## Report of the Auditor

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FOR The

Fiscal Year ending November 30, 1915.

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## Auditor's Departaient, Jan. 12, 1916.

## To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives.

I have the honor to present the sixty-seventh annual report of this department, it being for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1915.

The financial transactions of the Commonwealth are summarized in the following statements: -

## Revenue.

The receipts and payments on account of revenue for the fiscal year 1915, including cash in the treasury, are shown in the following statement: -

eceipts from other sources (including corporation tax, national bank tax, etc., distributed to cities and towns, temporary loans, etc.),

Payments on account of running expenses of 1914 and 1915,
Other payments (being a distribution of the corporation, national bank and other taxes, etc.),
-11,375,208 90

Cash on hand Nov. 30, 1915
\$3,943,885 13

Funds.
The transactions on account of the several sinking and other funds show the following aggregates for the year: -

## Receipts and Payments on Account of. Funds.

Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1914,
Cash received from all sources, including transfers, etc.,

## Payments,

## Funded Debt

## Direct Debt.

Total direct debt Dec. 1, 1914,
Increased during the year by the issue of bonds and notes to the amount of $\qquad$
$\$ 51,345,22916$
Decreased by the payment of: -
Abolition of grade crossings bonds, .
Armory bonds,
of the port of Boston

S34,000 00 64,000 00
Development of the port of Boston bonds, 175,000 0 175,000 00 5,000 00 300,000
5,000
00 24,437 50 92,000 00 49,000 00 316,000 00 588,000 00 588,000 0 10,333 34
Holden highway note
Medfield Insane Asylum bonds,
nds,
Metropolitan parks, series two, bonds,
Metropolitan parks, series two, note,
Prisons and hospitals bonds,
Soldiers' gratuity bonds,
State highway bonds,
State House construction bonds,
Suffolk County Court House bonds,

Amount of sinking funds, Dec. 1, 1914, Increase during the year, .

Less bonds paid,

Net direct debt Nov. 30, 1915,

$1,662,77084$

| $\begin{array}{r} \$ 19,323,94803 \\ 802,12533 \end{array}$ |  |
| :---: | :---: |
| \$20,126,073 36 |  |
| 848,000 00 |  |
|  | 19,278,073 36 |
|  | \$30,404,384 96 |

being an increase for the year of $\$ 2,144,478.83$.
Contingent Debt.
Total contingent debt Dec. 1, 1914,
Increased during the year by the issue of bonds and notes in the amount of
\$75.380,807 84

Decreased by the payment of: -
$\frac{899,12500}{\$ 76,279,932 \quad 84}$
Decreased by the payment of: -
Charles River Basin bonds, . Charles River Basin bonds,
Holden highway note, .
\$9,000 00 Holden highway note,
Metropolitan parks bo
$\qquad$ 00000 Metropolitan parks bonds, . . . 8,75000 Metropolitan parks, series two, bonds, Metropolitan parks, series two, note, 5,000 00 Metropolitan sewerage, north system, bonds, 90,562 50

13,00000
Metropolitan water bonds, 17,000 00
Suffolk County Court House bonds, . 20,666 66
168,979 16
___ \$76,110,953 68
Amount of sinking funds Dec. 1, 1914,
Increase during the year,
\$18,939,111 86
1,533,534 77
The direct debt is incurred for State purposes, and is payable by the Commonwealth at large. The contingent debt is a loan of the credit of the Commonwealth to certain metropolitan districts for water, sewerage and parks, and the interest, sinking fund and serial bond requirements are annually assessed upon said districts. The contingent debt also includes the loans on account of the Granite Avenue bridge, the North Beacon Street bridge, the city of Boston's proportion (two-thirds) of the loan on account of the Suffolk County Court House, and the proportion of the county of Middlesex and the city of Cambridge of the Concord Avenue highway loan.

## Increase in Direct Debt.

This debt was increased by the issue of serial bonds and notes of the following loans: -

Armory,
Concord Avenue highway,
Development of the port of Boston,
Harbor improvement,
Holden highway,
Metropolitan parks, series two, .
Prisons and hospitals,
State highway,
State highway, . .
State House construction,
Western Massachusetts highway,
$\$ 205,00000$
3,750 00
1,000,000 00
$1,000,00000$
400,00000
500,000 00
5,000 00
127,625 00
10,000 00
710,00000
800,000 00
500,00000
\$3,761,375 00
Increase in Direct Debt Sinking Funds.
These funds were increased from the following sources: -
Abolition of grade crossings, Armory,

Income from Investments.

Harbor improvement,
Marbor improvement
Massachusetts war,
Medfield Insane Asylum,
Metropolitan parks, series two,
Prisons and hospitals,
State highway,
State House,
$\$ 211,81977$
79,91830
7,829 72
25,197 04
36,276 44
28,376 25
123,640 62
125,313 75
78,270 29
Street Railway Tax.
Metropolitan parks, series two,
Miscellaneous.
Transfers of unexpended balances: -
Armory loan,
Prisons and hospitals loan,
Prisons and hospita
State House loan,
$\$ 72718$
1,354 33
63,512 07

5,481 57

Metropolitan parks, series two,

Increase in Contingent Debt.
This debt was increased by the issue of serial bonds and notes of the following loans: -


Increase in Contingent Debt Sinking Funds
These funds were increascd from the following sources: -


Contingent Debt - Concluded.

|  | Latest Maturity. | Amount. | Sinking Fund. | ( |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Metropolitan sewerage, north system, | 1949 | 86,563,000 00 | 82,095,509 86 |  |
| Metropolitan sewerage, north system, serial bonds, . | 1952 | 541,500 00 |  | 8223,393 34 |
| Metropolitan sewerage, south system, | 1946 | 8,877,912 00 | 1,195,469 60 |  |
| Metropolitan sewernge, south system, note, | 1916 | $\begin{array}{r}8,877,91200 \\ 50,000 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 1,195,469 60 | 299,114 86 |
| Metropolitan water, | 1950 | 41,398,000 00 | 12,491,245 25 |  |
| Metropolitan water, serial bonds, | 1955 | 1,096,000 00 | 12,101,245 25 | \} 1,434,925 00 |
| North Beacon Street bridge note, | $-1$ | 15,000 00 | - |  |
| Suffolk County Court Housc, serial bonds, | 1939 | 462,606 68 | - | 16,053 33 |
| Totals, Less sinling funds, |  | $\begin{array}{r} 876,110,95368 \\ 20,472,04663 \end{array}$ | \$20,472,646 63 | 82,556,798 27 |
| Net contingent rlebt, |  | \$55,638,307 05 |  |  |

${ }^{1}$ Dernand.
Net Direct Debt for Five Years.


Estmatted and Actual Revenue.

| Sovaces or Revenve. |  |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- | :--- |

Estmated and Actual Revenue - Concluded.

| Sources or Revenve. |  |  |
| :--- | :--- | :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |

Retenue and Expenses for 1915.
Section 24 of chapter 6 of the Revised Laws requires that the Auditor's report shall state whether or not the ordinary expenses of the year have exceeded t.he income, and show the amount of the balance. In compliance with this provision of law I have to say that: -

The actual running expenses of the State government for 1915 were

## Dec. 1, 1914,

in 1915,
in 1915,
. . . $\quad 522,45589$
2,340,428 25
Showing a deficiency in income or revenue of . . . . . $\frac{13,476,18117}{86,478,29295}$
The cash on hand at the commencement of the year is included in the amount of revenue, in compliance with a provision of law.
The taibles which follow show in summary form, somewhat extended tevenue and expenses. Table 1 shows the revenue. Table 2 shows the actual expenses, whether paid or unpaid, at the close of the year. For purposes oftual parison, figures for the past fifteen years are given year. For purposes of com-

Table 1. - Revenue Applicable to General Purposes.
[For details see Part I., Statements I. and III.]


