

CHAPTER 292

CHARLES R. MESSETT

S. F. 362

AN ACT to compensate Second Lieutenant Charles R. Messett, 133rd Infantry, Iowa National Guard, for injuries received in line of duty, and for hospital and medical services, and loss of pay in his civil occupation, and making an appropriation to pay such compensation.

WHEREAS, Second Lieutenant Charles R. Messett was duly commissioned as second lieutenant 133rd infantry, December 2nd, 1921, and was subject to orders from the governor of Iowa;

And WHEREAS, said Second Lieutenant Charles R. Messett was, by company order No. five (5), dated December 8th, 1921, appointed recruiting officer for the service company, 133rd infantry, Iowa national guard, and in the performance of his duty under such appointment was accidentally wounded in the right leg just below the hip, resulting in a comminuted fracture of the upper right femur, and in consequence has lost his earnings for the period he has been incapacitated and borne expenses due to his injuries, as follows:

Loss of time at his regular earning rate of \$7.20 per day.....	\$2,160.00
Hospital services	180.50
Medical attention	203.00
Total	\$2,543.50

And WHEREAS, this amount is a fair adjustment for the injury suffered in line of duty and under competent orders, therefore:

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

- 1 SECTION 1. There is hereby appropriated the sum of twenty-five
- 2 hundred forty-three and fifty one-hundredths dollars (\$2543.50) as
- 3 compensation and remuneration to pay said Second Lieutenant Charles
- 4 R. Messett, for time lost from his civil occupation, by reason of his
- 5 injury, and to cover hospital and doctor bills incident thereto, and the
- 6 auditor of state is hereby authorized to issue a warrant for said sum
- 7 payable to said Second Lieutenant Charles R. Messett, and the treas-
- 8 urer of state is hereby authorized to pay out of any funds not other-
- 9 wise appropriated, the said sum.

Approved April 16, A. D. 1923.