

Laws of Her Majesty's Province of Newfoundland, passed in the year 1857.

20 Victoria – Chapter 10

An Act to Provide for the Contingent Expenses of the Legislature. (Passed 17th March, 1857.)

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

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 Nine Hundred and Forty-Six Pounds Thirteen Shillings and Five Pence, 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:—

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

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

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

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

The Messenger of the Legislative Council, for his services during the present Session, Twenty Pounds.

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

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.

The Proprietor of the "Ledger," for copying Debates of the Legislative Council, Thirty Pounds.

The Proprietor of the "Express," for copying Debates of the Legislative Council, Thirty Pounds.

Joseph Woods, balance of Account for Printing and Binding Journals of last Session, Thirty Eight Pounds and Eight Pence; and for probable cost of Printing-and Binding Journals of present Session, One Hundred and Eighty Pounds.

Expenses of Delegates to England, from the Council, Six Hundred Pounds.

The Clerk of the Legislative Council to defray the Contingent Expenses of his office, during the present Session, Two Hundred and Six Pounds Nineteen Shillings and Five Pence.

The Usher of the Black Rod to defray the Contingent Expenses of his office, during the present Session, Twenty Six Pounds Eighteen Shillings and Three Pence.

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

The Clerk of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Two Hundred and Fifty 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.

The Clerk Assistant, for his services during the present Session, One. Hundred and Twenty Five Pounds.

The Solicitor, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Seventy Five Pounds.

To the Sergeant-at-Arms, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Twenty Five Pounds.

To the Door Keeper of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Forty Five Pounds.

To the Messenger of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, Forty Pounds.

To the Outer Door Keeper, for his services during the present Session, Fifteen Pounds.

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, Thirty pounds.

To Edward Morris, Reporter of the Debates of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred and Twenty-five pounds.

To Archibald Emerson, Assistant Reporter of the Debates of the House of Assembly, for his services during the present Session, One Hundred pounds.

Proprietor of "Newfoundlander," Sixty pounds, for Publishing Debates of the Assembly during the present Session.

Proprietor of the "Courier," Sixty pounds, for Publishing Debates of the Assembly during the present Session.

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.

To the Proprietors of the "Patriot" Press, for Printing Bills and Miscellaneous Papers during the present Session, Two Hundred and Forty-six pounds Seven shillings.

To the Proprietors of the "Newfoundlander" Newspaper, estimate for Printing Journals and Appendix of the House of Assembly, for the present Session, Three Hundred and Fifty pounds; and Sixty-one pounds Seventeen shillings and Six pence, balance for Printing Journals and Appendix of last Session.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, to defray the Contingent Expenses of his Office, for the present Session, Two Hundred and Sixty-four pounds Sixteen shillings and Eight pence.

To the Clerk of the House of Assembly, to defray the Contingent Expenses of the Legislative Library, Sixty-three pounds Thirteen shillings and Two 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, Seventeen pounds and Nine pence.
To the Chairman of Supply, Fifty pounds.

To Richard Holden, Junr., for services during the present Session, engrossing Bills and Papers, attending Select Committees, and pre-paring Documents connected with the Fishery Convention, and for extra services, Eighty-five pounds.

R. R. W. Lilly, for engrossing Addresses from the Assembly, and other Documents connected with the Delegations to the North American Provinces and London, on the subject of the Fishery Convention, Forty pounds.

To F. C. Price, for copying Documents, relating to the Revenue, for the United States, Twenty-five pounds.

Edward Delaney, for preparing Fifty-two Charts of the Island, for the use of Members of the Assembly, Council, and Delegations to the British North American Provinces and London, Sixty pounds.

To Thomas Talbot, Twenty-five pounds, for Arrears of Salary in 1855.

II. The Monies hereinbefore granted shall be paid by the Receiver General in discharge of such Warrants as may from time to time be drawn by the Governor for the purposes of this Act.