Table 2. - Expenditures for General Purposes.


Table 2. - Expenditures for General Purposes - Continued.

|  | 1906.1 | 1907. | 1908. | 1909. | 1910. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| 3gislative department, zgislative investigations, | $\begin{array}{r}\text { \$379,265 } \\ 21,6695 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 394,57173 \\ 11,53974 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5356,61233 \\ 26,832 \quad 37 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} 5343,87633 \\ 11,47618 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 367,95424 \\ 33,85910 \end{array}$ |
| gislative investigations, ${ }_{\text {gecutive }}$ and general administration:- | 21,669 55 | 11,539 74 | $26,832 \quad 37$ |  |  |
| Executive, | 37,620 26 | 44,181 <br> 41 <br> 1058 <br> 1 | 38,681 <br> 46,074 <br> 17 | 32,850 31,403 36 | 35,690 08 41,295 33 |
| Legal, <br> Financial, | 32,217 <br> 93 <br> 98 | 41,058 107,619 16 | 46,07417 128,644 42 | $\begin{array}{r}31,40386 \\ 14823 \\ \hline\end{array}$ | 154,896 45 |
| Public records, certain printing and statistics, | 295,33487 | 275,262 91 | 276,553 61 | 268,106 02 | 284,467 52 |
| Elections, | 15,872 75 | 15,916 40 | 15,704 44 | 14,037 74,384 71 | 16,66460 $86 ; 06015$ |
| Civil service and pensions, | 29,128 51 | 41,649 70 | 61,952 23 | 74,384 71 | 86;060 15 |
| ergeant-at-arms department: Maintenance of State House, | 116,526 13 | 129,492 57 | 131,310 20 | 145,702 89 | 143,371 74 |
| udiciary, . . . | 421,316 10 | 479,012 40 | 500,467 88 | 518,02091 | 522,668 99 |
| Iealth, ${ }^{\text {I }}$, | 174,385 12 | ${ }^{2} 129,731646$ | 152,836 05 | 163,702 47 | 174,409 52 |
| 'romotion of industrial and financial welfare, | 132;312 22 | 157,568 16 | 181,416 86 | 177,242 73 | 181,62411 |
| vilitary, | 367,043 40 | 469,165 03 | 976,542 $70^{2}$ | 472,272 44 | 485,581 91 |
| Iarbors and highways, | 305,233 52 | 404,670 99 | 451,903 92 | ${ }_{525,807} \mathbf{6 2 9}$ | -651,374 73 |
| Agriculture, forestry, fisheries and game, | 242,5888 <br> 198888 <br> 1 | 421,167,482 55 | 237, 269189 | ${ }_{417,390} 16$ | 462,167 08 |
| Charitable, | 2,844,319 22 | 2,944,000 31 | 3,210,196 06 | 3,678,484 15 | 4,079,222 16 |
| State and military aid, and expenses resulting from wars, | 930;585 40 | 959,373 10 | 1,109;926 62 | 1,023,324 62 | 1,046,341 02 |
| Reformatory and correctional, | 808,80849 | 906,92154 | +172,353 34 | 1,068,038 ${ }^{1,113} 21$ | $1,116,017$ $1,257,310$ 14 |
| Educational, | 430,476 78 | 970;039 34 | 1, 358,75600 | 1,430,945 00 | 1,404,314 24 |
| Debt, | 914,379 67 | 949,503 91 | 1,089,094 86 | 1,119,431 99 | 1,200,186 34 |
| Misoellanneous, | 50,718 63 | 121,136 28 | 82,251 51 | 86,448 75 | 85,044 72 |
| Totals, | \$9,791,490 54 | \$10,758,532 86 | \$12,244,673 41 | S12,739,650 35 | \$13,521,162 29 |

2 Increase from purchnse of armorics.

Table 2. - Expenditures for General Purposes - Concluded.


## Estranates for 1916.

Estimated Expenses, etc.
The estimates of the expenses for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1016, are based upon the reports submitted to the Auditor, under the provisions of sections 3 and 4 of chapter 719 of the Acts of 1912. A statement of appropriations for the previous fiscal year, upon the same besis, is furnished for comparison.

|  | Ristimates Dec. 1, 1915, to Nov. 30, 1916. | Appropriations, 1915. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Legislative, | \$473,820 00 | \$473,320 00 |
| Special legislative investigations: Conservation of waterways, | 10,00C 00 | 10,000 00 |
| Enecutive and Genieral Administration. Executive department, | S146,700 00 | \$146,100 00 |
| Legal (Attoracy-General), |  |  |
| Auditor's department, | 48,00000 | 46,250 00 |
| Commission on Economy and Efficiency, | 39,000 00 | 39,000 00 |
| Treasurer and Receiver-General; . . | 42,300 00 | 41,300 00 |
| Reimbursement for official bonds, | 2,500 00 | 2,500 00 |
| Tax Commissioner, | 113,20000 | $\begin{array}{r}110,111 \\ 10,900 \\ \hline 100\end{array}$ |
| Controller of County Accounts, | 11,136 00 |  |
| Secretary, etc.: - | 97,000 00 | 96,200 00 |
| Commissioner of Public Records, | 6,375 00 | 6,375 00 |
| Publication of Province Laws, | 5,450 00 | 7,900 00 |
| Priñting, ${ }^{\text {Board of Publication, }}$ | 98,000 00 | 98,000 00 |
| Board of P, ublication, | 200,605 00 | 365,400 00 |
| Elections:- |  |  |
| Secretary, | 57,250 00 | 50,250 00 |
| Balfot Law Commission, |  |  |
| Civil service, etc.: - Commission, |  | 69,400 00 |
| Civil Service Commission, Board af Retirement, | 47,000 00 | 40;000 00 |
| Pensions for preferred classes, | 107,799 00 | 98;872 33 |
|  | \$1,155,440 00 | \$1,287,258 56 |
| Sergeant-at-arms, | \$279,340 00 | \$215,349 00 |
| Judiciary, | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 627,97501 \\ 64,17500 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 621,66991 \\ 64,17500 \end{array}$ |
|  | S692,150 01 | \$685,844 91 |
| Department of Henlth Healith. |  | \$210,004 84 |
| Department of Health, Board of Dental Examiners, | 4,437 00 | 3,700 00 |
| Board of Registration in Medicine, | 7,735 00 | $\begin{array}{r}7,48500 \\ \hline 112500\end{array}$ |
| Board of Registration in Pharmacy, | 11,175 00 | 11,12500 |
| Board of Registration in Veterinary Medicine, | $\begin{array}{r}1,300 \\ 180,000 \\ \hline 1\end{array}$ | 152,50000 |
|  |  |  |
|  | \&424,947 00 | \$385,814 84 |
| Promotion of Industrial and Financial Welfare. Board of Conciliation and Arbitration, | \$24,000 00 | $\$ 24,00000$ |
| Minimum Wage Commission, . | 27,360 00 | 17,900 0 |
| Amounts carried forword, | 851,360 00 | \$41,800 00 |


