

## CHAPTER 157.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO PAY THE CLAIM OF MARY RITCHIE AGAINST THE UNITED STATES, AS HEREIN SPECIFIED.

WHEREAS, During the year A. D. one thousand eight hundred and sixty-two (1862), Mary Ritchie, then living in Blue Earth county, Minnesota, had property to the amount of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), which was taken from the said Mary Ritchie, and used by the United States soldiers, or otherwise destroyed.

Appropriation  
to Mary  
Ritchie.

AND WHEREAS, Said Mary Ritchie has never received any compensation whatever therefor; therefore,

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250), be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury, belonging to the general revenue fund, not otherwise appropriated, to pay the claim of said Mary Ritchie against the United States.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

When act to  
take effect.

Approved March 3, 1877.

## CHAPTER 158.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE INDIGENT INSANE.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of one hundred thousand dollars (\$100,000); or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated for the current expenses of the Minnesota hospital for the insane, the same to be paid on warrants drawn by the president and countersigned by the secretary of the board of trustees of that institution; and that on the

Appropriation  
for the insane.

presentation of such warrants on the State Auditor, it shall be his duty to draw warrants on the State Treasurer for like amounts. Such money to be expended under the direction of the board of trustees of the Minnesota hospital for insane. *Provided*, that the sum herein appropriated shall be drawn monthly in advance upon the estimated expenses for said institution.

When act to  
take effect.

SEC. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved February 21, 1877.

### CHAPTER 159.

AN ACT [FOR AN ACT] TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR THE GENERAL EXPENSES OF THE STATE GOVERNMENT FOR THE YEAR ONE THOUSAND EIGHT HUNDRED AND SEVENTY-SEVEN (1877).

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

General appro-  
priation bill.

SECTION 1. That the following sums of money, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the State treasury belonging to the general revenue fund, not otherwise appropriated, for the general expenses of the State government for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877):

Salaries of  
judges.

*First.*—For salaries of judges, in addition to amount appropriated by chapter one hundred and fourteen (114) of General Laws of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four (1874); ten thousand and five hundred dollars (\$10,500).

Contingent  
funds.

*Second.*—For executive contingent fund, for State purposes and incidental expenses of the Governor's office, three thousand dollars (\$3,000).

*Third.*—For incidental expenses of Secretary of State's office, four hundred dollars (\$400).

*Fourth.*—For incidental expenses of the State Auditor's office, five hundred dollars (\$500).

*Fifth.*—For incidental expenses of the State Treasurer's office, two hundred dollars (\$200).

*Sixth.*—For incidental expenses, mileage, and per diem, as allowed by law, of the Attorney General, one thousand dollars (\$1000).