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CHAPTER 155.

AN ACT making an annual appropriation to the state historical society, as trustee of the state, for the purchase of books, periodicals, maps, etc., for its library.

The people of the state of Wisconsin represented in senate and assembly do enact as follows:

Five thousand dollars annually, appropriated. Section 1. For the purpose of purchasing books, periodicals, maps manuscripts, and kindred articles for its reference library, there is hereby annually appropriated to the state historical society of Wisconsin, as trustee of the state, the sum of five thousand dollars, out of any moneys in the state treasury not otherwise appropriated. Any balance not expended in any one year may be added to the expenditures of the next ensuing year. This sum is in addition to the existing annual appropriation to said trustee.

Record of expenditures. Section 2. The executive committee of said society shall keep a correct account of the manner of expenditure of the money hereby appropriated, and report annually to the governor a detailed statement of such expenditure.

Section 3. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and publication.

Approved April 9, 1901.