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OLYMPIA, Sept. 16, 1890. }

I, Allen Weir, Secretary of State of the State of Washington, and custodian of the seal of said state, do hereby certify that the laws hereinafter published are true and correct copies of the originals on file in my office.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the State of Washington, the day and year aforesaid.

[SEAL.]

ALLEN WEIR,  
*Secretary of State.*

## LEGISLATIVE APPORTIONMENT.

AN ACT to prescribe the number of Senators and Members of the House of Representatives of Legislature of the State of Washington; to provide for the election of the same, and for the Apportionment of the State into Senatorial and Representative Districts, and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. The senate shall consist of thirty-four members, and the house of representatives of seventy-eight members.

SEC. 2. The next election of the members of the house of representatives shall be on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, one thousand eight hundred and ninety, and thereafter members of the house of representatives shall be elected biennially, and their term of office shall be two years; and each election shall be on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, unless otherwise changed by law.

SEC. 3. The senators shall be elected by single districts, at the same time as members of the house of representatives are required to be elected. They shall be elected for the term of four years, one-half of their number retiring every two years.

SEC. 4. The state shall be divided into thirty-four single senatorial districts, and said districts shall be constituted and numbered as follows:

The counties of Lincoln and Okanogan shall constitute the first senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The county of Stevens, together with the following precincts of the county of Spokane, to wit: Twin Prairie, Chattaroy, Bridge, Peone Prairie, Five-Mile Prairie and Pleasant Prairie, shall constitute the second senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The precincts of Ross Park, Bernard, Fairview, River, College, Bellevue, Nosler and Abernethy, of Spokane county, shall constitute the third senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The precincts of Montrose, Motor, Saunders, Cliff, Post, Monroe, Park and Ash, of Spokane county, shall constitute the fourth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The precincts of Coulee, Deep Creek, Medical Lake, Silver Lake, Fancher, Marshall, Richland, Saltese, Rockford, Mica, McCoy, Mount Hope, Spangle, Cheney, Stevens, Graves, Rock Lake, Rock Creek, Buckeye, Spring Valley, Fairfield, Waverly and Latah, of Spokane county, shall constitute the fifth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

Precincts numbered four, four and one-half, five, five and one-half, six, seven, eight, fifteen, fifteen and one-half, sixteen, seventeen, twenty, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-five, thirty-four and thirty-five, of Whitman county, shall constitute the sixth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

Precincts of Whitman county numbered one, one and one-half, two, two and one-half, three, nine, nine and one-half, ten, eleven, eleven and one-half, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fourteen and one-half, eighteen, nineteen, twenty-one and twenty-four, shall constitute the seventh senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Garfield, Asotin and Columbia shall constitute the eighth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Franklin and Adams, and the third and fourth wards of the city of Walla Walla, and the precincts of Walluia, Frenchtown, Lower Touchet, Prescott, Hadley, Eureka, Hill and Baker, of Walla Walla county, shall constitute the ninth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The first and second wards of the city of Walla Walla, and the precincts of Waitsburgh, Coppie, Dry Creek, Russell Creek, Mill Creek, Washington and Small, of Walla Walla county, shall constitute the tenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Douglas and Kittitas shall constitute the eleventh senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Yakima and Klickitat shall constitute the twelfth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Clark and Skamania shall constitute the thirteenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Cowlitz, Wahkiakum and Pacific shall constitute the fourteenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The county of Lewis shall constitute the fifteenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The county of Chehalis shall constitute the sixteenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Mason, Kitsap and Island shall constitute the seventeenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The county of Thurston shall constitute the eighteenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The precincts of Mountain, Kapousin, Nesqually, Carbonado, Orting, Buckley, South Prairie, Wilkeson, Summer, Lake Tapps, first and second precincts of Puyallup, Alderton and Reservation, of the county of Pierce, shall constitute the nineteenth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The first and second precincts of the first ward, and the fourth, fifth and seventh precincts of the second ward, of the city of Tacoma, and the precincts of Purdy, Fox Island, Artondale, Rosedale, Gig Harbor, Anderson Island, McNeill's Island, Lake Bay, Vaughn, Minter, Clover creek, Lakeview, Steilacoom, Muck, Roy, Tanwax, Ohop and Smelter, of the county of Pierce, shall constitute the twentieth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The first, second, third and sixth precincts of the second ward of Tacoma, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the twenty-first senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The first, second, third, fourth and fifth precincts of the third ward, and the first, second, third and fourth precincts of

