

PRIVATE ACTS

OF THE

TERRITORY OF MINNESOTA.

CHAPTER 1.

An Act to provide for the payment of the expenses of the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota.

Nov. 1, 1849.

SECTION.

1. Payments out of the appropriation made by congress.

To judges and clerks of election.

J. W. Simpson; C. P. V. Lull; Postmaster; W. H. Forbes; J. Hughes.

J. C. Ramsey; L. A. Babcock; Henry A. Jackson; Giles D. Filley.

John Condon; Louis Roberts; St. Anthony Mill Co.; steamboat; George Wells.

Thomas Foster; R. Parker; H. W. Tracy & Co.; McBoal & Crumbacker.

C. M. Berg; Willoughby & Powers.

J. C. Ramsey; O. H. Kelly; Freeman, Larpenteur & Co.; J. P. Charles.

C. B. Bevins; C. W. Borup; Wm. Armstrong; S. Cook & Co.; Phillips & Co.

J. Frost; Johnson & Stockton.

Witness fees—Joseph Bessow, Alex. P. Bally, Oliver Crattl, Louis Rock, Samuel Whitman, Charles Reed, Francis LaPoint, William Smothers.

N. M'Lean; G. H. Pond; Louis M. Olivier; Joseph R. Brown; Rev. Mr. Hobart. Sergeant-at-Arms; Watson & Williams; H. D. White; James Graham.

SECTION.

William Fisher; Bustamelle.

J. Snyder; E. Booth; E. Brown; J. P. Charles.

Freight bill. Rent of Legislative rooms.

C. K. Smith; D. Olmsted; W. H. Forbes; S. Burkleo; D. B. Loomis; J. R. Brown; H. A. Lambert.

B. L. Sellors; Robert Cummings; Henry A. Glidden; D. D. Williams.

Joseph W. Furber; S. Trask; W. D. Phillips; L. B. Watte; J. P. Charles.

Jesse Taylor; Curtis Bellows; O. H. Kelley; David Hone; Henry Kennedy; A. E. McLeod; W. D. Phillips.

J. R. Brown; O. H. Kelley; Aaron V. Fryer;

Rev. Mr. Brown; Rev. Mr. Neill; Mr. Hoyt; Joseph R. Brown; Henry A. Lambert; Jas. M. Goodhue; J. P. Owens; Conway; B. E. Hutchinson; E. H. Dittmar.

J. M. Goodhue; M'Lean & Owens. James Hughes; Rev. Mr. Boutwell; Rev. Mr. Parsons; Rev. Mr. Neill; Rev. Hobart; Rev. Mr. Pond.

Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota, That there be paid out of the sum appropriated by congress for defraying the expenses of the legislative assembly of this Territory for the year ending on the first day of November, one thousand eight hundred and forty-nine:

Payments out of the appropriation made by Congress.

To judges and
clerks of election.

To sundry judges and clerks, for services at the general and special elections held in the Territory of Minnesota for the election of the Legislative Assembly thereof, three hundred and forty-three dollars and eighty cents.

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penses.

J. W. Simpson, for various articles furnished the legislature, as per bill, twenty-two dollars and eighty-two cents.

C. P. V. Lull, for desks, locks, book case, &c., for legislature, as per bill, one hundred and eighty one dollars.

J. W. Bass, postmaster, postage of members during the session of legislature, as per bill, two hundred and twenty dollars and forty-eight cents

W. H. Forbes, hauling wood for and furnishing various articles for legislature, as per bill, seventy-five dollars and fifty-two cents.

James Hughes, for publishing in Chronicle governor's proclamation, as per bill, one hundred and sixty-one dollars.

J. C. Ramsey, with an assistant, for going to and bringing from St. Louis twelve thousand nine hundred dollars in silver, twenty-six days' services for two, as per bill, one hundred and four dollars.

To L. A. Babcock, rent for committee room, as per bill, ten dollars.

Henry A. Jackson, to five volumes statutes of Wisconsin and rent for committee room for the legislature, as per bill, ten dollars.

To Giles D. Filley, of St. Louis, two box stoves No. 7 and pipe, bill, twenty-five dollars and eighty-eight cents.

To John Condon for a large table, as per bill, four dollars.

To Louis Roberts, for twenty-five cords wood, as per bill, fifty dollars.

To St. Anthony Mill Company, for lumber, as per bill, forty-two dollars and sixty cents.

To steamer Senator, freight on three barrels (*boxes*) books for library, one dollar and fifty cents.

To George Wells, for drayage, one dollar and twenty-five cents.

