

and rafted, ready for delivery as aforesaid, at the foot of said boom, exclusive for the charges for scaleage of such logs or timber, and for all logs or timber turned into the said pond as aforesaid, the said company are authorized to collect the sum of twenty-five cents for every thousand feet of logs or timber so delivered, exclusive of the charges for scaleage, but no charge shall be made by said company for sorting or turning out logs or hewn timber, other than that which the owner or owners thereof shall have requested said company to retain, raft or turn into the said pond, (as the case may be,) as above provided, and rafts of sawed lumber or timber of any kind, which may by accident, or otherwise, float into said boom, shall only be charged such reasonable compensation as will indemnify the owners of said boom for the safe delivery thereof, and the said company shall receive four cents for each thousand feet of logs or timber of any kind, that passes over the Falls of St. Anthony, as compensation for sorting and running out of said boom.

Boom and scale charges.

SEC. 14. The charges for scaleage, and the boom charges aforesaid, shall be deemed duo, and shall be paid to the said company, when the said logs are scaled and ready for delivery, as aforesaid, and said company shall be responsible to the surveyor for the scaleage of such logs or timber.

Liability.

SEC. 15. The said boom company shall pay to the owner or owners for all logs or timber, or may give other logs or timber of equal value in exchange for logs that may by accident pass through the boom and run over the Falls of St. Anthony, so called, that were intended to be run into the pond at St. Anthony, previous notice of such intention having been given to said company.

Passage of rafts and vessels.

SEC. 16. The said boom company shall always give passage by or through their said boom, at all times, to any raft running down the said Mississippi river, and to all steamboats, keel-boats, or flat-boats, or other water crafts running either up or down said river, without any let, hindrance, or delay, by reason or on account of said boom.

Repeal.

SEC. 17. The legislature of this Territory shall have the right to alter, or amend this act, at any time.

Approved—February 27, 1852.

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## CHAPTER 52.

March 6, 1852.

*An Act for the Relief of Wm. G. Le Duc.*

Sum appropriated.

*Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota,* That there be paid by the Secretary of the Territory, out of any moneys on hand, which may have been appropriated by Congress for defraying expenses of the legislative assembly, to W. G. Le Duc, for stationery, ink, paper, &c., as per bill, furnished to, and used by the legislative assembly of the territory of Minnesota, for the year of our Lord, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-one, the sum of six hundred and sixteen dollars.

Approved—March 6, 1852.