries of the county superintendents of the public schools, for two years, the sum of two hundred and eleven thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to be paid on the warrants of the Superintendent of Public Instruction.

County superin-
tendents.

Section 10. The State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay out of any moneys in the Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, on accounts to be audited by the Auditor General and the State Treasurer in the usual manner, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, such sums as may be required by contracts made in pursuance of law for the payment of stationery,

Contracts for
stationery, print-
ing, etc.

Supplies.	printing paper, and material for the public printing, for supplies and heat or fuel furnished to the two houses of the Legislature and the several departments of the government, and for the printing, binding and distribution of the laws, journals and department reports, and for the miscellaneous printing, folding, stitching and binding, and for repairs to and furnishing of the chambers and committee rooms of the two houses of the Legislature and the several departments of the government, which shall be done only on the written orders of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings; and the watchman of each house, now authorized by law, shall be required to keep an account, and make report in writing to the chief clerk of each house, of the number of tons of coal and the number of cords of wood delivered on said contracts: Provided, That expenditures allowed under this section shall not be so construed as to authorize the Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings to complete the present capitol building.
Repairs.	
Wood and coal.	
Interest on funded debt.	Section 11. For the payment of the interest on the funded debt of the Commonwealth, which falls due on the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and one, and the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and two, the sum of two hundred and sixty-nine thousand three hundred and seventy-one dollars and fifty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of like interest due on the first day of August, one thousand nine hundred and two, and the first day of February, one thousand nine hundred and three, the sum of two hundred and sixty-nine thousand three hundred and seventy-one dollars and fifty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the compensation of the fiscal agent, the Farmers' and Mechanics' National Bank of Philadelphia, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary each year.
Fiscal agent.	
Inspectors of coal mines.	Section 12. For the payment of the salaries of the inspectors of coal mines, as provided by law, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of one hundred and thirty-two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of the actual traveling expenses of the inspectors, and for their office rent, and for stationery, postage, telegrams, express charges, instruments, and other actual and necessary expenses, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of twenty-two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of the compensation and expenses attending the examination of candidates for inspectors of coal mines, mine foreman and mine boss, as provided for by acts of Assem-
Traveling expenses.	
Examination of candidates.	

bly relating thereto, approved the thirteenth day of June, one thousand eight hundred and eighty-five, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, such sums as may be necessary therefor, not exceeding in the aggregate the sum of sixteen thousand dollars; and for the payment of counsel fees for translating mine laws into the several languages spoken by the persons in and about the Anthracite and Bituminous coal mines, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary: Provided however, That no indebtedness shall be incurred until authority for the same shall have been granted by the Bureau of Mines of the Department of Internal Affairs, and no payments for expenses incurred shall be made under this appropriation until proper specifically itemized vouchers, verified under oath, are made and transmitted to the Chief of said Bureau, and by him examined, approved and certified to the Auditor General. For the payment of the deficiency on account of the expenses of the mine inspectors, for the two years ending June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of one thousand seven hundred and sixty dollars. For the payment of the salary of T. F. Downing, appointed mine inspector by the courts of Schuylkill county in place of William Stein, five and half months, at two hundred and fifty dollars per month, one thousand three hundred and seventy-five dollars. For the payment of Robbins and Kunkle for legal services under employment by C. B. Ross, mine inspector, in the case pending in the courts of Westmoreland county, in the matter of the appeal of the Westmoreland Coal Company from the decision of the mine inspector, the sum of one hundred and twenty-one dollars. For the payment of Robinson McKean, for services and transcripts of records, in the prosecution of James Roderick, mine foreman, in Washington county; and for services in prosecuting John D. Simpson, mine superintendent, in Washington county; and for prosecuting Henry Furrion, fire boss, in Washington county; and for transcript of records used in these cases, the sum of four hundred dollars. For the payment of R. F. Hopwood, for services rendered in the prosecution of the mine officials, in connection with the Braznell mine explosion in Fayette county, the sum of fifty dollars. For the payment of S. H. Kaercher, for legal services rendered in the case of William Stein, Inspector of the Sixth district, against the Brookwood Coal Company, the sum of fifty dollars.

Counsel fees, etc.

Proviso.

Deficiency.

Salary of T. F. Downing.

Robbins and Kunkle.

Robinson McKean.

R. F. Hopwood.

S. H. Kaercher.

Section 13. For the payment of expenses of the joint committee of the Senate and House of Representatives, to confer with the Legislatures of other States of the Union regarding the election of United States

Expenses of joint committee to confer with legislatures of other States.

