

CHAPTER 64.

[Published April 19, 1866.]

AN ACT to provide for reviving a certain suit against the state.

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

SECTION 1. The attorney general is hereby authorized and directed to sign, on behalf of the state, a stipulation vacating and setting aside the final judgment in the case of Elias A. Calkins and James K. Proudfit vs. the state of Wisconsin, in the supreme court, and to reinstate the case in the same condition as it was when the special verdict was returned to the said court from the circuit court of Milwaukee county; and he is also further authorized and directed to stipulate on behalf of the state, in said case, that the provisions of the several acts of the legislature, that the sums of money appropriated to said Calkins and Proudfit, is payment in full of their accounts for printing done for the state, and the receipt by them of the sums of money therein mentioned, shall not be held to effect a compromise or final settlement of their accounts, or to bar their recovery of any sums of money that may be found equitably due to them; it being the intention and object of this act, to permit the said Calkins and Proudfit to try, in the courts of the state, their claim on its equities and merits, the same as if the said provisions were not contained in said acts, or any of them, and that the remaining issues therein be tried and disposed of according to law, to the end that a just and equitable determination of said matter may be had.

Judgment in case of Calkins and Proudfit vs. the state to be vacated, and the case reinstated.

SECTION 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage.

Approved April 7, 1866.