

a part of the costs in such cases in favor of the prevailing party or parties thereto and against the other party or parties thereto a just and reasonable attorney's fee as follows:

(a) When the amount recovered, or, in case no recovery is made, the amount involved, is less than one hundred dollars, not to exceed the sum of twenty five dollars;

(b) When the amount recovered, or, in case no recovery is made, the amount involved, is more than one hundred dollars and less than five hundred dollars, not to exceed twenty-five per centum of the amount recovered or involved, as the case may be;

(c) When the amount recovered, or, in case no recovery is made, the amount involved, is five hundred dollars or more, not to exceed twenty-five per centum of the first five hundred dollars, and, in addition, not to exceed twenty per centum of the amount in excess of five hundred dollars, recovered or involved, as the case may be.

Approved April 15, 1931.

CHAPTER 20.

AN ACT

[H. B. 27]

To amend Section 2021 of the Compiled Laws of Alaska relative to closing of business on Sundays.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. That Section 2021 of the Compiled Laws of Alaska is hereby amended so as to read as follows:

Sec. 2021,
C.L.A.,
amended.

Sunday closing. "That if any person shall keep open any store, shop, grocery, ball alley, billiard room, or tippling house, for the purpose of labor or traffic, or any place of amusement, on the first day of the week, commonly

called Sunday or the Lord's day, such person, upon conviction thereof, shall be punished by a fine of not less than five nor more than fifty dollars; Provided, that the above provision shall not apply to the keep-^{Exception.}ers of theaters, moving picture houses, drug stores, doctor shops, undertakers, livery-stable keepers, barbers, butchers and bakers, and all circumstances of necessity and mercy may be pleaded in defense, which shall be treated as questions of fact for the jury to determine, when the offense is tried by jury."

Approved April 16, 1931.

CHAPTER 21.

AN ACT

[H. B. 32]

To defray emergency expense of extra help installing specimens and in assisting in moving library books from present Alaska Historical Library and Museum and Governor's Mansion to the new quarters of the Museum in the Capitol building, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. That the sum of One Hundred and Fifty (\$150.00) Dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated to pay for extra help in installing specimens and in assisting in moving library books from present Alaska Historical Library and Museum and Governor's Mansion to the new quarters of the Museum in the Capitol building for the month of April, 1931, and the same shall be paid upon vouchers approved by the Governor. ^{Appropriation for payment of extra help in moving Museum specimens to Capitol.}

Section 2. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall be in full force and effect upon its passage and approval. ^{Emergency.}

Approved April 16, 1931.