|  | Estimates Dec. 1, 1915, to Nov. 30, 1016. | Appropristions, 1915. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amounts brought forward, | \$51,360 00 | - \$41,900 00 |
| Promotion of Industrial and Financial Welfare - Concluded. |  |  |
| Industrial Accident Board, . | 119,744 00 | 119,980 00 |
|  | 139,174 00 | 112,824 00 |
| Joint Board of Industrial Accident and Labor and Industries, | 3,500 00 | 3,500 00 |
| Commission on Homesteads, | 3,800 00 | 3,300 00 |
| Supervisor of Loan Agencies, | 13,535 00 | 16,400 00 |
| Commissioner of Weights and Measures, | 20,000 00 | 20,000 00 |
| Bank Commissioner, | 123,000 00 | 113,000 00 |
| Insurance Commissioner, in . | 98,534 78 | 95,000 00 |
| Life Insurance Department of Savings Banks, | 18,500 00 | 19,500 00 |
| PubliçService Commission, State Examiners of Electricians, | 177,950 00 | 174,500 00 |
| State Examiners of Electricians, | 7,365 00 | 2,000 00 |
|  | \$776,462 78 | £721,904 00 |
| District Police. |  |  |
| Administration, | S24,600 00 | \$24,625 00 |
| Detective department, . | 86,883 00 | 83,708 00 |
| Building inspection department, | 42,829 00 | 42,624 00 |
| Boiler inspection department, | 58,451 00 | 58,295 00 |
| Board of Boiler Rulcs, | 2,000 00 | 2,000 00 |
|  | S214,763 00 | S211,252 00 |
| Militarf. |  |  |
| Quartermaster-General's department, | $\begin{array}{r}\text { S557,170 } \\ 226,075 \\ \hline 00\end{array}$ | S396,453 215,080 00 |
| sargeon-General's department, | 9,889 00 | 8,000 00 |
|  | \$793,134 50 | S619,533 43 |
| Harter and Huand Gomm and Highways. |  |  |
| Highway Commission, . | \$307,301 37 | \$193,650 00 |
| Merropelitan boulevards, maintenance, | 429,88329 130,44612 | 454,50000 121,50408 |
| Construction of road in Mashpee, | 30000 | 30000 |
|  | \$867,930 78 | \$769,954 08 |
| Agriculipure, Forestrt, Fibheries and Gante: Stato Board of Agriculture: |  |  |
| Administration, | S20,500 00 | \$19,200 00 |
| Masachusetts Agricultural College (in | 77,300 00 | 69,300 00 |
| State Forester, | 6,500 00 | 6,500 00 |
| State Forester, Commission, | 273,000 20,500 00 | $\text { - 243,114 } 72$ |
| Damages by on Fisharies and Game, | 203,358 30 | 132,170 00 |
| Damages by wild deer, | -12,000 00 | 12,000 00 |
|  | S613,158 30 | \$502,784 72 |
| Public Builudivgs. <br> Construction and improvement of buildings, | S5,000 00 | 87,000 00 |
| land nement of cities and towns for loss of tares land uced for public purposes, | 44,000 00 | 45,000 00 |
|  | \$49,000 00 | \$52,000 00 |
| Late Bonte of Chantiab |  |  |
| of Charity, <br> Siate Boand of Insanity, | \$1,500,099 23 | \$1,380,600 00 |
| Trustoes, Hospitals for Consumptives, | $\begin{aligned} & 112,50000 \\ & 178,04048 \end{aligned}$ | $\begin{aligned} & 115,25000 \\ & 142.23793 \end{aligned}$ |
| ite carrial formard, | \$1,790,639 71 | \$1,038,087 93 |


|  | Estimates <br> Dec. 1, 1915, to Nov. 30, 1916. | Appropristions, 1915. |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Amounts brought fonoard, | \$1,790,639 71 | \$1,638,087 93 |
| Cearitable-Concluded. <br> Institutions: $\qquad$ <br> Insane and feeble-minded:- |  |  |
|  |  |  |
| Boston, | 458,376 18 | 431,547 62 |
| Danvers, | 335,722 65 | 310,01830 |
| Foxhorough, | 127,766 77 | 103,200 37 |
| Gardner, | 173,962 414,203 69 | 164,528 <br> 34914 <br> 17 |
| Massachusetts School for the Feeble-minded, . | 309,659 02 | 291,933 62 |
| Medfield, . . . . . | 399,065 45 | 394,41786 |
| Mouson, | 258,511 33 | 236,288 29 |
| Northampton, | 172,049 13 | 156,215 56 |
| Taunton, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 323,170 40 | 285,069 26 |
| Westhorough, | 302,755 58 | 259,512 01 |
| Worcester, ${ }_{\text {Wrentham }}$ State School, | 358,28753 <br> 206,594 <br> 2 | 314,11587 164,70548 |
| Tuberculosis sanatoria: - . . . ${ }^{\text {a }}$ |  |  |
| Lakeville, | 44,279 31 | 89,043 33 |
| Mussachusetts Hospital School, | 40,271 08 | 41,901 51 |
| North Reading, . . . | 41,230 88 | 63:945 42 |
| Rutland, | 84,922 08 | 149,707 51 |
| Westield, | 59,394 86 | 96,977 64 |
| her charitable | 129,818 95 | 133,137 55 |
| State Infirmary, | 536,161 00 | 493,000 00 |
| Penikese, . . | 28,595 00 | 27,950 00 |
|  | \$6,595,437 62 | S6,199,647 91 |
| State and Military Ard and Oteer Thar Exfenses. Commissioner of State Aid and Pensions, | §16,135 00 | \$14,500 00 |
| State and military aid, . | 720,000 00 | 700,000 00 |
| Publication of war records, | 12,633 16 | 10,000 00 |
| Massachusetts Department of G. A. R., | 1,000 00 | 1,000 00 |
|  | \$749,768 16 | \$725,500 00 |
| Reformatory and Correctional. Prison Commission, | \$53,575 00 | 849,260 38 |
| Board of Parole, | 14,900 00 | 12,475 00 |
| Trustees of Massachusetts Training Schools, . . 69,680 00 64,600 00 |  |  |
| Training Schools: - 80.808000000 |  |  |
| Industrial School for Boys, | 84,888 00 | 80,700.00 |
| State Industrial School for Girls, | 83,258 00 | 82,500 00 |
| Pri Lyman School for Boys, |  | 123,500 00 |
|  |  | 384,600 00 |
| State Prison, | 186,500 00 | 184,000 00 |
| Prison Camp and Hospital, | 67,625 00 | 61,740 00 |
| Massachusetts Reformatory, | 269,558 00 | 256,25900 |
| Reformatory for Women, | 104,080 76 | 95,712 00 |
|  | \$1,454,754 76 | \$1,395,346 38 |
| Administration Educational. |  |  |
| Administration, General education (aid), | $\$ 128,500$ 196,000 00 | 189,610 00 |
| Retirement system for school teachers, | 88,800 00 | 71,070 00 |
| Normal education, . . . | 552,154 20 | 470,207 57 |
| Agricultural College (in part), | 328,900 00 | 306,800 00 |
| Nautical, | 68,000 00 | 68,000 00 |
| Technical and industrial, | 385,011 84 | 385,0118 |
| Deaf, dumb and blind, | 242,000 00 | 230,000 0 |
| Amounts carried forward, | \$1,989,366 06 | \$1,816,984 4 [1 |

> Amounls carried forward,

Estidiated Revenue
The estimates of revenue are based upon existing laws relative to taxes, licenses, fees, the income of certain institutions, etc.

