

A BILL

FOR AN ACT FOR THE RELIEF OF WILLIAM M. DESMOND.

Whereas, William M. Desmond, while sheriff of Clinton county, Iowa, in the year 1891, had a bill against the state of Iowa in the sum of seventy-five (75) dollars for the return of one Patrick Halinan, a fugitive from justice, under requisition papers issued by the governor of the state; and, whereas, the same was approved by the governor and its payment recommended by him, and, whereas, the same was not audited or paid by reason of the fact that in the opinion of the attorney-general the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, not having been presented in time, and, whereas, the said claim is just and except for the statute of limitations payable; and,

Whereas, William M. Desmond, while sheriff of Clinton county, Iowa, in the year 1891, had a bill against the state of Iowa in the sum of one hundred sixty-two and sixty-five hundredth dollars for the return of one Owen Golden, a fugitive from justice, under requisition papers issued by the governor of the state; and, whereas, the same was approved by the governor and its payment recommended by him; and, whereas, the same was not audited or paid by reason of the fact that in the opinion of the attorney-general the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, not having been presented in time, and, whereas, the said claim is just and except for the statute of limitations payable; and,

Whereas, William M. Desmond, while sheriff of Clinton county, Iowa, in the year 1891, had a bill against the state of Iowa in the sum of one hundred and ninety-five (195) dollars for the return of one Henry Sullivan, a fugitive from justice, under requisition papers issued by the governor of the state, and, whereas, the same was approved by the governor, and its payment recommended by him; and, whereas, the same was not audited or paid by reason of the fact that in the opinion of the attorney-general the claim was barred by the statute of limitations, not having been presented in time; and, whereas, the said claim is just, and except for the statute of limitations, payable, now therefore,

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF IOWA:

Section 1. That the statute of limitations applying to and barring said claims be waived
2 and that the respective officers of the state of Iowa having under the law duties in relation to
3 the auditing, allowing or paying said claims be and they are hereby authorized and directed to
4 act upon said claims, and each of them respectively, the same as if not so barred by the statute
5 of limitations.

Sec. 2. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall take effect and be in force
2 from and after its publication in the Iowa Capital, a newspaper published at Des Moines,
3 Iowa, and the Clinton County Advertiser, a newspaper published at Clinton, Iowa, without
4 expense to the state.