

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).

Seventh.—For incidental expenses of the Adjutant General's office, one hundred dollars (\$100).

Eighth.—For incidental expenses of the Insurance Commissioner's office, three hundred dollars (\$300).

Ninth.—For incidental expenses of the Railroad Commissioner's office, three hundred dollars (\$300). *Provided*, this shall be in lieu of all clerk hire.

Tenth.—For incidental expenses of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, five hundred dollars (\$500).

Eleventh.—For incidental expenses of the State library, three hundred dollars (\$300).

Twelfth.—For incidental expenses of the supreme court, five hundred dollars (\$500).

Thirteenth.—For the payment of costs in suits instituted by the Attorney General in behalf of the State, three hundred dollars (\$300), payable upon the order of the Attorney General.

Fourteenth.—For the purchase of law books for the State library, one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Law books.

Fifteenth.—For two hundred (200) copies of volume twenty-four (24) of supreme court reports, twelve hundred dollars (\$1,200).

Sixteenth.—For clerk hire for the Governor, one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Seventeenth.—For the purchase of paper for public printing, five thousand dollars (\$5,000). Paper and stationery.

Eighteenth.—For the purchase of stationery for the Legislature and State officers, two thousand dollars (\$2,000).

Nineteenth.—For printing and binding, as provided by contract for the five (5) classes of printing and advertising for the various State offices and departments, twenty-five thousand dollars (\$25,000). Printing.

Twentieth.—For preparing and indexing the general and special laws, two hundred dollars (\$200). Indexing.

Twenty-first.—For salary of the insurance commissioner's clerk, one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Insurance clerk.

Twenty-second.—For selecting, examining, appraising and selling State lands and making plats, and for scaling [sealing] and appraising pine timber and detecting trespass upon State lands, five thousand dollars (\$5,000). State lands.

Twenty-third.—For selecting and examining university lands, one thousand dollars (\$1,000).

Twenty-fourth.—For payment of sheriffs for conveying convicts to the State prison, two thousand dollars (\$2,000). Sheriffs.

Twenty-fifth.—For payment of expenses of requisitions for absconding criminals, two thousand dollars (\$2,000), payable upon the order of the Governor.

Twenty-sixth.—For salary of clerk in the office of the Secretary of State, one thousand dollars (\$1,000). Secretary of State's clerk.

Twenty-seventh.—For the support of the Minnesota Historical Society, three thousand dollars (\$3,000). Historical Society.

- State Board of Health.** *Twenty-eighth.*—For expenses of the State Board of Health, one thousand dollars (\$1,000).
- Mileage and express.** *Twenty-ninth.*—For payment of mileage of county treasurers, and express charges in the conveyance of State funds and bonds, seven hundred dollars (\$700).
- Rent.** *Thirtieth.*—For rent of house for Governor, eight hundred dollars (\$800).
Thirty-first.—For rent of arsenal, three hundred and fifty dollars (\$350).
Thirty-second.—For repairs and furnishing the State capitol, two thousand five hundred dollars (\$2,500).
Thirty-third.—For carpet for representative hall, five hundred and eighty-nine dollars and twenty cents (\$589.20).
- Vault.** *Thirty-fourth.*—For building a vault for the office of the surveyor of logs and lumber of the second district, five hundred dollars (\$500).
- Banks.** *Thirty-fifth.*—For expenses of making an examination of the several State banks and savings banks, three hundred dollars (\$300).
- Fuel and light.** *Thirty-sixth.*—For fuel and light, water, ice, etc., for capitol, three thousand five hundred dollars (\$3,500).
- Laws in newspapers.** *Thirty-seventh.*—For publishing the general laws in the newspapers, except the codification of the school laws, nine thousand dollars (\$9,000).
- School laws.** *Thirty-eighth.*—For publishing ten thousand (10,000) copies of the school laws in pamphlet form, for the use of school districts and county officers, with such blank forms and opinions of the Attorney General as may be selected by the Superintendent of Public Instruction, eight hundred dollars (\$800).
- Swamp lands.** *Thirty-ninth.*—To F. E. Snow, for selecting swamp lands, and making and delivering certified list of said selections to the State, at the rate of one dollar (\$1) for each one thousand (1,000) acres so selected, three hundred dollars (\$300).
- Miscellaneous.** *Fortieth.*—To Stees Brothers, for chairs for Senate and House of Representatives, sixty-one dollars and fifty cents (\$61.50).
Forty-first.—For incidental expenses of the commissioner of statistics, two hundred dollars (\$200).
Forty-second.—To H. H. Schroeder, for repairing and furnishing chairs for the Senate and House, one hundred and twelve dollars and fifty-five cents (\$112.55).
- When act to take effect.** **Sec. 2.** This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 2, 1877.