Corporation taxes, net,
National bank stock taxes, net,
Savings bank tax (including Massachusetts Hospital Life Insurance Company),
pany), illacy tax (old law)
naritance tax (new law),
nheritance tas (new licenses
Insurance taxes and licenses,
Excise tax on life insurance compat
Excise tax on foreign corporations,
Stock transfer tax,
Liquor licenses,
Bond registration fees,
Secretary's fees,
Fees from courts of probate, etc.,
Fees from inspection of boilers,
Fees from inspection of boliscellaneous,
Fees, District Police,
Fees, hunters' licens
Fees, Land Court,
Fees, Supervisor of Loan Agencies,
Fees, sundry departments,
Fees, Examiners of Electricians,
Fees, Examine (hawkers' and peddlers' licenses),
commissioner of eightitutions,
ncome from sundry institation,
Income from certain property,
Refunds, certain charitable expenses,
Interest on bank balances, defer
Pales of oldies,
Other sources
Transfers,
1,950,000 00 30,000 00

Cash on hand Dec. 1, 1915
Lese warrants for 1915 expenses drawn
in December,

Less so matabla balances of
1915 may be
needed (estimated),
$\$ 672,17808$
$1,800,00000$

2,472,178 08

Wats and Means
Estimated expenses for the fiscal year ending Nov. 30, 1916, under existing laws are

The balance unprovided for is $\$ 2,000,000$ less than the figures of one year ago. The estimates from which it is derived cover only such appropriations as existing legislation requires, and all special appropriations of the present session must be added in determining the amount of the State tax. The estimates for new buildings and improvements, as compiled in House Document No. 2, call for $\$ 3,494,504.77$. Experience of previous years indicates that the total appropriations for special purposes, including new buildings and improvements, as finally passed, will be materially less than the amount asked for in House Document No. 2. It seems probable, therefore, if due care is exercised in authorizing appropriations for new or special undertakings, that the State tax will not exceed the tax of 1915, namcly, \$9,750,000.

State Aid and Bounties.
Total Payments of State Aid.

The total payments by the Commonwealth for State and military aid and burial of indigent soldiers and sailors, including appropriations made by* the General Court toward maintenance of the Soldiers' Home in Massachusetts from 1861 to the close of 1914, were

Special laws, 1915,
Soldiers' Home, 1915,
Total to Nov. 30, 1915, . . . . . . . . \$40,022,439 32

## Bounties and Gratuities.

Total payments of bounties on account of soldiers in the civil war to Dec. 1, 1914,
Gratuities (Acts of 1912, chapter 702; 1913, chapters 105
and 443),

Total to Nov. 30, 1915,
\$58,459,674 14

## Abolition of Grade Crossings Loan

There were no bonds issued during the year 1915 for the further abolition of grade crossings, the total issue to date being $\$ 11,300,000$. Under the general laws there have been authorized $\$ 10,000,000$, and under special laws there have been authorized and issued for Tremont Street, Boston, Hyde Park and Dedham, $\$ 3,000,000$, and for Congress Street, Boston, $\$ 300,000$, making a total of $\$ 13,300,000$ authorized.
As provided in section 39 of Part I. of chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906, advances have been made for cities and towns which have not as yet been returned to the amoinct of $\$ 324,496.89$.

Section 42 of Part I. of chapter 463 of the Acts of 1906 provides that "The mount 80 to be paid by the commonwealth in any one year shall not exceed Five hundred thousand dollars, but if in any one year the expenditure by the
commonwealth shall not amount to five hundred thousand dollars，the unex－ pended remainder thereof shall be added to the five hundred thousand dollars allowed to be paid by it in any subsequent year．＂

On Dec．1，1914，there was a balance in the fund of
$\$ 436,70929$
133,75031
38,84672

Received from cities and towns during the year，
Transferred from Boston，Hyde Park and Dedhan loan fund，
$\$ 94,98784$
41,44948
\＄609，306 32
Commonwealth＇s proportion of expenditures， Advances for cities and towns，

Balance Nov．30，1915，

## Armory Loan．

Under authority of section 133 of chapter 604 ot the Acts of 1908，as amended by chapter 323 of the Acts of 1909，chapter 665 of the Acts of 1912，and chapter $S 12$ of the Acts of 1913 ，bonds to the amount of $\$ 205,000$ ，bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent．，have been issued as follows：$\$ 7,000$ for the armory at Fitchburg，$\$ 125,000$ for the armory at Springfield，and $\$ 10,000$ for the armory at Adams．The total amount of armory loan bonds issued to date is $\$ 4,937,500$ ， of which $\$ 183,500$ have been redeemed．

## Charles River Basin Loan．

In order to complete the improvements on the southerly bank of Charles River Basin between North Beacon Street in Boston and Galen Street in Water－ town，and，in connection therewith，to construct a driveway connection from Brooks Street in Brighton to Charlesbank Road in Newton，the Metropolitan Park Commission is authorized by chapter 188 of the General Acts of 1915 to expend the sum of $\$ 35,000$ ．To meet the expenses an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 35,000$ was authorized，none of which have been issued．
The total amount of Charles River Basin loan bonds issued to date is $\$ 4,465$ ，－ 000 ，of which $\$ 33,000$ have been redeemed．

## Concord Avende Higentay Loañ．

The Massachusetts Highway Commission is authorized and directed by chsp－ ter 196 of the General Acts of 1915 to construct and improve the highway known as Concord Avenue in the city of Cambridge，from Walden Street to the Bel－ mont line．The Treasurer and Receiver－General is authorized to borrow such sums，not exceeding $\$ 38,000$ ，as may be required for the cost and expense in curred．The cost and expense，including interest，shall be apportioned ane assessed as follows： $37 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent．upon the Commonwealth， 25 per cent．uport
the county of Middlesex and 37⿺⿸⿻一丿又土寸2 per cent．upon the city of Cambridge．A demand note for $\$ 10,000$ ，bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent．，has been issued for this purpose．

## Development of the Port of Boston Loan．

There have been issued during the year，under the provisions of chapter 748 of the Acts of 1911 ，bonds to the amount of $\$ 1,000,000$ ，bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent．The total amount of the development of the port of Boston loan bonds issued to date is $\$ 7,000,000$ ，of which $\$ 400,000$ have been paid，leaving a balance outstanding of $\$ 6,600,000$ ．

Giranite Avende Bridge Loan．
All the work in connection with the construction of this bridge has been com－ pleted and all accounts settled with one exception．Frank B．Newton refused to accept the award for damages to his property and has petitioned the Superior Court for assessment of damages by a jury．When this case is settled and the cost of the construction of the bridge is ascertained，the assessment will be made upon the several parties in accordance with the provisions of section 6 of chapter 771 of the Acts of 1913.

## Harbor Improvenent Loan．

The Board of Harbor and Land Conmissioners is authorized by chapter 279 of the General Acts of 1915 to construct piers，to build sheds or other buildings on eaid piers，to provide the necessary equipment and appliances for handling freight and receiving passengers at said piers，to fill solid and dredge，and to do such other work as may be necessary and advisable to improve and develop Fall River Harbor and the transportation and terminal facilities of the city of Fall River．The Board is authorized to expend on behalf of the Commonwealth for the purposes of this act a sum not exceeding $\$ 350,000$ ，and the Treasurer and Receiver－General is authorized to issue bonds to an amount not exceeding this sum．No bonds have been issued for this purpose．
Chapter 199 of the General Acts of 1915 provides that the sum of $\$ 75,000$ shail be paill to the Secretary of War of the United States as a contribution towards the deepening and otherwise improving of the channel of Weymouth Fore River，at such time，after the Congress of the United States has made an appropriation of $\$ 200,000$ for this improvement，as the Governor is satisfied that a further an of $\$ 25 ; 000$ has been provided by the city of Quincy and the Fore River Ship Buiding Corporation．To meet the expenses incurred under the provisions of this act a bond issue to an amount not exceeding $\$ 75,000$ ， A term not areocling forty years，is authorized．No bonds have yet been ud for this purpose．

Shave been issued during the year bonds to the amount of $\$ 400,000$ interest at the rate of 4 per cent．，as authorized by chapter 693 of the

Acts of 1914 relative to the improvement of the harbor and terminal facilities of the city of New Bedford, and chapter 741 of the Acts of 1914 relative to the improvement of Lynn Harbor and the Saugus River.

