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VICTORIÆ REGINÆ.

CAP. XXV.

AN ACT to Provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature.

[Passed 12th May, 1856.]

WHEREAS it is expedient to provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature of this Colony during the present Session:— Preamble

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor, Legislative Council and Assembly, as follows:—

I.—That from and out of such Monies as shall from time to time remain in the hands of the Receiver General, and unappropriated, there be granted to Her Majesty the sum of Five Thousand Three Hundred and Sixty Three Pounds Five Shillings and One Penny, to be applied towards remunerating the Officers of the Legislature for their services, and towards defraying the Contingent Expenses of the Legislative Council and the House of Assembly during the present Session, as follows:— £5363 5s. 1d. granted to defray the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature.

The Clerk of the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Sixty Five Pounds. Clerk of Council

The Master-in-Chancery attending the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Forty Pounds. Master-in-Chancery

The Usher of the Black Rod, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred Pounds. Usher of Black Rod

The Door Keeper of the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, Fifty Pounds. Door Keeper

The Assistant Door Keeper and Messenger of the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, Twenty Five Pounds. Assistant Door Keeper

Messenger	The Messenger of the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, Twenty Pounds.
Clerk's Contingencies	The Clerk of the Legislative Council to defray the Contingent Expenses of his office, during the present Session, One Hundred and Eighty Seven Pounds Four Shillings and One Penny.
Ditto of Usher of Black Rod	The Usher of the Black Rod to defray the Contingent Expenses of his office, during the present Session, Seven Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Seven Pence.
Reporter of Council	The Reporter to the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Twenty Five Pounds.
Publishers of Debates	The Proprietor of the "Newfoundlander" for Publishing the Debates and Proceedings of the Legislative Council, Forty Five Pounds. The Proprietor of the "Courier" for Publishing the Debates and Proceedings of the Legislative Council, the sum of Forty Five Pounds.
Journals	Joseph Woods, balance for Printing and Binding Journals of last Session, Fifty Three Pounds Seventeen Shillings and Six Pence; and for probable cost of Printing and Binding Journals for the present Session, One Hundred and Sixty Pounds.
Publishers of Debates	The Proprietor of the "Express," for copying Debates of the Legislative Council, Thirty Pounds. The Proprietor of the "Public Ledger," for copying Debates of the present Session, Thirty Pounds.
Robert Rodger	Robert Rodger, late Reporter to the Legislative Council, in full, Ten Pounds.
James Seaton	James Seaton, late Reporter and Publisher to the Legislative Council, in full, Twenty Pounds.
John Higgins	John Higgins, attending Hot-air Stove, Ten Pounds.
Edward Delany	Edward Delany, for a Chart, Six Pounds Six Shillings.
Legislative Library	Required for Books for the Legislative Library, Fifty Pounds.
James J. Graham	James J. Graham, Two Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Seven Pence.
Speaker House of Assembly	The Speaker of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Two Hundred Pounds.
Clerk	The Clerk of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Two Hundred Pounds, and for Indexing and Superintending the Printing of the Journals; and Twenty Five Pounds for transmitting copies of the Journals to the Colonial Office.
Clerk Assistant	The Clerk Assistant, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred Pounds.
Solicitor	The Solicitor, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds.
Sergeant-at-Arms	To the Sergeant-at-Arms, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred Pounds.
Door Keeper	To the Door Keeper of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Forty Five Pounds.
Messenger	To the Messenger of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Forty Pounds.
Under Door Keeper	To the Under Door Keeper of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Thirty Five Pounds.
Outer Door Keeper	To the Outer Door Keeper, for his services during the present Session, Fifteen Pounds.
Assistant Door Keeper &c	To the Assistant Door Keeper, Messenger and Attendant of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Fifteen Pounds.

To the Assistant Messenger and Fireman, Fifteen Pounds.	Assistant Messenger, &c
To the Reporters and Publishers of the Debates of the House of Assembly, for their services, as follows :	Reporters & Publishers of Debates
Edward Morris, and Assistant, One Hundred and Ninety Pounds; and George Webber, Thirty Five Pounds.	
Proprietor of "Newfoundlander," Sixty Pounds.	
Proprietor of the "Courier," Sixty Pounds.	
To Twenty Nine Members of the House of Assembly, Speaker not included, the sum of Thirteen Hundred and Eighty Six Pounds: being Forty Two Pounds each, for Twenty One Members resident in St. John's, and Sixty Three Pounds each for Eight Outport Members not resident in St. John's, for their attendance during the present Session.	Members' Pay
To the Proprietors of the "Patriot" Press, for Printing Bills and Miscellaneous Papers during the present Session, Three Hundred and Thirty Three Pounds Nine Shillings and Six Pence.	Miscellaneous Printing
To the Proprietors of the "Newfoundlander" Newspaper, estimate for Printing Journals and Appendix of the House of Assembly, for the present Session, Three Hundred Pounds; and balance for Printing Journals and Appendix of last Session, Twenty Eight Pounds Fifteen Shillings.	Journals
To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, to defray the Contingent Expenses of his office, One Hundred and Seventy Six Pounds Six Shillings and Six Pence.	Contingencies of Clerk
To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, to defray the Contingent Expenses of the Legislative Library, Sixty Seven Pounds Fourteen Shillings and Seven Pence.	
To the Serjeant-at-Arms, to defray the Contingent Expenses of his office, pursuant to the Report of the Select Committee of the House of Assembly upon Contingencies, Sixty Three Pounds Eleven Shillings.	Serjeant-at-Arms' Contingencies
To the Chairman of Supply, Fifty Pounds.	Chairman Supply
To Richard Holden, Junr., for services during the present Session, Sixty Pounds.	R. Holden, Jr
To the Chairman of Audit, Fifty Pounds.	Chairman Audit
To James L. Prendergast and John Hayward, Esquires, for Auditing the Public Accounts, One Hundred Pounds, being Fifty Pounds each.	Auditing Accounts
To defray the following Accounts:—	
Thomas McConnan for Stationery, Forty Seven Pounds Sixteen Shillings.	Accounts
J. J. Graham, Twenty Three Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Ten Pence.	
St. John's and Carbonear Telegraph Company, Forty Three Pounds.	
Dicks and Brace, binding Journals, Twenty Four Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Nine Pence.	
Post Office, St. John's, Fifteen Pounds and Two Pence.	
To James Bayly, for compiling Statistics in reference to the Trade of this Country with Foreign Countries, Twenty Five Pounds.	

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