the fourth ward of the city of Tacoma, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the twenty-second senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The sixth, seventh and eighth precincts of the third ward, and the fifth precinct of the fourth ward, of the city of Tacoma, and the precincts of Junetts, Hunt's Prairie, Fern Hill, Oakes, Ridgedale and Woodruff, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the twenty-third senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The precincts of Hot Springs, Eagle Gorge, Durham, Franklin, Enumclaw, Black Diamond, Osceola, Green River, Slaughter, Christopher, Adalaide, Milton, Des Moines, White River, Sunny Dale, West Seattle, Duwamish, Vashon, Kent, Chautauqua, Meeker, and Meridian, in the county of King, shall constitute the twenty-fourth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying east of South Second street and South Second street produced and south of Yesler avenue, shall constitute the twenty-fifth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying south of Madison street and Madison street produced, not embraced in the twenty-fifth senatorial district, shall constitute the twenty-sixth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying north of Madison street and south of Stewart and Olive streets, or east of Ninth and Rollin streets and Rollin street produced, shall constitute the twenty-seventh senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying north of Stewart and Olive streets and west of Ninth and Rollin streets and Rollin street produced, shall constitute the twenty-eighth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The precincts of Arthur, Cedar Mountain, Renton, Newcastle, Gilman, Snoqualmie, Falls City, Tolt, Novelty, Bellevue, Hough-

ton, Redwood, Avondale, Juanita, Samamish, Richmond, Cherry Valley, Tremont, Latona, Monohon, Mercer Island, Kirkland, South Bend, Ballard, Yesler, Pontiac, Union and Salmon Bay, in the county of King, shall constitute the twenty-ninth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Jefferson and Clallam shall constitute the thirtieth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The county of Snohomish shall constitute the thirty-first senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The counties of Skagit and San Juan shall constitute the thirty-second senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

All the precincts of Whatcom county, except the territory included in the city limits of Whatcom, New Whatcom and Fairhaven, shall constitute the thirty-third senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

The territory included in the city limits of Whatcom, New Whatcom and Fairhaven, shall constitute the thirty-fourth senatorial district, and shall be entitled to one senator.

SEC. 5. The state shall be divided into forty-nine representative districts, and said districts shall be constituted and numbered as follows:

The county of Stevens shall constitute the first representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The precincts of Twin Prairie, Chatteroy, Bridge, Peone Prairie, Five Mile Prairie and Pleasant Prairie, of Spokane county, shall constitute the second representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The precincts of Ross Park, Bernard, Fairview, River, College, Belleview, Nosler, and Abernethy, of Spokane county, shall constitute the third representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The precincts of Montrose, Motor, Saunders, Cliff, Post, Monroe, Park and Ash, of Spokane county, shall constitute the fourth representative district, and shall be entitled to three representatives.

The precincts of Coulee, Deep Creek, Medical Lake, Silver Lake, Fancher, Marshall, Richland, Saltes, Rockford, Mica,

McCoy, Mount Hope, Spangle, Cheney, Stevens, Graves, Rock Lake, Rock Creek, Buckeye, Spring Valley, Fairfield, Waverly and Latah, of Spokane county, shall constitute the fifth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The precincts numbered four, four and one-half, five, five and one-half, six, seven, eight, fifteen, fifteen and one-half, sixteen, seventeen, twenty, twenty-two, twenty-three, twenty-five, thirty-four and thirty-five, in Whitman county, shall constitute the sixth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

