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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

JANUARY 7, 1909.

Mr. RODENBERG introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds and ordered to be printed.

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**A BILL**

For the purchase of the Oldroyd collection of Lincoln relics, and  
for other purposes.

1       *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2       *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*  
3       That the sum of one hundred and fifty thousand dollars, or so  
4       much thereof as may be necessary, is hereby appropriated,  
5       out of any money in the United States Treasury not other-  
6       wise appropriated, for the purchase of the entire Oldroyd col-  
7       lection of Lincoln relics, containing three thousand pieces,  
8       more or less, and for the acquisition, by purchase, condemna-  
9       tion, or otherwise, of the premises known as number five  
10      hundred and fourteen and five hundred and eighteen Tenth  
11      street northwest, Washington, District of Columbia, adjoin-  
12      ing the government property known as the house in which  
13      President Lincoln died, and for the removal of such adjoining  
14      houses, beautifying and parking the grounds, making fire-

1 proof the house in which the said relics are stored, and for the  
 2 erection of a suitable and adequate addition or wings to the  
 3 aforesaid Lincoln house.

4       SEC. 2. That the amount herein appropriated shall be  
 5 disbursed and expended under the direction of the official in  
 6 charge of public buildings and grounds of the District of  
 7 Columbia.

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 2D SESSION.

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