

SEC. 13. **Bills for expenses—approval—how paid.** All bills for expenses of the committee and editor and expenditures in connection with said work shall be verified. The same shall be approved by the committee and executive council and the auditor shall draw warrants therefor upon the state treasurer and the same shall be paid out of the treasury.

SEC. 14. **Appropriation.** There is hereby appropriated out of the treasury from funds not otherwise appropriated, a sum sufficient to pay the costs and expenses of preparing, publishing and distributing said supplement to the code.

SEC. 15. **In effect.** This act, being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication in the Iowa State Register and Des Moines Leader, newspapers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved February 24, 1902.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, February 25, 1902.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 195.

LOUISIANA PURCHASE EXPOSITION.

H. F. 300.

AN ACT to provide for an exhibit of the arts, industries and resources of the state of Iowa, at the Louisiana purchase exposition to be held in the city of St. Louis, in the state of Missouri, and making appropriation therefor.

WHEREAS, Congress has passed a bill providing for an international [international] exhibition, to be known as the Louisiana purchase exposition, to be held at the city of St. Louis in the state of Missouri during the year 1903; and

WHEREAS, It is desirable that the arts, industries and resources of the state of Iowa shall be creditably represented in such exposition, therefore,

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. **Commission—how appointed—powers—vacancies—expenses.** That the governor of the state of Iowa be, and he is hereby authorized and directed to appoint an exposition commission to be known as the "Louisiana Exposition Purchase Commission." Such commission shall consist of thirteen members to be selected one from each congressional district in the state, and two from the state-at-large, not more than eight of whom shall be of the same political party, and such commission shall have full power to devise and execute plans for the state exhibit and representation herein contemplated, and to take charge of the same, and disburse the appropriation made therefor. It may appoint such officers and employ such persons as in its judgment necessary for the carrying out of the purposes of this act, including the right to delegate to an executive committee of its own number, consisting of not more than five persons, the duty and power to execute all or any plans that may be devised or ordered by such commission. It shall elect a treasurer who shall be custodian of the moneys herein appropriated, and whose duties shall be defined by it. Before entering upon the duties of such position such treasurer shall furnish a bond, with sureties subject to the approval of the executive council and running to the state of Iowa in a penal sum equal to the amount herein appropriated. Such commission shall be appointed on or before the first day of May, 1902. Any vacancy occurring in said commission shall be filled by the governor of Iowa by the choice of some citizen residing in the congressional district wherein such vacancy occurs, or if the vacancy be one of the commissioners-at-large, by the selection of some person from the state-at-large. The members

of the commission herein created shall receive no compensation for their services, but they shall be paid out of the money herein appropriated all their expenses incurred while engaged in the work of the commission.

SEC. 2. Appropriation—vouchers—statement—accounts. The sum of one hundred and twenty-five thousand dollars (\$125,000.00), or so much thereof as may be needed by such commission for the purpose of making an exhibit and representation by the state of Iowa, provided for in section one hereof, is hereby appropriated out of any money in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated, and warrants therefor shall be issued on the order of the president and secretary of said commission by the auditor of state on the treasurer of state from time to time, but no such warrant shall be issued until said commission through its duly chosen officers shall certify to the auditor of state that the same is actually necessary for disbursement, and not more than one-half of said appropriation shall be drawn prior to the 30th day of June, 1903. All payments of money must be upon vouchers duly executed under conditions to be fixed by said commission, and no claims shall be paid by such commission except such as have been duly presented to the commission or to the secretary thereof, and audited and allowed. At the close of its services the commission shall make to the governor a statement of all its doings which shall include a showing of all exhibits made by the state of Iowa, or the citizens thereof, and the awards made on such exhibits, and such other matter as the said commission may deem valuable to the people of the state of Iowa, together with a list of all receipts and disbursements, with complete vouchers therefor. The accounts of said commission shall be kept in a manner agreeable to the requirements of the executive council and said council shall have its expert accountant examine the accounts of said commission at any time it may deem advisable. All reports required to be made by said commission shall be verified.

SEC. 3. Appropriation—when available. If the exposition shall not be held during the year 1903, then not more than one-half of the appropriation herein made shall be drawn prior to the 30th day of June of the year in which said exposition is held.

SEC. 4. In effect. This act, being deemed of immediate importance, it shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, papers published at Des Moines, Iowa.

Approved April 12, 1902.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Iowa State Register and the Des Moines Leader, April 16, 1902.

W. B. MARTIN,
Secretary of State.

CHAPTER 196.

ERECTION OF MONUMENTS IN THE VICKSBURG NATIONAL MILITARY PARK.

H. F. 155.

AN ACT to provide for the erection of monuments and tablets on the Vicksburg National Military Park to mark the positions occupied by Iowa brigades, regiments and batteries; to commemorate the valor and services of Iowa soldiers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg; and to make an appropriation therefor.

Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa:

SECTION 1. Amount appropriated. That for the purpose of perpetuating the memory and commemorating the valor and services of Iowa soldiers in the campaign and siege of Vicksburg, Mississippi, in 1863, by erecting brigade, regimental and state monuments and tablets on the Vicksburg National Military Park, and to pay the necessary expenses of the members of