Precincts numbered one, one and one-half, two, two and one-half, three, nine, nine and one-half, ten, eleven, eleven and one-half, twelve, thirteen, fourteen, fourteen and one-half, eighteen, nineteen, twenty-one and twenty-four, in the county of Whitman, shall constitute the seventh representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Asotin shall constitute the eighth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Garfield shall constitute the ninth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Columbia shall constitute the tenth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The first and second wards of the city of Walla Walla, and the precincts of Waitsburgh, Coppie, Dry Creek, Russell Creek, Mill Creek, Washington and Small, in the county of Walla Walla, shall constitute the eleventh representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The third and fourth wards of the city of Walla Walla, and the precincts of Wallula, Frenchtown, Lower Touchet, Prescott, Hadley, Eureka, Hill and Baker, in the county of Walla Walla, shall constitute the twelfth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Franklin shall constitute the thirteenth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Adams shall constitute the fourteenth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Lincoln shall constitute the fifteenth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Okanogan shall constitute the sixteenth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Douglas shall constitute the seventeenth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Kittitas shall constitute the eighteenth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Yakima shall constitute the nineteenth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Klickitat shall constitute the twentieth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Skamania shall constitute the twenty-first representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Clarke shall constitute the twenty-second representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Cowlitz shall constitute the twenty-third representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Wahkiakum shall constitute the twenty-fourth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Pacific shall constitute the twenty-fifth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Lewis shall constitute the twenty-sixth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Thurston shall constitute the twenty-seventh representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Chehalis shall constitute the twenty-eighth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Mason shall constitute the twenty-ninth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Kitsap shall constitute the thirtieth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Jefferson shall constitute the thirty-first representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Clallam shall constitute the thirty-second representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The precincts of Mountain, Kapousin, Nesqually, Carbonado, Orting, Buckley, South Prairie, Wilkeson, Sumner, Lake Tapps, Alderton, Reservation and the first and second precincts of Puyallup, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the thirty-third representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The first and second precincts of the first ward, and the fourth, fifth and seventh precincts of the second ward, of the city of Tacoma, and the precincts of Purdy, Fox Island, Artondale, Rosedale, Gig Harbor, Anderson Island, McNeill's Island, Lake Bay, Vaughn, Minter, Clover Creek, Lake View, Steilacoom, Muck, Roy, Tanwax, Ohop and Smelter, of the county of Pierce, shall constitute the thirty-fourth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The first, second, third and sixth precincts of the second ward of the city of Tacoma, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the thirty-fifth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The first, second, third, fourth and fifth precincts of the third ward, and the first, second, third and fourth precincts of the fourth ward of the city of Tacoma, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the thirty-sixth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The sixth, seventh and eighth precincts of the third ward, and the fifth precinct of the fourth ward, in the city of Tacoma, and the precincts of Junetts, Hunt's Prairie, Fern Hill, Oakes, Ridgedale and Woodruff, in the county of Pierce, shall constitute the thirty-seventh representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The precincts of Hot Springs, Eagle Gorge, Durham, Franklin, Enumelaw, Black Diamond, Osceola, Green River, Slaughter, Christopher, Adalaide, Milton, Des Moines, White River, Sunny Dale, West Seattle, Duwamish, Vashon, Chautauqua, Meeker, Kent and Meridian, in the county of King, shall constitute the

thirty-eighth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying east of South Second street and South Second street produced, and south of Yesler avenue, shall constitute the thirty-ninth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying south of Madison street and Madison street produced, not embraced in the thirty-ninth representative district, shall constitute the fortieth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying north of Madison street and south of Stewart and Olive streets, or east of Ninth and Rollin streets and Rollin street produced, shall constitute the forty-first representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

All that part of the city of Seattle, in the county of King, lying north of Stewart and Olive streets, and west of Ninth and Rollin streets and Rollin street produced, shall constitute the forty-second representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The precincts of Arthur, Cedar Mountain, Renton, New Castle, Gilman, Snoqualmie, Falls City, Tolt, Novelty, Bellevue, Houghton, Redmond, Richmond, Cherry Valley, Fremont, Latona, Monohon, Mercer Island, Kirkland, South Bend, Ballard, Yesler, Pontiac, Avondale, Juanita, Samamish, Union and Salmon Bay, in the county of King, shall constitute the forty-third representative district, and shall be entitled to three representatives.

The county of Snohomish shall constitute the forty-fourth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of Island shall constitute the forty-fifth representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

The county of Skagit shall constitute the forty-sixth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The county of San Juan shall constitute the forty-seventh representative district, and shall be entitled to one representative.

All of Whatcom county excepting the territory included in the city limits of Whatcom, New Whatcom and Fairhaven, shall constitute the forty-eighth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

The territory included in the city limits of Whatcom, New Whatcom and Fairhaven, in the county of Whatcom, shall constitute the forty-ninth representative district, and shall be entitled to two representatives.

SEC. 6. At the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1890, a senator shall be elected in each of the following numbered single senatorial districts, namely:

The second, sixth, seventh, twelfth, fourteenth, sixteenth, twentieth, twenty-third, twenty-fourth, twenty-fifth, twenty-sixth, twenty-seventh, twenty-eighth, twenty-ninth, thirtieth, thirty-second and thirty-fourth, as numbered in this act.

