

4 That in all cases where decrees of court have been obtained prior
 5 to January 1, 1917, in which the proof of publication of the original
 6 notice has been made by the affidavit of the editor of the newspaper
 7 or the publisher, manager, cashier or foreman thereof in which such
 8 original notice was published, the same are hereby legalized, and such
 9 decrees shall have the same force and effect as though the affidavit
 10 of the publisher, or his foreman, of the newspaper in which original
 11 notice was published had been filed as provided by section three thou-
 12 sand five hundred thirty six (3536) of the code, that all decrees
 13 obtained as aforesaid are hereby legalized and held to have the same
 14 force and effect as though the proof of the publication of the original
 15 notice had been made by the affidavit of the publisher, or his foreman,
 16 of the newspaper in which such original notice was published.

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CHAPTER 90.

APPROPRIATION IN FAVOR OF P. K. HOLBROOK.

S. F. 102.

AN ACT appropriating \$561.52 in favor of P. K. Holbrook for per diem and railroad fare at 2c a mile incurred by him in discharge of his official duties as a member of the Iowa state board of education from July 14, 1915, to October 12, 1916, inclusive.

WHEREAS, P. K. Holbrook of Onawa, Monona county, Iowa, who was a member of the Iowa state board of education between July 14, 1915, and October 12, 1916, inclusive, and according to section 2682-m, supplement to the code, 1913, is entitled to pay for 54 days at \$7.00 a day, and railroad fare for 9,176 miles at 2c a mile, by the nearest traveled and practicable route, in going from his home to the different institutions, or to other places, and in returning to his home when on official business, which per diem and mileage amounts to \$561.52, according to the itemized statement, which is by reference made a part of this bill as exhibit "A", and,

WHEREAS, this claim, which was presented for payment on October 25, 1918, was not audited by the state board of audit because of the following prohibition which is a part of section 92 of the code: "Every claim against the state shall be presented to the auditor for settlement within two years after it accrues, and if thereafter presented the same shall not be audited." Therefore,

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

SECTION 1. P. K. Holbrook—appropriation for per diem and
 1 expenses—authorization. That there is hereby appropriated out of
 2 any moneys in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the
 3 sum of \$561.52, in favor of P. K. Holbrook. The state auditor is
 4 hereby authorized and instructed to draw a warrant upon the state
 5 treasury in favor of P. K. Holbrook, of Onawa, Iowa, in said sum.

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