Senators by a popular vote, appointed in accordance with the terms of a concurrent resolution, approved the sixth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, the sum of three hundred and ninety-one dollars and seventy cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid upon the warrant of the Auditor General, upon presentation by the Chairman of said joint committee of specifically itemized vouchers.

Expenses of Commission.

Section 14. For the payment of expenses of the Commission, appointed to inquire into the condition of the insane in the State Institutions and the policy of removing them to the different County Institutions, as authorized by concurrent resolution of the Senate and House of Representatives, such sum as may be actually necessary (including the cost of a Secretary and Stenographer), not exceeding six thousand dollars (\$6,000); to be paid by the State Treasurer upon warrants issued by the Auditor General in favor of the President of said Commission, on presentation of properly itemized vouchers.

Official fees, witness fees, etc.

Section 15. For the payment of official fees, witness fees, serving processes, and for such other costs as the Commonwealth may be liable to pay in cases in which the Commonwealth is or may be a party, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of six thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General, upon the presentation of the proper vouchers approved by the Attorney General.

Harrisburg fire companies.

Section 16. For the several fire companies of the city of Harrisburg, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of two thousand two hundred dollars, to be distributed in equal amounts to and among said companies.

Incidental expenses of the Board of Pardons.

Section 17. For the payment of postage, express charges, and other incidental expenses of the Board of Pardons, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of postage, express charges, and other incidental expenses in the offices of the State Treasurer, Auditor General, Secretary of the Commonwealth, Attorney General, and Secretary of Internal Affairs, the sum of three thousand dollars each, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the Lieutenant Governor, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, in addition to the amount fixed by an act of Assembly approved June twelfth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-three; and

Incidental expenses of other Departments.

Lieutenant Governor.

for all contingent expenses, including clerical and stenographic charges of the President pro tempore of the Senate and the Speaker of the House of Representatives, for the interim ending December thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and two, so much as may be necessary, not exceeding the sum of two thousand dollars each; also four thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the Executive Department, for the said two fiscal years; and for the payment of the traveling and other expenses attending the opening and counting of the vote for State Treasurer, in the year one thousand nine hundred and two, the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General.

President pro tempore, and Speaker.

Executive Department.

Counting vote for State Treasurer.

Section 18. For clerical and incidental expenses of the Board created for the examination of letters patent, relative to the granting of charters for underground and elevated passenger railway companies, the sum of fifteen hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the two fiscal years ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and three.

Board of examination of letters patent.

Section 19. For the payment of the mileage of the appraisers of mercantile and other license taxes of the several counties and cities of this Commonwealth, and for the payment of the costs for which the Commonwealth may be liable in suits against delinquent dealers, under the act of March thirteenth, one thousand eight hundred and forty-seven, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, such sums as shall be found due therefor, upon accounts filed in the Auditor General's office and settled according to law.

Appraisers.

Costs.

Section 20. For the payment of such advertisements as are required by law to be published by the accounting officers in the newspapers, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, so much as may be necessary to pay the same, on settlement of the accounts in the Auditor General's office, not to exceed the sum of one thousand dollars for the two fiscal years.

Advertisements of accounting officers.

Section 21. For the payment of services rendered in computing, compiling, filing and collecting the claims of the State of Pennsylvania against the Government of the United States, for stores furnished and expenses incurred by the State of Pennsylvania, in furnishing quota of troops for Spanish-American war, so much as may be necessary; to be paid upon the warrant of the Adjutant General, not exceeding, however, one per centum of the amount collected from the Government of the United States by the State of Pennsylvania on account of said claims.

Computing and collecting claims against the United States.

Section 22. For the payment of the commissions of such military State agents at Washington, as have

Military State agents.

been or may be employed by the accounting officers, under the acts of Assembly of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-one, and one thousand eight hundred and seventy-two, to collect the claims due the Commonwealth from the government of the United States, for the two fiscal years commencing June first, one thousand nine hundred and one, so much as may be necessary, not exceeding ten per centum on the amount collected through such agent or agents, and paid into the State Treasury.

Prosecution of
delinquent cor-
porations.

