

of election appointed by the county commissioners of the county or counties wherein said district is situated for the last general election preceding such special election, shall be deemed to be the officers of such special election, and the county auditor shall, immediately upon receiving the writ of election from the governor, proceed to notify said officers of the holding of said election.

SEC. 9. Whereas, there is not at present any provision of law by which a vacancy in the legislature of the State of Washington can be speedily filled, an emergency is declared to exist for this statute to take effect immediately; therefore, this act shall take effect and be in force from and after its approval.

Approved January 24, 1891.

CHAPTER IV.

[S. B. No. 22.]

DISTRIBUTION OF CODE, SESSION LAWS AND JOURNALS.

AN ACT providing for the distribution to the members of the legislature of the code of 1881, and the journals and session laws of 1889-90.

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

SECTION 1. That the state auditor and the secretary of state be and hereby are authorized to deliver to each member of the legislature, a copy of the code of 1881 and the session laws of 1889-90, and the journals of the house and senate for 1889-90.

Approved, February 3, 1891.