

CHAPTER 75.

AN ACT

[H. B. 88]

To authorize the Territorial Board of Road Commissioners to lease or otherwise care for all property now in possession of the Territorial Fish Commission; to engage A. J. Sprague to carry on experiments in fish culture; making an appropriation therefor, and declaring an emergency.

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

Section 1. The Territorial Board of Road Commissioners are hereby authorized

(a) To care for all property of any nature whatsoever now in the possession of, or which may be acquired by the Territorial Fish Commission;

(b) To lease such property for periods of two years provided however, that no such lease may be made or renewed until after each Legislature has adjourned sine die;

(c) To carry on the work now conducted by the Territorial Fish Commission provided that all such work shall be terminated on or before October 1st, 1927;

(d) To engage A. J. Sprague to carry on the work and duties authorized by House Concurrent Resolution No. 14 passed by the Legislature of 1923 and to carry on experiments of fish culture; provided that in case of the disability of A. J. Sprague from physical causes, the Road Commission shall have the power to engage some other competent person to carry on such experiments as may be in process.

A. J. Sprague or his successor shall be paid the sum of Two Hundred and Fifty Dollars (\$250.00) per month as other employees of the Territory of Alaska are paid, and he shall be allowed additional sums as follows: Two Thousand Dollars (\$2000.00) for travel

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expense and Four Thousand Dollars (\$4000.00) for experimental work in fish culture and expenses incidental thereto including boat hire, provided that all expenditures for travel expense and experimental work shall be upon vouchers to be approved by the Governor. Division of appropriation.

Section 2. All funds which may be received from the lease of any property hereby acquired, shall be covered into the general fund of the Territorial treasury.

Section 3. There is hereby appropriated out of the Territorial Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Three Thousand Dollars (\$3000.00) for the purpose of enabling the Territorial Board of Road Commissioners to carry out the provision of this Act relating to the care or lease of the property herein specified.

Section 4. An additional sum of Twelve Thousand Dollars (\$12,000.00) is hereby appropriated out of the Territorial Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of subsection (d) of Section 1 of this Act.

Section 5. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall take effect immediately upon its passage and approval.

Approved May 9, 1927.