McKinley by the state of Iowa, equal the entire claim of the state of Iowa against the United States for money expended in aiding the national government in equipping and placing its soldiers in the field for the Spanish war;

WHEREAS, The payment and collection of the claim of the state against the national government in the manner aforesaid was due almost wholly to the energy, perseverance and ability of the said M. H. Byers in presenting such claim and obtaining its payment from the national government; and,

WHEREAS, He has not received any remuneration for his services to the

state in preparing, presenting and collecting said claim.

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

SECTION. 1. Amount appropriated—how paid. That there is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of two thousand and five hundred dollars (\$2,500), to pay the priated the sum of two thousand and five hundred dollars (\$2,500), to pay the said M. H. Byers for his services in presenting, prosecuting and collecting the claim of the state of Iowa against the United States government for money expended by the state in aid of the government in equipping and placing its soldiers in the field for the Spanish war; the sum hereby appropriated to be paid to the said M. H. Byers upon warrant to be drawn in his favor by the auditor of state upon the state treasury upon the passage of this act.

SEC. 2. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Register and Leader and the Des Moines Capital, newspapers published in

the city of Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 5, A. D. 1906.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Des Moines Capital April 9, 1906, and the Register and Leader, April 11, 1906.

W. B. MARTIN, Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 198.

TO REIMBURGE FRANK BRISTOW.

H. P. 208.

AN ACT to reimburse Frank Bristow for injuries sustained while in the employ of the

Whereas, Frank Bristow, while in the employ of the state as extra fireman and while in the performance of the duties of such employment and through no fault of his own, sustained an injury to his right hand of a serious and permanent character, whereby he was incapacitated from work for a long time entailing a large expense and a crippled hand. Therefore,

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

SECTION 1. Appropriation. That there is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated the sum of two hundred (200) dollars to reimburse said Frank Bristow for loss of time and expense due to said accident, same to be accepted as payment in full.

Approved April 10, A. D. 1906.