

SPECIAL AND PRIVATE LAWS.

FERRIES.

CHAPTER I.

AN ACT TO REGULATE FERRIES ON THE BIG SIOUX RIVER IN UNION COUNTY.

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Be it enacted by the Legislative Assembly of the Territory of Dakota :

Section 1. That a ferry charter be and the same is hereby granted to each actual frecholder residing upon lands bordering upon either bank of the Big Sioux river in Union county, to keep and run a ferry within the boundaries of his own premises, *Provided*, That the provisons of this bill shall not apply to those parties holding ferry charters under the authority of the legislative assenbly of this territory; *And further provided*, That this act shall not be construed to apply to any lands beyond the the limits of this territory.

To whom ferry charters granted in Union Co. Proviso.

Rights conferred construed to pertain to such persons as keep good boats.

Sec. 2. The rights herein conferred shall be construed to pertain only to such persons as shall keep a good and reliable boat or boats at all times of the season for the safe conveying of the public travel, in which case, and not otherwise, each ferryman shall have the right to cross the public travel, and to demand and receive therefor toll at the following rates:

Rates of toll.	Two horses and wagon, or carriage,	25 cts.
	Two oxen or two mules and wagon,	25 "
	Two additional horses, mules or oxen,	20 "
	One horse and buggy,	20 "
	One horse and man,	15 "
	Footman,	05 "
	Loose cattle and horses, per head,	10 "
	Loose hogs and sheep,	05 "

Ferryman to post up list of tolls near each landing.

Penalty for violating provisions of this act.

Sec. 3. Every person keeping and running a ferry under the provisions of this act, shall keep a list of the tolls defined in section two, posted up in a conspicuous place near each ferry landing; and any ferryman who shall violate any of the provisions of this act, upon conviction thereof, before any justice of the peace of the proper county, shall forfeit to the county the sum of one hundred dollars, damages to the injured parties.

Acts repealed.

Sec. 4. That chapter 15, laws of 1862, and chapter 7, laws of 1864-5, are hereby repealed, and all of chapter 16, laws of 1862, be and the same is hereby repealed, so far as the same applies to Paul Paquette, mentioned in said chapter.

When act to take effect.

Sec. 5. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved, January 11th, 1867.