

SEC. 4. That upon receipt of such report by the state auditor, he shall, upon demand of the county treasurer of said Nicollet county, draw his order or orders in favor of said county treasurer on the state treasurer for moneys belonging to said fund to the amount of four hundred dollars, and the state treasurer shall pay over such moneys to said county treasurer upon said orders, and such moneys shall be disbursed by said county treasurer upon the orders of said board of county commissioners, towards paying off the cost of constructing said bridge.

SEC. 5. This act shall take effect from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1874.

CHAPTER CLIX.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO AID THE COUNTIES OF YELLOW AND CHIPPEWA IN THE CONSTRUCTION OF A BRIDGE ACROSS THE MINNESOTA RIVER.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of eight hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury belonging to the internal improvement fund, or out of any moneys which shall hereafter come into the treasury belonging to said fund, not already appropriated, for the completion of a bridge across the Minnesota river, at Minnesota Falls, and in the counties aforesaid.

SEC. 2. That said bridge shall be constructed and completed under the direction of S. S. Russell of Yellow Medicine county, L. R. Moyer of Chippewa county, and William Reed of Renville county, who shall constitute a board of commissioners for such purpose. A majority of whom may act, after reasonable notice of the time and place of the meeting of said commissioners shall have been served by the said S. S. Russell upon the other two. No part of said appropriation shall be paid until the bridge shall be completed and ready for travel.

SEC. 3. That W. F. Dickinson of Redwood, Browning Nichols of Lac qui Parle, and Ole Landie of Yellow Medicine county, are hereby appointed a committee to view said bridge when completed,

to examine all contracts, accounts and vouchers respecting its construction, and the cost thereof, and to ascertain, compute and fix upon the cost of building said bridge, and make a report of such cost to the state auditor.

SEC. 4. That any two members of said committee may act in the premises, in the absence of the other member thereof, after due notice to him of the time and place of meeting, and a decision of a majority of those present shall be legal and binding upon all parties concerned.

SEC. 5. That upon the receipt of the report of the auditing committee by the state auditor, he shall, upon the order of the commissioners herein first named, or a majority of them, draw his warrant in favor of the person or persons named in the order of said commissioners upon the state treasurer for the moneys belonging to said fund to the amount of the cost of said bridge as reported by said committee, and the state treasurer shall pay over such moneys according to the terms of this act; *Provided*, The sum shall not in the aggregate exceed eight hundred dollars.

SEC. 3. The said bridge, after its completion, shall be kept in good condition by the counties in which the same shall be situated, and shall remain a free bridge forever.

SEC. 7. This act is hereby declared a general law and shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 5, 1874.

CHAPTER CLX.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO BUILD A BRIDGE ACROSS THE CHIPPEWA RIVER IN THE COUNTY OF POPE.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of eight hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the treasury belonging to the internal improvement fund, or out of the first moneys which shall come into the treasury belonging to said fund, to build a substantial bridge across the Chippewa River at or near a point where the county road leading from Chippewa Falls in Pope county, to Hancock in Stevens county,