Twenty-fourth. The said Board of Supervisors are authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to allow to the Clerk of said Board an increase of salary, to the amount of twenty-five dollars per month, to be paid out of the General Fund, and to allow said Clerk to appoint an assistant, who shall be paid by said Clerk for all services said assistant may render him.

Twenty-fifth. The said Supervisors are authorized and empowered, in their discretion, to allow to the Deputy County Treasurer of said city and county, an increase of his present salary to the amount of four hundred dollars per annum, to be paid out

of the General Fund.

(The remaining divisions of this act refer to the auditing of claims, etc.)

Supplemental XV.—Act to confer further powers, etc. Approved, April 18, 1859.

SEC. 1. The said Board is hereby authorized and empowered to lease the Mechanics' Institute any lot or lots of land under their control they may deem proper, (excepting all schools lots, and Portsmouth Square,) for the use of said Institute, to erect

temporary buildings for the holding of fairs, and other purposes.

The said Board are hereby authorized to allow and ordered paid out of the General Fund, for the repairs to the outer half of streets constituting the water-front of said city and county, as provided in section thirty-eight of "An Act to repeal the several charters of the city of San Francisco, to establish the boundaries of the city and county of San Francisco, and to consolidate the government thereof," approved April nineteenth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-six; the Auditor to andit, and the Treasurer to pay, sums not exceeding in the aggregate, three thousand dollars during any one fiscal year.

(The remaining subdivisions of this act provide for the payment of certain claims.)

Supplemental XVI.—Act supplementary to Act conferring further powers, approved April 23, 1858. Approved April 27, 1860.

SEC. 1. The Board of Supervisors of the city and county of San Francisco, have

hereby further powers conferred upon them as follows:

First. To allow and order paid out of the General Fund, not exceeding the sum of six thousand dollars in any one fiscal year, for repairs and improvements of streets fronting upon the water front of the city, as defined by an act entitled "An Act to provide for the disposition of certain property of the State of California," passed March twenty-sixth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

Second. To allow and order paid out of the General Fund, not exceeding the sum of twelve thousand dollars, in any one fiscal year, for repairs to, and improvements upon, streets and sewers in front of property belonging to the city, other than those mentioned in the previous subdivision of this section; provided, that for the fiscal year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-nine and one thousand eight hundred and sixty, the Board shall allow and order paid out of the General Fund a further sum, not exceeding five thousand dollars, for repairs to streets and constructing sewers in front of city property other than the city water-front.

Third. To allow, and order paid out of the General Fund, not exceeding the sum of seven thousand dollars in any one fiscal year, for repairs to the public buildings of

said city and county.

Fifth. To improve and to repair the buildings of the present City and County Hospital; to erect additional buildings, and for such other purposes in relation thereto as the Board of Supervisors may order, and to allow and order to be paid out of the General Fund, the expenses thereof, the same not to exceed the sum of fifteen thousand dollars.

Sixth. To allow and order paid out of the General Fund, such sums as are now due, or may become due, for burying the indigent dead.

Seventh. To allow and order paid out of the General Fund, such sums as are now