

CHAPTER 286.

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AN ACT to provide for the payment of witnesses who appeared and testified before the joint investigating committee appointed by virtue of joint resolution No. 3, senate, of the session of 1873.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

SECTION 1. It shall be the duty of the chairman of the joint investigating committee appointed by virtue of joint resolution No. 3, senate, of the session of 1873, to file in the office of the secretary of state a certificate showing the names and residence of each witness who appeared and was sworn before said committee, the number of days in attendance, and the number of miles each has travelled by the most usual route from his residence to the place where he so testified, also to pay other necessary expenses incurred, audited and certified to as above.

Chairman shall make out certificate of witnesses.

SECTION 2. Upon the filing of the certificate mentioned in the preceding section, it shall be the duty of the secretary of state to draw his warrant upon the treasurer in favor of each of said witnesses, for the sum that may be due him for mileage and per diem, as is now provided by law for witnesses in like cases.

Secretary of state to draw warrant upon certificate.

SECTION 3. There is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, a sum of money sufficient to carry out the provisions of this act.

Appropriated.

SECTION 4. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved March 18, 1873.