

hundred dollars, and imprisonment for a term of not more than one year, and forfeit any license he or she may then hold.

Appropriation.

SEC. 14. For the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act, the sum of five thousand dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated from the general fund of the State into the oyster fund: *Provided, however,* That within two years from the date of the passage of this act, the amount hereby appropriated shall be reimbursed by the oyster fund to the general fund and thereafter fifty per cent. of the amount received for licenses and receipts for seed shall be paid into the State general fund.

Emergency.

SEC. 15. An emergency exists and this act shall take effect immediately.

Passed the House March 3, 1903.

Passed the Senate March 10, 1903.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1903.

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## CHAPTER 167.

[H. B. No. 138.]

### PROVIDING A BOUNTY FOR KILLING OF SEALS AND SEA LIONS.

AN ACT providing for the payment of a bounty for the killing of the common seal (*phoca vitulina*) and sea lions, and making an appropriation therefor.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

Rate of bounty.

SECTION 1. There shall be paid a bounty in the sum of one dollar for the killing of each common seal (*phoca vitulina*) and the sum of two dollars and fifty cents for the killing of each sea lion, when killed within the waters of the State of Washington, or within the waters of the Pacific ocean within one marine league of the Washington shore: *Provided, however,* That no more than twenty-five hundred dollars shall be paid in any year as a bounty under the provisions of this act.





SEC. 4. A scalp, referred to in this act, shall consist of both ears, of the seal or sea lion, connected by a strip of skin that grew between them, at least two inches wide, intact. <sup>Scalp—what to consist of.</sup>

SEC. 5. For the purpose of paying the bounties provided in this act, there is hereby appropriated the sum of five thousand dollars for the period of two years from this date, that is to say: twenty-five hundred dollars for the payment of the bounties for the year 1903 and twenty-five hundred dollars for the payment of bounties for the year 1904 out of any moneys in the fish hatchery fund in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated. <sup>Appropriation.</sup>

Passed the House February 24, 1903.

Passed the Senate March 12, 1903.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1903.

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## CHAPTER 168.

[H. B. No. 450.]

### FOR THE RELIEF OF E. H. HOOVER & CO.

AN ACT appropriating money for the relief of E. H. Hoover & Co.

*Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Washington:*

SECTION 1. That there is hereby appropriated out of the general fund in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of \$158.25 for the relief of E. H. Hoover & Co. for furnishing office furniture to the State printing board for the use of the State expert printer.

Passed the House March 11, 1903.

Passed the Senate March 12, 1903.

Approved by the Governor March 16, 1903.