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Laws of His Majesty's Province of Upper Canada, passed in the year 1816. York: R. C. Horne, 1816.

56 George III – Chapter 15

An Act to provide for the contingent Expences of Both Houses of Parliament during the last Session, and for other purposes therein mentioned. Passed 22d March, 1816.

Most Gracious Sovereign,

Whereas it is expedient to provide for the payment of the copying Clerks and other Officers and Attendants of the two Houses of Parliament and to enable them to pay the contingent expences of the last Session of the Provincial Legislature, and to provide a supply of Stationary for this present Session, May it therefore please Your Majesty, that it be enacted, and be it enacted by the King's Most Excellent Majesty, by and with the advice and consent of the Legislative Council and Assembly of the Province of Upper-Canada, constituted and assembled by virtue of and under the authority of an Act passed in the Parliament of Great-Britain, entitled an "Act to repeal certain parts of an Act passed in the fourteenth year of His Majesty's Reign, entitled an Act for making more effectual provision for the Government of the Province of Quebec in North America, and to make further provision for the Government of the said Province" and by the authority of the same, That out of the surplus of any fund or funds subject to the disposition of the Parliament of this Province, now remaining in the hands of the Receiver-General, unappropriated, there shall be issued and applied the sum of seven hundred and ninety-nine pounds nineteen shillings and a penny half-penny for the purpose of paying John Powell, Esquire, Clerk of the Honorable the Legislative Council, the sum of Eighty pounds ten shillings, to enable him to pay the contingent expences of his Office, during the last Session, and to provide copying Clerks during the recess, and Stationary for the present Session, Also for the purpose of paying Mr. George Law, Gentleman Usher of the Black Rod, the sum of sixty-four pounds three shillings and three pence, to enable him to pay the contingent accounts of the Honorable the Legislative Council during the last Session, Also for the purpose of paying Mr. Hugh Carfrae, the sum of fifteen pounds for extra services as Door-keeper to the Honorable the Legislative Council, and for attendance on the Land Commissioners last Session, Also for the purpose of paying Lewis Bright the sum of twenty-five pounds for services as Messenger to the Honorable the Legislative Council for the last Session, also for the purpose of paying Robert R. Loring, Esquire, the sum of sixty-eight pounds six shillings to cover the extra expences of Printing the Laws of one thousand eight hundred and thirteen & one thousand eight hundred & fourteen, and to provide for Printing those of the last Session, Also for the purpose of paying to Grant Powell, Esquire, Clerk of the House of Assembly, the sum of four hundred and ten pounds two shillings, to enable him to pay a balance due to Robert Moore, for services rendered in a former Session, and to pay for the Rent of the House used during the years one thousand eight hundred and fourteen, and one thousand eight hundred and fifteen by both Houses of Parliament, Also the contingent expences of his Office during the last Session, and to provide copying Clerks during the recess, and Stationary for the present Session, Also for the purpose of paying Allan McNabb, Esquire, Sergeant at Arms, the sum of fifty-nine pounds seven shillings and ten pence half-penny, to enable him to pay sundry expences, attending the last

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Session, Also to Robert R. Johnson the sum of ten pounds, for extra services, as Door-keeper during the last Session, Also for the purpose of paying the Reverend John Burns as a remuneration for his attention to the sick and wounded during the last Campaign, the sum of fifty pounds, Also for the purpose of paying John Beikie, Esquire, for furnishing Stationary for the Land Commission, the sum of five pounds, Also for the purpose of paying William Stanton, Esquire, for extra services, the sum of twelve pounds ten shillings, which sum of money pursuant to the directions of this Act shall be paid by the Receiver-General of this Province, in discharge of such Warrants as shall for that purpose be issued by the Governor, Lieutenant Governor, or Person Administering the Government of this Province, and shall be accounted for to His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors, through the Lords Commissioners of His Treasury for the time being, in such manner and form, as His Majesty, His Heirs and Successors may be pleased to direct.