all other then existing indebtedness of such county, city or town, exceeded one and one-half per centum of the taxable property in such county, city or town ascertained by the last previous assessment for state and county purposes (except that in incorporated cities the Exception. assessment shall be taken from the last assessment for city purposes): Provided, That neither anything in this Proviso. act contained nor the vote cast at any such election shall be deemed to validate or authorize any indebtedness, which, together with all other indebtedness of such county, city or town existing at the time of the attempted incurring of the same exceeded any constitute of the same exceeded and the s tutional limitation of indebtedness which might be incurred with the assent of three-fifths of the voters in such county, city or town voting at an election to be held for that purpose: And provided further, That this Proviso. act shall apply only to indebtedness attempted to be incurred prior to the passage hereof.

SEC. 4. The words corporate authorities used in this Definition. act shall be held to mean the legislative or managing body of any county, city or town.

Passed the House February 19, 1901. Passed the Senate March 4, 1901. Approved by the Governor March 6, 1901.

CHAPTER LI.

[S. B. No. 42.]

CHANGING NAME OF TOWN OF LEWISTON TO CLARKSTON.

AN ACT changing the name of the town of Lewiston, Asotin county, Washington, to the town of Clarkston.

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

SECTION 1. That the name of the town of Lewiston, located in Asotin county, Washington, be and the same is hereby changed to the town of Clarkston.

Passed the Senate February 13, 1901.

Passed the House February 28, 1901.

Approved by the Governor March 6, 1901.