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# Pennsylvania Day, September 7, 1893

## at the World's Columbian Exposition, Chicago.

Besides tens of thousands of enthusiastic, loyal, and appreciative citizens, Pennsylvania sent a strong official and military delegation. Governor Robert E. Pattison was there with a staff of nearly threescore generals, colonels, and adjutant generals, and a large force of militia, the latter including the famous City Troop of Philadelphia and the Naval Battalion of Pennsylvania.



PENNSYLVANIA STATE BUILDING.

Size, 110 by 166 feet. Cost, \$60,000. Exact reproduction of old "Independence Hall."  
Contains Independence Bell.

The formal exercises in the Pennsylvania Building opened with an address by Governor Pattison, which was followed by others from Lieutenant-Governor Louis A. Watres, Adjutant - General Daniel H.



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Hastings, John W. Woodside, National Commissioner from Pennsylvania, and Hon. George V. Massey, of the Council of Administration of the Exposition.

The music was furnished by the Iowa Band and a chorus of 1,000 voices. In the afternoon reception was given to the distinguished guests, and in the evening the special features of the fireworks included the Pennsylvania coat of arms, the Liberty Bell, William Penn, and the facade of Independence Hall, in which there were 12,000 pieces in changing colors. The tide of attendance upon the Exposition, which had been constantly rising during the week, reached on this day a higher figure than at any other time since the Fourth of July. Nearly forty thousand people from Pennsylvania were present.