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Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1852.

15 Victoria – Chapter 20

An Act to provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature. (Passed 14th June, 1852.)

Whereas it is expedient to provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature during the present Session:

Be it therefore enacted by the Governor, Council and Assembly, in Legislative Session convened, That from and out of such Monies as shall from time to time remain in the hands of the Treasurer, and unappropriated, there be granted to Her Majesty, Her Heirs and Successors, the Sum of Four Thousand Eight Hundred and Fifty-two Pounds, Nineteen Shillings and Eleven Pence, to be applied towards remunerating the Officers of the Legislature for their services, and towards defraying the Contingent Expenses of Her Majesty's Council and the House of Assembly during the present Session, as follows: The Clerk of Her Majesty's Council, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds; and a further sum of Twenty- five Pounds for extra services owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

The Master-in-Chancery attending Her Majesty's Council, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred Pounds; and a further sum of Twenty-five Pounds for Extra Services owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

The Usher of the Black Rod, for his services during the present Session, Eighty-five Pounds; and a further sum of Twenty-five Pounds owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

The Doorkeeper of Her Majesty's Council for his services during the present Session, Forty-five Pounds; and a further sum of Five Pounds for extra set vices owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

The Assistant Doorkeeper and Messenger of Her Majesty's Council, for his services during the present Session, Twenty Pounds; and a further sum of Five Pounds for extra services owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

To Mr. William J. Ward for Publishing the Reports, Twenty-five Pounds; and a further sqm of Twenty Pounds for extra services owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

To Harcourt Mooney for Reporting Proceedings of Her Majesty's Council, during the present Session, Thirty Pounds; and a further sum of Twenty-five Pounds for extra services owing to the length of the present Session of the Legislature.

For Printing and Binding the Journals of Her Majesty's Council, the present Session, One Hundred and Twenty Pounds.

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To the Clerk of Her Majesty's Council, to defray the Contingent Expenses of his Office, One Hundred and Ninety-five Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Three Pence.

To the Usher of the Black Rod, to defray the Contingent Expenses of his Office, One Hundred and Four Pounds and Eighteen Shillings.

To the Honorable the Speaker of the House of Assembly for his services during the present Session, Two Hundred Pounds.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly for his services, and for indexing and superintending the Printing of the Journals, during the present Session, Two Hundred Pounds, and Twenty-five Pounds for transmitting copies of Journals to the Colonial Office; and a further sum of Fifty Pounds for extra services during the present Session.

To the Clerk Assistant for his services during the present Session, One Hundred Pounds; and the further sum of Fifty Pounds for extra services during the last and present Sessions.

To the Sergeant-at-Arms for his services during the present Session, One Hundred Pounds; and the further sum of Thirty-three Pounds in consequence of the length of the past and present Sessions.

To the Solicitor for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Fifty Pounds; and the further sum of Fifty Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Doorkeeper of the House of Assembly for his services during the present Session, Forty-five Pounds; and the further sum of Five Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Messenger of the House of Assembly for his services during the present Session, Forty Pounds; and the further sum of Five Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Under Doorkeeper of the House of Assembly for his services during the present session, Thirtyfive Pounds; and the further sum of Five Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Assistant Doorkeeper, Messenger and Attendant of the Rouse of Assembly for his services during the present Session, Fifteen Pounds; and the further sum of Five Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Outer Doorkeeper for his services during the present Session, Fifteen Pounds; and the further sum of Five Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Librarian of the Legislature, Fifty Pounds.

To John Higgins for attending the fires in the Colonial Building the present Session, Fifteen Pounds; and the further sum of Five Pounds for extra services during the past and present Sessions.

To the Reporters of the House of Assembly for their services during the present Session, as follows: to James Seaton, One Hundred Pounds, and Fifty Pounds for extra services owing to the length of the present session; and to Thomas Talbot, One Hundred Pounds.

To Thirteen Members of the House of Assembly (Speaker not included) the sum of Six Hundred and Seventy-two Pounds, being Forty- two Pounds each for Seven Members resident in Saint John's, and Sixty- three Pounds each for Six Outport Members not resident in Saint John's, for their services during the present Session.

To the Proprietors of the Patriot Press for Printing Bills and Miscellaneous Papers during the present Session, Three Hundred and Thirty- three Pounds and Six Shillings.

To the Proprietors of the Newfoundlander Newspaper, estimate for Printing Journals and Appendix of the House of Assembly for the present Session, Two Hundred and Fifty Pounds; and balance on last year's Journals, One Hundred and Forty-three Pounds Fifteen Shillings and Ten Pence.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly to defray the Contingent Expenses of his Office, pursuant to the Report of the Select Committee of the House of Assembly upon Contingencies, Three Hundred and Fifty- nine Pounds Twelve Shillings and Three Pence; and to defray Contingent Expenses of the Legislative Library, Fifty Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Six Pence.

To the Sergeant-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, Two Hundred and Seventy-four Pounds Fifteen Shillings and One Penny.

To the Chairman of the Committee of Audit, Fifty Pounds.

To the Chairman of the Committee of Supply, Fifty Pounds.

To William R. Noad for furnishing Plans of the Towns of Harbour Grace and Carbonear, Twenty Pounds.

To the Proprietor of the Corning Post, Newspaper, in full for all claims for Publishing Reports of Proceedings of the House of Assembly, Seventy- five Pounds, being Forty Pounds according to Contract, and Thirty-five Pounds as a Gratuity for extra services.

To Daniel P. Marett and another, for preparing Statements of Imports and Exports for the House of Assembly, the sum of Forty Pounds.

To His Excellency the Governor or the Administrator of the Government, towards providing Coals for Her Majesty's Council and the House of Assembly, the next Session, Seventy-five Pounds.