

CHAPTER 116.

AN ACT to provide for the celebration of the semi-centennial of the S. F. 395.
admission of Iowa into the union.

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

SECTION 1. That there shall be appointed by the gov-
ernor as soon after the passage of this act as may be
practicable a commission of three persons, who shall serve
without compensation, to arrange for, and in conjunction
with a local committee to have charge of, an appropriate
celebration of the semi-centennial of the admission of Iowa
as a state of the union.

Committee
appointed
by the gov-
ernor.

SEC. 2. Such celebration shall be held at Burlington,
to commence not earlier than Sept. 10th, 1896; pro-
vided that not less than ten thousand (10,000) dollars, in
addition to the state appropriation, shall be raised therefor
by subscription or otherwise, the payment of which shall
be guaranteed to the satisfaction of the said commission.

Celebration
be held at
Burlington
in 1896.

SEC. 3. The sum of ten thousand (10,000) dollars is
hereby appropriated to be paid from the state treasury out
of any funds not otherwise appropriated, upon the order
of the commission in such sums and at such times as shall
be approved by the executive council, to defray the
expenses authorized by the said commission, which shall
make a full and complete report of all expenditure of said
funds.

Money to be
paid on order
of the com-
mission.

SEC. 4. This act being deemed of immediate impor-
tance shall be in force from and after its publication in the
Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers
of general circulation published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 17, 1896.

I hereby certify that the foregoing act was published in the Iowa
State Register, May 1, and Des Moines Leader, April 25, 1896.

W. M. MCFARLAND,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 117.

AN ACT to aid in bringing the Iowa reports of the Iowa Supreme S F 257.
Court Decisions up to date, and providing compensation therefor.

WHEREAS, The Iowa reports were over a year behind
the decisions of the Supreme Court when the present
reporter came into office; and

WHEREAS, there is now lying in the treasury Fifteen
hundred dollars of the salary of the last reporter which
was withheld because certain reports belonging to his term
were not prepared by him; and