

derived from the sale of the land should be paid: *Provided*, That when the improvements are owned by the state in accordance with the provisions of this section or have been acquired by the state by escheat or operation of law in accordance with the provisions of section 7797-154, Remington's Com- Sale of.
piled Statutes, 1927 Supplement, the purchaser may, in case of sale, pay for such improvements in equal annual installments at the same time, and with the same rate of interest on deferred payments, as the installments of the purchase price of the land are paid, and under such rules and regulations regarding use and care of said improvements as may be fixed by the commissioner of public lands.

Passed the House February 14, 1935.

Passed the Senate March 7, 1935.

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1935.

CHAPTER 58.

[H. B. 331.]

NATIONAL FORESTS; ACQUISITION OF STATE LANDS BY UNITED STATES.

AN ACT expressing the consent of the legislature of the State of Washington to the acquisition of lands in the state under the provisions of the act of congress entitled "An act to enable any state to cooperate with any other state or states, or with the United States, for the protection of the watersheds of navigable streams and to appoint a commission for the acquisition of lands for the purpose of conserving the navigability of navigable rivers," approved March 1, 1911, as amended.

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

SECTION 1. The Legislature of the State of Washington hereby consents to the acquisition by the United States by purchase or gift of such lands in the State of Washington as in the opinion of the

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government of the United States may be needed for the establishment, consolidation and extension of national forests in this state under the provisions of the act of Congress approved March 1, 1911, and entitled "An act to enable any state to cooperate with any other state or states or with the United States for the protection of the watersheds of navigable streams and to appoint a commission for the acquisition of lands for the purpose of conserving the navigability of navigable rivers," as amended: *Provided*, The State of Washington shall retain a concurrent jurisdiction with the United States in and over lands so acquired so far that civil processes in all cases, and such criminal processes as may issue under the authority of the State of Washington against any person charged with the commission of any crime without or within said jurisdiction, may be executed thereon in like manner as if this consent had not been granted: *Provided further*, That before any acquirement of lands be made under the provisions of this act, such acquisition shall be approved by the state forest board: *And further provided*, That the State of Washington shall retain concurrent jurisdiction to tax persons and corporations and their property and transaction on such lands so acquired.

Passed the House March 8, 1935.

Passed the Senate March 7, 1935.

Approved by the Governor March 12, 1935.