be and is hereby amended to read as follows: Sec. 3. The state librarian shall employ two persons, one as an assistant to assist in properly caring for and conducting the state library and the other as a nightwatchman to watch, guard and protect the capitol building and its contents through each and every night, the two persons so employed being first approved by the board of library commissioners and duly sworn. The compensation of said assistant and of said nightwatchman shall be, for each, sixty dollars per month, payable monthly. And the state auditor shall draw warrants upon the state treasurer for the amounts found due to each at the end of each month, in like manner as the state librarian is paid.

Sec. 2. Whereas, it is necessary that the state library, supreme court documents and other public property be watched and protected after the adjournment of the legislature, and assistance is urgently required in the library; therefore, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Approved March 4, 1891.

CHAPTER LXXIX.
[S. B. No. 175.]
BARTON'S LEGISLATIVE HAND BOOK.

AN ACT to provide for the purchase of Barton's Legislative Hand Book and Manual of the State of Washington for 1891 and 1892, for the use and benefit of the state and state legislature and officials and others, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of fourteen hundred dollars ($1,400) be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated by law, for the purchase of one thousand copies of Barton's Legislative Hand Book and Manual of the State
of Washington: *Provided*, That the state printer shall certify as to the correctness of the constitution of the state and the index thereof printed therein.

SEC. 2. That upon the delivery of the said one thousand copies to the secretary of state the said secretary shall notify the state auditor, who shall draw his warrant in favor of C. M. Barton, compiler, and T. H. Boyd, publisher, on the state treasurer for the amount named in section one.

SEC. 3. That the secretary of state shall deliver five copies of said book to each of the members of the senate and house of representatives: *Provided*, That upon one copy of said five to each member shall be placed the name of such member on the outside front cover; one copy to each of the judges of the supreme court and superior courts of the state; five copies each to the governor and lieutenant governor; two copies each to the auditor, secretary of state, treasurer, attorney general, superintendent of public instruction and commissioner of public lands; one copy each to the members of the board of public instruction; one copy each to the county school superintendents, and ten copies to the state librarian for use in the state library.

SEC. 4. That one copy of the said book be sent by the secretary of state to each of the state libraries of the several states and territories of the Union, in exchange for books of a similar character for use in the library of this state, and that one copy be sent to the president and each cabinet officer of the United States, and to the congressional library at Washington City.

SEC. 5. All of said books remaining in the possession of the secretary of state after such distribution is made, shall be distributed pro rata by the secretary of state among the educational institutions of the state.

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