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Resolved,

That the Committee on Reporting & Printing be and it is hereby instructed and requested to inquire into, and report at an early date to this Convention, by resolution or otherwise, the expediency and probable cost of transcribing, indexing, and printing the Journal of this Convention.

Adopted Oct 26/78

Ed F Smith

Ass't Sec'y

Communication
to
Committee on
Reporting
and
Printing

Oct 30. 78

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Mr. President: — Your Committee on Reporting and Printing, to whom were referred the resolution of inquiry, adopted Oct. 26th, requiring them to "inquire into and report the expediency and probable cost of transcribing, indexing and printing the Journal of this Convention," beg leave to submit the following:

As to the expediency of printing the Journal, we consider it urgent that each member of this Convention should be placed in possession of a printed copy of the minutes of each day's proceedings. We believe it would facilitate business, ~~and~~ give members a clearer view of the work in hand, and economize the time of the Convention. Besides, the Journal, when in its bound form, would afford a record of the proceedings of the body, only less valuable for reference than a verbatim printed report of the same.

Your committee have taken the figures made up by the State Printer at an early stage of this session to determine the cost of printing the Journal both in its transient and permanent form, and find that it will cost, for first hundred (printers' count) copies of the

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Journal, if it make 500 pages, the sum of $1,039. Should the Convention require an appendix, in which would be printed the various reports from State Officers, and other matter not pertaining to the body of the Journal, such an addition, estimated at 250 pages, would cost $519.50. The probable cost of indexing the Journal would be about $150, and the extra expense for 240 slips of the Daily Journal, for the use of members, would not exceed $200. These items summarized would present the following total:

For 500 copies Journal in book form	$1,039.00
For addition of 250 pp. appendix	519.50
Estimated cost of indexing	150.00
For 240 copies of Daily Journal	200.00
Total cost	$1,908.50

Your committee would further report that there need be no expense for transcription of the Journal, as the minutes of the Minute Clerk can be used as copy by the printers. This, we are assured, has been done in setting up the Journal of the Senate, and there is no reason why it cannot be done in setting up the Journal of this Convention.

Respectfully,

Ayers,
For the Committee.

Report of the
Com. on Reporting
and Printing.

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President of the Convention:

Sir:- Your committee on reporting the proceedings of this Convention ~~having~~ having had its powers enlarged so as to take in the subject of printing the Reports, beg leave to make the following report on the whole subject:

That the cost of reporting verbatim the proceedings and debates in short hand and transcribing them into long hand ready for the printer will not exceed ~~six~~ eight thousand dollars for the session, if it last one hundred days; and that sum includes the per diem of the reporters.

That if the session do not last one hundred days, the cost of transcription will not exceed the sum of six thousand dollars, and the State will have the advantage of such less cost as may be incurred in case of a short session, by only paying for the transcription by the folio at the rate of 20 cents per folio.

That the cost of printing the proceedings and debates in the form of the Illinois Reports will amount to $4,643.60 per volume of 950 pages, ~~with three columns of matter on each page~~ This for 1000 copies, bound and complete.

That the cost of printing 500 copies of 500 pages of the ~~Daily~~ Journal will reach $1,039.

That the cost of printing the Daily

Journal for the use of the Members will amount to about $200 for the Session.

James E. Murphy
Chairman

Sacramento, Nov. 9th 1878

Mr. President. - Your Committee on Reporting and Printing to whom was referred the matter of the cost of printing for the Convention up to and including the 19th day of October last, beg leave to report that they have had the same under consideration and find the following facts:

Due to Employes in the Composing and Press rooms of the Utah Printing Office - as per time book $674.23

Cost of paper, Estimated on each job 488.90

Folding, stitching & binding (Contract price) 226.50

Making a Total of $1,389.63

Your Committee report that the estimates are correct, and that the amount should be allowed as a proper charge

Respectfully submitted

Shoemaker

Chairman

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