To Thomas Foster, librarian, as per bill, one hundred and sixty-five dollars.

To Rodney Parker, for room rent, twenty-eight dollars.

To H. W. Tracy & Co., for pen knives furnished council, five dollars and fifty cents.

To McBoal & Crumbacker, oil, painting desks, chairs, tables, furnishing materials, &c., for council and house of representatives, eighty-six dollars and ninety cents.

To Chas. M. Berg, for work, five dollars.

To Willoughby & Powers, horse hire, as per bill, three dollars.

To J. C. Ramsey, for stationery, ink, paper, &c., as per bill, seven hundred dollars.

To O. H. Kelly, for assisting in putting up house of representatives, carrying boxes to library room, three dollars and fifty cents.

To Freeman, Larpenteur & Co., for clock for house of representatives, freight on stoves, candlesticks, shovel and tongs, freight on books for territorial library, &c., as per bill, seventy-five dollars and thirty cents.

To J. P. Charles, for tables, chairs (four dozen,) map of world, window blinds, &c., as per bill, one hundred and fifty-four dollars and seventy-five cents.

To C. B. Bevins, putting up two stoves, two drum drawers, as per bill, seven dollars and twenty cents.

To C. W. Borup, for ten (*one hundred*) yards carpeting, two

stoves, eight-day clock for council, spittoons, suspension lamps, sperm candles, &c., as per bill, two hundred and forty-five dollars and four cents.

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penses.

To William Armstrong, for services as messenger, making fires, cutting wood, &c., twenty-five dollars.

To S. Cook & Co., for one extra concrete safe, two boxes candles, as per bill, one hundred and eighty-six dollars.

To Phillips & Co., for copying press, records, paper, ink, &c., as per bill, one hundred and seven dollars and sixty-five cents.

To J. Frost, for cushions, stands, tables, &c. for house, eighty dollars.

To Johnson & Stockton, one dozen cast iron inkstands, two dollars and twenty-five cents.

Witness fees in contested election case between H. D. White and J. Wells, to wit:

Joseph Bessow, two days, two dollars.

Alex. P. Bailly, two days, two dollars.

Oliver Cratti, two days, two dollars.

Louis Rock, two days, two dollars.

Samuel Whitman, two days, two dollars.

Charles Reed, two days, two dollars.

Francis La Point, one day, one dollar.

William Smothers, one day, one dollar.

N. McLean, for bust of Gen. Z. Taylor, President of the United States, for the use of library, five dollars.

G. H. Pond, for six candlesticks, two dollars.

Louis M. Olivier, for translating governor's message into French language, one hundred dollars.

Joseph R. Brown, for twenty-four copies of journal of Wisconsin furnished to the legislative Assembly, twelve dollars.

Rev. Mr. Hobart, for seventeen days for services as chaplain to house, fifty-one dollars.

That the sum of two dollars and fifty cents be paid to the sergent-at-arms for horse and buggy hire, whilst acting under orders of the house.

To Watson & Williams, of St. Louis, Missouri, for nine large blank books for the use of the Territory, and other small books, one hundred and forty-one dollars.

That the sum of fifty dollars be allowed to H. D. White, for per diem and mileage, from the time that said H. D. White filed his petition for a seat in this house until the question of the right to his seat was decided.

To James Graham, seven and one-half reams of paper, as per bill, twenty-two dollars.

To William Fisher, Washington city, stationery, as per bill, fifteen dollars and sixty cents.

To Bustamelle, Washington city, writing desk, &c., as per bill, six dollars and fifty cents.

To J. Snyder, for furnishing sheet iron, painting and gilding sign to secretary's office, as per bill, three dollars and forty-five cents.

To E. Booth, for erecting flag staff in front of capitol with ropes, &c., forty dollars.

To E. Brown, for platforms for use of speakers in house and council, ten dollars.

To J. P. Charles, for assisting, fitting, superintending, and arranging the council chamber and House, as per bill, twenty dollars.

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penses.

To freight bill for safe, stationery, &c., as per bill, eighty-six dollars and eighty-seven cents.

Rent of legislative rooms, &c., two hundred and seventy-five dollars.

To C. K. Smith, indexing, inserting marginal notes, glossary of law terms, and distributing the laws, superintending the public property of the Territory, superintending generally, and purchasing various articles for the use of the legislative assembly, and transporting the same, &c.; renting rooms; for extra labor and service done in transcribing and furnishing extra copies of the laws, memorials, and resolutions of the legislature not provided for by the organic law, but directed by the legislature, five hundred dollars.

