

L A W S
OF THE
Commonwealth of Pennsylvania.

No. 1.

AN ACT

To provide for the expenses of the extraordinary session of the Legislature, assembled January thirteenth, Anno Domini, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, in pursuance of the proclamation of the Governor of the Commonwealth dated December fourteenth, Anno Domini, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Section 1. Be it enacted, &c., That the following sums, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be, and the same are hereby specifically appropriated for the payment of the expenses of the Legislature assembled in extraordinary session, the thirteenth day of January, Anno Domini, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, in pursuance of the proclamation of the Governor dated the fourteenth day of December, Anno Domini, one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five.

Appropriation.

Expenses of extraordinary session.

Senate.

For the payment of the salaries of the Senators, and extra compensation allowed by law to the President pro tempore of the Senate. For the payment of the mileage of the Senators. For the payment of the postage allowed by law to each Senator, the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00). To the Chief Clerk and assistants for the payment of postage, the sum of seventy-five dollars (\$75.00). To the chief clerk for the payment of the postage on the Legislative Journal, bills and calendars, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

For the payment of the salaries of the officers and employes of the Senate during and for the completion of the work of the extraordinary session; also for the payment of the mileage of the officers and employes of the Senate.

For the payment of the expenses of the Committee on Appropriations of the Senate, special session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, the sum of twelve

hundred fifty dollars (\$1,250.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on warrant of the Auditor General, drawn in favor of the chairman of the committee, on the presentation of his requisition for the same; said chairman to file an account with the Auditor General thirty days after the adjournment of the special session of the Legislature.

To the Chief Clerk of the Senate, for the payment of the expenses incident to the attendance of the members and employes of the Senate at the funeral of the late Honorable John P. Harris, at Pittsburgh, on January thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-six, the sum of one thousand dollars (\$1,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on warrant of the Auditor General, drawn on the State Treasurer according to law.

For the contingent expenses, including extra clerical and stenographic charges of the President pro tempore of the Senate, during the period of the extraordinary session, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of the necessary expenses, including extra labor in the office of the chief clerk during the extraordinary session, the sum of thirty-five hundred dollars (\$3,500.00). To the chief clerk of the Senate for the payment of extra services in connection with the compilation of the history of legislation in the Senate during the extraordinary session, the sum of two hundred and fifty dollars (\$250.00), making a total for the extraordinary session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, the sum of sixty-six thousand five hundred eleven dollars and twenty cents (\$66,511.20), or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid in the manner prescribed by law.

House of Representatives.

For the payment of the salaries of the Members of the House of Representatives and extra compensation allowed by law to the Speaker of the House; for the payment of mileage of the Members. For the postage allowed by law to each Member the sum of fifty dollars (\$50.00). To the chief clerk and assistants for the payment of postage the sum of seventy-five (\$75.00). To the chief clerk for the payment of the postage on the Legislative Journal, bills, and calendars, the sum of five thousand dollars (\$5,000.00).

For the payment of the salaries of the officers and employes of the House of Representatives during and for the completion of the work of the extraordinary session; also for the payment of the mileage of the officers and employes of the House of Representatives.

For the payment of the expenses of the Committee on

Appropriations of the House of Representatives, special session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, the sum of twenty-seven hundred dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on warrant of the Auditor General, drawn in favor of the chairman of the committee, on the presentation of his requisition for the same; said chairman to file an account with the Auditor General within thirty days after the adjournment of the special session of the Legislature.

To the Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives for the payment of the expenses incident to the attendance of the members and employes of the House of Representatives at the funeral of the late Honorable John P. Harris, at Pittsburgh, on January thirtieth, one thousand nine hundred twenty-six, the sum of two thousand three hundred dollars (\$2,300), or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on warrant of the Auditor General, drawn on the State Treasurer, according to law.

For the contingent expenses, including extra clerical and stenographic charges of the Speaker of the House of Representatives, during the period of the extraordinary session, the sum of five hundred (\$500.00) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary; and for the payment of the necessary expenses, including extra labor in the office of the chief clerk, during the extraordinary session, the sum of four thousand dollars (\$4,000.00), making a total for the extraordinary session of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-six, of one hundred eighty-five thousand four hundred seventy-six dollars, (\$185,476.00) or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid in the manner prescribed by law.

For the payment to Morris H. Garvin, acting assistant sergeant-at-arms of the House of Representatives for the interim, nineteen hundred and twenty-five, for mileage and incidental expenses incurred in the serving of writs for special elections for members of the House of Representatives, from the following counties, to wit:

Clearfield County. To fill a vacancy in the second legislative district, caused by the death of Honorable George A. Lukehart;

Delaware County. To fill a vacancy in the first legislative district caused by the resignation of the Honorable Walter H. Craig; the sum of sixty dollars and fifty cents (\$60.50), or so much thereof as may be necessary; to be paid on the warrant of the Auditor General, upon presentation of specifically itemized vouchers.

For the payment to John Ruth, for stenographic services in reporting the proceedings of the joint committee hearings of the Senate and House of Representatives, of the giant power bills, in accordance with concurrent resolution, the sum of two hundred fifty dollars (\$250.00), or

so much thereof as may be necessary ; to be paid on warrant of the Auditor General, drawn on the State Treasurer according to law.

Legislative Journal.

For payment to the Chief Clerk of the Senate and Chief Clerk of the House of Representatives for making indices of the Journal of each House, for the extraordinary session, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

For the work of the Legislative Journal officials, after the close of the extraordinary session, on the Legislative Journal, also proofreading of appendix and index there-to as provided by law, the sum of one thousand five hundred dollars (\$1,500.00).

For the payment of the person or persons appointed to index the Legislative Journal, of the extraordinary session, in accordance with the act establishing said journal, the sum of five hundred dollars (\$500.00).

APPROVED—The 9th day of February, A. D. 1926.

GIFFORD PINCHOT.

No. 2.

AN ACT

To amend section ten and section eleven, as amended, of the Act, approved the ninth day of July, one thousand nine hundred and nineteen (Pamphlet Laws, eight hundred and fourteen), entitled "An act providing for the erection and construction by the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania and the State of New Jersey of a bridge over the Delaware River, connecting the city of Philadelphia and the city of Camden, and the approaches thereto; providing for a joint commission for that purpose, and defining its powers and duties; providing for an independent commission in this Commonwealth in relation thereto, and defining its powers and duties; providing for the payment of a part of the cost thereof by the city of Philadelphia; and providing for the acquiring, taking, and condemnation of the real estate for the site and approaches thereof; providing for the turning over of said bridge upon its completion; and making an appropriation for the purposes of this act," by authorizing the Pennsylvania commission to enter into an agreement, with the New Jersey commission, for the collection of tolls for the use of the Philadelphia-Camden Bridge by vehicles; and to maintain, repair, and operate said bridge, in conjunction with such agency as may be authorized by the State of New Jersey, until the said State, the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, and the city of Philadelphia shall have