CHAPTER 101.

[H. B. 329.]

AUTHORIZING INVESTIGATION OF FEASIBILITY OF IRRI-GATION FROM PALOUSE RIVER.

AN ACT authorizing the governor to make surveys to determine the feasibility and cost of storing water of the Palouse river to irrigate lands in Franklin county and to determine the cost of certain irrigation work, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it enacted by the I egislature of the State of Washington:

SECTION 1. That the governor is hereby authorized to make all surveys, estimates and investigation necessary to determine the feasibility and approximate cost of storing the waters of the Palouse river and its tributaries to irrigate the land in what is known as the Palouse Irrigation Project in Franklin county; to determine the approximate cost of the irrigation work necessary to carry the waters to the above described lands; to compute the water power developed by such storage, and to investigate any other source from which water could be obtained to irrigate said lands.

SEC. 2. There is hereby appropriated out of the general Appropriation \$10,000.00. fund not otherwise appropriated the sum of \$10,000.00, or so much thereof as may be necessary, for the purpose of carrying out the provisions of this act.

Passed the House February 25, 1913.

Passed the Senate March 5, 1913.

Approved by the Governor March 17, 1913.

Surveys authorized.