to pay E. G. Bickerton, a licensed auctioneer, for services rendered as such auctioneer in selling certain school lands in King County, Washington, at the special instance and request of the County Commissioners of said County.

SEC. 2. The State Auditor is hereby authorized to draw a warrant on the State Treasurer for the said sum of two thousand dollars (\$2,000.00) in favor of the said E. G. Bickerton and said Treasurer is hereby directed to pay said warrant out of any funds in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed the Senate March 6, 1903. Passed the House March 11, 1903.

Passed over veto of 1903. by the Governor on March 21, 1903, and filed in this office. Same was referred to the Legislature at its ninth session, January 9, 1905.

SAM H. NICHOLS, Secretary of State.

Note by President of the Senate: Passed the Senate, over the Governor's veto, January 16, 1905.

CHARLES E. COON, President of the Senate.

NOTE BY SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES: Passed the House, over the Governor's veto, January 18, 1905.

JOSEPH G. MEGLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CHAPTER 3.

(S. B. No. 85-Session of 1903)

FOR THE RELIEF OF THE PUGET SOUND SAW MILL AND SHINGLE COMPANY.

AN ACT for the relief of the Puget Sound Saw Mill and Shingle Company for money paid on a contract for the sale of tide lands, and making an appropriation therefor.

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

Section 1. That there be and hereby is appropriated out of any money in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated, the sum of four hundred and fifty and 30-100 dollars

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(\$450.39) for the relief of said Puget Sound Saw Mill and Shingle Company, and the State Auditor is authorized to draw a warrant on the State Treasurer for said amount in favor of said Puget Sound Saw Mill and Shingle Company, and said State Treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same out of any money in the State treasury not otherwise appropriated.

Passed the Senate February 18, 1903. Passed the House March 11, 1903.

Note by the Secretary of State: The above act was vetoed Passed over by the Governor on March 21, 1903, and filed in this office. Same veto of 1903. was referred to the Legislature at its ninth session, January 9, 1905.

SAM H. NICHOLS,

Secretary of State.

NOTE BY PRESIDENT OF THE SENATE: Passed by the Senate, over the Governor's veto, January 16, 1905.

CHARLES E. COON,
President of the Senate.

NOTE BY SPEAKER OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES: Passed by the House, over the Governor's veto, January 18, 1905.

JOSEPH G. MEGLER,

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

CHAPTER 4.

(S. B. No. 5)

REPEALING ACT OF 1899, RELATIVE TO RETRACTION OF LIBEL.

AN ACT repealing Chapter LIX, Session Laws of 1899, same being an act entitled "An act relating to the law of libel and providing for opportunity of retraction of libel," and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION I. That Chapter LIX of the Session Laws of 1899, same being entitled "An act relating to the law of libels and providing for opportunity of retraction of libels," be and the same is hereby repealed.

SEC. 2. An emergency exists and this Act shall take ef-Emergency. fect immediately.

Passed the Senate January 17, 1905.

Passed the House January 18, 1905.

Approved by the Governor January 19, 1905.