

CHAP. XV.—*An Act supplementary to an act entitled "An Act to incorporate the Town of Saint Paul, in the County of Ramsey." Approved, November 1, 1849.*

March 31, 1851.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, That Bazil and Guerin's additions, Roberts' and Randall's additions, Hoyt's addition, and Whitney and Smith's addition to the town of St. Paul, and that part of the south east quarter of section thirty-one, east of Hoyt's addition, and Whitney and Smith's addition, and the south west quarter of section thirty-two, in township No. twenty-nine, north of range No. twenty-two west, and lot No. one, in section No. five, in township No. twenty-eight, north, range twenty-two, west of the fourth principal meridian, be, and the same are hereby included in the corporate limits of the town of Saint Paul; and entitled to all the rights, privileges and immunities of said corporation.

Limits of addition to town of St. Paul.

SEC. 2. That all the duties performed by the President and Trustees of the Town of Saint Paul, or any officer by them appointed, in conformity with the provisions of "An Act to incorporate the town of Saint Paul, in the county of Ramsey," approved November 1, 1849, are hereby declared to be legal and binding to all intents and purposes.

Extends the corporate authority over the addition.

M. E. AMES,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

D. B. LOOMIS,

President of the Council.

APPROVED, March thirty-first, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one.

ALEX. RAMSEY.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE,
St. Paul, May 13, 1851. }

I hereby certify the foregoing to be a true copy from the original on file in this office.

C. K. SMITH,

Secretary of the Territory of Minnesota.

CHAP. XVI.—*An Act granting to John Banfill the right to establish and maintain a Ferry across the Mississippi River.*

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, That John Banfill, his heirs, executors, administrators or assigns, shall have the exclusive right and privilege, for the period of ten years, of keeping and maintaining a Ferry across the Mississippi River, in the County of Ramsey, and Territory of Minnesota, at or near the mouth of Rice Creek; and no other Ferry shall be established within one-half mile of said creek.

Grants Ferry right for ten years.

Conditions of the right.

SEC. 2. Said John Banfill shall at all times, keep a safe and good boat, in good repair, sufficient for the accommodation of all

persons wishing to cross at said Ferry; and shall give prompt and ready attendance on passengers or teams on all occasions, and at all hours, both at night or day; but persons crossing at said Ferry at night may be charged double the fare, as hereinafter prescribed.

Sec. 3. The rates charged for crossing at said Ferry shall not exceed the following:

Ferry rates.

For each foot passenger, ten cents; for each horse, mare or mule, with or without rider, fifteen cents; for each two horse, two ox, or two mule team, loaded or unloaded, with driver, twenty-five cents; for each single horse carriage, twenty-five cents; for each additional horse, mule, ox or cow, ten cents; for each swine or sheep, two cents. All freight of lumber, merchandize, or other articles not in teams, at the rate of ten cents per barrel; fifty cents per thousand feet of lumber, and three cents per hundred weight of all other articles.

Bond to be given and filed.

Sec. 4. The said John Banfill shall, within six months after the passage of this act, file or cause to be filed, with the Clerk of the Board of County Commissioners of the County of Ramsey, a bond to the said Board, with two or more good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by said Board, in the penal sum of one thousand dollars, conditioned that he will fulfill all the duties that are imposed upon him in the foregoing sections; and in case of his failure so to do, he shall forfeit all the benefits that might have accrued to him from its passage.

Forfeiture for neglect.

Sec. 5. For every neglect in keeping a good and sufficient boat, or failure to give prompt and due attendance, the said John Banfill, shall forfeit a sum not exceeding twenty dollars; to be recovered by an action of debt, before any court having competent jurisdiction, and shall be further liable in an action on the case for all damages any person shall sustain by reason of the neglect of said Banfill to fulfill any of the duties imposed upon him in this act.

Remedy for damages.

Sec. 6. Any person who shall sustain any injury by the negligence or default of said Banfill, or of the Ferryman in his employ, may have a remedy by an action upon the bond required in this act.

Legislature may amend, etc., or repeal this act.

Sec. 7. The Legislature may alter, amend or repeal this act at all times.

M. E. AMES,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

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