Section 23. For the payment of the services of persons employed by the accounting officers or Board of Public Accounts to discover and prosecute delinquent corporations, that have evaded or are evading taxation on bonus or other taxes due the State, so much of the several amounts collected and paid into the State Treasury from such delinquent corporations as may be necessary, not to exceed ten per centum thereof: Provided, That no part of the principal or interest due from a delinquent corporation shall be applied to this purpose in any case where there is by law a penalty collected from such delinquent corporation, but in such case it must be paid out of the penalty: Provided also, That no payment shall be made except upon full proof of service rendered: And provided further, That nothing whatever shall be paid for any services rendered in relation to the collection of any claims from any corporation, unless it has escaped taxation and the efforts of the accounting officers for a period of two years.

Proviso.

Proviso.

Military claims.

Section 24. For the payment of military claims, in pursuance of the act of General Assembly approved the sixteenth day of April, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two, and the several supplements thereto, the sum of two thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the two fiscal years beginning June first, one thousand nine hundred and one.

Samuel B. Coch-
rane, sergeant-at-
arms.

Section 25. For the payment to Samuel B. Cochrane, sergeant-at-arms of the Senate for the session of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, for services rendered after the close of the session of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and for mileage and incidental expenses incurred in the service of writs, et cetera, in the counties of Washington, Beaver and Philadelphia, the sum of two hundred and seventy dollars and sixty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid upon the warrant of the Auditor General, upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers.

Oliver P. Molter,
sergeant-at-
arms.

Section 26. For the payment of Oliver P. Molter, sergeant-at-arms of the Senate, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one, for services rendered, and incidental expenses incurred in the service of

writs, et cetera, in the counties of Philadelphia and Allegheny, the sum of one hundred and ninety-five dollars and fifty-five cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid upon the warrant of the Auditor General, upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers.

Section 27. For the payment of the funeral expenses of the late Francis A. Osbourn, member of the Senate from Philadelphia, deceased; and for the payment of the necessary expenses of the committees of the Senate and House of Representatives, appointed to represent the General Assembly at the funeral of the late Alexander L. Hawkins, member of the Senate from Washington county, deceased; of the late George W. Holzwarth, member of the Senate from Philadelphia, deceased; of the late Samuel A. Losch, member of the Senate from Schuylkill county, deceased; of the late C. L. Magee, member of the Senate from Allegheny county, deceased; and of the late Francis A. Osbourn, deceased; the sum of four thousand eight hundred and ninety dollars and three cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid to William P. Snyder, President pro tempore of the Senate, on the warrant of the Auditor General on presentation of the proper vouchers.

Expenses of representative committees.

Section 28. For the payment of the funeral expenses of the late William F. Stewart, member of the House of Representatives from Philadelphia, deceased; of the late P. R. Cotter, member of the House of Representatives from McKean county, deceased; and of the late Howard L. Calder, member of the House of Representatives from Dauphin county, deceased; the sum of one thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid to William T. Marshall Speaker of the House of Representatives, on the warrant of the Auditor General, upon the presentation of the proper vouchers.

Funeral expenses.

Section 29. For the payment to E. C. M. Rawlings, sergeant-at-arms House of Representatives, for the sessions of one thousand nine hundred and one, for mileage and incidental expenses incurred in the service of writs, et cetera, in the Sixteenth District, Philadelphia county, and the Nineteenth District, Philadelphia county, the sum of one hundred and forty-six dollars and thirty cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General, upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers.

E. C. M. Rawlings, sergeant-at-arms.

Section 30. For painting the portrait of Governor William A. Stone, to be painted under the authority of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and to be placed in the Executive Department, the sum of five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Portrait of Governor William A. Stone.

Lieutenant Gov-
ernor.

Section 31. For the painting of the portrait of Lieutenant-Governor J. P. S. Gobin, to be painted under the authority of the Secretary of the Commonwealth, and to be placed in the Lieutenant-Governor's Department, the sum of five hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary.

Apportionment
maps and data.

Section 32. For the payment of expenses incurred by the librarian of the Senate, in having prepared maps and data for apportionment purposes, as authorized by concurrent resolution, approved January twenty-ninth, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of two hundred and forty-five dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the Librarian of the Senate, upon presentation of proper vouchers.

Rankin & Kel-
logg, architects.
This item disap-
proved.

Section 33. The State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, on accounts to be audited and adjusted by the Auditor General and State Treasurer, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the sum they may find to be legally due to Messrs. Rankin and Kellogg, architects of the city of Philadelphia, for money expended and services rendered by them to the trustees of the Asylum for the Chronic Insane, in fitting up the laundry, kitchen, refrigerators, dining-room and chapel, including plumbing and finishing floors of said Asylum.