## Holden Higentay Loan.

There was issued this year a note for $\$ 10,000$, payable on demand, and bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent., to meet the expenditures authorized by chapter 668 of the Acts of 1914 for the improvement of the highway leading from Holden to Rutland. The work on this highway was completed during the year, and the assessments were made upon the several parties, and the note paid.

## Metropolitan Parks Loan.

Chapter 93 of the Resolves of 1915 authorizes an expenditure of $\$ 8,000$ in addition to the amounts authorized by chapter 655 of the Acts of 1911, chapter 91 of the Resolves of 1913, and chapter 143 of the Resolves of 1914, for the purpose of dredging and deepening Neponset River, making changes and alterations in any bridge, draw or other structure, and any other work which will tend to restore the lands along said river to their original condition, and to abate malaria and other peril to the public health, and for certain investigations, reports and estimates authorized by said chapter 93 of the Resolves of 1915. This makes a total of $\$ 203,000$ authorized for this purpose, one-half of which $(\$ 101,500)$ is to be provided for by the issue of bonds. Bonds to the amount of $\$ 97,500$ have been issued to date for this purpose.
The Metropolitan Park Commission is authorized and directed, under the provisions of chapter 368 of the Special Acts of 1915, to alter or reconstruct the present bridge and culvert which form part of the highway across the Charles River between the city of Newton and the town of Weston. To meet the expenditures incurred under the provisions of this act an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 50,000$ is authorized. The annual serial bonds and interest requirements shall be assessed upon and paid by the following parties: 50 per cent. by the cities and towns of the metropolitan parks district, 25 per cent. by the city of Newton, 10 per cent. by the town of Weston, and 15 per cent. by the county of Middlesex. A note for $\$ 10,000$, bearing interest at 4 per cent., payable on demand, has been issued for this purpose, under authority of chapter 123 of the Acts of 1910.

Chapter 4 of the General Acts of 1915 authorizes the Metropolitan Park Commission to provide immediate work on the parks and reservations under its care and control, and authorizes an issue of bonds to the amount of $\$ 50,000$ to meet the expenditure. No bonds have been issued for this purpose.

The total amount of metropolitan parks loan bonds issued to date is $\$ 9,647,500$, of which $\$ 21,250$ have been redeemed, leaving a balance outstanding of $\$ 0,-$ 626,250 . In addition to the amount of bonds outstanding there is a demand note for $\$ 10,000$, making the outstanding debt for park purposes $\$ 9,636,250$.

Metropolita aparks Loan, Series Two (Parkways and Boulevards).
Chapter 5 of the General Acts of 1915 authorizes the Metropolitan Park Commission to provide immediate work on the parkways and boulevards under its care and control, and authorizes an issue of bonds to the amount of $\$ 50,000$ to meet the expenditure. No bonds have been issued for this purpose.
The Metropolitan Park Commission is authorized by chapter 243 of the General Acts of 1915 to construct a parkway or boulevard on the land already acquired for the purpose of constructing the Alewife Brook Parkway, and to acquire such additional land as may be necessary to construct a boulevard or parkway along said Alewife Brook from the Powder House Boulevard in Somerville to Massachusetts Avenue in Cambridge, and to expend therefor the sum of $\$ 35,000$. To meet the expenditures made under authority of this act an issue of bonds is authorized, none of which have been issued.
Chapter 300 of the General Acts of 1915 authorizes the Metropolitan Park Commission to construct as a highway a new bridge across the Neponset River, to be known as the Neponset bridge; to construct a temporary highway bridge; to construct any necessary approaches; to dredge or otherwise remove shoals; and to take such land for the approaches to the bridge as it shall deem necessary. Tormeet the expenses incurred under the provisions of this act an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 350,000$ is authorized. The annual serial bond and interest requirements shall be assessed upon and paid by the following parties: 20 per cent. by the city of Boston, 15 per cent. by the city of Quincy, 5 per cent. by the county of Norfolk, $2 \frac{1}{2}$ per cent. by the county of Plymouth, 15 per cent. by the Bay State Street Railway Company, or such other street railway company as shall have a location on said bridge, $21 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent. by the cities and towns in the metropolitan district, and $21 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent. by the Commonwealth. There has been issued a note for $\$ 15,000$, maturing Feb. 15, 1916, and bearing inferest at the rate of $2 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent., under authority of chapter 123 of the Acts of 1910.
There have been issued during the year bonds to the amount of $\$ 315,000$, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent. Of this amount, $\$ 115,000$ was to pay for the note issued in 1914 for the rebuilding of the burnt portion of Wellington bridge, and $\$ 200,000$ for the acquisition of land for and the construction of certain parkways and boulevards, as authorized by chapter 699 of the Acts of 1912.

The total amount of metropolitan parks loan, series two, bonds issued to date is $\$ 5,850,000$, of which $\$ 15,000$ have been redeemed, leaving a balance outstancing of $\$ 5,835,000$. In addition to the amount of bonds outstanding there is a note for $\$ 15,000$, making the total outstanding indebtedness for parkwa ys and boulevards $\$ 5,850,000$.

## Metropolitan Sewerage Loan.

The Met:opolitan Water and Sewerage Board is authorized and directed by mapter 215 of the General Acts of 1915 to lower the siphon of the metropolitan which now crosses the Malden River, and to do any other act or thing
necessary to comply with the conditions set forth in the act of Congress, known as thé River and Harbor Bill, approved July 25, 1912, and acts in addition thereto and amendment thereof. To meet the expenses incurred under the provisions of this act an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 70,000$ is authorized, in addition to the amount of bonds heretofore authorized for the construction of the north metropolitan sewerage works. No bonds have been issued for this purpose.
For the purpose of meeting expenses incurred by the Metropolitan Water and Scwerage Board in providing an additional outlet for the south metropoliton sewer at Nut Island, Quinicy, as authorized by chapter 424 of the Acts of 1899, an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ \sqrt{5}, 000$ is authorized. No bonds have been issued for this purpose.
There have been issued during the year bonds to the amount of $\$ 130,500$, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent., for the following purposes: $\$ 125,000$ for extending the outfall sewer at Deer Island, as authorized by chapter 344 of the Acts of 1914; and $\$ 5,500$ for the construction of an additional sewer to provide for the sewage of the town of Revere, as authorized by chapter 259 of the Acts of 1914. There has also been issued a note for $\$ 50,000$, bearing interest at the rate of $2 \frac{1}{4}$ per cent., maturing Feb. 15, 1916, in anticipation of the issue of bonds authorized by chapter 343 of the Acts of 1914, it being an act to include the town of Wellesley within the south metropolitan sewerage district.

