

MAINE STATE LEGISLATURE

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SEVENTY-SECOND LEGISLATURE

HOUSE.

No. 127

STATE OF MAINE.

IN THE YEAR OF OUR LORD ONE THOUSAND NINE
HUNDRED AND FIVE.

AN ACT to provide for the representation of the State of Maine at the Lewis and Clark and Jamestown Expositions, and making an appropriation therefor.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in Legislature assembled, as follows :

Section 1. The sum of one thousand dollars is hereby
2 appropriated out of the moneys in the treasury for and in
3 addition to each one thousand dollars that shall have been
4 raised by private subscription and deposited with the State
5 treasurer, the sum so appropriated from the funds of the
6 State not to exceed seven thousand dollars, for the repro-
7 duction of the birthplace or Portland home of the poet Long-
8 fellow, as the Maine State Building at the Lewis and Clark
9 Centennial Exposition of nineteen hundred and five and the

10 Jamestown Tercentennial Exposition of nineteen hundred
11 and seven.

Sect. 2. The governor is hereby authorized to appoint a
2 commission of five to represent the interests of the State at
3 the above named expositions to arouse public interest in them,
4 and encourage the making of exhibits by citizens of Maine.

Sect. 3. Only the executive commissioner, to be elected by
2 the commission from its own number, shall receive compen-
3 sation for service, but the commission shall be entitled to the
4 actual necessary expenses incurred while in discharge of
5 duties imposed upon them by the commission. Such com-
6 mission shall have power to employ such assistants as may
7 be necessary, fix their compensation and that of the executive
8 commissioner.

Sect. 4. This appropriation, together with the equal
2 amount paid into the treasury for the same purpose, shall be
3 paid by the treasurer upon warrants of the governor issued
4 upon a requisition signed by the chairman of the commission.

Sect. 5. After the close of the above named expositions the
2 commission is authorized to sell or otherwise dispose of the
3 buildings and property of the State of Maine then on the
4 exposition grounds, deposit any moneys, received therefor
5 in the State treasury, and any money in possession of the
6 said commission belonging to the State shall be paid to the
7 State treasurer.

Sect. 6. This act shall take effect when approved.

STATE OF MAINE.

HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES,

Augusta, February 15, 1905.

Tabled pending reference to a committee by Mr. REED of Portland and ordered printed. Five hundred extra copies to be printed for the use of the House.

E. M. THOMPSON, *Clerk.*