

CHAPTER 14.

GOVERNOR'S CONTINGENT FUND.

AN ACT making an appropriation to meet the extraordinary expenses of the Executive Department, and to provide for the relief of the sick and wounded soldiers in the service of the State of Iowa, or in the service of the Government of the United States, from the State of Iowa.

SECTION 1. *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa*, That there is hereby appropriated out of any money belonging to the State and not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Thirty Thousand Dollars, Ten Thousand Dollars of which shall be subject to the Executive control of the Governor of this State to meet the extraordinary expenses of his office, and also to be used under his direction for the relief of sick and wounded soldiers in the service of the State of Iowa, or who are now, or may hereafter be in the service of the United States from the State of Iowa. The remaining Twenty Thousand Dollars shall be under the control of the State Census Board, to be disposed of as hereinafter provided.

Appropriation—\$30,000

\$10,000 under control of the Gov., at his direction.

\$20,000 under control of the Census Board

State Census Board may make allowance to the Governor.

Gov. to report disposition of said fund.

Take effect.

SEC. 2. Whenever the said sum of ten thousand dollars (together with the unexpended portion of the appropriation made by Section 24 of Chapter 133 of the Laws of the Ninth General Assembly for the purposes herein set forth) shall have been expended, should any further sum of money be required for such purposes, it shall be the duty of the State Census Board to make an allowance to the Governor of the State, out of the money placed under their control by the provisions of this Act, of such sum or sums of money as in their opinion the circumstances may require.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the Governor of this State to report to the next regular session of the General Assembly a full and complete statement of the manner in which the money appropriated by this Act has been expended, with the proper vouchers therefor.

SEC. 4. This Act being of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Daily Register and Des Moines Times.

Approved September 10th, 1862.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Daily State Register September 16th, 1862, and in the Des Moines Times September 17th, 1862.

ELIJAH SELLS, Secretary of State.