The total amount of metropolitan sewerage loan bonds issued to date is $\$ 16,011,412$, of which $\$ 29,000$ have been paid, leaving a balance outstanding of $\$ 15,982,412$. In addition to the amount of bonds outstanding there is a note for $\$ 50,000$, making the total outstanding indebtedness for sewerage purposes $\$ 16,032,412$, as follows:-

|  | Issued. | Paid. | Outstanding |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| North system, South system, | \$7,133,500 | \$29,000 | \$7,104,500 |
|  | 8,927,912 | - | 8,927,912. |
|  | \$16,061,412 | \$29,000 | \$16,032,412 |

## Metropolifin Water Loan.

Chapter 128 of the Resolves of 1915 authorizes and directs the Metropolitan Water and Sewerage Board to make such settlement of the claim of Joseph Hanreddy for compensation for money spent and expenses incurred by him in connection with various suits brought against him in the performance of a contract for constructing a pressure tunnel and laying a pipe line in section 7 of the Weston aqueduct supply mains in the city of Newton, as appears to them just and equitable, at an expense not exceeding \$10,000: Bonds to the above amount are authorized by this resolve, none of which have yet been issued.
There were issued during the year bonds to the amount of $\$ 490,000$, bearim interest at the rate of 4 per cent., for the following purposes: $\$ 200,000$ for certaip
improvements authorized by chapter 320 of the Acts of $1909, \$ 80,000$ for certain improwements authorized by chapter 291 of the Acts of 1910, $\$ 22,000$ for extending the southern high-service water system to the town of Hyde Park, as authorized by chapter 464 of the Acts of 1911, and $\$ 188,000$ for certain improvements authorized by chapter 601 of the Acts of 1914 .
The total amount of metropolitan water loan bonds issued to date is $\$ 42,536,000$, of which $\$ 42,000$ have been redeened, leaving a balance outstanding of $\$ 42,494,000$.

## Prisons and Hosprtals Loan.

There has been issued during the year, under the authority oi chapter 679 of the Acts of 1912, as amended by chapter 3 of the Acts of 1913 and chapter 130 of the Resolves of 1914, a demand note for $\$ 10,000$, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent., for the construction of an asylum at the Grafton Colony to super sede the Worcester State Asylum at Worcester. The total issue of bonds and notes for prisons and hospitals to Nov. 30, 1915, is $\$ 9,576,250$, as follows: -

Prisons and hospitals loan:-
Boston State Hospital
Danvers State Hospital
Forborough State Hospital
Gardner State Colony,
Gardner State Colony,
Grafton State Hospital,
Indastrial School for Boys,
Iuman School for Boys,
Massachusetts Hospital School,
Massachusetts School for the Feeble-minded,
Marsaahusetts Reformatory,
Northampton State Hospital
Reformatory for Women,
Stato Parm,
3tate Industrial School for Girls, Btate Infirmary,
Trmenton State Hospital,
Westborough State Hospital,
Woncostar State Asylum,
Worcester State Hospital
Wreatham Stato School, .
Massanchasotes Hospitals for Consumptives loan,
fedield Trise Hospital for Epileptics loan,
edfield Insane Asylum loan
$\$ 1,958,00000$
232,400 00
130,000 00
462,550 00
410,00000
410,00000
126,00000
126,00000
47,00000
47,00000
300,00000
300,00000
405,00000
405,000
22,700
00
22,700 00
179,000 00
9,000 00
478,500 00
31,350 00
341,300 00
245,600 00
449,300 00
443,000 00
158,000 00
245,800 00
\$6,674,500 00
765,500 00
666,45000 1,469,800 00
\$9,576,250 00

Solderers' Gratuity Loan.
foring the year there have been allowed and paid 35 claims, making the conter in chins paid to date 4,515 , amounting to $\$ 564,375$. The total of bouds inued for this purpose is $\$ 505,000$ to $\$ 564,375$. The total eemed, lesving the balance outsten $\$ 505,000$, of which $\$ 168,000$ have

## State Highmay Loan.

The expenditure of the sum of $\$ 10,000$ is authorized by chapter 229 of the General Acts of 1915 for the improvement of a highway in the town of Ashburnham. An issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 10,000$, for a term not exceeding fifteen years, is authorized for the purpose of meeting the expenditures incurred under the provisions of this act. None of these bonds have yet been issued.

Chapter 230 of the General Acts of 1915 authorizes the expenditure of the sum of $\$ 12,000$ for the construction of a State highway from the town of Norton to the city of Taunton. An issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 12,000$, for a term not exceeding fifteen years, is authorized to meet the expenditures, none of which have yet been issued.

The Massachusetts Highway Commission is authorized by chapter 232 of the General Acts of 1915 to expend the sum of $\$ 5,000$, in addition to any sums heretofore appropriated, for the improvement of the highway leading from Milford to Southborough through Hopkinton. For the purpose of meeting the expenditures an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 10,000$, for a term not exceeding ten years, is authorized. No bonds have yet been issued for this purpose.

Chapter 242 of the General Acts of 1915 authorizes the expenditure of the sum of $\$ 14,000$ during the present year in the construction and improvement of a highway in the towns of Mashpee and Barnstable. An issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 14,000$, for a term not exceeding fifteen years, is authorized to meet the expenditures incurred under the provisions of this act. No bonds have yet been issued for this purpose.

Chapter 257 of the General Acts of 1915 authorizes the Massachusetts Highway Commission to expend the sum of $\$ 10,000$ in the construction and improvement of the highway from North Brookfield to Barre Plains. For the purpose of meeting the expenditures incurred, an issue of bonds to an amount not exceeding $\$ 10,000$, for a term not exceeding fifteen years, is authorized, none of which have yet been issued.

Bonds to the amount of $\$ 710,000$, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent., have been issued during the year for the following purposes: $\$ 635,000$ under the authority of the general law, chapter 704 of the Acts of $1912 ; \$ 10,000$, as authorized by chapter 502 of the Acts of 1914, for the improvement of a highway between the towns of Dalton and Goshen in the counties of Berkshire and Hampshire; $\$ 10,000$, as authorized by chapter 503 of the Acts of 1914, for the improvement of the highway leading from Hinsdale to Chester through Middlefield; $\$ 10,000$, as authorized by chapter 711 of the Acts of 1914 , for the improvement of the highway leading from Milford to Southborough through Hopkinton; $\$ 15,000$, as authorized by chapter 733 of the Acts of 1914 , for the construotion of a State highway in the town of Egremont; $\$ 10,000$, as authorized by chapitar 754 of the Acts of 1914, for the construction of a State highway in the town of New Marlborough; $\$ 10,000$, as authorized by chapter 756 of the Acts of 1914, for the construction and improvement of a highway in the towns of Beeket,

Washington and Hinsdale; and $\$ 10,000$, as authorized by chapter 779 of the Acts of 1914, for the construction and improvement of a highway in the towns of Southbridge, Dudley and Webster.
The total issue of bonds to Nov. 30, 1915, for highway purposes is $\$ 10,230,000$, of which $\$ 1,136,500$ have been redeemed, leaving a balance outstanding of \$9,093,500.

## State House Construction Loan.

For the purpose of completing the addition on the westerly side of the State House, an issue of bonds was authorized by chapter 256 of the General Acts of 1915 to an amount not exceeding $\$ 600,000$, for a term not exceeding thirty years. A note for $\$ 500,000$ was issued for this purpose in anticipation of the issue of bonds as authorized by chapter 123 of the Acts of 1910 .

During the year there were issued bonds to the amount of $\$ 300,000$, bearing interest at the rate of 4 per cent., under the authority of chapter 830 of the , lets oi 1913, which makes the total amount issued under this act $\$ 800,000$.

## Western Massachusetts Highway Loan.

The Massachusetts Highway Commission is authorized and directed by chapter 221 of the General Acts of 1915 to lay out, construct and complete during the years 1915, 1916, 1917 and 1918, certain highways situated in the five western counties, and may expend therefor a sum not exceeding $\$ 2,000,000$. One-fourth of any money which may be expended under the provisions of this act for a highway in any county, with interest thereon at the rate of 3 per cent. per annum, shall be repaid by the county to the Commonwealth, and the commission may expend such sums as may be repaid in addition to the $\$ 2,000,000$. For the purpose of meeting expenditures authorized under this act an issue of bonds to the amount of $\$ 2,000,000$, for a term not exceeding fifteen years, is anthorized. Notes to the amount of $\$ 500,000$, bearing interest at the rate of $2 \%$ per cent., payable Dec. 1, 1915, have been issued in anticipation of the issue of bonds.