D. Olmstead, as president of the council twenty-seven days, eighty-one dollars.

Win. H. Forbes, as president of the council pro tem. thirty days, ninety days (*dollars.*)

S. Burkleo, as president of the council pro tem. two days, six dollars.

D. B. Loomis, as president of council one day, three dollars.

J. R. Brown, secretary of council, sixty days, one hundred and eighty dollars.

H. A. Lambert as assistant secretary of council, sixty days, one hundred and eighty dollars.

B. L. Sellors, sergeant-at-arms of council, sixty days, one hundred and eighty dollars.

Robert Cummings, messenger to the council, fifty-nine days one hundred and seventy-seven days (*dollars.*)

Henry A. Glidden, messenger to the council, two days, six dollars.

D. D. Williams, fireman to the council, fifty-eight days, one hundred and seventy-four dollars.

Joseph W. Furber, speaker of the house, fifty-eight days, one hundred and seventy-four dollars.

S. Trask, speaker of the house pro tem., two days, six dollars.

W. D. Phillips, chief clerk of the house, sixty days, one hundred and eighty dollars.

L. B. Waite, Assistant clerk of the house, fifty-eight days, one hundred and seventy-four dollars.

J. P. Charles, assistant clerk of the house, two days, six dollars.

Jesse Taylor, sergeant-at-arms of the house, fifty-eight days, one hundred and seventy-four dollars.

Curtis Bellows, sergeant-at-arms of the house pro tem., two days, six dollars.

O. H. Kelly, messenger to the house, sixty days, one hundred and eighty dollars.

David Houe, fireman of the house, forty-four days, one hundred and thirty-two dollars.

Henry Kennedy, fireman of the House pro tem., fourteen days, forty-two dollars.

A. R. McLeod, fireman to the house pro tem., two days, six dollars.

W. D. Phillips, for bringing up journal and indexing, two hundred dollars.

J. R. Brown, for bringing up journal and indexing, two hundred dollars.

O. H. Kelly, as clerk for judiciary committee, twenty-five dollars.

Aaron V. Freyer, enrolling clerk, two hundred and forty-three dollars.

The sum of six dollars to the Rev. Mr. Brown, for officiating as chaplain to the house of representatives, two days. Legislative expenses.

That there be allowed to the Rev. Mr. Neill sixty dollars for services as chaplain for the house of representatives at the present session.

To Mr. Hoyt, for services as chaplain, two days, six dollars.

To Joseph R. Brown for enrolling and engrossing, one hundred dollars.

To Henry A Lambert, for enrolling and engrossing, one hundred dollars.

To James M. Goodhue, for printing one million ems, one dollar twenty-five cents, twelve hundred and fifty dollars.

Three hundred and fifty-four tokens press work, one dollar twenty-five cents, five hundred and two dollars and fifty cents.

One hundred and twelve reams of paper, four dollars, four hundred and forty-eight dollars.

Folding and stitching, fifty-nine dollars and sixty-eight cents.

To J. P. Evans (*Owens*), for assisting counters, one dollar.

To Conway, for assisting counters, one dollar.

To B. E. Hutchinson, for assisting counters, one dollar.

To E. H. Ditmars, for assisting counters, one dollar.

To J. M. Goodhue, for newspapers for members, two hundred and thirty-five dollars.

To M'Lean & Owens, for incidental printing for the present session of the legislative assembly, three hundred and thirty-two dollars and ten cents.

For printing proclamations, stationery, &c., for this session of the legislature, four hundred and ten dollars; making in all seven hundred and forty-two dollars and ten cents.

To James Hughes, for publishing in the Chronicle governor's proclamation, as per bill, one hundred and sixty-one dollars.

To the Rev. Wm. T. Boutwell, for services as chaplain to the council, twenty-six days, seventy-eight dollars.

To the Rev. Mr. Parsons, for same services, nine days, twenty-seven dollars.

To the Rev. Mr. Neill, for services as chaplain, six days, eighteen dollars.

To the Rev. Mr. Hobart, for services as chaplain, one day, three dollars.

To the Rev. Mr. Pond, for services as chaplain, two days, six dollars.

Approved Nov. 1, 1849.

CHAPTER 2.

An Act to dissolve the marriage contract between Catharine Hathaway and her husband.

Nov. 1, 1849.

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*Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Minnesota,* That the marriage contract heretofore existing between Catharine Hathaway and her husband, Isaac Hathaway, be, and the same is hereby dissolved; and the said parties are hereby restored to all the rights and privileges of unmarried persons.

Divorce of Catharine Hathaway from her husband.

Approved Nov. 1, 1849.