Commission on
award of contract
for Legislative
Record.
This item is dis-
approved.

Section 34. For the payment of the hotel, traveling and clerical expenses of the commission, which was required by law to receive and open bids for and to award the contract, in one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, for publishing the Legislative Record, the sum of two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon the presentation of bills approved by the President of the Commission.

Extra pages of
the Senate, 1897.
This item disap-
proved.

Section 35. To the Chief Clerk of the Senate, for the payment of salaries of five extra pages of the Senate, for session of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, appointed in pursuance of resolution of the Senate (page four hundred and fifty-six Senate Journal, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven), provision for the payment of which was omitted in the General Appropriation act of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven as approved by the Governor, the sum of seventeen hundred and fifty dollars; to be paid on vouchers duly signed and filed in the office of the Auditor General.

Levi G. Mc-
Cauley, services
as member of
Board of Public
Grounds and
Buildings.

Section 36. For the payment of Levi G. McCauley, for services as a member of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, for the two fiscal years ending May thirty-first, one thousand nine hundred and one, the sum of six hundred dollars per annum.

Section 37. For the payment of the expenses of the delegates appointed by the Governor to attend the Farmers' National Congress, held at Saint Paul, Minnesota, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and at Fort Worth, Texas, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight; the sum of three thousand nine hundred and ninety-four dollars and sixty-two cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; also, for the payment of the expenses of the delegates appointed by the Governor to attend the Farmers' National Congress at Boston, Massachusetts, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and Colorado Springs, Colorado, one thousand nine hundred, the sum of two thousand six hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; said expenses to be paid on statements of the delegates, verified and itemized to the Secretary of Agriculture. Delegates who attended are only entitled to expenses.

Delegates to
Farmers' Na-
tional Congress.
This item disap-
proved.

July 18, 1901.—This bill is approved except as to the following items:

Department of Internal Affairs.

The item in section two which provides as follows: "For the payment of the salary of a clerk, who shall be a stenographer and typewriter, in the Bureau of Mines and Mining, the sum of two thousand dollars for the two fiscal years, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

I withhold my approval from this item because this additional clerk is not authorized by law.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the salary of a stenographer and typewriter in the Bureau of Railways, for two years, the sum of three thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

I withhold my approval from this item because this additional clerk is not authorized by law.

State Library.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of freight, expressage, postage, cleaning room, and miscellaneous expenses, the sum of \$6,000, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

This item is approved in the sum of \$5,000. I withhold my approval from the balance of said item because of insufficient State revenue.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the purchase of miscellaneous books, two years, the sum of twelve thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

LAWS OF PENNSYLVANIA,

This item is approved in the sum of \$7,000, and I withhold my approval from the balance of said item because of insufficient State revenue.

Public Grounds and Buildings.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the night watchman at Grace Methodist Episcopal Church, from June first, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, to January third, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, at one dollar per day, five hundred and eighty-two dollars; the bill for above services to be examined and approved by the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings before payment."

I withhold my approval from this item, because if these services were rendered they were rendered by the authority of the Board of Public Grounds and Buildings, and the payment therefor should be made from the funds of said Board.

Department of Agriculture.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the contingent fund and traveling expenses of the officers of the Department of Agriculture, two years, the sum of fifteen thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

This item is approved in the sum of \$10,000, and I withhold my approval from the balance of said item because of insufficient State revenue.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the expenses of Farmers' local institutes, two years, the sum of thirty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

This item is approved in the sum of \$30,000. I withhold my approval from the balance of said item because of insufficient State revenue.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Dairy and Food Commissioner, two years, the sum of fifty-five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General upon the presentation of specifically itemized vouchers, approved and certified to by the Secretary of the Department of Agriculture."

This item is approved in the sum of \$50,000. I withhold my approval from the balance of said item because of insufficient State revenue.

Harbor Officers, Philadelphia.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the salaries of the deputies,

messenger, engineer, pilot, firemen and crew of the steam launch, two years, the sum of twenty thousand two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary."

This item is approved in the sum of \$15,000. I withhold my approval from the balance of said item because of insufficient State revenue.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the purchase or building of a boat, suitable for the use of the Harbor Master, to replace the one now in use, the sum of twenty thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; said appropriation to be paid by the State Treasurer upon warrants drawn by the Auditor General in favor of the Board of Commissioners of Public Grounds and Buildings, on the presentation of the proper vouchers," etc.

