

CHAPTER CIV.

[H. B. No. 204.]

TO PROVIDE FOR REGISTRATION OF VOTERS IN PRECINCTS PARTLY WITHIN INCORPORATED CITIES AND TOWNS.

AN ACT to provide for the registration of voters in precincts where an incorporated city or town, or any portion thereof, forms a part of a voting precinct.

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

SECTION 1. That in precincts where an incorporated city or town forms a part of a voting precinct, and where any portion of a city or town forms a part of a precinct extending beyond the corporate limits, there shall be a registration of voters: *Provided*, The board of county commissioners may appoint the clerk of a city or town in such a precinct the officer of registration for that portion of such a precinct without the city or town, but the voters within the city or town and those without shall be registered in separate poll books of registration.

Separate poll books.

SEC. 2. The voters of any such precinct resident within the corporate limits of an incorporated city or town shall be registered by the clerk of said city or town, and those voters resident within the precinct, but without the corporate limits of a city or town, shall be registered by an officer of registration to be appointed by the board of county commissioners.

Time and manner of registration.

SEC. 3. The time and manner of registration under this act shall be the same as that prescribed by law.

SEC. 4. The expense of registration in all cities and towns shall be paid by such cities or towns, and the expense of registration in precincts outside of cities and towns shall be paid by the county in which such precincts are situated.

Approved March 7, 1891.