

## CHAPTER 198.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO BUILD A BRIDGE ACROSS CANNON RIVER, IN THE COUNTY OF RICE.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated out of the internal improvement fund in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, or which may hereafter come into the state treasury to the credit of said internal improvement fund, for the purpose of building a substantial bridge across the Cannon river, at or near Scotts mill, in the town of Cannon City, in the county of Rice.

SEC. 2. Said bridge shall be built under the direction of the board county commissioners of said county of Rice, and no part of said appropriation shall be paid until said bridge is completed and ready for use.

SEC. 3. That R. H. Scott, John Godfrey and John W. Damp, of said county of Rice, are hereby appointed a committee on the part of the state, to view said bridge when completed, and examine all contracts, vouchers and accounts relating thereto and the cost thereof, and to ascertain the cost of building said bridge, and make a report of such cost to the state auditor. That any two (2) of said committee may act, and in case two (2) of said committee cannot be found to act, the county auditor of Rice county shall notify the governor of the state of the fact, who shall by appointment fill any vacancy in said committee.

SEC. 4. That upon the receipt of said report by the state auditor, he shall, upon demand of the treasurer of Rice county, draw his order or orders in favor of said county treasurer on the state treasurer for moneys belonging to said fund for the cost of said bridge as reported by said committee, in amount not to exceed twenty-five hundred dollars (\$2,500), and the state treasurer shall pay over such money to the treasurer of Rice county upon such order or orders, and such money shall be distributed by such county treasurer upon the order of said board of county commissioners in payment of the cost of said bridge.

SEC. 5. That the said bridge when erected shall be kept in repair by said town of Cannon City and free from tolls.

SEC. 6. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 6, 1883.