

to appear by affidavit filed in the office of the clerk of the court, the notice required by law in such cases may be served by publication as in the case of non-resident owners, and such notice shall be directed by name to every owner of a share or interest in or lien upon the property sought to be so appropriated, and generally to all persons unknown having or claiming an interest or estate in the property or any portion thereof, and all such unknown parties shall in all papers and proceedings be designated as "unknown owners," and shall be bound by the provisions and be entitled to the benefits of the judgment the same as if they had been known and duly named.

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CHAPTER CXLI.

[S. B. No. 227.]

TO ESTABLISH A FISCAL AGENCY IN THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

AN ACT establishing in the city of New York a fiscal agency of the State of Washington, and of counties, townships, school districts, cities and towns therein, and prescribing the duties of such fiscal agency and the duties of the public officers in relation thereto, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. There is hereby established in the city of Fiscal agency. New York a fiscal agency of the State of Washington, and of the counties, townships, school districts, cities and towns therein, for the payment through such agency of all bonds and coupons hereafter to be issued by this state, or by any county, township, school district, city or town therein, as shall be by their terms made payable in the city of New York. Such agency shall be known as the fiscal agency of the State of Washington in the city of New York.

Governor to
appoint.

SEC. 2. The governor of this state is hereby authorized and directed, within thirty days after this act shall take effect, to designate some well known and responsible bank or trust company in the city of New York having a paid up capital amounting, with its surplus, to not less than one million dollars, to act as the fiscal agency established by section one of this act, and to make duplicate certificates of such designation and cause the same to be attested under the seal of the state, and to file one of such duplicate certificates in the office of the secretary of the state and to transmit the other to such bank or trust company designated; and such bank or trust company shall become and is hereby declared to be a fiscal agency established by this act, and shall continue to be such fiscal agency for the term of four years from and after the filing of the certificate of its designation as such, and thereafter until the designation of another bank or trust company as such fiscal agency. No bank or trust company that buys or sells municipal bonds as dealers shall be eligible to the appointment of fiscal agents.

Fiscal agency,
duty of.

SEC. 3. It shall be the duty of the fiscal agency established by this act on the receipt of any moneys transmitted to such agency by or for this state, or for any county, township, school district, city or town therein, for the purpose of paying therewith any of its bonds or coupons hereafter to be issued and by their terms made payable in the city of New York, to transmit forthwith to the sender of such moneys a proper receipt therefor; to pay such bonds or coupons upon presentation thereof for payment at the office of such agency in the city of New York at or after the maturity thereof, in the order of their presentation, so far as the moneys received for that purpose suffice for such payment; and to cancel all such bonds and coupons upon payment thereof, and thereupon forthwith to return the same to the proper officers of this state, or any county, township, school district, city or town therein which shall have issued such bonds or coupons.

Compensation.

SEC. 4. The fiscal agency established by this act shall receive no compensation for the performance of the duties prescribed by this act.

SEC. 5. No bonds which shall be hereafter issued by this state, or by any county, township, school district, city or town therein, after this act shall take effect, shall be by their terms made payable in the city of New York at any specific place other than at the office of the fiscal agency hereby established. Bonds, where payable.

SEC. 6. It shall be the duty of the state treasurer, and the duty of the treasurer or other proper officer of every county, township, school district, city or town in this state, to transmit to the fiscal agency hereby established, not less than twelve days before the maturity of any bonds or coupons that shall hereafter be issued by the state, or by any county, township, school district, city or town therein, and that shall be by their terms made payable in the city of New York, sufficient moneys out of any funds in the hands of any such treasurer or other officer applicable to such purpose for the payment of such bonds and coupons. Treasurers, duty of.

SEC. 7. There being at this time no fiscal agency for the State of Washington, an emergency is declared to exist for the immediate operation of this act: therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval by the governor.

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Approved March 20, 1895.

CHAPTER CXLII.

[S. B. No. 307.]

REQUIRING DOMESTIC CORPORATIONS TO FILE LIST OF OFFICERS WITH COUNTY AUDITOR.

AN ACT requiring all domestic corporations to file a written statement containing a list of their officers with the county auditor of the county where such corporations have their principal place of business.

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

SECTION 1. Every corporation heretofore organized under the laws of the Territory or State of Washington,