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WHEREAS, the courts and lawers of the State are seriously hampered and put to extra expense when the official reports are delayed for any considerable time, and the present reporter will be compelled to prepare reports which reports should have been completed before he came into office; now, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

Reporter to bring reports up to date.

SECTION 1. That B. I. Salinger shall prepare such of the Iowa reports as do not, equitably, belong to his term of office, and that, for so doing, he shall be paid the sum of eight hundred dollars as full payment for such service out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated.

This act being deemed of immediate impor-Sec. 2. tance shall take effect from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 14, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, April 29, and Des Moines Leader, May 1, 1896.

W. M. MCFARLAND,

Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 118.

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AN ACT to provide for a proper recognition of the battleship Iowa. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa.

Statement of

There is hereby appropriated the sum of SECTION 1. expense to be five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be nec-filed with auditor. essary, for the purpose of procuring a silver service for the battleship "Iowa;" the same to be expended under the direction of the executive council.

> Vouchers for all disbursements of the moneys Sec. 2. appropriated by this act shall be taken by the officers making such disbursements, and the same shall be filed with the auditor of state; and a complete statement of the expenditures under this act shall also be filed with the auditor.

> SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines.

Approved April 17, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa State Register, April 24, and Des Moines Leader, April 25, 1896. W. M. McFarland,

Secretary of State.