I withhold my approval from this item because of insufficient State revenue.

Senate.

The item in section four which provides as follows:

"For the services of a calendar and property clerk in the Senate, the sum of nine hundred dollars, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one."

I withhold my approval from this item, for the reason that the officer performing the duty of calendar and property clerk is provided for in the appropriation for the salaries of employees of the Senate.

House of Representatives.

Also, the item which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the necessary expenses of the Committee on Rules of the House of Representatives, and for clerical assistance, et cetera, the sum of six hundred dollars, to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General drawn in favor of the Chairman of said Committee."

I withhold my approval from this item because I know of no necessity for this expenditure.

The item in section five, which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the publication of the Legislative Record, the sum of three dollars and forty-four cents per page, in accordance with the contract relating thereto; and for the payment, at the same rate per page, of two hundred copies over and above the regular edition, delivered to the State Librarian, as provided by an act of Assembly approved June twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five."

I withhold my approval from that portion of this item which reads as follows: "And for the payment,

at the same rate per page, of two hundred copies over and above the regular edition, delivered to the State Librarian, as provided by an act of Assembly approved June twenty-fourth, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-five," for the reason that the cost of the publication of the Legislative Record is by page, and not by copy. The appropriation of \$3.44 per page should be full compensation for the publication of the Record, and there is no necessity, or excuse, for any extra payment whatever.

The item in section seven, which provides as follows:

"For the payment of a calendar and property clerk of the House of Representatives, the sum of nine hundred dollars, for the session of one thousand nine hundred and one."

I withhold my approval from this item, for the reason that the officer performing the duty of calendar and property clerk is provided for in the appropriation for the salaries of employes of the House of Representatives.

The item in section thirty-three, which provides as follows:

"The State Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay out of any moneys in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, on accounts to be audited and adjusted by the Auditor General and State Treasurer, the sum of seven hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, to pay the sum they may find to be legally due to Messrs. Rankin and Kellog, architects of the city of Philadelphia, for money expended and services rendered by them to the trustees of the Asylum for the Chronic Insane, in fitting up the laundry, kitchen, refrigerators, dining-room and chapel, including plumbing and finishing floors of said asylum."

I withhold my approval from this item, for the same reasons given in my veto of said claim in the General Appropriation bill of 1899.

The item in section thirty-four, which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the hotel, traveling and clerical expenses of the Commission, which was required by law to receive and open bids for and to award the contract, in one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, for publishing the Legislative Record, the sum of two hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General on the presentation of bills approved by the president of the Commission."

I withhold my approval from this item, for the reason that the expenses of this commission were pro-

vided for in the General Appropriation bill (section twenty-five) of 1897.

The item in section thirty-five, which provides as follows:

"To the Chief Clerk of the Senate, for the payment of salaries of five extra pages of the Senate, for session of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, appointed in pursuance of resolution of the Senate (page four hundred and fifty-six Senate Journal, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven), provision for the payment of which was omitted in the General Appropriation act of one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, as approved by the Governor, the sum of seventeen hundred and fifty dollars; to be paid on vouchers duly signed and filed in the office of the Auditor General."

I withhold my approval from this item, for the same reasons set forth in my veto of a similar item in the General Appropriation bill of 1899.

The item in section thirty-seven, which provides as follows:

"For the payment of the expenses of the delegates appointed by the Governor to attend the Farmers' National Congress, held at Saint Paul, Minnesota, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-seven, and at Fort Worth, Texas, in the year one thousand eight hundred and ninety-eight, the sum of three thousand nine hundred and ninety-four dollars and sixty-two cents, or so much thereof as may be necessary; also for the payment of the expenses of the delegates appointed by the Governor to attend the Farmers' National Congress at Boston, Massachusetts, one thousand eight hundred and ninety-nine, and Colorado Springs, Colorado, one thousand nine hundred, the sum of two thousand six hundred and fifty dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; said expenses to be paid on statements of the delegates, verified and itemized to the Secretary of Agriculture. Delegates who attended are only entitled to expenses."

I withhold my approval from this item, for the same reasons set forth in my veto of a similar item in the General Appropriation bill of 1899.

WILLIAM A. STONE.

No. 542.

AN ACT

Making an Appropriation to Saint Agnes Hospital of Philadelphia.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the sum of ten thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be neces-

\$10,000 for main-
tenance.