CHAPTER 256.

AN ACT TO APPROPRIATE MONEY TO REIMBURSE CERTAIN PERSONS FOR MONEY ADVANCED BY THEM TO PAY THE EXPENSES FOR THE REPRESENTATION OF THE STATE AT THE WORLD'S INDUSTRIAL AND COTTON CENTENNIAL EXPOSITION AT NEW ORLEANS, LOUISIANA, AND TO PROVIDE FOR THE MAINTENANCE OF SUCH REPRESEN-TATION.

WHEREAS, At the request of the governor, certain persons have advanced a large amount of money to provide for the expenses of a representation of this state at the world's industrial and cotton centennial exposition now being held at New Orleans, Louisiana; and whereas it is desirable that the future expenses of such representation be provided for by the state: therefore.

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

SECTION 1. That the sum of twenty-eight thousand New Orleans dollars (\$28,000), or so much thereof as may be necessary. be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury, not otherwise appropriated, for the pur- money pose of first reimbursing the persons who have heretofore State. advanced any money or moneys to the governor to pay the expenses for the representation of the state at the world's industrial and cotton centennial exposition at New Orleans, Louisiana, for the amount so advanced, and for the purpose of paying the expenses of maintaining such representation at such exposition, including the compensation of the United States commissioners appointed for this state, and for the purpose of paying the expenses of returning to this state the exhibits sent to said exposition from this state. The said money shall be paid by the treasurer of the state on warrants drawn by the state auditor, vouchers for the amount of each of said warrants, duly approved by the governor, being first filed with said auditor.

This act shall take effect and be in force from when act to SEC. 2. and after its passage.

Approved January 28, 1885.

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Preamble,

take effect.