CHAPTER 164.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO DEFRAY CURRENT EXPENSES OF STATE NORMAL SCHOOLS.

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

Appropriation for the State normal schools.

That the sum of fifteen thousand dollars SECTION I. (\$15,000), in addition to the sum now allowed by law for the year one thousand eight hundred and seventy-seven (1877), and annually thereafter, be and the same is hereby appropriated, out of any money not otherwise appropriated, for defraying the current expenses of the State normal schools, as follows : For the State normal school at Winona. the sum of seven thousand dollars (\$7,000); for the State normal school at Mankato, the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000); for the State normal school at Saint Cloud, the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000); the same to be paid on requisition drawn by the president and countersigned by the secretary of the State normal school board, and that on the presentation of such requisitions to the State Auditor, it shall be his duty to draw warrants on the State Treasurer for a like amount, such money to be expended under the direction of the normal board, as provided by law.

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

Approved February 14, 1877.

CHAPTER 165.

AN AUT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR THE SUPPORT OF THE STATE REFORM SCHOOL, AND FOR THE MAINTE-NANCE OF SOLDIERS' ORPHANS OF THIS STATE.

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

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 State institutions fund not otherwise appropria- Appropriation ted, for the following purposes:

First.-For the current expenses of the State Reform and soldiers School, twenty-seven thousand dollars (\$27,000).

Second.—For the maintenance of soldiers' orphans in this State, fourteen thousand dollars (\$14,000).

The several sums hereby appropriated shall be Sec. 2. payable upon the order of the president, countersigned by the secretary of the board of trustees of each of said institutions respectively, and said orders shall be drawn at the end of each month for the expenses of such month; and upon presentation of such orders to the State Auditor, he shall draw a warrant on the State treasury for the amount specified in each of said orders.

This act shall take effect and be in force from and When act to take effect. Sec. 3. after its passage.

Approved March 3, 1877.

CHAPTER 166.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY FOR CERTAIN PURPOSES.

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

SECTION 1. That the following sums of money, or so much Appropriation thereof as may be necessary, be and the same are hereby for deficiencies appropriated out of any moneys in the State treasury belonging to the generel revenue fund not otherwise appropriated:

First.-For printing, advertising and binding, deficiency of one thousand eight hundred and seventy six (1876), eight' thousand one hundred and fifty-four dollars and seventyseven cents (\$8,154.77).

Second.—For publishing laws in newspapers, deficiency of one thousand eight hundred and seventy-six (1876), four hundred and four dollars and ten cents (\$404.10).

Third.—For rent of arsenal, deficiency of eighteen hundred and seventy-six (1876), one hundred dollars (\$100).

Fourth.-To Metcalf and Brown, for stationery furnished Miscellaneous railroad commissioner in one thousand eight hundred seventy- appropriations four (1874), twenty-seven dollars and twenty-eight cents (\$27.28).

, Fifth.—For administering oaths in pension and bounty. 33

for the State reform school orphans.