

tional policies for the general supervision, government and control of the public schools of the Territory. The Territorial Board of Education shall have the power to dismiss the Commissioner of Education whenever in its judgment the best interests of the public schools require his removal. In case a vacancy should arise in the office of Commissioner, either by death, resignation or otherwise, the President of said Board shall have the power to fill said vacancy by appointment, said appointee to hold office until the first meeting of the Board thereafter."

Vacancy
how filled.

Section 2. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall take effect from and after its passage and approval.

Emergency.

Approved April 24, 1925.

CHAPTER 31.

AN ACT

[H. B. 30]

To stimulate interest in agricultural development, animal industry, home economics, mining and manufacturing in the Territory of Alaska, and providing funds for annual fairs within the Territory, and for exhibits to be displayed outside the Territory, prescribing rules governing the same, appropriating money therefor, repealing Chapter 76, Laws of 1923, and declaring an emergency.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of the Territory of Alaska:

Section 1. That Agricultural and Industrial Fair Associations, incorporated under the laws of the Territory of Alaska, may receive Territorial aid in conducting and maintaining annual agricultural and industrial fairs as hereinafter provided.

Territorial aid
for agricultural
fairs.

Number of fairs.

Limitation of territorial aid.

Conditions for receiving territorial aid.

Entries.

Section 2. One such fair may be held each year in each of the four Judicial Divisions of the Territory, and the Territorial aid to the conduct and maintenance of such fairs shall not exceed the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) annually for each Division; Provided, that the people of each Division shall subscribe and have available for expenditure an equal amount for such purpose, and shall have, or shall organize, an Agricultural and Industrial Fair Association for the conduct and maintenance of such fair. Provided further, that each of said fairs shall be open to entries by the people of the whole Territory and that special provisions shall be made for exhibits from Boys' and Girls' Clubs.

Procedure necessary to receive territorial aid.

Section 3. Each Agricultural and Industrial Fair Association, desiring to come within the provisions of this Act, shall prepare and present to the Governor of the Territory a copy of its articles of incorporation, together with a full program of the proposed fair to be held, and all rules and regulations governing the same, accompanied by a certificate, signed by the President and Secretary of the Association, that such Association has in its treasury, available for expenditure for such proposed fair, the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or any portion thereof, contributed by the people of the Division in which such fair is to be held. When satisfied that the Association is entitled to receive Territorial aid under the provisions of this Act, the Governor shall cause a warrant to be drawn on the Territorial Treasurer, in favor of the said Association, in the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00), or a portion thereof equal to the amount subscribed and paid in to the treasury of the Association in such Division as hereinabove provided for. And the Territorial Treasurer is hereby authorized and directed to pay annually, whenever directed by the Governor so to do, the sum so directed by the Governor to be paid

under the provisions of this Act. The Treasurer shall require, and each Association receiving Territorial aid hereunder shall furnish, receipts for such moneys, so paid to them, upon such forms as the Treasurer may prescribe, covering the disbursements by said Associations of all Territorial funds, for any and all fairs held under the provisions of this Act.

Section 4. The Governor of the Territory is also authorized and empowered to collect and ship, for display outside of the Territory, of exhibits of Alaskan produce, mining and manufacturing, and such other exhibits, including the native arts, as he may deem advisable. And he is hereby authorized to expend not to exceed the sum of One Thousand Dollars (\$1,000.00) per annum, to defray the expenses of packing, shipping and displaying such exhibits at fairs outside of the Territory. And the Territorial Treasurer shall pay the same upon the presentation of vouchers to be approved by the Governor. The Governor shall account and report for the funds disbursed under the provisions of this section.

Governor empowered to ship exhibits out of Territory.

Limitation of expenditure.

Section 5. There is hereby appropriated from the General Fund of the Territorial Treasury, not otherwise appropriated, the sum of Ten Thousand Dollars (\$10,000.00), or so much thereof as may be necessary to carry out the provisions of this Act for the biennium ending March 31, 1927, to be paid out and accounted for as hereinabove provided.

Appropriation.

Section 6. Chapter 76, Laws of 1923, is hereby repealed.

Repeal.

Section 7. An emergency is hereby declared to exist and this Act shall take effect and be in force from and after its passage and approval.

Emergency.

Approved April 27, 1925.