

lock, out of any money in the State Treasury not otherwise appropriated, for preparing and superintending the publication, in newspapers in different parts of the United States, of a series of essays on the climate, soil and resources of the State of Minnesota. Appropriation for essays

SEC. 2. This Act shall take effect from and after its passage.

GEORGE BRADLEY,
Speaker of the House of Representatives.
RICHARD G. MURPHY,
President *pro tem* of the Senate.

APPROVED—June eleven, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight.

HENRY H. SIBLEY.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Minnesota, }
June 11, 1858. }

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

FRANCIS BAASEN, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER XLIV.

An Act to extend the laws of the State over all the Indian Tribes within the boundaries of the State, and to confine them to their own lands.

- SECTION 1. Indians out of their reservations subject to the laws of the State, and punished for misdemeanors and violations of law.
2. Indians required to have passes from Superintendent to leave reservation and reside on other lands.
 3. Sheriffs and other officers to remove all Indians not complying with preceding section.
 4. Act takes effect on passage.
 5. Repeals all Acts contravening its provisions.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Minnesota :

SECTION 1. That if any Indian or Indians shall enter upon the limits of this State, or cross the boundary line of their reservation, and there take, steal, or destroy any property, real or personal, belonging to any citizen or inhabitant of this State, or shall commit any murder, violence, or outrage upon any such citizen or inhabitant, or shall commit any crime, offence or misdemeanor whatever, recognized by the laws of this Indians off their reservations subject to the laws of the state

State as a crime, offence or misdemeanor, he or they shall be subject to the existing laws of this State, and shall be punished accordingly; *Provided*, These laws shall not extend to crimes committed by one Indian against the person or property of another Indian, except in the case of murder.

Passports required to go off reservation

SEC. 2. No Indian or Indians belonging to any tribe, band or bands whatever, within the limits of this State, shall be allowed to leave his or their reservations and cross the boundary line thereof, and go into or upon the lands, settlements and claims belonging to the white inhabitants, or build or erect any tent, tents or tepees upon any such lands as aforesaid, without having a passport from the Superintendent, Agent or Sub-Agent of Indian Affairs, or from the officer of the United States commanding the nearest military fort on the frontier; or shall remain intentionally therein after the expiration of such passport; *And be it further provided*, Such passport shall express the object, the time he or they are allowed to remain, and the route they shall travel, nor shall such passport confer upon any Indian or Indians the right or power for hunting or fishing on any such grounds as belong to the white inhabitants.

Officers to remove all (without) passports

SEC. 3. It shall be lawful for any Sheriff, Constable or any other county or town officer, to remove any Indian or Indians from lands, settlements or claims belonging to the white inhabitants, if he or they have not complied with the provisions of the foregoing section; and it shall moreover, be lawful, and shall be the duty of every peace officer in their respective counties and towns, in such cases as above stated, to call to their aid such persons or power as they may deem necessary.

SEC. 4. This Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

SEC. 5. All acts or parts of acts contravening the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

GEORGE BRADLEY,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

WILLIAM HOLCOMBE,

President of the Senate.

APPROVED—July twentieth, one thousand eight hundred and fifty-eight.

HENRY H. SIBLEY.

SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Minnesota, }

July 20, 1858. }

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FRANCIS BAASEN, Secretary of State.