Consolidated Statenent of Revenue Receipts for All State Activities.

| Current Rerenue. |  |  |  |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Ordinary revenue, Supplemental revenue, | : : | - : | \$11,135,752 720 |
| Reserved for special purposes: - |  |  |  |
| Assessments, | . . . | \$111,782 76 |  |
| Fees, | - . | 1,235,552 15 |  |
| Sales, rents, etc., . | . . . | 852,869 07 |  |
| Income from investments, | . . . | 254,744 95 |  |
| Metropolitan district:- |  |  |  |
| Assessments, | \$4,709,479 61 |  |  |
| Interest, . | 30,652 40 |  |  |
| Premiums, | 13,212 05 |  |  |
| Fines, rents, ette., | 107,944 46 |  |  |
|  |  | 4,861,288 52 | 7,316,237 45 |
| State tax, | . . . | . . | 9,750,000 no |
|  |  |  | \$28,928,723 87 |
| Contingent Rerenue. |  |  |  |
| Agency: - |  |  |  |
| Trust and deposit funds, |  |  |  |
| Trust and deposit funds income, Taxes collected for distribution, | : | $\begin{array}{r} 179,38144 \\ 7,223,77626 \end{array}$ |  |
| Invcstments: - |  |  |  |
| Sinking fund securities, | , | \$1,317,607 01 |  |
| Other fund securities, |  | 1,920,538 34 |  |
| Sinking funds: - |  |  |  |
| Assessments, | . | \$534,703 84 |  |
| Revenue, | . . . | 14,408 00 |  |
| Income from investments, | . | 1,471,408 20 |  |
| Sales, rents, etc., - . | . . . | 235,588 80 |  |
| Unexpended balances of loans, etc. | . | 79,551 26 | 2,335,660 |
| Loan funds: - |  |  |  |
| Assessments, |  | \$579,862 89 |  |
| Bonds and notes issued, | . . | 4,535,500 00 |  |
| Miscellaneous, | . . | 9,716 37 | 5,125,079 26 |
| Temporary loans: - |  |  |  |
| Ordinary revenue, Metropolitan district, |  | \$3,000,000 00 |  |
|  |  | 3,850,000 00 | 6,850,000 00 |
|  |  |  | \$26,491,763 01 |
| Recapitulation. |  |  |  |
| Current revenue, , . . . .Contingent revenue, |  |  | \$28,928,733 87 |
| Revenue cash on hand Dec. 1, 1914, . . . . \$2,862,884 14 |  |  | 26,491,763 01 |
| Less 1914 expenses paid in 1915, : . . ${ }_{522,455} 89$ |  |  |  |
| Fund cash on hand Dec. 1, 1914, |  |  | 5,212,138 16 |

Consolmated Statement of Expenses and Payments for All State Activities.



Transfers to cover Certain Deficiencles as authorized by Chapter 549 of the Acts of 1908
-Executive department, preparation of tables and indexes, . . . . \$605 45
Tax Commissioner: -
Deputies,
1,25000
Extra clerks, . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . 10697
Printing: -
$\begin{array}{llllllll}\text { Blue Book, . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . } & 17698 \\ \text { Term reports, } & \\ 559 & 16\end{array}$
$\begin{array}{lllllll}\text { Blue Book, . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . . } \\ \text { Term reports, . } & 55916\end{array}$
Elections: -
69832
Blank forms for town officers, 80420

Pensions: -
Veterans of the civil war, retired from State service, Public employees compensated for injuries,
Probate and insolvency courts: -
Retired judges,
70433
44092

Com judges, . . . . . 38528
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Commission on Probation, expenses,
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Regulation of explosives,
Adjutant-General's Department: Military accounts,
Claims for injured horses,
Quartermaster-Generals' Department, expenses,
Highway Commission, State highway accident damages,
State Board of Agriculture, printing report,
Public Buildings: -
Construction and impro ment of buildings,
Boston State Hospital, land,
Lakeville State Sanatorium, water supply,
Rutland State Sanatorium, improvement of land,
Bridgewater Normal School: -
Plumbing system in school building,
Repairs to roofs,
Penikese Hospital, expenses,
Trustras of Massachusetts Training Schools: -
Agents' salaries and expenses
Boys boarded out from Lyman School,
State Board of Education, rent,
Massachusetts Agricultural College, printing report,

## Reconinendations.

The expenses of the Commonwealth covered by the general revenues have increased during the past year by practically $\$ 1,500,000$, which is about the same as the increases of the two preceding years
On the other hand, the general revenues have increased by a much smaller percentage, and unless it is possible to discover new revenues it appears that some effort should be made to restrict the rapid increase in expenditures.
To this end I have to suggest that you consider the advisability of providing that all legislation, whether for establishing new departments, boards and commissions or otherwise, entailing new annual appropriations, be submitted to a referendum before becoming law.
I also have to recommend that all increases in salaries for positions now or hereafter paying more than $\$ 1,000$ be subject to the approval of the Governor and Council.
Under the Acts of 1908 , chapter 590 , section 56 , there has been a large sum of money paid into the treasury of the Commonwealth, amounting at the present time to $\$ 344,094.93$. This act provides that such money shall be held for claimants. Inasmuch as a large proportion of this fund is made up of very small amounts, it is likely that a large portion of the deposit will never be called for, and I would respectfully recommend that section 56 be amended, so that savings which have been held in this fund for a period of six years shall revert to the general revenue of the Commonwealth, and that the balance of the fund be used from time to time to meet claims as they are presented.
I desire to recommend that the salaries of the accountant and the bookkeeper in this department be fixed by the Auditor, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council. Such action would conform to the method of fixing salaries in everal other positions in this office.
Yt seems to me desirable that the expense of maintaining all State boards and comnimions be limited by appropriations, and to this end I would recommend that the laws relative to the Boards of Registration in Embalming, Registration of Nurses and Registration in Optometry, and also the law relative to the expenses for the registration of public accountants, be amended so that their amual expenditures will be limited by appropriations, and the receipts from rees in each case be paid into the general revenues of the State and not held in a special fund.
I would respectfully call your attention to the congested condition of the offee quarters for this department. No additional space has been allotted for its use eince 1895. During this period the expenditures in the Commonwealth nave increased until they are now nearly three times the figures for 1895, and a people are now being accommodated in quarters which were originally ofcuwhe 8 . Th2 $x_{8}$ congestion is likely to become at any time a serious menace mo working efficiency of the department, and I have to recommend that e steps be taken to provide more commodious and convenient quarters ing on the important worl of this department. This is particularly
urgent if there are to be additional duties transferred to the department in connection with the abolition of certain boards and commissions.

## In Conclusion.

A careful examination of the books and accounts of the Treasurer and Re-ceiver-General has been made, and the cash and securities found to be correct, as shown by the books of this department.
The law authorizing the Auditor to install and supervise systems of accounts in the various departments and institutions of the Commonwealth has been carried out, and the system is working well.

Respectfully submitted,

ALONZO B. COOK, Auditor.

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\text { Part } \mathrm{I}
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## REVENUE.

Under the general term revenue are included all treasury transactions except those of the funds, which appear in Part II.

