

## CHAPTER 8.

## SWAMP LANDS.

AN ACT giving control of the Swamp Lands in the several Counties of the State to the Board of Supervisors.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* The Swamp Lands in the several Counties in the State be and the same are hereby placed under the control of the Boards of Supervisors of said counties respectively.

SEC. 2. The acts of all Boards of Supervisors in any County of this State in relation to Swamp Lands heretofore done and performed are hereby legalized and ratified.

SEC. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force upon its publication in the Iowa State Register, Iowa State Journal and the Commonwealth or either two of said newspapers any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Approved May 28th, 1861.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in Iowa State Journal of June 7th, 1861, and in Iowa State Register of June 12th, 1861.

ELIJAH SELLS, Sec'y of State.

## CHAPTER 9.

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## GENERAL APPROPRIATION.

AN ACT making appropriations for the per diem and mileage of members and officers of the Extra Session of the Eighth General Assembly and for other purposes.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa,* That the following sums of money or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. For the payment of the per diem and mileage of the members and officers of the Senate, including Lieutenant Governor, the

sum of five thousand dollars or so much thereof as their certificates may entitle them to.

SEC. 3. For the payment of the per diem and mileage of the members and officers of the House of Representatives the sum of ten thousand dollars or so much thereof as their certificates may entitle them to.

SEC. 4. For the payment of the per diem and mileage of the members and officers and the necessary expense of the Board of Education for their session of 1861 the sum of three thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary.

SEC. 5. For the payment of the per diem and expenses of the Referees in the case of the State vs. James D. Eads and sureties the sum of four hundred and thirty dollars to be divided as per bill on file in the Auditor's office.

SEC. 6. For the payment of a night watch at the Capitol, the sum of four hundred dollars to be expended by the direction of the Census Board.

SEC. 7. For the payment of the postage of the members of the Senate the sum of two hundred and thirty dollars or so much thereof as shall be necessary.

SEC. 8. For the payment of the postage of the members of the House of Representatives the sum of five hundred and thirty-two dollars the account to be audited and allowed by the State Auditor.

SEC. 9. For the payment of the miscellaneous expenses of the extra session of the Eighth General Assembly the sum of three hundred dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary to be audited as per report of the committee on claims of the respective Houses or bills in the auditor's office.

SEC. 10. For the payment of the chaplains the sum of sixty dollars to be divided among themselves.

SEC. 11. For the payment of the subscription for newspapers taken by the members of the House of Representatives the following sums: Register, Des Moines, Iowa, \$702,32; Journal, Des Moines, \$546,00; Hawkeye, Burlington, \$22,00; Commonwealth, Des Moines, \$76,60; Clarion, Bloomfield, \$7,50; Times, Dubuque, \$0,80; Herald, Dubuque, \$1,20; Journal, Keokuk, \$2,00; Iowa Post, Des Moines, \$1,80; Democrat and News, Davenport, \$0,80; Gazette, Davenport, \$10,40; Chieftain, Centreville, \$15,75; North Western Farmer, \$2,00; Democrat, Sigourney, \$11,25; Muscatine Journal, \$0,80.

SEC. 12. For the payment of the subscription for newspapers taken by members of the Senate the following sums: the Commonwealth, Des Moines, \$61,80; Register, Des Moines, \$168,50; Journal, Des Moines, \$184,85; General E. J. Pleyel, 1000 Iowa Posts, \$30,00.

SEC. 13. For the payment of the first installment of interest on the State Bonds, issued under an Act passed at the extra session

of the Eighth General Assembly the sum of twenty-eight thousand dollars or so much thereof as may be necessary.

SEC. 14. For the purpose of repairing the Capitol building there be and is hereby appropriated out of any moneys not otherwise appropriated the sum of eight hundred dollars to be expended under the direction of the Secretary of State by and with the consent of the Census Board.

SEC. 15. For the payment of F. Michael for services, cleaning, arranging and preparing Senate Chamber and Hall of House for extra session \$11,50.

SEC. 16. For preparing and distributing Journals of extra session, J. H. Saunders, three hundred dollars, William Thompson, Clerk of the House of Representatives three hundred dollars.

SEC. 17. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register, Iowa State Journal and Commonwealth or any two of them.

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## CHAPTER 10.

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### AUDITING COMMISSIONERS.

AN ACT providing for auditing all accounts and disbursements arising under the call for volunteers from Iowa, and also for all men organized as the State Militia of Iowa.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That John N. Dewey, Isaac W. Griffith and S. R. Ingham of Des Moines in the county of Polk, be and they are appointed as a Board of Commissioners, whose duty it shall be to audit all accounts and disbursements arising under the laws of this State, having reference to military organizations, arming and subsistence of