SEC. 7. At the general election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in November, 1892, a senator shall be elected in each of the following numbered single senatorial districts, namely:

The first, third, fourth, fifth, eighth, ninth, tenth, eleventh, thirteenth, fifteenth, seventeenth, eighteenth, nineteenth, twenty-first, twenty-second, thirty-first and thirty-third, as numbered in this act.

SEC. 8. The senators elected on the first day of October, eighteen hundred and eighty-nine, in districts numbered two, four, six, eight, ten, twelve, fourteen, sixteen, eighteen, twenty, twenty-two and twenty-four, as numbered in section one of article twenty-two of the constitution, shall continue in office until the expiration of their terms, as prescribed in section six, article two, of the constitution.

SEC. 9. Precincts which have recently been formed, or which hereafter may be formed for any other reason are not mentioned herein by name, shall be part of the same senatorial and representative districts as the precincts from which they were formed.

SEC. 10. Whereas, a general election for senators and representatives is required by the constitution to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday of November, eighteen hundred and ninety, and there is no law in force apportioning the senators and representatives, in the manner required by the constitution, therefore an emergency exists, and this act shall take effect and be in force from the date of its approval.

Approved September 11, 1890.

## LEGISLATIVE EXPENSES.

AN ACT appropriating money to defray the expenses of the special session of the Legislature of the State of Washington.

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

SECTION 1. That there be, and hereby is appropriated, out of any funds in the state treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of eight thousand (\$8,000) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary for the payment of mileage and per diem of members and pay of employes in attendance at the special session of the legislature convened by proclamation of the governor on the 3d day of September, 1890.

SEC. 2. That the sum of five hundred (\$500) dollars, or so much thereof as may be necessary, be appropriated to pay for the necessary stationery and furniture required for use of the legislature.

SEC. 3. That the state auditor is hereby authorized to issue his warrant upon the state treasurer for such sums as shall be approved by the Committee on Claims and Ways and Means of the two houses, and duly certified to by the president and secretary of the Senate, or by the speaker and chief clerk of the House of Representatives; and the state treasurer is hereby authorized to pay the same.

Approved September 11th, 1890.

## REGISTRATION AMENDATORY ACT.

AN ACT to amend section five (5) of an act entitled "An act to provide for and to regulate the registration of voters in cities and towns, and in precincts having a voting population of two hundred and fifty or more," and declaring an emergency.

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

SECTION 1. That section five (5) of an act entitled "An act to provide for and to regulate the registration of voters in cities and towns, and in precincts having a voting population of two hundred and fifty (250) or more," and declaring an emergency, approved March twenty-seventh, eighteen hundred and ninety, be and the same is hereby amended to read as follows: "SEC. 5. It shall be the duty of the city or town clerk or officer of registration, upon the receipt of the poll-books in this act provided for, to cause to be published a notice in a newspaper of general circulation in such city, town or precinct for ten days, notifying the citizens of said city, town or precinct that they can register at his office, according to the provisions of this act; and a like notice shall be published each year, within twenty days after the first Monday in January of each year. The notice for the year 1890 shall be published within ninety days after the taking effect of this act."

SEC. 2. Whereas, the immediate taking effect of this act is necessary to render its provisions operative during the year eighteen hundred and ninety, an emergency is declared to exist, and this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval by the governor.

Approved September 11th, 1890.



## SENATE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 2.

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*Be it resolved by the Senate, the House concurring :*

That the secretary of state be and is hereby empowered to distribute the House and Senate journals of the session of 1889-90, as follows, to wit:

1st. One copy of each to the librarian of congress.

2d. One copy of each to the librarian of each state, territory and the District of Columbia.

3d. One copy of each to each member of the present legislature and the elective state officers.

4th. One copy of each to the president, secretary, assistant secretary and sergeant-at-arms of the Senate.

5th. One copy of each to the chief clerk, assistant clerk and sergeant-at-arms of the House, and one copy to each county auditor for the use of their counties.

6th. The remaining copies to the state librarian for future distribution; who is hereby empowered to sell them to citizens of the state, not to exceed one copy to any citizen at a price not to exceed the cost of the same: *Providing*, That the fund received from the sale of such copies shall be turned into the general fund.

[The foregoing is a true and correct copy of the original on file in my office.

ALLEN VEIR *Secretary of State.*]

