PROVIDING FOR EXHIBIT AT LEWIS AND CLARK FAIR AT PORTLAND, OREGON, IN 1905.

AN ACT to provide for the collection, exhibition and maintenance of the products of the State of Washington at the Lewis and Clark Centennial and American Pacific Exposition and Oriental Fair, 1905, at Portland, Oregon, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

SECTION 1. That for the purpose of exhibiting the resources, products and general developments of the State of Washington at the Lewis and Clark Exposition at Portland, Oregon, in 1905, there is hereby created a commission known as the Lewis and Clark Exposition Commission of the State of Washington. Such board shall be non-partisan and shall contain not more than seven (7) members, who shall be appointed by the Governor, and all shall be residents of this State. They shall hold their office from the date of appointment to January 1, 1906, unless sooner removed for cause, by the Governor, and in case of such removal or their death or inability or refusal to act, their successors shall be appointed by the Governor.

Sec. 2. Each of said commissioners hereby appointed shall serve without salary but shall be allowed his actual necessary expenses incurred in attending meetings of said board in the discharge of his duties to be paid out of the money hereby appropriated, upon vouchers approved by the commissioners.

Sec. 3. The members of said board of commissioners shall meet subject to the call of the Governor within three months after this act becomes a law, at such time and place as he may designate and shall select from its members a president and secretary who shall keep a record of their proceedings. They shall appoint an executive commissioner who shall be a citizen of the State of Washington, and fix his salary not to exceed the sum of one hundred and fifty dollars ($150) per month, for the time he shall be actually engaged in the business of the exposition, which salary and
his necessary expenses shall be paid out of the money appropriated. The said executive commissioner shall be and is hereby authorized and empowered to assume and exercise all powers and functions necessary to secure a complete and creditable display of the products and interests of the State at the Lewis and Clark Exposition of 1905. He shall have personal charge of the solicitation, collection, transportation, arrangement and exhibition of the objects sent under the authority of the State to the Lewis and Clark Exposition of 1905, and of such objects sent by individual citizens of the State of Washington as may be by them placed in his charge. He shall make a report to the commissioners monthly, or as often as by them required and shall hold office at the pleasure of such commissioners.

SEC. 4. All State bureaus, including the bureau of mining, horticulture, agriculture, fisheries and others, are authorized to co-operate with said Washington Lewis and Clark Committee and to forward to the Lewis and Clark Exposition all the collections and cabinets belonging to the State.

SEC. 5. Vetoed.

SEC. 6. After the close of said exposition, the said executive commissioner, or in case the term of office of the members of the State commission has expired, then the Governor shall have the power to sell such exhibits as the State may have interest in, and which is proper to dispose of to the best advantage of the State, and shall deposit the proceeds in the general fund of the State treasury; and shall also return to the owners such exhibits as may be loaned for exhibition purposes, free of cost to said owners.

SEC. 7. All counties, districts or individuals, desiring to send articles to said exposition, may do so by having the same delivered in good order for shipment at a place to be designated by the executive commissioner, where they shall be received by him and carefully stored until the proper time for shipment to such exposition, and such executive commissioner shall forward all such articles as shall be deemed worthy of exhibition to Portland, Oregon; the freight or expense charge to and from Portland shall be paid out of the fund hereinafter appropriated.

SEC. 8. Vetoed.
SEC. 9. The commissioners that may be appointed to make an exhibit of the resources of the State of Washington at the Louisiana Purchase Exhibition at St. Louis, in 1904, are hereby authorized and directed to save all suitable exhibits from the State of Washington at the close of said fair, and to turn the same over to the commission herein created for the purpose of having the same used as a part of the exhibit by this State at said Lewis and Clark Exposition.

SEC. 10. Vetoed.

SEC. 11. The Governor of the State shall issue a commission as provided for in section 15, article 111, of the State Constitution, to the person selected for executive commissioner of the Lewis and Clark Exposition.

Passed the Senate March 5, 1903.
Passed the House March 10, 1903.

(Note by the Governor).—For reasons hereto appended Sections 5, 8 and 10 are disapproved this 21st day of March, 1903. All the other Sections are approved. HENRY McBRIDE, Governor.

CHAPTER 189.
[H. OMNIBUS B. No. 454.]

MAKING APPROPRIATIONS FOR STATE INSTITUTIONS, SALARIES OF OFFICIALS, EMPLOYEES, ETC.

AN ACT making appropriations for the maintenance of and construction of buildings and other improvements at, and other sundry expenses for the various State institutions and offices, and for the sundry civil expenses of the State government for the fiscal term beginning April 1, 1903, and ending March 31, 1905.

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

SECTION 1. The following sums, or so much thereof as General appropriation shall severally be found necessary, are hereby appropriated out of any money in the several funds of the State treasury hereinafter named, in payment of the salaries of certain officers and employees of the State, and for the mainten-