En tontinnt $I$. is a summary statement of receipts and payments.
Staminanrr II. is a detailed statement of receipts applicable to general purposes, includtorg the Stato tar.
Staunane III. is a detailed statement of receipts and payments for special purposes, inclating distribution of corporation tax, etc.
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Insurance companies' tax,
Insurance licenses, etc.
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## Recomandations.

The expenses of the Commonwealth covered by the general revenues have increased during the past year by practically $\$ 1,500,000$, which is about the same as the increases of the two preceding years.
On the other hand, the general revenues have increased by a much smaller percentage, and unless it is possible to discover new revenues it appears that some effort should be made to restrict the rapid increase in expenditures.
To this end $I$ have to suggest that you consider the advisability of providing that all legislation, whether for establishing new departments, boards and commissions or otherwise, entailing new annual appropriations, be submitted to a referendum before becoming law.
I also have to recommend that all increases in salaries for positions now or hereafter paying more than $\$ 1,000$ be subject to the approval of the Governor and Council.
Under the Acts of 1908, chapter 590 , section 56 , there has been a large sum of money paid into the treasury of the Commonwealth, amounting at the present time to $\$ 344,094.93$. This act provides that such money shall be held for claimants. Inasmuch as a large proportion of this fund is made up of very small amounts, it is likely that a large portion of the deposit will never be called for, and I would respectfully recommend that section 56 be amended, so that savings which have been held in this fund for a period of six years shall revert to the general revenue of the Commonwealth, and that the balance of the fund be used from time to time to meet claims as they are presented.
I desire to recommend that the salaries of the accountant and the bookkeeper in this department be fixed by the Auditor, subject to the approval of the Governor and Council. Such action would conform to the method of fixing salaries in several other positions in this office.
It seems to me desirable that the expense of maintaining all State boards and commissions be limited by appropriations, and to this end I would recommend that the laws relative to the Boards of Registration in Embalming, Registration of Nurses and Registration in Optometry, and also the law relative to the expenses for the registration of public accountants, be amended so that their annual expenditures will be limited by appropriations, and the receipts from fees in each case be paid into the general revenues of the State and not held in a special fund.
I would respectfully call your attention to the congested condition of the office quarters for this department. No additional space has been allotted for its use since 1895. During this period the expenditures in the Commonwealth have increased until they are now nearly three times the figures for 1895, and 20 people are near being accommodated in quarters which were originally occupied by 8 . This congestion is likely to become at any time a serious menace to the working efficiency of the department, and I have to recommend that immediate steps be taken to provide more commodious and convenient quarters for carrying on the important work of this department. This is particularly

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| 92 | Senate travel, ${ }^{\text {House compensation, }}$ | 241,000 00 | 240,600 00 | 239,833 |
| 93 | House travel, | 19,000 00 | 17,600 00 | 17,500 |
| 94 | Clerks, Senate and House, | 7,000 00 | 7,000 00 | 5,000 |
|  | Assistant clerks, Senate and House, | 5,000 00 | 5,000 00 |  |
| 94 | Clerical assistance, Senate, . . | 1,500 00 | 1,304 96 | 2,800 |
| 94 | Clerical assistance, House, | 3,500 00 | 3,450 00 |  |
|  | Doorkeepers and postmaster, - | 5,000 00 | 5,000 00 | $\begin{array}{r} 4,650 \\ 27,50 \\ 6,520 \end{array}$ |
| 95 | Assistant doorkeepers and messengers, | 30,400 00 | 30,367 74 |  |
| 95 | Pages, Senate and House, | 1,120 00 | ,120 00 |  |
| 95 | Pages' travel, ${ }^{\text {c }}$ | 1,000 00 | 1,000 1,200 | $\begin{aligned} & 1,200 \\ & 7,836 \end{aligned}$ |
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|  | Recapitulation. <br> Salaries and allowances, Legislative committees, Printing, Other expenses, <br> Total, Legislative Department, | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 372,64499 \\ 17,47501 \\ 72,40000 \\ 10,80000 \end{array}$ | $\begin{array}{r} \$ 370,27769 \\ 11,03122 \\ 62,06055 \\ 10,62031 \end{array}$ | $\begin{gathered} \$ 365,24 \\ 1,701 \\ 75 ; 91 \\ 14, \end{gathered}$ |
|  |  | \$473,320 00 | \$453,989 77 | \$469,3 |



DETANL NO. 92.
Senate Pay Roll.
[Citations for 1015 refer to Special Acts unless otherwise indicated.]
[Revised Laws, chap. 3; Acts 1011, chap. 670; 1015, chap. 1.]

| Name. |  | Residence. | District. | Travel. | Compensation. | Totals. |  |
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| Edward C. R. Bagley, |  | Boston, | 1st Suffolk, | $\$ 1000$ | \$1,000 00 | \$1,010 00 |  |
| Frank Bartlett, | . | Pittsfield, | Berkshire, | 30000 | 1,00000 | . 1;300000. |  |
| Sanford Bates, | . | Boston, | 9th Suffolk, | 1000 | 1,000 00 | $\therefore 1,01000$ |  |
| William A. L. Bazeley, | . | Uxbridge, | 4th Worcester, | -9000 | 1,000 . 00 | 1,090 00, |  |
| Charles S. Beal, |  | Rockland, ${ }^{\text {a }}$ | 1st Plymouth, | - 4000 | 1,000 00 | - 1,040 00 |  |
| Jamos W. Bean, | . | Cambridge, | 2d Middlesex, | 1000 | 1,000 00 | 1,010 00 |  |
| James F. Cavanagh, | : | Brorett, | 4th Middlesex, 2d Plymouth, | 1000 50 500 | 1,000 1,000 00 | 1,010 <br> 1,050 <br> 1200 |  |
| Cálvin Coolidge, ${ }^{1}$ | - | Northampton, | Berkshire, Hampshire and Hampden. | 23000 | 2,000 00 | -2,230 00 |  |
| Herbert E. Cummings, |  | North Brookfield, | Worcester and Hampden, | 14000 | 1,000 00 | 1,140 00 | ! |
| Andrew P. Doyle, | . | New Bedford, | 3d Bristol, . . | 12000 | 1,000 00 | 1,120 00 |  |
| Charles W. Eldridge, |  | Somerville, . | 3d Middlesex, | 1000 | 1,000 00 | 1,010 00 |  |
| George H. Ellis, |  | Newton, . | 1st Middlesex, | 2000 | 1,000 00 | 1,020 00 |  |
| Frank S. Farnsworth, | , | Leominster, | 3d Worcester, | 11000 | 1,000 00 | 1,110 00 |  |
| Wilton B. Fay, | - | Medford, | 6th Middlesex, | 2000 | 1,000 00 | 1,020 00 |  |
| Redmond S. |  | Boston, | 8th Suffolk, | 1000 | 1,000 00 | 1,010 00 |  |
| Julius Garst, . |  | Worcester, | 1st Worcester, | 9000 | 1,000 00 | 1,090 00 |  |
| Charles L. Gifford, | , | Barastable, | Cape, | 17000 | 1,000 00 | 1,170 00 |  |

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Treasurer of the association for the firemen's relief fund,

## DETAII No. 154

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[Revised Laws, shap. 32, sect. 77; Acts 1915, chap. 46.]
Patrick Curtin - Julia Curtin, administratrix,
Clinton J. Eaton - Prescott W. Eaton, administrator, Charles O. Grady - Henrietta Mirrer, administratrix, Frank L. Hardy - Hattie E. Hardy, administratrix,
Michael Walsh - Catherine A. 'Walsh, administratrix Res. 1915, chap. 116,

Total, Civil Service and Pensions, . . . $\$ 227,35594$
Total, Executive and General Administration

$\$ 1,102,081$

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